THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Bland's and Dingley's Methods of Regulating the Currency.

The Man Who Explains "Why The burial was at Glenwood. we Laugh" is Miffed.

Springer Feels Aggrieved Over the Committee Appointments.

CAPITAL NOTES. THE CURRENCY.

Washington, December 26.-Mr. Buckner, chairman of the committee on banking and currency, is preparing a bill to introduce when congress re-convenes, providing for issuing treasury notes without the legal tender quality, to take the place of bank notes going out of existence. The purpose is the same as that of the bill introduced by Buckner the first session of last congress. The proposition of Comptroller Knox to take off 1 per cent of the tax on circulation, and allow banks to issue on market value instead of par value, is not favored by the chair-man of the banking and currency committee. Buckner says if the plan of Knox was successful in avoiding contraction of the circulation of bank notes, it affords but temporary relief and in seven years from the present, when it becomes necessary to begin redeeming 4½ per cent bonds, there will be a recurrence of the present trouble. The national bank sys-tem cannot live without a national debt, and as that debt is being wiped out grad-ually and certainly, Buckner is of opinion it is time to prepare for a permanent circulation. He is not favorably inclined to a removal of the tax on circulation, giving as a reason that while in eastern states where the interest is low circulation is not a valuable franchise of banks, but it is valuable and worth all thegovernment asks in the western states. Buckner says the franchise is still more valuable because the rate of interest there is higher. The originator of the proposed measure is doubtful of securing any legislation upon the subject the pre-

ment the other plan he had in mind. PRESIDENTIAL POSTOFFICES. Under provision of the last postoffice appropriation bill when the compensation of any postmaster of the fourth class reached \$250 for four consecutive quarters, exclusive of commissions on the accountant of a wholesale grocery money order business, he was to be asfollowing named fourth class offices have been placed on the list of presidential with salaries as stated: Lebanon, Ill., \$1,000; Grayville, Ill., \$1,000; Wrights Grove, Ill., \$1,400; Goodland, 111., \$1,000; Manning, Ia., \$1,000; Adel, Ia., \$1,000; Frankfort, Kans., \$1,200; Lundsbuag, Kans., \$1,100; Howard, Kans., \$1,100; Harper, Kans., \$1,400; Carbondale, Kans., \$1,100; Laporte City, Ia., 81,100; Walnut, Ia., \$1,000; Minden, Ia., \$1,000; Vail, Ia., \$1,000; Osage Mission, Kans., \$1,200. Many other offices in other states and territeries will be made presidential offices COX WILL DECLINE.

not venture an opinion as to the treat

Congressman Cox, of New York, who was appointed chairman of the house committee on naval affairs, has informed an intimate friend that he (Cox) will positively decline to serve on that committee when congress reconvenes. The reasons assigned for Cox's refusal are that the committee on naval affairs is one comparatively little before congress, and that twenty-two years service in the house entitles him to the chairmanship of the foreign affairs committee. His friends say, in that position Cox contemplated adding a number of reforms in the line of reducing the number of foreign ministers, investing consuls with diplomatic powers when necessary, and improving he consular system so as to make it a more powerful agency for the advancement of the commercial interests of the country.

A NEW EMMIGRATION SOCIETY. An organization to be known as the Emigration Organization, has been formed among colored residents of this city for the purpose, as set forth in the constitution, of helping colored people from southern states to emigrate and locate. Officers were elected as follows:
President, W. H. Scott; vice-president.
W. Howard; secretary, J. W. Miles;
treasurer, A. M. S. Carey. The constitution provides for a prospecting and locating committee to be appointed, every head of a family is entitled to locate on 160 acres of government land, and shall upon paying ten dollars to the association receive help in getting to his place, and have assistance for one year afterward. in crossing the range.

THE CREEK TROUBLES.

The secretary of the Interior, Inspector Benedict, Agent Tufts and Special Agent Townsend will proceed at once to Muscogee, Indian territory, to investigate the Creek troubles arising out of the re-cent election of a chief, and will make recommendations looking to a settlement. Their recommendations will form the basis of final action by the interior department. The gentlemen above named are instructed to inform the Creeks that the department will if necessary enforce

the action recommended. THE TRADE DOLLAR.

Mr. Bland, chairman of the committee on coinage, weights and measures, favors recoining trade dollars into standard and thinks the assuing of the latter should not be stopped. Mr. Bland is of the opinion that a mint ought to be estab-lished in the Mississippi valley, a d be-cause advantages are offered at St. Louis favors the selection of that city.

GOVERNOR LOWE'S FUNERAL. The funeral of Ex-Governor Lowe, of February 1st.

lowa, took place to-day at his late residence. A large number of prominent citizens and distinguished friends of the dead man assembled to pay the last tribute to his memory. The pall bearers were General Belknap, Justice Miller, Hon. M. A. McCord, Colonel M. C. Cowie, H. J. Frost, and General Dunn.

SPRINGER INSULTED.

Congressman Springer, who desired the chairmanship of the committee on elections, and who was made chairman of the committee on expenditures in the department of justice, also contemplates

The house committee on appropria tions held its first meeting this morning and decided to prepare if possible the pensions, fortifications, consular and military academy appropriation bills dur-ing the recess so they may be presented to the house when congress assembles.

VARIOUS MATTERS. Washington, December 26.—The issue issue of silver dollars last week was 415,-

Secretary Folger has recovered his health and resumed his duties.

The wife of Gen. Rosecrans is dead after a lingering illness. The following gentlemen, personal friends of the general, will act as pall bearers at the funeral to-mor-row: Senator John F. Miller, General Phillip H. Sheridan, Hon.

John R. Glasscock, General Hora-tio J. Wright, Hon. John S. Barbour, Colonel Gilbert C. Kuiffen, General Henry J. Hunt, Judge Brewer W. Bart-

Gen. NcKenzie, commander of the de-partment of Texas, has been temporarily relieved of command on account of nervous prostration, which has disturbed his lines on account of Commissioner Piermind. The affairs of the department are directed by Gen. Schofield. The condition of Gen. McKenzie causes grave apprehension of friends.

PITTSBURG, December 26.—This morning the steamer B. D. Wood, owned by John A. Wood & Son, of this city, while waiting to pass through lock No. 1, Monongahela river, was caught in the day asking a conference with western strong under-current, swept over the connections of the trnnk lines on the dam and the barges sunk but the steamer subject.

legislation upon the subject the present session, owing to the diverse opinion among members. Dingley, who heads the list of republican members of the committee on banking and currency says the most important question relating to national banks is that of providing for the stability of circulation. He thought but two plans proposed to this end were practicable. One was to provide for the issue of circulating notes to an amount equal to 90 per cent of the market value of bonds deposited to secure circulation. After a hasty examination of the list of members of the committee he said he was loss. The crew were saved, but had a loss is that of providing for the stability of circulation. After a hasty examination of the list of members of the committee he said he was loss. The crew were saved, but had a loss is similar accident occurred to the steamer Reindeer, owned by Majures & Son, which was swept by Majures & Son, which was swept in the steamer Reindeer, owned by Majures & Son, which was swept in the steamer of the St. Paul will meet in Council Bluffs to-morrow for the purpose of making final arrangements for putting the tripartite agreement into effect. Hughit of the Northwestern left for that point to-day. This is believed to indicate the position of his road in regard to the agreement. members of the committee he said he was of opinion, that this plan is more likely to find favor with the committee. He would ceed \$250,000.

Aggie Hill's Lovers.

San Francisco, Pecember 26 .- The deposition of Frederick C. Buchard, an important witness in the case of Miss Aggie Hill against Senstor Sharon was a claim and his property is now a part house of Portland, Oregon; met Miss signed to the presidential grade and the Hill at the Palace hotel in April, 1881; country residence, with Colonel and Mrs. shot himself through the heart this morn Stagg, Miss Hill and others; while there saw Miss Hill frequently, proposed marriage and she accepted. The engagement was acknowledged before the visitors; engagement was broken off on the grounds an imate of an insane asylum. that witness deceived her as to the extent of his fortune. During the period of the engagement she told him that Fred Sharon and Dr. Bradford were both deeply in love with her and had made her offers of marriage, but no relations existed between Senator Sharon and herself other than those of friendship.

A Big Strike in Prospect. Moss Hannon, Penn., December 26. There are lively prospects of an extension of the trouble in the bituminous coal districts of Westmoreland, Blair, Hunt-

ingdon, Bedford Center, and Clearfield ally reticent as to plans, but it is pretty miners are said to willingness to co-operate and assist. general strike is laid down for the 1st of January. The rupture between bosses here, and the Pittsburg company and their malcontent miners is not entirely

The Avalanche Victims.

publican's Telluride special via Montrose lided with a lamp post and awning. The the 24th says: At noon to-day a snow-ladies were taken from the wreck uninthe 24th says: At noon to-day a snowslide came down Marshall basin, carrying off the shaft house of Mendota mine containing feurteen men, eight of whom shot. were killed outright and two wounded.
Four dug themselves out. No particulars are at present obtainable. A large body of men leave here for the scene of the disaster in the disaster in the maximum of the disaster in the maximum of the disaster in the disaster in the maximum of the disaster in the maximum of the disaster in the disas the disaster in the morning. The mail evening smoke issued from behind the carrier from Silverton to Ames and scenes in considerable volume and a cry Oursy, due last Friday, has not yet been of fire was raised. Women and children

New York News.

NEW YORK, December 26 .- The building occupied by Wood & Co., dealers in tallow, grease and oils, was burned to-day. Loss \$32,000, Two firemen were day. Loss \$32,000, Two firemen badly injured by a falling floor.

day. The loss will exceed \$100,000; par-tially insured.

The Standard F.re Office of London, Grant, has decided to withdraw its agen-

cy from this country Roustan, the French minister to Wash ington, has arrived from Havre.

The Western Union stockholders have voted to open the transfer books January

2d instead of January 16th, as previous ly ordered. Declaring Dividends.

NEW YORK, December 26 .- Dividends were declared on Lake Shore, Michigan Central and Canada Southern, payable

ROADS AND RATES.

Miles of Railway Built and Capital Invested During 1883.

An Effort to Stop the Cut in Rates to the Missouri.

The Tripartiters to Meet in Council Bluffs To-day.

RAILROAD MATTERS.

THE YEAR'S RECORD.

CHICAGO, December 26.-The Railway Age in its next issue will publish a summary of railway building in the There was some contest over the make United States for the past twelve months. It shows 6,600 miles of main track laid at an approximate cost of \$165,000,000, Island, Connecticut, Delaware, Nevada and Wyoming are the only states and territories in which no road was built.

A CONFERENCE CALLED. CHICAGO, December 26 .- The statement in a telegram from New York that the St. Paul road had agreed to a settle-ment of the difficulty with the trunk is contradicted here. It is supposed the dispatch grew out of a telegram from a passenger agent that the road agreed to a temporary truce pending a conference.

owner of extensive additions to Cedar has always been engaged in literary pur-

TWO SUICIDES.

A Vinton special to The Republican afterwards visited "Belmont," Sharon's states that Charles Sowers, 25 years old,

A RAILWAY WRECK.

A freight train on the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northwestern road was wrecked early this evening at Columbus Junction. Five cars went off the track and Mark Fisher was killed.

TEACHERS' MEETING.

DES MOINES, Ia, December 26.-The state association of school teachers of Iowa met here to-day in annual meeting, which it to continue three days. Acting eral McKenzie, commanding the depart-President Klincfelter of Mason City is ment of Texas, has led his friends to send turned to where James was last seen. presiding. Some four hundred teachers are in attendance. Col. F. W. Harker, counties. The producers are exception- principal of the normal school of Chicago. delivered a fine address this afternoon, generally known a reduction of wages in which was received with much favor. all departments of labor will be the adress of welcome were deliveracted after December 31. The ered in the evening by Bishop Hurst, of well Des Moines, and the response by Presiorganized, and it is estimated fifteen to dent Pickard, of the state university. A twenty thousand men have expressed a lecture was given by Dr. S. N. Fellows, of the state university.

A Frightful Runaway.

Sr. Louis, December 26.-Mrs. Gen. Sherman and daughter Rachael had a adjusted, notwithstanding reports to narrow escape from death this afternoon, the contrary, and an undefined feeling of They had been attending Xavior church, insecurity prevails in the striking discorner of Ninth and Lucas avenue. They had just seated themselves in their buggy to go home when the horses became frightened and dashed madly up Lucas DENVER, Col., December 26 .- The Re- avenue until at Eleventh street they coljured, but badly shocked and frightened. One horse had his back broken and was

heard from, and it is supposed was lost rushed for the doors wild with alarm, but the manager and employes succeeded in quieting the panic before anybody was hurt. The smoke came from the furnace as the result of a badly built fire.

A Heavy Failure.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., December 26 .- A D. Smith & Co. have assigned with lia-bilities of over \$1,000,000, largely due Johnstown, and one in Woonsocket, in doors. all 87,000 spindles. The failure involves one of whose American trustees is Gen. the suspension of the Providence Steam Mill company, Groton Manufacturing company, and Franklin Manufacturing company.

The Wrestlers.

Boston, December 26 .- A match for \$500 a side and the heavy-weight collarand elbow wrestling championship of the world, has been arranged between Durfur and McMahon.

The Blockade in New York.

east were three hours late, while western mails had not been heard from up to 11. Those from the south are two and a half hours late, Pittsburg mails were re-ported four hours behind. Travel in the city is subject to less interruption, many streets having been partially cleared of

CHE TEND TO BE USE THE OWNER TO BROWN

A Colored Convention, COLUMBUS, O., December 26.—The state convention of colored citizens convened to-day. There was a large attendance from all parts of the state. W. S. Thomson of Delaware, was made temporary chairman. He stated the object of the convention was that the rights of the Committee Appointments.

The Preparation of Appropriation
Bills and Other Matters.

department of justice, also contemplates declining when congress reassembles, giving as a reason that both he and his constituents are insulted by his omission from all the important committees.

Northwestern.

Hughitt will Try to Wring in the more restricted and Danville out rages show such a condition of affairs as to lead to organization for organization the protection of all rights belonging to citizens. The decision of the supreme court on the civil rights law was generally discussed. The forenoon was occu-pied in appointing committees on cre-dentials and permanent organization.

> up of the committee on resolutions. Resolutions were adopted to petition the legislature to pass laws for their promaking the total miles of railway in the country to date 120,000. The construction during 1882 was the largest in the history of the country, 11,600 miles, and the year before 9,700. The states and territories which lead in construction this year are as follows: Montana 413 miles, Dakota 400. Michigan 401. this year are as follows: Montana 413 companies in business, thanking Senator miles, Dakota 409, Michigan 406, New Edmunds for his civil rights bill, Justice York 375, Pennsylvania 339, Ohio 326, Mississippi 305. New Hampshire, Rhode Speaker Keifer for his services, and recommending the appointment of a state committee of one from each congressional district to perfect a plan for the protec-tion of colored citizens and organization throughout the state of equal rights leagues. The state committee was selected and it was voted to proceed with the permanent organization of the conven-

At the afternoon s ssion a permanent organization was effected as follows: President, C. L. Maxwell, of Greene county; secretary, J. G. Comley, of Hamilton county. The convention continued in session until after midnight At times the excitement over alleged race distinctions became very high and the most inflamatory speeches were

Cold Weather at Sea,

NEW HAVEN, December 26 .- The bark

Educators in Council.

MINNEAPOLIS, December 26—The Minnesota Educational association opened its annual meeting in this city this evening and will continue in session three days. General Eaton, United States commissioner of education, and other prominent educators outside, will be present to take part in the exercises.

Archbishop Perche Dying.

NEW ORLEANS, December 26.-Archbishop Perche, for some weeks has been in failing health. Last night his condition was so alarming that it was deemed imperative to administer the last sacraments. The archbishop suffers more from age than sickness. Death is expected momentarily.

General McKenzie's Condition, SAN ANTONIO, Tex , December 26.— The continued mental depression of Gen-

The Death of General Kane. PHILADELPHIA, December 26. - General Thomas L Kane, one of the most prom- ness shot down the whites who reinent citizens of the state died at his refrained from shooting because the

was colonel of the famous Bucksail regi ment of Pennsylvania and was a brother of the famous Arctic explorer. Resistance and Death.

FT. SMITH, Ark., December 26. Chaterbel, the Choctaw Indian violater of the intercourse law, was killed Sunday while resisting arrest at Double Springs, Indian Territory, by Elias Yarby, a member of the Choctaw lighthorse

Seven Rounds Fought. WILKESBARKE, December 26.-Dick Pedler and Bowkey Dyde met in the

were badly used up. The Haytien Rebellion. NEW YORK, December 26 .- The Haytien government telegraphs the Haytien minister that Jeremie has capitulated, and advises Jacmel and Miragoane to do

They'll Sell all the Same. LAWRENCE, Kan., December 26.-The

Rising Rapidly. CINCINNATI, December 26 .- The river s still rising two inches an hour with forty-seven feet at 10 p. m. No seroius inconvenience will be felt unless the water gets above fifty feet.

Freight Train Wrecked.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Decembar 26.—A Long Branch freight ran off the track at the junction this morning. Fred. Spen-cer, engineer, was killed. The train was thrown over a high bank and totally NEW YORK, December 26. The storm wrecked. Cause, snow and track spread has delayed all trains. Mails from the ing.

DEATH'S CARNIVAL.

Victims Supplied by the Bullet, the Rope and Accident.

Street Fights in the South Furnish Funeral Material

Colorado Miners Overwhelmed by the Awful Avalanche.

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES. LIVELY SHOOTING AND LYNCHING

Galveston, Texas, December 26 .-The News' McDade special says: Monday night at 11:30, Henry Pleiffer, Wright McLamore and Thad McLamore were taken from a saloon here by fifty well armed masked men, carried into the brush and hanged to a tree. Thad Mc-Lamore was under arrest at the time, having been taken early in the evening on the charge of burglary preferred by S. J. Walker, of this town. The other two happened to be present when the lynchers arrived. Pfeiffer was under indictment as a horse thieft in this county. To-day six men, friends and rela-tives of those hung, come to town and picked a quarrel with Tom Bishop and George Milton, and a fight with shot guns and six-shooters ensued. Two of sextette, Jack Bayley and Asa Bayley, were killed and the third, Haywood Bayley, badly wounded. The remaining three escaped. Willis Griffin, an estimable young citizen of McDade, while assisting Milton and Bishop to defend themselves, was shot through the head and mortally wounded by Hayward Bayley. The five wounded by Hayward Bayley. The five corpses, the two McLamores, two Bayleys and Pfeiffer, are lying in the market house yet unclaimed. It is thought friends will come to-night and the trouble

will be renewed. At 3 o'clock this afternoon the inquest NEW HAVEN, December 26.—The bark Mohawk from New York to Calcutta anchored of New Haven yesterday. All hands frost bitten and one man dead. Her master requested assistance.

The frost bitten mariners taken to the hospital are all Japanese, and it is thought two will lose their feet. One gard to the agreement into effect. Hughtt of the Northwestern left for that point to-day. This is believed to indicate the position of his road in regard to the agreement.

AN OLD SETTLER GONE.

OVER IN IOWA.

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CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, December 26.—

O. S. Bowling, with one exception the oldest settler in Cedar valley and the owner of extensive additions to Cedar Rapids, died Christman day agod 71. perfectly justified in killing the two Bay- rested for stealing.

result being that one citizen was mortally wounded and the other two unhurt. Two of the opposing party were killed and the remaining four wounded, one dangerously and one seriously and two slightly. Hazley, one of the six thought to be wounded, is still at large. The excitement has entirely subsided.

THREE KILLED. Houston, Tex., December 26 .- This evening near Clear Creek an engine on the Galveston, Houston & Hamilton railroad collided with a hand car, killing two employes, names unknown, fatally bruising another named Henry Bently, colored, and slightly injuring a contractor named E. F. Dewis.

A YAZOO TRAGEDY.

YAZOO CITY, Miss., December 26 .- A terrible tragedy was enacted Monday night. John T. Posey, of the firm of Williams & Posey, a most estimable young man, highly connected, was insulted by John James, a negro butcher. Going him to the military issane asylum in Without warning the party fired and Washington. He goes in charge of John Posey, Carnet Posey and Jasper Lieutenants Dorst, Summers and Mid-Nichols were riddled with buckshot and instantly killed. A. C. Ellet was dangerously wounded, and Fritz Halderer slightly wounded. The negroes had or-ganized, and under cover of intense darkconnected with the difficulty. To have fired would, perhaps, have been to kill many innocent been to kill many innocent men and children. Only one of the negroes was apprehended. The city council at a meeting yesterday, the mayor presiding, resolved after investigating the causes leading to the tragedy, that the difficulty resulted from a personal altercation between Posey and James and that the friends of both parties were drawn into the conflict. Neither politics nor race prejudices actuated either party. James was killed this morning by citizens while resisting arrest, he having first fired three times. A NIGHT IN THE MOUNTAINS.

DENVER, December 26. - Further particulars of Friday's terrible disaster at Virginius mine, near Ouray, are just re-ceived by special messenger to Montrose. Immediately on receipt of the news, a party consisting of 31 left Ouray, to bring in the dead. The journey to the mine was made in the face of great perils, as a great storm was raging. Having cared for the wounded and improvised sleds for on the lookout all succeeded in reaching the edge of the avalanche before it struck them and thus escaped instant death. The sleds containing the four dead bodies, The large carpet store of Hadenberg & bilities of over \$1,000,000, largely due Co., of Brooklyn, was also burned to day. The loss will exceed \$100,000; par-two cotton mills in this city, two in closed the back as well as the front the mountain side and then hurled over a precipice five hundred feet high, where they must remain till spring. The party finally reached Ouray nearly dead from exhaustion.

BURIED IN THE SNOW.

ALMA, Col., December 26.- A snow slide occurred near Montezuma Monday which carried John Headstrom and John Ablatron and John Ling, three miners, half a mile down the mountain, and Abistron and Ling were found to-day badiy frozen, and will probably die. Headstrom is still missing, and must have been killed.

JUMPED THE TRACK. SUNBURY, Penn., December 26. - Early the Fall River murderer.

this morning the Erie mail train jumped the track here, and crashed through sev eral cars. Two passenger coaches were disabled and seven box cars smashed. Jos. Wheelan, fireman, was mortally wounded. The passengers escaped with

A NEW ORLEANS KILLING.

New Orleans, December 26.—Wm. McCaffery, a prominent ward politician and assistant superintendent of markets, was shot and mortally wounded yesterday in a gambling saloon, by Dud Renand, one of the proprietors of the establishment. McCaffery died last night.

QUENCHED HIS THIRST, CLEVELAND, O., December 26,-Henry Schroeder, son of a wealthy German, with half a dozen friends, at an early hour yesterday morning, attempted to break into George Ossare's saloon for the purpose of getting drinks. Ossare had previously refused to se'l on the ground that they were drunk. On making the attack, Edward Eyring, brother-iu-law of

TEXAS DESPERADOES, SHERMAN, Texas December 26 .- The west portion of this county, when raided sought the fastnesses of Red river bottom, killed an unoffending negro at Pottoville Saturday and sincehave murdered a white man at Dexter in Cook county, where they also burned a church and school house. Deputy Sheriffs May.and Kelly with a posse of citizens left last evening to scour the brush. The parties guilty to scour the brush. The parties guilty of the Pottoville murder are known and will be readily identified.

for robbing the Perryville, (Kansas) post-office, a few nights ago of \$900 in money

and \$200 in stamps.

Grant, son of Jessie Grant, relative of Ex-President Grant, was arrested to-day on the five corpses at McDade was still progressing, and Milton and Bishop, who were attacked in the streets by the friends of the one lynched, are under arrest. It is considered that they were attacked in the streets by the friends of the one lynched, are under arrest. It is considered that they were the first of the little of the litt

TWO KILLED, FIVE WOUNDED. ALLENDALE, S. C., Docember 26.-A street fight occurred on Christmas in which two persons were killed and five wounded. The circumstances are as follows: John Hudlett, marshal of the town, and his sons John and Tim, and grandsons Evan and Joyce Strange, had an altercation with Frank Weaver and Ulry Middleton, in which Strange was wounded. Returning from this fight, from a dinner party, when one of the Strange boys insulted them, and a general fight ensued, sticks, knives and pistols being freely used. Evan Strange and Tom Hudlett were killed outright, the two John Hudletts severely wounded and the two Obryans slightly.

A Fatal Ride.

CLEVELAND, December 26.—John S. Anstietz and two daughters were out sleighing yesterday [afternoon | near Bluffington and while crossing the Lake Erie & Western track were struck by an express and all killed.

Bradford, Pa., were drowned in Duck creek yesterday while trying to reach Marietta in a skiff. The bodies have not

Two Oil Men Drowned.

MARIETTA, Ohio. December 26.—Ed-mund and Frank Long, two oil men of

been recovered. Nine Persons Drowned. Madison, Ind., December 26 .- Inormation has just been received that a family named Boss, consisting of the parents and seven children, were drowned n the freshets in Hardin creek, Ky.,

SNATCHED FROM THE BURNING.

A SMALL FIRE AT KEARNEY.

Sunday night.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE. Kearney, Neb., December 26. - About seven o'clock last evening a fire broke residence in this city this morning of streets were full of boys and men not business portion of the city and belongneumonia. During the rebellion he connected with the difficulty. To joining house owned by W. L. Nash were rapidly consumed. The timely efforts of the fire department and numerous citizens prevented further conflagration. The fire is supposed to have originated from an explosion of a lamp or defective chimney, no one being in the house at the time. Loss estimated from \$1,500 to \$2,000. Insurance will nearly cover loss.

PIRES IN ST. LOUIS. St. Louis, December 26.—The large flouring mill of George C. Thileners at Cape Girardeau, Mo., burned yesterday. Loss \$60,000; insured.

Another serious fire occurred between three and four o'clock Tuesday morning, totally destroying the furniture estab-lishment of Neideringhaus, northwest corner of Tenth street and Franklin av-

The value of the stock is \$90,000; insur ance \$57,000; loss not ascertained. The house turnishing store of Charles Neidesinghaus, in the same building, was also burned. He values his stock and machinery at \$30,000, insured for \$20,000. and advises Jacmel and Miragoane to do the bodies, the party started to return.
the same. Miragoane is asked to capitule When the Cumberlain basin was reached stamping company, \$20,000. Warren When the Cumberlain basin was reached a second snow slide descended, but being and John Corgan, firemen, were nearly suffocated in the building and had to jump from the second story window to save their lives.

A DAKOTA BLAZE. MINNEAPOLIS, December 26 .- A Trib une special reports the burning of several buildings in the business part of Fargo, Dak. Loss, \$86,000, insured. The Empire brewery was burned to-day. Loss, 840,000; insurance, \$23,000.

MILL BURNED. Minnsarolis, December 26.— The Tribune's Red Wing (Minn) special say a fire yesterday morning destroyed the building owned by Buckhartz, Miller & Hadler, at Red Wing. Loss, \$25,000;

insurance, \$5,000. Refused a Pardon. Boston, December 26. Governor

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NEWS FROM ABROAD.

A Terrible Riot Raging in a Newfoundland Town.

A Ringleader of Russian Rioters Speedily Executed.

Bert Afraid the American Hog will Make Frenchmen Sick.

The Movements of the False Prophet in Egypt.

GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS.

A RUSSIAN BIOT. LIDA, December 26.-The workmen Ossare, shot from a window and killed and officials of the railway works at this place engaged in a riot yesterday owing to exactions of the contractors. One official was killed, and several workmen band of desperadoes terrorizing the north- injured. The ringleader of the rioters

has been executed. NO LIVES LOST.

AN ORANGE RIOT. will be readily identified.

St. LOUIS CRIMES.

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St. LOUIS, December 26.—D. C. Gibson, chief actor in the tragedy at his wife's boarding house Monday evening, died yesterday. John Buffinton is in a critical condition.

James R. Jones was arrested yesterday for robbing the Perryville. (Kansas) post-

A MATTER OF SALARY. office, a few nights ago of \$000 in money and \$200 in stamps.

ULYSSES GRANT IN JAIL.

DALLAS, Texas, December 26 — Ulysses Grant, relative of Ex-President Grant, was arrested to december 26 and to december 26.

THE FALSE PROPHET. CAIRO, December 26.—The latest advices received say that El Mahdi is still at El-Obeid.

BE FORMAL OR LEAVE. Paris, December 26.—Von Montenf-fef, governor of Alsace-Lorraine, has ordered the expulsion from Germany of two Frenchmen, one whom is General Grenvel, for omitting the observance of

a slight formality in certain official relations with the national authorities. DUEM THREATENED. CAIRO, December 26 .- Three thous-

and Arabs are reported threatening PARNELL'S POLICY. which was carried on until Weaver and Middleton got nearly out of town, they met L. B. and Frank Obryan and Gus Allen returning from a dinner party, when one of the organization of the Irish party in Great Britain and Ireland, to arrange the pol-icy of the party in the forthcoming ses-

sion of parliament. AFRAID OF AMERICAN HOGS. Paris, December 26 .- Paul Bert publishes a letter arguing that the fear of an outbreak of disease from the use of American pork is in no way chimerical. He quotes statements of Delmers, inspector at Chicago, who certified that diseased and dying hogs passed his house daily, and that they were sold cheap and shipped to a Bordeaux house.

The Dismal Swamp.

Petersburg, Pa., December 26,-Proceedings have been instituted against the Dismal Swamp canal lottery, with the object of testing the company's right to sell lottery tickets in the state.

Suffocated by Coal Gas

TRENTON, N. J., December 26 .- John

H. Diehl, formerly collector of customs of Philadelphia, was found dead in bed at Delanco, Monday. Coal gas is believed to have been the cause.

Socialist Congress BALTIMORE, Md., December 26 .- The biennial session of the socialist labor congress opened to-day. It was called to order by Hugo Vogt, secretary of the national executive committee. Twenty sections or branch associations were represented. San Francisco and Cincinnati

CINCINNATI, December 26.—The an-Springer, famous for gifts to the public, has bequeathed to the Cincinnati Art museum his valuable art collections. It

is also stated he has given \$10,000 more to the College of Music for new build-

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were represented by proxies.

A Hard Nut Cracked. MALONE, N. Y., December 26 .- Wm. Hatfield, an escaped convict from Michigan, was arrested yesterday by Sheriff Stackwell. Hatfield stabbed the sheriff and also Allen Stackwell and wife. Hat-

field was finally captured after being shot through the thigh. The sheriff and son are not dangerously hurt. Miss Blanche Willis Howard, the writer of one of the best novels of the day, is described in a letter from Rome, as "a magnificent blonde of generous proportions, with charm-ing eyes, of a hazel cast—such wo nen as, one of her admirers recently remarked, men were once wont to fight for in the lists."

DYSPEPSIA

Does not get well of itself; it requires careful, persistent attention and a remedy that will assist nature to throw off the causes and tone up the digestive organs till they perform their duties willingly. Mrs. Bosworth, of Amberst, N. H., after trying many "sure cures" without benefit, found that

Hood's Sarsaparilla

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Butler has declined to pardon Hathaway,