THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

A civil service examination will be held at Kearney, Neb., October 4. Carey W. Thorn of Cody, Neb., has been appointed a teacher in the Rose-

bud Indian school of South Dakota. At Sydney, N. S. W., the assembly passed a resolution by a vote of 75 to 41 declaring a lack of confidence in the ministry.

The emperor of Korea has inaugurated a reform in dress, and has issued an edict that longer sleeves must be worn with long coats.

The navy department received word that the new battleship Kearsarge would be ready for her official accept-

ance trial about Sept. 22. The last plague patient was discharged from the hospital at Alexandria, Egypt. Of a total of eighty-nine

cases forty-three deaths have occurred. It is said that Baron von Hammerstein Lexton, minister of agriculture, has been dismissed from office for the part he took with regard to the canal

Consul Bedloe, whose status as the United States representative at Canton is in question, is in Washington to confer with the state department offi-

During the sham battle in the Pain spectacle, "The Battle of San Juan," at the state fair ground, in Columbus, O., Charles Krag, aged 10 years, spectator, was killed.

A. L. Bell of St. Mary's, Kan., has been appointed a teacher at the Hockbury Indian school, Arizona: Miss G. Vaughan, of Hutchinson, Kan., teacher at Sac and Fox agency. Mrs. B. K. Bruce, widow of the late

United States Senator Bruce, has accepted the position of lady principal of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial institute at Tuskegee, Ala. So far as known this is the hottest

summer ever experienced in London. Meteorological records go back only twenty-seven years and show a maximum of 90 degrees in the shade. Bids for the purchase from the gov-

ernment of the Industrial Christian home in Salt Lake City, Utah, were opened. Charles B. Titcomb of Salt Lake, for \$22,500, was the highest. Harvey Murray, one of the most

prominent attorneys in Missouri, died at Springfield, Mo., from injuries received in being thrown down a stairway by E. C. Mays, a wealthy farmer. Rev. Mr. William Moffat, D. D., LL.

D., for twenty-eight years president of Erskine college, at Due West, S. C., and for many years editor of the Assoclated Reformed Presbyterian, is dead. At the Douglas county tair at Camarge, Ill., lightning struck the north

end of the grand stand, killing two men instantly, fatally injuring two more and seriously disabling six Government officials of the Russian

province of Kieff recently ordered the closing of thirty synagogues and schools at Berlitcheff, center of the Jewish population of the southwest

Final returns show that Pleasant Porter, the progressive candidate, was elected president of the Creek nation by a majority of 1,000 votes, defeating ex-Chief Perryman and Second Chief McIntosh.

Lieutenant General Sir General Forester Walker, who relieves Sir General William Francis Butler as commander of the British troops in South Africa, arrived at Capetown. He was given a splendid reception.

A dispatch to the London Daily Chronicle from Christiania says that Baron Vontell, a Russian, has purchased a sailing vessel and will undertake an expedition into North Polar regions next spring.

Iron and lake shipping men estimate the loss caused by the blockade of Lake Superior navigation through the sinking of the vessels Houghton and Fritz in the St. Mary's river will amount to over \$1,000,030.

John Y. McKane, formerly the political boss of Coney Island, and whose trial and conviction in 1894 for ballot box stuffing gave him national notoriety, is dying at his home in Coney Island of acute dyspepsia.

The Pittsburg Bridge company, and Charles M. Peasley, superintendent, were held responsible by a coroner's jury for the death of eleven men who were killed in the collapse of the arches of the coliseum building.

Governor Candler's Minute Men, a company of 109 officers and privates, composed of young men in Marietta, Macon and Atlanta, Ga., has made application with Secretary of War Root to be accepted as a company for service in the Pt'lippines.

Senor Pulido, the charge d'affaires of Venzuela, in response to a cablegram sent by him, received a message from the foreign office of Venezuela saving: "The news of a new outbreak in Venezuela, published yesterday, is without any foundation.'

Count Esternazy, in an interview published, repeats his statement that he did everything by order of Colonel Sandherr, and his superior officers. He says he will reveal all after the trial at Rennes. Possibly he will go to the United States to lecture.

Preparations on a grand scale for the celebration of the national anniversary of independence are being made in the City of Mexico. Governor Martinez of Oaxaca has invited the Americans to take part in the independence day celebration, and they will erect a handsome arch, besides actively participating in the public manifestation of rejoicing.

Spanish is to be taught in three of Chicago's public schools. The idea from Superintendent Andrews, who advocated the teaching of Spanish had four long conferences with the ties. It was agreed that a system of avail his children of the advantages of after the conclusion of the war with president on the Philippine situation. Spain. Dr. Andrews held that a big Secretary Root took part in the last opening showed itself for American conference and after it was over he youths in the new island possessions and Senator Beveridge went away to if they knew something of Spanish. Chicago is the first city to make provision in the public school system for not in agreement on several of the money order facilities and a surpris- immediate friends. the teaching of the Spanish language. fundamental points considered.

DREYFUS YET HOPEFUL

Not Uneasy Regarding Himself, as He Expects to Be Free October 15.

THINKS OF WIFE AND CHILDREN.

Madam Dreyfus Visits Her Husband, Accompanied by His Brother-Difference of Opinion on the Verdict-Colonel Janaust Declares Dreyfus Must Serve Full Ten Years.

RENNES, Sept. 11.—Dreyfus has borne the terrible shock with marvelous fortitude, one might almost say with unnatural calm. Yesterday he seemed stupified when M. Labori communicated to him the verdict, but he has since rallied. He passed a quiet night and rose when his orderly brought his water at 5 o'clock this

morning. Mme. Dreyfus and Matthieu Dreyfus, his brother, visited him during the course of the afternoon, his brother subsequently leaving for Paris. The application to the court of revision was taken to him at noon by M. Labori's

assistant and he signed it. Today he has spoken little, though he has seemed in better spirits than might have been anticipated. The meeting with his wife was naturally very affecting, but both held up as well as possible. He said to her:

"I am not uneasy regarding myself, as I shall soon be free, but I think of you and my poor children. They will be branded as the children of a

traitor." He is convinced that ten years' imprisonment to which he is sentenced will be wiped out by the five years of solitary seclusion he has undergone on Devil's island, and he expects to be released by October 15, which will be five years from the date of his former condemnation. He is so sanguine that he has made an extraordinary request of his wife for a novel to read in the meantime, explaining that his mind is so shaken and weighed down by recent events that he expects to divert his thoughts and to get all the recollections of the past three months out of his mind. He thinks that reading a novel will afford the desired mental repose and keep him from brooding.

The correspondent of the Associated Press called upon Mme. Dreyfus after her visit to her husband and saw her father. M. Hadamard, who said his daughter was bearing up wonderfully well, considering the circumstances, but desired to remain undisturbed today, in view of the emotional strain of the interview. M. Hadamard said Mme. Dreyfus and the family were hopeful and looked forward to some favorable development.

"The verdict is an infamy," he said. "Captain Dreyfus is in poor health, as everyone knows. He has been extremely ill from the moment of his arrival in France. His health has not improved and the nervous effect of yesterday's terrible blow is bound to react on his general condition. His suppression of all outward depression is due to his almost incredible force of will. but it does not imply that he is insensible to the mental and physical torture he has undergone. On the contrary, the family just now see in his weak state of health and abnormal impassivity an ugly sign, and fear for him more than they care to express."

The town has been perfectly calm. There has not been a sign or a demonstration nor a cry for or against Dreyfus or the Jews heard anywhere. A number of people gathered to see Mme. Dreyfus visit the prison, but they

were quite respectful. The troops and masses of gendarmes who yesterday gave the center of Rennes the appearance of a military camp have vanished. There are hardly any gendarmes in sight, except near the Dreyfus residence, where a few are

Burns the French Flag.

posted.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 11 .-When the news of Captain Dreyfus' fate reached Indianapolis Captain Wallace Foster, who originated the plan of floating the American flag over Indiana school houses, announced that he would have the flag of France burned in he public streets. Last evening a large crowd was drawn to his home, in North Capitol avenue, and, encircled by women, chadren, bicycles and buggies, the tri-colors were brought out and burned on the macadam boulevard. There was loud cheering as the flag, which Captain Foster had obtained at the World's fair, was reduced to ashes.

Yellow Fever Spreading.

JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 11.-One case of yellow fever in Jackson was reported to the state board of health Sunday. The patient is D. P. Porter. city clerk. Dr. Murray of the marine hospital service confirms the diagnosis and his report to Surgeon General Wyman says that the case is of a very malignant type. The patient is not expected to live during the night. It is expected many other Mississippi towns will quarantine against Jackson during the night.

More Volunteers Start Home.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 11.-A cable dispatch has been received from General Otis, which says: "Newport sailed yesterday, 9 officers, 66 enlisted men, 464 discharged men, 10 civilians; party of enlisted men belonged to volunteer signal corps; remainder

Root and Beveridge Disagree. NEW YORK, Sept. 11.-The World

under a Washington date, will print the following: Senator Beveridge of Indiana left here vesterday afternoon, after having New York together. It is said Secre-

THE EXPECTED HAS COME.

Capt. Dreyfus Again Condemned as Traitor to His Country.

RENNES, Sept. 11.-The expected has happened. Dreyfus has been condemned, but though a majority of those in the court room Saturday afternoon expected the verdict, they were completely stupefied when it was given.

The silence which prevailed in the room, when men turned pale and caught their breath, was more impressive than any other manifestation could have been. Maitre Demange sank back in his chair and tears trickeld down his cheeks and Maitre Labori turned white as a sheet, while all around the court room looked at each other in silence. Positively the only sound to be heard was the rustling of papers from the reporters' benches as each press representative tried to be first to send the news.

As the audience left the court room fully ten or fifteen men were crying openly and the majority of those present walked quietly down the street for more than a block without speaking a word. It was like a funeral procession.

Meanwhile a tragedy was being enacted in the little room off the court room, where Dreyfus listened to the reading of the verdict. He had been told the result by his lawyers and had wept bitterly, but when in the presence of the officials of the courtmartial he listened impassively to the sentence.

His wife, who was waiting in torture and suspense at her house, bore the news bravely and when visiting her husband in the afternoon showed the onlookers who were in the streets no sign of her suffering as she walked from her carriage to the prison.

Mathieu Dreyfus was not present in court in the afternoon, but visited his brother after the verdict had been rendered. He found him perfectly calm and without any manifestation of surprise at the finding of the court. The prisoner simply shrugged his shoulders, uttering an expressive 'bah!" adding as he embraced his brother as the latter was preparing to leave: "Console my wife."

The text of the judgment is as follows:

Today, the 9th of September, 1899. the court-martial of the Tenth Legion army corps, deliberating behind closed doors, the president put the following question:

"Is Alfred Dreyfus, brevet captain, Fourteenth regiment of artillery, probationer on the general staff, guilty of having in 1894 entered into machinations or held relations with a foreign power or one of its agents to induce it to commit hostility or undertake therefor by delivering the notes and documents mentioned in the docuto the decision of the court of cassation of June 3, 1899?'

The votes were taken separately, beginning by the inferior grade and youngest in the last grade, the president having given his opinion last. The court dcelares on the question by a majority of five votes to two:

"Yes, the accused is guilty."

HORSES AND MULES FOR ORIENT.

Government Will Send 3,000 Horses and

Same Number of Mules. WASHINGTON, Sept. 11 .-- The quartermaster's department of the army is paying especial attention just now to the transportation of animals, including cavalry horses and pack mules, to the Philippines. Arrangements have been made for the transportation of about 3,000 cavalry horses, including those of the Third cavalry and an equally large number of mules. Many of these animals are being transported by way of San Francisco, and the remainder are on their way to Manila by the Aleutian route from Seattle to Japan. The last named methods of animal transportation are somewhat of an experiment, and the result is being watched with considerable interest. The department contemplates sending the entire Third cavalry to the Philippines over this North Pacific route. The men are on the steamer St. Paul and the horses on the steamers Garonne, Athenian and Victoria. The Garonne was the first to start from Seattle, and, according to advices received at the war department, arrived safely at Dutch harbor, one of the westernmost islands of the Aleutian group, on August 27.

Iowa Officers After Him. TORONTO, Sept. 11 .- G. W. Nutt, an officer from Des Moines, Ic. arrived here today to take back Charles A. Spiegel, who is wented there on a charge of arson. He was indicted last month, and was out on bail on the charge, and also on a charge of sending obscene matter through the mails, and it is alleged fled. Nutt positively identifies his man. W. W. Hartford, governor of the Tennessee state prison, Nashville, is here, to take back Dr. Foucher, an alleged escaped convict.

Esterhazy Will Reveal All.

LONDON, Sept. 11.-Count Esterhazy, in an interview published here this morning; repeats his statement that he did everything by order of Colonel Sandheer and his superior officers. He says he will reveal all after the trial at Rennes.

Army Appointments.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11-Among the appointments announced in the volunteer army are the following: Washington-To be captain: James

M. Ross, late captain Company A, Washington volunteers, Forty-fifth. Iowa-To be first lieutenant: Roy S. Parker, late lieutenant Fifty-first Iowa, Forty-fourth.

At Large-To be second lieutenant: Fred Dingler, late first lieutenant First Arkansas volunteers, Forty-fourth.

Our Insular Pessessions WASHINGTON, Sept. 11 .- The cabinet spent most of the session discussing the local governments for the Philislands. Postmaster General Smith reported a rapid improvement in busiling growth of postal receipts.

THE KAISER CAN HELP

Power is His to Unlock the Doors That Shut Drayfus In.

THE PRISONER'S FATE WITH HIM.

if He Permits Schwartzkoppen to Testify Accused Will Surely Be Acquitted -If He Refuses Internecine Conflict is Almost Certain to Occur in France-Labori Becomes Incensed.

RENNES, Sept. 7.-The salvation of Captain Dreyfus hangs on a word from Emperor William. This is the general opinion here tonight. If the kaiser consents to allow Colonel Swartzkoppen, the German military attache in Paris in 1894, to testify before the court martial or send deaposition, or what is considered more probable, to allow his desposition to be accompanied by the actual documents mentioned in the bordereau, then Dreyfus is saved.

If the emporer, however, decided that it is not in the interests of Germany for Colonel Swartzkoppen to intervene then Dreyfus' case is hopeless

and his condemnation certain. Tonight the eyes of France are looking across the frontier to Stuttgart, where the kaiser is staying. He is in the position of the spectators in a gladiatorial combat in the coliseum in ancient Rome, with Dreyfus lying at the foot of the antagonist and watching whether the emperor points his thumb up or down. At a late hour this evening he had not given a sign either way and Frenchmen are waiting with breathless interest the first indication of his will.

To all intents and purposes Emperor William stands today the arbiter of the internal peace of France, for every one anticipates that King Humbert will follow his lead. This is probably the explanation of the delay. Emperor William has gone to Wurtemburg from Alsace-Lorraine and King Humbert is at Turin. Communication between the two monarchs is therefore somewhat complicated and, as they will undoubtedly agree upon identical measures in replying to M. Labori's appeal, it is possible that several days will elapse before their decision is known. The opinion generally held here is that Emperor William and King Humbert will allow Colonel Swartzkoppen and Colonel Panizzardi to be examined by a rogatory commission and their despositions to be sent to Rennes with supplementary evidence from the originals of Esterhazy's communications.

The anti-Dreyfusards are extremely ments called the bordereau according | exasperated at what they characterize as M. Labori's "trick." He had long been seeking an excuse to invoke the intervention of the German and Italian sovereigns and seized the appearance of Cernuschi as his opportunity, declaring that the admission of the evidence of this foreigner justified his application regarding Swartzkoppen and Panizzardi.

M. Labori insisted that the appearance of Cernuschi on the witness stand was quite without precedent, but the anti-Dreyfusards point out, and with a certain amount of reason, that the counsel for the defense were really the first to introduce foreign testimony, as they summoned the English journalist, Rowland Strong, on the question of Esterhazy's confession to having written the bordereau. Anyway, it can be safely asserted that the admission of Cernuschi as a witness for the prosecution came as a veritable Godsend to the defense, giving them almost at the last moment a more or less legitimate basis for M. Labori's application to summon the German and Italian mili-

tary attaches. The anti-Dreyfusards assert that the members of the court martial will ignore the affirmations of these foreigners, but in less prejudiced circles it is believed the court cannot disregard the solemn declarations of the two attaches without giving rise to a still greater situation in an international sense than now prevails.

Germany's Policy Toward Dreyfus. BERLIN, Sept. 7.-The Lokal Anzeiger publishes an interview with Colonel Schwartzkoppen, which is believed to define Germany's policy toward the Dreyfus affair. When asked whether he would go to Rennes, Colonel Schwartzkoppen curtly replied: "No, I do not think the emperor will permit me to make a statement. Have we not already adopted a line of conduct in the matter? We have done so twice. First, our ambassador to France declared we had nothing to do with the affair. Then Count von Buelow, German minister of foreign affairs, confirmed that statement plainly and distinctly in the reichstag.'

YELLOW FEVER SPREADING.

Forty Cases and Five Deaths Reported at Key West.

KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 7 .- Dr. Porter, chief executive of the state board of health, sent out the following yellow fever dispatch today: "There are about forty cases up to date and five deaths. The disease is slowly spreading. The hospital has been organized and the island is well patrolled by water. Tortugas will be used as a detention camp, which will be opened in three or four days. There is no excitement at Key West."

Dr. Porter also wired the state board of health at Jacksonville to "inform the various quarantine stations to redisinfect all vessels coming from government quarantine stations.

"Doc" Middleton to Settle Down. CHADRON, Neb., Sept. 7 .- "Doc' Middleton, the famous scout, cowboy and ranger, is gradually adjusting himin Crawford the last week seeking a killed and one injured. A tramp was Lard Rangers ippines after the cessation of hostili- | dwelling to move his family in so as to government suited to Luzon would school. He had his long growth of hardly do for the less advanced hair cut and distributed locks of it to his friends. It measured about eighteen inches long. His wiskers, which ness in Cuba and Porto Rico was evi- he previously had shorn, measured as

USUAL TALE OF HARDSHIPS.

Returnee Klondiker Tells of Death of

Seven New Yorkers. SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 7 .- Otto Thews of Primrose, Ia., who has arrived here from Copper river, Alaska, brings news confirming the reported deaths of seven members of the scientific prospecting company of New York. The dead are: Earnardt, Miller, Alderman, Schutz, Peter Siegel, Butner and Baumgartner. George Hooker, another member of the party, got out alive, but is badly crippled with scurvy, which carried away the majority of his companions. Baumgartner went out hunting and was never

The most affecting case was that of Butner, who was driven insane by his sufferings. His weak companions had to strap him down, but even then could not restrain him. One morning Thews, whose camp was near, found Butner sitting out in the snow with his clothes and hat off, the thermometer was 45 degrees below zero. Butner was taken inside, but he died in a few hours. The party was camped at Twelve Mile, just beyon! Valdez Glacier.

Thews also brings a gruesome story in connection with the finding of the remains of a jeweler named Smith, who perished last November on Valdez Glacier. Every exposed portion of the body had been eaten away by ravens. The remains were identified to be those of Smith by the clothing and effects found with them. A purse containing \$250 was among the effects. A prospector named Austed, a partner of Smith, said a money belt which contained a sum of money, was miss-

Thews said he had a close call crossing the glacier. He fell into a cravasse 1,000 feet from the top, but the pack on his back caught and held him until his companions could come to his rescue.

GIGANTIC RAILWAY SYSTEM.

Plan to Form a Trunk Line Consolidation Greater Than All.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 7.—The Post tomorrow will say: There is a plan arranged to form a gigantic railway system which will create a trunk line consolidation greater than any now in existence in this country and it will embrace the Baltimore & Ohio, Pittsburg & Western, Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg, Philadelphia & Reading, West Virginia & Pittsburg and several smaller roads in as many states.

The gigantic enterprise will, if carried out, mean a series of first-class roads reaching from Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and New York gained, but the lives of hundreds of to Reading, Rochester and Buffalo, and people were risked, and blindly, too. from Baltimore to Cincinnati and St. Louis with the main line passing through Pittsburg to Chicago and having excellent terminals here and at all the lake ports. It would mean the shortest and most direct route from Cleveland and Chicago to Richmond, Va. and Charleston, S. C. and the South Atlantic coast seaports.

A gigantic traffic agreement amounting almost to a consolidation has been perfected and all the lines above namea are preparaing to work in each other's interest.

The Philadelphia & Reading may be the last to come in, but as James J. Hill is behind the work of perfecting the deal, it will be finally consum-

IOWANS WILL RETURN SOON.

Ordered to the Barracks Preparatory to Starting Home.

MANILA, Sept. 7.-The Icwa regiment, the last of the volunteer organizations on duty in the island of Luzon, has been withdrawn from Calulet to barracks at Caloocan preparatory to departing for home. The number who will sail is 806. Less than 300 of the regiment were left on duty at the front when the order came for their relief, forty-eight being on the sick list. This regiment has undergone hard outpost duty for three months, during which it has been very much exposed to the rains. Seventy-five members of the regiment have re-enlisted. Although the Iowans participated in some of the fighting between Malolos and San Fernando, not one of them was killed in battle. Thirty-ning members of the regiment, however, were wounded and nine died of dis-

Deed for \$40,000,000 Filed.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 7 .- A deed of trust for \$40,000,000 was filed in St. Louis today by the St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railway company, the Metropolitan Trust company of New York and Robert B. Hutchinson being named as trustees. The deed is filed to protect the company's bondholders. The revenue stamps on it cost \$20,000.

Porter Elected Chief.

MUSKOGEE, I. T., Sept. 7 .- Returns from the election held in the Creek Nation yesterday are coming in slowly. The election passed off quietly and the indications are that P. Porter of this place, the leader of the progressive element, has been elected chief of the nation by a small majority.

No Minnesota Welcomers. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 7-The indications are that the Minnesota troops, returning on the transport Sheridan, will have no official welcome from their native state. The gubernatorial party did not leave St. Paul until last night and cannot reach nere before Friday night, and the Sheridan is expected before that time.

Four Killed in a Wreck. MEADVILLE, Pa., Sept. 7 .- An open switch caused a wreck on the Erie railroad at Miller's Station, a short distance above this city, today, self to civilizing conditions. He was in which three Meadville men were also killed and another injured.

South Dakotans Not to Walk. ABERDEEN, S. D., Sept. 7 .- The Brown county commissioners have appropriated \$1,500 out of the general fund toward paying the expense of teers home from San Francisco.

IN GENERAL.

Coffee is becoming an important industry in Queensland. It has outgrown the home demand and the Queenslanders are preparing to put their coffee on the London market.

Five threshers, while returning from Brandon, Ill., were struck by lightning. John Lundstrom and O. C. Westman were killed instantly. The others were more or less injured, but will recover. Frankfurt-on-tne-Main is celebrating

the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of Goethe's birth with processions, sporting and theatrical performances, the celebration lasting several days. Sir Sidney Waterlow, once lord mayor of London, who married an Ameri-

can girl, recently gave a park to the Londoners, and will have the pleasure of seeing his statue erected in it in his own lifetime. Hubert Herkomer has been elected

professor of painting in the schools of the royal academy in place of Sir W. B. Richmond, who is responsible for the mosaics in St. Paul's cathedral, and who has resigned. Berlin university is celebrating the

nineteenth anniversary of its foundation by Frederick William III of Prussia. Although one of the youngest it is now the foremost university of Germany in the number of students and professors. Count Munster, German ambassador

to France, and the chief German representative at The Hague peace conference, has been raised to the rank of prince by the kaiser with the title of Furst Derneburg. Till 1866 the count was a Hanoverian subject.

Peas taken from an Egyptian tomb 3,000 years old have been planted by a Scotch gardener and have produced vigorous vines and fruit. There is no doubt as to the peas being Egyptian, but it will need strong testimony to convince botanists that they are as old as the tombs.

The body of the man murdered at Davenport, Ia., was identified as Alex McArthur of Cedar Rapids, and his companion is believed to have robbed him on a passenger train and pushed him off the platform in front of another train. He was killed instantly and the murderer escaped.

The Kaiser William der Grosse is now king of the seas. The big vessel reached New York from Southampton Tuesday in the record-breaking time of five days, eighteen hours and five minutes. The best previous time was five days, twenty hours and fifty-five minutes. The liner averaged 22.08 miles an hour for the trip. But what was gained? A few hours' time was

Bavaria, as is only fitting, bears the prize for beer drinking, the yerly average for each man, woman and child being 236 litres. Belgium comes next with 162 litres, then Great Britain with 145; the average for the United States is 47 litres a year. The record by cities for 1897-98 is Munich 566 litres yer head, Frankfort 428, Nuremberg 421, Berlin 206, Vienna 145, Paris 11. Germany's production of beer was 1,438,-620,000 gallons. The United States, grouped in German tobles with other non-European countries, produced 1,-219,850,000 gallons and Great Britain

1,166,530,000 gallons. The dry, hot spell, says a Peoria (III.) dispatch, shows no signs of abating in this district. The farmers are complaining bitterly, and say that ... is even now too late to save much of the corn, which has shrivelled up. The drouth struck the corn in the dough, and instead of ripening, it scorched it. The kernels brought to town for inspection show that it has been cooked. The farmers, however, are congratulating themselves that while the hot sun has withered the corn it has stored away, tons of saccharine in the sugar beets that are growing on thousands

of acres of Tazewell county farms. The central Porto Rican committee has decided to send broadcast through the country an appeal to the churches for aid, and copies of the appeal to all the banks in the country to be posted where they can be seen, to revive the contributions to the relief fund. A cablegram received from General Davis, now in command in Porto Rico, says that a thousand tons of food supplies a week were still needed, the articles most wanted being rice, beans, fish, bacon and medicinal supplies. The United States government is to send a thousand tons of food purchased on its own account by a transport which will sail tomorrow, and the committee decided to devote the contributions this week to the purchase of medicinal

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE.

Omaha, Chicago and New York Market Quotations. OMAHA.

Butter-Creamery separator.

Butter-Choice fancy country Eggs-Fresh, per doz.....

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Oranges-Per box	1.50	62		75
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