### WHEELER WAS KNOCKED OUT.

The Conneil Takes a Hand In His Fight on the Board of Health.

NECESSARY EXPENSES TO BE PAID.

The Disposal of All Funds Made Subject to the Mayor's Order Only-The City Hall Plans.

King Wheeler was knocked out by the conneil last might in his fight against the beard of heath.

Mr. Davisintroduced a resolution provid-Ing that "the board of health is hereby nuthorized to contract bills and beurnecessary expenses not to exceed the amount set aside for thouse of said board by the council for the year 1800, said expenditure to be made only brthe order of the mayor, who is chairman of said board. "?

Mr. Wheeler pot the floor first He presented a copy of a resolution introduced by Mr. Dannely and passed by the council or July Lauthorizing the board of health to facur expenditures necessary a thedischarge ofits duties, subject to the approval of the coursed.

"That's what the board objects to," agid Mr. Chaffee. "Under the resolution the members of the board of health are personally responsible for any indebtedness incarred which may not be approved by the council." "That's the trouble with your body," reterted Wheeler. "You want to be a law to yours if, if the council haf so authority to pass upon such bills it has no authority to pass upon the talls of any city official. No centlemania the council would refuse to do

false, and I'll prove it when I rearn from our western trip." Mr. Kangar stated that there was a good deat of sickness in the city, and that the bound of health should have power to take the steps necessary to protect the health of

been sublished by the papers are muliciously

There is no use of the board of health meeting two orthreetimes a month," said Mr. Chaffee, "anless we have authority to in-cur expense necessary for the proper performance of the duties devolving upon the board. So farthis year we have spent less

"That's a plenty," interjected Mr. Ost-"It's a great pleaty," said Mr. Chaffee.
"Denver appropriates \$3,000 a month for her health department, while Omaha —..."

"Denver don't do anything of the kind," morted Kins Wheeler.
"I say she dees," retorted Mr. Chaffee,
and my word is as good as yours."
"I've got the facts," said Wheeler.

"So've I, 'said Chaffee.

A motion to adopt Mr. Davis' resolution was followed by Mr. Osthod's amendment referring it to the finance committee. The imendepent was lost and the resolution adopted, Cooper, Olsen, O'Conner, Osthod, Shrives. Shriver and Wheeler voting in the negative.
This settled the matter very completely. but Wheeler bubbed up again as chairman of the finance committee, and reported adversely on a bill of \$70 sent in by the city physician for elerical hire. The report was backed up by a lot of citations from the ordinances, and was adopted.

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King Wheeler then get along first rate for a while. Most of his suggestions were accepted. But a kick was offered when he introduced a resolution ordering each basins on Douglas street at Twenty-teventh street, Twenty-eighth street, and Twenty-eighth avenue. Mr. Wheeler hoved the adoption of the resolution. Mr. Morearty objected. He didn't think Mr. Wheeler's resolutions should be adopted, when similar resolutions, introduced by when similar resolutions, introduced by other members, were referred to the committee on sewerage. Mr. Davis supported Mr. Wheeler's metion. He thought that if Mr. Wheeler said the work was needed it should be done. Afteralittle chin work Mr. Wheeler withdrewhis motion to adopt, and the resolution went to the committee on sew-

Thomas Harrington and Gustave Hald were appointed eight watchmen, by the mayor, at the partuge sumps. This was in response to a resolution passed at a recent council meeting. The appointments were

The mayor vetoed, on account of a technical error, an ordinance changing the grade of Eighteenth street south of Leavenworth. The vete was sustained.

The ordinance ordering the grading of West Harney street was returned by the mayor for correction and went to the committee on grades and gadding. Chairman Birkhauser of the board of public works was given authority to employ an additional clerk during the busy season, at an expense not to exceed \$3 per day.

The street commissioner's payroll for July, amounting to \$4,032.49, was allowed. The gas inspector reported that he had found but sixty-two street lamps not lighted during the month and that the general service

was above the required standard. The comptroller called attention in a brief note to the depleted condition of the dog fund. The fund has been exhausted, while the expense goes on at the rate of \$500 a month. The matter was referred to the committee on finance.

Street Commissioner Flannery was graated a ten days' leave of absence.

The bids for engine housesites were re-ferred to the commissioner on public property and buildings and the city engineer to pre-sent a map showing the location of the

The city treasurers sale of \$100,000 city had 41g per cent, twenty year bonds, at \$1.27, was approved by the council. Frank Rosenbaum presented a \$500 claim ordanages by reason of the construction of

the Tenth street viaduct. Lee Hartley and others petitioned for the division of the Third ward into four or more polling precincts. The matter was referred

points preciacts. The matter was referred to the committee on judiciary.

A big protest came up from property own-ers on Twenty-minth street. The protest-ants alleged that their names had been frandulently procured, and in fact forged in a number of cases. The work of grading has already been ordered. The protest was referred to the committee on grades and grading and work ordered suspended on the street pending an investigation. Contractor Coots' eighth estimate for work

on the city ball, amounting to \$5,387.78, was A position for the creation of a third polling precinct in the Eighth ward was referred to the committee on judiciary. The appraisers on the grading of Hamilton street from Twenty-fourth street to Lowe

avenue presented a report, finding damages amounting to \$75,050. The report was referred to the committee on grades and grad-

M. E. Free's bill for plumbing on the new city jail, amounting to \$22.03, was allowed and ordered paid without protest. ion, introduced by Mr. Donnelly ordering the removal of the street railway company's ties from Twenty-second street, between Hickory and Poppieton, opened the Hoodgates of Morearty's eloquence. Mr. Wheeler and Mr. Osthoff also took a hand, and after a half hour's valuable time had been

wasted in mouth work, the resolution was re-jected. It was introduced later in an amended form and was adopted.

A resolution by Mr. Cosper, ordering the removal of the ne house at the Walnut Hill reservoir, was referred to the committee on streets and allow.

on resolution of Mr. Cooper, the board of public works was instructed to cancel the contract and have the boad forfeited for the grading of Hamilton boulevard and Nelson street in Walnut Hill, the contractor refus-

ing to do the work. The plans for the interior work of the new city hall were presented and approved. The plans were not examined by the council, but a windy and extended discussion took place over the advertising for bids for the work. It was finally decided to advertise for bids is all of the Omaha daily papers and in one architectural paper in Chicago and one in Minneapolis. Mr. Madsen worked a long while to have the weekly papers included, but he failed to get any support, except that of Mr. Osthoff, who supported everything and everybody, and his motion was last

lost.
There was a rew over the appropriation ordinance. Messrs. Lowry, Kaspar and O'Con-nor voted in the negative. They were fol-

lewed by Wheeler and Chaffee, who explained that they were tired of having some of the members kicking against the appropriation ordinances. On roll call the ordinance was defeated. The yete was reconsidered and hearn defeated, Blarrier, Dornelly, Lowry, Morearty, O'Conner, Osthoff, Wheel-er, Chaffee voting in the negative.

The tote was again reconsidered and the onlineace adoptet. The amount appropriated was \$160,050,17.

Several times during the session the mem-Several times during the session the mem-bers of the sugnet body took a foretaste of the variation upon which they will enter to-day, and indulged in a free-for-all eisquision of matters relevant and inclevant delaying business scriously. But the limit of endur-nace was reached when Tom Magrane and Mike Meaney came inside the charmed circle and began buttonholius the members. This was too much, and President Chaffee anwas too much, and President Chaffee an numered that unless better order was pre-served be would have to call upon the sergeant-at-arms to eject outsiders. The sergeant-at-arms wasn't sergeant-ad-arms wasn't in sight but the bluff went, and the outsiders cired. This helped matters a little but wern of the members weren't satisfied retired. with mything, and wrangled till they grew

weary and then finished up the night's work may a short time before midnight. Leave of absence for two weeks was mantel to thirteen members of the council and Mr. Cooper elected president of the suncil matter.

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When the business of the session was finally disposed of the council adjourned.

Thirteen members of the council will leave this creating on a pleasure jaunt. They will visit Chevenne, Denver, Salt Lake, Ogden, Portland and other western points. The members who will comprise the party are flumer, Davis, Kaspar, Madsen, McLearie, Morearty, O'Connor, Olsea, Osthoff, Sander, Suriver, Wheeler and Chaffee.

Deputy City Cerk Counsman and Deputy Comptroller Coulter will necessary the party.

### BIDS FOR S. HOOL SUPPLIES.

Number of Them Considered by the Committee Last Night. The committee of supplies of the board of education met last evening to open bids for

school supplies for the ensuing year. A mything to better the smithry condition of number of local and foreign firms interested the city. Someof the things which have were represented by agents, and an abundance of samples of coal, books, slates, pencils, etc., littered the different tables around the room. Mr. Rees, chairman of the committee, presided, and there were present Messis, Gibbs, Kelly and Wehrer. It was seen at once that a big job was on the hands of the committee, and that it would be imessible to make a full report attonight's ection. The following bids for furnishing onl and wood were read:

Hurburt & Blum-Grate, \$8.40; range, 8.65; lowalump, \$5.50. C. S. Whitney & Co. — Walnut lumb, \$3.85; lowa lump, \$3.50; Iowa mit, \$3, grate, \$9, mige, \$9.25. American fuel company—Lump, \$3.45; nut,

American fuel company — Lamp, \$3.45; nut, \$2.55; anthracite \$8.15 and \$8.40.

Mount & Griffin—lowa lump, \$3.05; nut, \$2.65; Missouri lump, \$3.25; nat, \$2.60; walnut bleck, \$3.25; lump and nut, \$2.95; Illinois lump, \$3.00 and \$3.55; grate, \$7.65; range, \$7.90; soft wood, \$4.83 per cord; hard wood, \$5.83; pine edging, \$4.75. The firm agreed to any add solid large search. saw and split the wood for \$1.25 per cord ad-Charles Giles -- Soft wood, \$4.90; hard, \$6.

Contant & Squires - Walnut lump, \$3.43 ut, \$1.85; grate, \$7.96; nange, 88.21. Omahn Coal, Coke and Lime Company— Eclipse lamp, \$3.40, aut, \$3; anthracite grate, \$7.45; range, \$4.15. Nebraska Fael Company - Grate, \$8.15;

N. 18. 40, Powell & Co. Lump, \$3.85; nut, \$3.26; grate, \$7.94 range, 88.14, C. B. Havens & Co.—Lump, \$3.65; nut, \$2.80; Iowa nut, \$2.10; grade, \$7.65; range, Jef W. Bedford-Lump, 83.45; lump not

screened, \$1.10; mine rm, \$2.75; aut, \$2.50; grate, \$7.90; range, \$8.15. These are the rates given on coal per ton and wood per cord for inside schools, an extra charge being made for the outside buildings. The secretary was ordered to tabulate the different bids, so that the committee could take more intelligent action.

Bids for furnishing clocks were received from C. S. Raymond and John Baumer, but no action was taken Then came a disultory consideration of bids for furnishing states, pencils, stationery, books, etc., with no choice. Bids in these different lines were received from the American news company, J. S. Cauffield, Gibson, Miller & Richardson, Jophin & Co. and the Minneapolis office and school furnishing com-

pany.

Bids for job printing were received from the Omaha Republican, Ackermann Bros. & Heinz, Gibson, Miller & Richardson, and compared as to the different articles men-

There was only one bid received for lum-ber, and it was not opened, the opinion of the committee being that bids in this line should be advertised for again. It was decided that it would be advisable not to contract for inks at present. It was suggested that the prices be placed on fie, so that orders could be made when desired. The same action was taken in regard to brooms. The committee then adjourned until this evening.

The Coliseum Sold. The Colliseum has been sold and is now the

property, or at least is under the controlling management, of J. P. Finley of this city. To him has been transferred the stock of Messrs. Lindsey, Kierstead and Thurston, the consideration in the main being \$5,000. The officers and directors will remain practically the same as they C. J. Mears acting been, C. J. Mears acting as tressurer and Mr. Lindsey as secretary until

probably January I.

Mr. Finley enters immediately upon the performance of his duty as immanger, one of the first features of which will be to make arrangements for a grand exhibition of art and mechanical inventions, which will take place early in September.

## Defending His Wife.

Lewis Ulmgave James Collinsa nice little drabbing at the corner of Sixth and Pierce streets at 11 o'clock last night. It seems that Collins insulted Ulm's wife yesterday morning by visiting her at the unseemly hour of 2 o clock. The husband naturally took um-brage thereat, and meeting Collins last night he demanded an explanation. The result was a fight and a subsequent arrest. Both are respectable looking young men and neither was budly punished. Ulm was released on ball at midnight for appearance this morning.

### Lost His Twenty.

William Prince of Portland, Ore., a horse dealer, came into the central station at midnight in a half maudin condition, clafming that he had been robbed of a \$10 gold piece, The fact that he had & and a silver watch on his person rather contradicted the robbery statement. William evidently had been in-terviewing the elephant. He was directed to

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. T. H. Tochunter, wife of the assistant superintendent of the street railway, re-turned yesterday from Kansas Cily, accom-panied by her daughter May, and Mrs. Irwin, her mother in-law. They are stopping at the residence of Dr. Hertzmann, 1314 Sherman avenue, preparatory to going to housekeeping on South Twenty-first street.

W. E. Smythe editor of the Kearney Enterprise, is in the city. E. Butler, editor of the Stock Growers' Journal, Miles City, Mont., was in the city yesterday.

The Freedom of the Town. EDINEURG, August 5. - [Special Cablegram to THE BEE. |- The authorities of Wick today presented Andrew Carnegie with the freedom of the town.

Convention of Machinery Molders. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., August 5 .- The fifth blennial convention of the International Brotherhood of Machinery Moulders met here this morning. Only routine business

was transacted today.

Congressman Funston Renominated. KANSAS CHY, Mo., August 5 .- Congressman Funsion of the Second district was re-nominated teday by accimination.

Mississippi Farmers' Alliance. STARKVILLE, Miss., August 5 .- The state farmers' alliance met here teday. The day was taken up in the customary routine business and the appointment of committees, etc.

THE DENVER NEWS.

A Republican Syndicate Has an Option on it for \$100,000.

DENVER, Colo., August & .- | Special Telegram to The Bel | - Regarding the alleged sale of the Rocky Mountain News, the simple trath is that a republican syndicate has an option on the paper for \$400,000, which option expires on Wednesday, August 6, at 3 o'clock p. m. The money has not yet been paid, and whether it will be is tonight a matter of dis-pute. The paper will be issued in the morn-ing under Colonel Arkins' management as usual, with no change of policy.

Pears' is the purest and best soap ever made Oddfellows at thicago.

Curcaso, August 5.—Cantons from all parts of the country centimed to arrive today to take part in the triennial can conment of the Patriarchs Militant, Independent Order of Oddfellows, and the city is ablaze with black, red, gold and purple trappings and flashing jewels and waving plumes of the order. The foreneon was devoted to competitive exemplification of suborcompetitive exemplification of subor-dinate degree work with closed doors in Battery D armory. Garden City lodge of Chicago opened the competition and was followed by Wicker Park lodge, also of this city. This afternoon prize drills of can-tons by classes were begun on the lake front in the presence of a multitude of people. To-night General John C. Underwood, general-issime of the army, held a reception at the Anditorium hotel, the parlors of which were crowded with brilliant uniformed chevaliers and their ladies. and their ladies.

Nebraska and Iewa Pensions. Washington, August 5. - Special Telegram to THE BEE | Nebraskans: Original-John Sullivan, Ainsworth: Thomas A. White, Ansley: James M. Simeral, Omaha, Increase -David Williams, Albion. Original widows,

ct. Maria Richardson, former widow of Henry M. Berry, Eladen. Iowa: Original—Charles Larty, Atlantic; Eli Senor, Ontario; Amos Perry, Masoaville; Henry Rouberger, Gowrie; George Rankin, 7, 111 Henry Rouberger, Gowrie; George Rankin, Zalti; Benjamin R. Meyers (deceased), Mason City; David C. Kenworthy, George-town; Robert Penquit, Colfax; Peter Peter-son, Hawthorne; Mark Mathews, Princeton; John R. Rhoades, Iron Hill; James M. Shepard, Kirkville; Monroe Martin (de-ceased), Quincy, Increase—Orin T. Blood, Amber; William H. Stewart, Magshalltown, Reiseas, William H. Stewart, Magshalltown, Reissue—William H. Shafer, Rock Valley Reissue—and increase—Daniel McCory Micjuoketa Original widows, etc.—Any L. widow of Hamilton Duke, Drakesville; Libbie, widow of Benjamin R. Meyers, Mason City; Louisa, widow of Charles Kirk

Nebraska and Iowa Patents.

Washington, August 5. - | Special Telegram to The Bee, |-Patents were issued today as follows: H. Barnes, Wahoo, Neb., oil can; Edward Bredley and D. Gallagher, Clinton, Ia., ice cutting machine; Isadore Brucks, Lincoln, Neb., suspenders; William E. George and J. A. McGinnis, Harlan, Ia., E. George and J. A. McGinnis, Harlan, Ia., wagon end gate; Henry A. Iddings and J. P. McGrath, Omaha, Neb., typewriter scale; Alien Johnston, Ottunwa, Ia., machine for grinding cuttery hands; David Kraber, Marion, Ia., read cart; Henry Marshal, Lincoln, Neb., car coupling; John W. Meyer, Rock Island, Ill., and F. H. Snepard, Davenport, Ia., water cooler; Charles F. Skellinger, Hubbard, Ia., wagon tier; Simon A. Thomas, Bingham, Ia., center for neck yoke: Thomas, Bingham, la., center for neck yoke; Leopold Weidenfeld, Broken Bow, Neb., combined curtain pole, ring and pm.

Health Authorities Again Clash. Chicago, August 5.—Indications point to other clash between the city authorities and the state board of live stock commissioners. Officers of the city health depart ment today traced a cow that had had Texas fever to a slaughter house, where it was found cut up ready for sale. The meat was condemned and seized, and had not persons connected with the affair made themselves scarce they would have been ar rested. Both lumpy jaw and Texas fever is spreading in the southwestern portion of the city. This, Dr. Wickersham declares, is the fault of the state board of live stock commis-sioners. He said that it was imperative that something should be done, and would like to see the authority of the board to ship diseased cattle into Chicago tested in the courts.

#### The Weather Forecast. For Omaba and vicinity-Fair; slightly

For Nebraska-Light local showers warmer in eastern, stationary temperature in western portion; southerly winds. For Iowa-Fair, except local showers in vestern portion; warmer; southerly winds. For South Dakota-Light local showers; cariable winds; slightly cooler in northern and stationary temperature in southern por-

A Novel Decision.

SALT LAKE, Utah, August 5 .- [Special Telgram to THE BEE. ]-Chief Justice Leare of the supreme court decided today in the case of the claim of the polygamous children of Orson Pratt, that children of plural wives cannot justly claim any share of their father's estate where the parent dies intestate. This is regarded as a great injustice by Mormons. The case was brought on an appeal from the

Fits, spasms, St. Vitus dance, nervousness and hysteria are soon cured by Dr. Miles Nervine. Free sampless at Kuhn & Co., 15th and Douglas.

Amount Stolen Hard to Ascertain. CHICAGO, August 5.-It will be some time before the postal authorites can ascertain how much money was in the pouches stolen by George Harris, the postal clerk who is missing with the contents of two mail pouches taken from a Chicago & Alton train near St Louis. The amount taken may not be more than \$300 and yet might be many thousands.

Desperate Fight at a Picnic.

ELIZABETH, N. J., August 5 .- A desperate fight occurred at the picnic of the Arbeiter Turnverein at Eller's grove last night, nearly one hundred men taking part in the affray Six policemen were severely handled by in furiated anarchists, one of whom was locked up. During the riot the American flag, float ing from the staff at the entrance to the pic-nic grounds, was torn down and trampled upder foot. Warrants are out for the arrest of a dozen of the rioters.

In Holland, Mich., C. J. Doesbury publishes the News and in its columns strongly recom-mends Dr. Thomas' Electrical Oil for coughs, colds, sore throat, catarrh and asthma.

Five Persons Drowned.

New ORLEANS, La., August 5.-The steam ship City of Dallas, from Central America reports that Captain Rowley of the schooner Joseph P. Macheca, while en route in a sailing boat to the schooner with the command-ant, judge of the port and two unknown perwas capsized during a squall and all

Ladies who suffer from weakness or neryous prostration will find the mineral water of the "old M. C." spring at Hotel Colfax a wonderful tonic and restorative.

The Salt Lake Election. SALT LAKE, Utah, August 5. - Special Telegram to THE BEE. ]-Revised returns show that the Mormons elected the sheriff and

recorder at yesterday's elections, the former by 172 and the latter by 19 majority. The liberals elect the rest of the ticket. Van Houten's Cocoa-Pure, soluble, eco

The Order of the Black Eagle. LONDON, August 5.— [Special Cablegram to

THE BEE. ]-It is stated that Emperor William will confer the order of the Black Engle upon Lord Salisbury if the queen consents to his receiving the honer. Chronic Inflammation of the Bladder

Is promptly cured by the waters of Execu-sior Springs, Missouri. A Denver Fharmacy Blowup.

DENVER, Colo., August 5. - Mitchell's pharmacy was blown to pieces by the explosion of a large quantity of benzine tonight. The clerk, J. D. Gorrell, was frightfully burned and will die. Three firemen were crushed in

the ruins. One of them, Pat Gallagher, was fatally injured. The others will recover. It is rumored that a number of people who roomed above the store lost their lives in the

Northwest Rowing Regatta.

DETROIT, Mich., August 5 .- The twentysecond annual regutta of the Northwest Rowng association took place on the Belle Isle course this afternoon. The attendance was fair and the water lumpy. The events were the junior and gig races, one and one-half miles each with a turn.

Four-oured, first trial heat-The Wolverines won in 9:51, Tecumsehs of Walkerville, Ont., second, Lansing Citys third,
Single scull—R. McKay, jr., first, M. D.
Campbell second, F. Sargent third, Winner's

Four-cared, second trial heat—Wyandottes Four-cared, second trial heat—Wyandottes won in 9:56%, Argonauts of Teronto second, Owashtanong third.

Double scull—Nettleton and Paget of the Minnesotas, St. Paul, won after an exciting finish from Corbet and Henderson of the Catlins, Chicago, who led from the start until a quarter of a mile from the finish, when the St. Paul have supplied and son by two feet. St. Paul boys sparted and won by two feet. Four-oared, final heats-Welverines won, Wyandottes second, Tecumseh third, Win-

Pair oured—Detroit crew No. 2 won in 0:31, crew No. 1 second, Owashtanougs Four-oard gig-Detroits won, Welverines second, Tecumseh third. Winner's time-

The Boston Wool Market. Boston, Mass., August 5.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-There is a steady demand for domestic wool so far this week and sales foot up 'well. 'The market is steady. Prices, it is believed, have touched the lowest point. Territory wools sell well on a scoured basis of 58(0000 for fine medium and 550c35c for medium. Spring Texas wool has been in demand, with choice selling at 240c 25c and fair to good at 150721c. Spring Call-See and fair to good at 19/221c. Spring California wool is in fair request at 20/2/24c. Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeress are now helding quite firm at 31/2/3/2 for X and 33/2/3/4c for XX, while Michigan X sells at 28/2/2/3/2. Combing and delaine fleeres are in fair request, No. 1 combings selling at 371/2/4/2c, Ohio fine delaine at 34/2/3/5 and Michigan time delaine at 33/2/3/4c. Pulled wools quiet and steady at 36/2/3/4c for severand 23/2/3/4c. steady at 30 7740c for super and 22 730 c for extra. Australian wool firm. Carpet wools

The Queen's Unpleasant Experience. London, August 5.—The queen had an unpleasant experience this evening. She left Osborn for a drive to witness the yacht quadron paarde at Cowes. Her carriage and to cross a steam ferry on a pontoon. A too sudden letting down of the platform on which the queen's carriage stood caused a rush of water, which partially submerged the pontoon. The queen and spectators were for a moment panic stricken, but the pentoon soon righted itself and floated free. The queen was then conveyed safely to her des-

Almost Universal Fronth. CHICAGO, August 5.-The Farmers' Review tomorrow will say: Outside of a few counties in Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota, where local rains have fallen, the drouth is universal in the states, scoured by our report: Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Missouri, Kansas, Michigan, Wiscensin, Minnesota, Dakota, Iowa and Nebraska.

President telman Resigns. VALPARAISO, August 5,-A disputch received here says President Celman of the Argentine republic has presented his resignation to congress, giving as a reason the political and financial difficulties through which the republic is passing. He has been suc-ceeded, the dispatch adds, by the vice presi-

dent, Dr. Pellegrini, Two Witnesses Removed. Louisville, Ky., August 5.—Near Harlan court house yesterday James T. Middleton was shot and killed from ambush and Bascomb Bailey was also fatally wounded on Clover fork in the same county. They were both witnesses in the trial of William Jen-nings, leader of the Howard faction, which

An Indian Territory Tragedy. Paris, Tex., August 5.—Parties who came here this morning from Goodland, I. T., say Deputy Marshal Ladd attempted to arrest Jeff Shoales, a notorious negro outlaw, and a dasperate encounter ensued, in which both Ladd and Shoales were killed.

Kentucky Feud Partially Settled. BURNSIDE, Ky., August 5.-In a fight between Police Judge Smith and Town Marshal Commer on one side and Ben Cassidy and his ons, John and Hiram, on the other, over an old feud, John Cassidy and Judge Smith were fatally wounded and the other three partici pants seriously.

The Medical Congress Banqueted. Berlin, August 5 .- A banquet in honor of the members of the international medical congress was given at the Kaiserhof last evening by the committee in charge of the congress. The City of Berlin gave a fete at the town hall this evening in honor of the medical congress. There were 4,000 guests.

A Secret Circular. Kansas City, Mo., August 5.-The Times tomorrow will print a secret circular signed by all of the Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City railroads, in which an agreement is entered into to cease the granting of cut rates and the issuing of free tickets for the purpose of gaining patronage.

Disastrous Rains in Arizona.

Tucson, Ariz., August 5.-Heavy rains have been falling during the last ten days. Sixty miles of the Santa Fe road between Benson and Nogales are washed out. The Santa Cruz river is again flooding the valley and this evening is higher than at any time during the flood.

Disastrous Fire at Vermillion. VERMILLION, S. D., August 5 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-Fire destroyed the business portion of this town tonight. Eighteen buildings were totally destroyed, and the loss will be about \$69,000; insurance about half of the loss.

License Inspector Arrested. MONTREAL, August 5.-License Inspector Roe, from Minneapolis, Minn., who embezzled \$25,000, was arrested here today and left

A Court-Martial Convened. San Francisco, Cal., August 5.-A court

martial has convened at the Mare Island navy yard for the trial of Sailmaker William Redstone on the charge of abstracting goverament property. Dense Clouds of Grasshoppers.

HALLACE, Minn., August 5 .- Yesterday afternoon dense clouds of grasshoppers were seen passing between the earth and the sun-going south. They came from the north.

#### COUNCIL BLUFFS NOTES. On Saturday of last week a fellow called

upon J. G. Tipton, the real estate agent, and desired to find a purchaser for some Kansas land. He was willing to sell or trade, but Tipton was not in the market hunting for investments in Kansas, and refused to accommodate him. He left, but in a few hours another fellow came into the office for the same purpose. His manner excited a little interest in Tipton, and he sized him up as a confidence man who ought to be taken care of, and he concluded that he would occupy a little of his time in taking care of him. He set a trap and the fellow walked into it without any hesitancy. The fellow said his name was Fred L. Dobson, and he owned a quarter section of land in Kansas which he was willing to trade or sell. It was located in Clark county, not far from Ashland, the county seat. He represented it to be unincumbered, with a good farm house upon it and forty acres of it improved and in crops. Tipton offered him a tract of land in Nebraska in exchange for his property. The fellow inquired about it a little and then of-

fered to exchang for \$10 difference. This Tipton refused, and Dobson went away with the promise of returning in a few barrs. He kept his appointment, and re-opened negotiations with the offer to take \$10 to boot if Tipton would give him, \$5 of it then. He showed Tipton his deal to the property and an abstract of dile purperling to be made by Smith & Striker, abstractors, Ashland, Kan. The title to the property he represented to be in a relative of his, names Simpson, and he had a deed from him signed in blank and a power of attorney to dispose of the land. He explained to Tipton that he wanted the \$5 to pay his betel bill, and that he was temporarily embairnassed financially. Tipton expatiated upon the value and beauties of his Nebraska land, and told Dobson that he would give the difference and take the Kansas property, but that he could take the Kansas property, but that he could not get the decel from Nebraska until Tuesday. He would give him the 8; then and the remainder when the deed came, and in the meantime Tipton would deposit a contract in the Citizens' bank to furnish the deed if Dobson would also place his deed in the same bank in exerc. Dobson thought he had Dobson would also place his deed in the same bank in earro. Dobson thought he had caught a fine large sucker and saw the opportunity of getting a deed to some property in addition to \$10 in cash and he readily consented, and the deed and contract were placed in the hands of Cashier Hannan.

Instead of sending to Nobraska for a deed Tipton wrote the county recorder of Clara county, asking if there was such a firm as Smith & Striker there and in whom

Smith & Striker there and in whom the title rosted to the real estate described in Debson's deed, and directed him to telegraph his reply. The reply came yesterday that there was no such firm there and the lands described were still held by the government, being too worthless to be homesteaded. When Debson came to get his deed he was met by an officer with a warrant for his arrest and taken into custody. When arrested he broke down and confessed that he had been engaged by others to make the deal, and that he was one of a party operating throughout the country, with temperary headquarters at Omaha. He will have a hearing in a few days, and

it is hoped that he can be induced to give up the names of his confederates in the mean-

Fatalty Injured.

Mrs. A. F. Dilsaver, wife of the senior partner of the carpenter firm of Dilsaver & Edison, at 2213 West Brondway, received what is feared will prove fatal injuries in a runaway accident at 8:30 last evening. She and Mrs. Edison were driving a young horse owned by the firm, and when on Broadway. n the vicinity of Eighth street, the animal became frightened and started to run away. Mrs. Edison was driving and ching to the lines and would have kept the horse within control and avoided an accident if another carriage which was approaching had not got ten in the way. The front wheel of Mrs. Dilsaver's carriage struck the other vehicle and the shock thoroughly frightened the horse and he sprang forward in a vicious manner and ran down the street towards the Northwestern depot at a terrific speed. The ladies kept their seats until they had crossed the railroad tracks and then a sudden lurch to one side threw Mrs. Dilsaver from the buggy. She struck on the granite paving on her head with terrible force. Hers clothes caught in the wheels and she was dragged some distance. distance. She was picked up in an unconscious condition and conveyed to the residence of her husband's in an brother, William Dilsayer, at 25 Thirteenth street. Dr. Watterman was summoned, and an examination showed she had received a severe concussion of the brain and a fracture of the skull. A bad wound was also made on the left side of her head. Her injuries were thought to be fatul at 11 o'clock. She did not recover consciousness and her symptoms indicated severe internal injuries about the chest and heart.

The horse continued to run and at Six-

teenth street overturned the buggy and threw Mrs. Edison out, but she fortunately excepted with nothing more than some severe bruises Mrs. Dilsaver lives on the corner of Aven C and Twenty-seventh street. She is thir years of age and has four small children.

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more sand, nice bottom, clean rooms Sudden Death of Mrs. Patton. Mrs. Elizabeth C. Patton, wife of Dr. W. . Patton, died suddenly at the family r dence on North Main street at 7:30 vesterday morning. Mrs. Patton had only been sick a few days from dysentary and typho-malarial fever. She had not been considered at any time to be in a critical condition, and was supposed to be recovering nicely under medical treatment. Early yesterday morning her symptoms indicated a dangerous stage of the

disease, and she sank into a countose condition, from which she never, and ited.

Mrs. Patton has lived a busy and useful life, twenty-five of the sixty-two years of which she has passed in Council Bluffs, where there are hundreds who will warmly cherish her memory for the many good deeds she has performed. She leaves besides her husband a family of four boys, the cider of whom is the well known W. F. Patton, now postal agent on the Cedar Rapids line.

The funeral will occur from the residence tomorrow afternoon. J. C. Bixby, steam heating, sanitary en-dineer, 943 Life building, Omaha; 202 Mer

riam block, Council Bluffs.

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The trustees of the Chautauqua have been conferring in regard to the interests of that enterprise. The year past has been quite successful, and yet there are many financial problems to be wisely solved before the enterprise can be looked upon as a certain success. One of the most perplexing questions has been the matter of management. Hitherto Mr. J. E. Harkness has been thus employed at a salary of \$2,500 a year. His contract ended August 1, and the association had to face the question as to whether a new contract could be or should be made. While it was on all hands conceded that Mr. Harkness had done a large amount of work, and had met with such success as to make it desirable for many reasons to retain him, there were grave doubts as to whether the financial con dition of the association was such as would warrant the expenditure of such an amount for the coming year. On the other hand Mr. Harkness feit worn with labor and responsibility, and was rather inclined to retire from the position. At a recent meeting of the trustees it was decided to place the matter of management in the hands of the executive committee. At the same time a committee was appointed to draft a suitable expression of the appreciation feit by the trustees for the services rendered by Mr. Harkness in the past. It is understood that the executive committee will look after matters until such time as they find it practicable and desirable Harkness felt worn with labor and responsi time as they find it practicable and desirable to employ a manager.

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were brief services at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. W. Tilton, No. 527 Fifth avenue. They were conducted by Rev. Mr. Crofts and sisted of reading of appropriate and a hymn sung by Mrs. Sherman and Mrs. Evans. At the cometery there was the singing of another familiar by am and the offering of a brief prayer. There were many sympathising friends who joined with the relatives in paying their tributes to the onthus taken away. The pull beneers were W. S. McMickin, M. D. Hardin, J. F. Evans, J. B. Atkins, B. S. Terwilliger and Henry Swan.

Church i ids Rejected.

Last evening the committee consisting of Messrs Mayne, Clark and Brown, appointed by the congregation of the Broadway Mothodist church, to open the bids for the proposed new structure, laid them before the members for consideration. There were seventeen bids filed with the committee. At first it was thought an edifice could not be creeted for less than \$10,000, but after a due amount of figuring it was decided that the work could be done for \$30,000. The lowest bid for the church complete was \$4,588, and the nighest \$5,500. As this is be-yond the limit all the bids were re-jected. Three bids were received for the church complete. These were as follows Martin Hushes & Sons, Portage stone, Sis. 750; Sloux Falls granite, \$40,000; Warr 50; Sioux Falls granite, \$35,000; Warrensburg stone, \$46,000; R. Stevens & Son of Omaha, for the church complete except steam heating and plumbing. Dell Rapids stone, \$18,270; Warrensburg stone, \$18,588. A number of other bids were received for purts of the work. The Dell Rapids granite company offered to furnish the stone on the cars here free of cost for \$12,000, and they will family the stone and not it in the build. will furnish the stone and pat it in the build-ing for \$15,882. T. D. Gale offers to put up the building for \$36,580, except the plumbins, but the committee is certain this must be a mistake and think the plumbing means steam heating also, which would bring Dale's bid up with the rest of the bidders.

The church people have determined to re-ject all the bids and have the architects

change the plans somewhat to reduce the cost and bring it within the \$30,000 limit. This will be accomplished without altering the general plans or changing the dis of the building. The north side facture Broadway will be built of plain brick instead of Sioux Falls granite as contemplated in the general plans. As soon as these changes are completed new bids will be asked for and if they come within the limit the contracts will

Broke His Leg. Jacob Waitenberg, an old man fifty-six years of age, suffered a painful accident on Eighth street vesterday foreneon. In company with a neighbor he came in from Bartett, a town thirty or forty miles away, with couple of loads of produce for the Omaha and Council Bluffs markets. They stopped on Eighth street a mement and the old man got down from his seat on the wagon and walked around to the head of his team. While standing in front of them they became frightened and started to run away. The old man was knocked down and the heavily lader wagon possed over his legs, crushing them on the hard payement. The right leg was broken est above the ankle and the left was severely bruised but not broken. Both bones in the right limb were crushed. The police patrol was summoned and the infortunate man was conveyed in it to the

Bellinger hospital, where skillful surgeons at tended to his injuries and reduced the frac-ture, and where he will be kept until he is able to return to his home.



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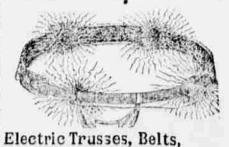
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