refused to do the work.

The sidewalk inspector and the member

INTERESTING HASTINGS NEWS.

Ladies of the Hospital Association

Becoming Discouraged.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 27,- | Special to Tun

are contemplating closing that Institution

During the past seven months there have

been but fifteen patients. The management

feels that there is not enough demand for a

Financially, the institution is most highly

The debris of the Vulcanite Rubber Roof-

Every land and newspaper office in town

has been transformed into a museum of Ne-

braska agricultural and porticultural

products. Some of the displays reflect great

public encampment at Grand Island.

Will Oppose Beal.

gram to THE BEE. | - The Adams County Bar

association met in the court house here this

afternoon and took the initial steps toward

nominating a non-partisan for district judge. The meeting will be continued Monday at

Holdrege. This is antagonistic to Beal, the

Building Contract Awarded

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 27 .- [Special Tele

gram to THE BEE. |- This afternoon the con-

tract for the new three story Dutton block

was let to J. R. Sims. The building will have a frontage of three lots and will be used

as a wholesale harness sales house and man-

Republicans Enthusiastic.

HASTINGS, Nob., Aug. 27 .- [Special Tele-

gram to THE BEE. |-The reputlican county

central committee held a very enthusiastic

meeting this afternoon. The county convention is set for September 4.

HUNTING A LOST FORTUNE.

Heirs of a Wealthy Dressmaker Seek

ing Her Money.

New York, Aug. 27 .- Somewhere in New

York, hidden away in the compartments of a

hotel, is a will, many thousands of dollars and

documents worth much more to the pext of

kin of Eva M. Livingstone. She lies today

awaiting burial in the undertaking establish

ment of J. C. Pelt at Terre Haute, Ind. Dis

patches were received yesterday by several

public officials asking their aid in finding

In 1871 Mrs. Livingstone came to New

York from Chicago. She had a dress cutting

system and started an establishment on Sixth

ivenue. She made a great deal of money.

An old employe, Hannah McDonald of 427 West Thirty-seventh street, said yesterday:

"For a long time she made as high a \$1,000

a month. Her cousin, John H. Livingstone, to whom she claimed to be married, never came hear the place. He started an opposition place in Fifth avenue. Both advertised as 'Livingstone' and both claimed to possess

the original system. She got out an injunc-tion, but dropped proceedings when informed that he would be punished if she won the

case. She sold out her business suddenly and went to Europe. On her return she accused the woman who assisted her husband of Lav-

ing tried to poison her. There was every

prospect of a sensational suit, but again she left the city and never came back. No divorce proceedings were ever brought by her.

suppose I should never have heard of her

again except that yesterday I received a

Terre Haute paper that told of her death."

Her friends are making earnest inquiries

to learn the address of a certain hotel where she had lived in New York. She said when dying that her will and \$10,000 in money

were in the hotel. A young lady was also quoted as corrobarating Miss Livingstone's

Prof. Livingstone was found vesterday af-

having invented the system, that is ridicu-lous. Twenty years ago I was master me-chanic on a road running into Chicago. My

cousin and her sister had a dressmaking shor in Chicago. One day, noticing how badly their dresses fitted, I found the cause to be a

ridiculous method of measuring. I sat down, and in a day invented an arrangement which

simplified the whole process. I patented it and made a fortune out of it. I never married

her. As to the will and money, I know noth-ing and care less. Everybody around this neighborhood knows me, and I don't think you can find anybody who can truthfully say

an unkind word about me. I fear that some-body has been lying, although so far as the

money goes Miss Livingstone doubtless had considerable. I have not seen her for years." In the meantime Mrs. Livingstone's rela-

lives will continue their search for the treas ure. The hotel clerk who discovers it will receive from the heirs in Terre Haute a sub-

DESPERATE CHINESE PIRATES.

They Carry Terror and Death Through

an Extent of Country.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 27.-Advices

from Shanghai state that a gang of 500 armed

pirates are creating havor in the province of

Wenchow. Their progress through the coun-

try has been marked by the most cruel and

cold blooded crimes. Villages have been

burned right and left by them when refused

hospitality, and the inhabitants-men, women

and children-slaughtered by the miscreants

The objects of the pirates seems to be to cap-

ture influential people and hold them for ran-

som. They have already seized the grandson

and only living relative of a wealthy old man

living near Wenchow, and they have sent re-peated demands for a large amount of money to the afflicted grandfather, accompanied on

each occasion by a piece of the unfortunate boy's flesh. One day a slice of his car was sent, another day a strip of skin taken from

his back, and so on. Recently the gang has been traveling southward, looting, burning and murdering as they proceeded. When

and murdering as they proceeded. When the consul at Wenchow first became convinced of the alarming state of affairs, he took such measures as were in his power for the protection of the residents. He has been trying to arrange matters with the local official. The number of the pirates is variously estimated, but the general opinion is that the band musters 400 armed and desperate men.

LIVE STOCK PREMIUMS.

Schedule to Be Offered at the World's

Fair.

CHICAGO, Ili., Aug. 27 .- Chief Buchanan

has announced his schedule of premiums in

the live stock department of the world's fair,

practically as follows: Horses, about \$52,000;

cattle, about \$30,000; swine, about \$20,000;

sheep, about \$15,000; poultry, and fat stock,

about \$10,000; dogs, about \$4,000. This leaves

a contingent fund of \$19,000, which has been

reserved for use as premiums in case it is desired to admit classes of animals not included

Always in Tr uble.

Count Pulaski's chief dog catcher, Charles

Davis, is in trouble again. Davis was ar-

The dog fiend will be given a hear

rested yesterday afternoon and charged with assaulting one T. G. Hail last Tuesday af-

in the present scheme.

ternoon.

stantial reward.

the heirs or relations.

ing factory, which was destroyed by wind, is

prosperous.

now being removed.

to the city limits.

ufactory.

## CORN TOO HIGH FOR EXPORT.

Not a Single Bushel Placed for Lake Shipment Yesterday.

WORLD'S FAIR MEN NOT AFTER RELICS.

Some Musty Drawing Cards Which Have Been Refused-Work of Meat Inspection-Gossip of the Garden City.

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE BEE, CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 27. Not a bushel of corn was placed for lake shipment yesterday. Grain shippers said that corn is now too high for export, and the only sales made were small lots to New England. Wheat, however, continued to go forward, although not so rapidly as it was arriving in Chicago and stocks are pliing up in the elevators. The forward movement of rye is now heavier than it has been for a long time. The market would not stand the amount of tonnage thrown upon it, and rates declined to 21/4 cents in wheat and 21/4 cents on corn to Buffalo. To Georgian Bay the rate has been fixed at 1% cents on corn. The drop in Buffalo rates will not continue long. as vesseimen are anxious to avert a permanent collapse before grain begins to move in September.

A proposition has been made to exhibit at the world's fair the log cabin in which General Grant lived before he moved to Galena. The cabin stood on the Deut farm, ten miles from St. Louis, and was built by General Grant shortly after his marriage. Thus far the exposition management has given no encouragement to relies. It has been asked to purchase, among other things, the first custom house ever constructed in America, the log cabin built by Abraham Lincoln, a fac simile of the Hermitage, Andrew Jack-son's former home, the house used by General Grant for headquarters at the time Lee surrendered, the gun which "Deadwood Dick" of Texas carried before he was killed, and dozens of other relies. None have bee accepted. It has been stated, however, that if the owners of these relics wished to pay for the privilege of having them on the grounds, they might receive some attention. SASH, DOOR AND BLIND MEN.

A special meeting of the Sash, Door and Blind Association of the Northwest was held yesterday at the Trement. The attempt made some months ago to form a trust has been abandoned, there being too much ium-ber on the market and no bottom to prices. The session was devoted to the preparation of a schedule of grades for various qualities SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT RESIGNS

Superintendent Howland of the Chicago public schools has handed in his resignation to the Board of Education. He has been connected with the Chicago school system for thirty-three years and his action has created a deal of surprise. His friends say the action was taken to secure a needed rest, but trouble growing out of a contro-versy between Superintendent Howland and one of the principals of a Hyde Park school is believed to have a great deal to do with it.

PROFICIENT STUDENT LIFE SAVERS. Lieutenant H. B. Rogers, the inspector of the United States life saving stations in the Eleventh district, made his annual inspection of the Northwestern university life saving crew at Evanston yesterday. The last and most interesting drill was the capsizing and righting of a big lifeboat. The Evanston crew, which is composed of wideawake students in the university, invented a method last year by which the boat can now be righted in an investible where the state of the second control of the second cont righted in an incredibly short time. It con-sists of a system of leverage with ropes attached to either side of the boat, a very simple contrivance. Such an arrangement, Captain Lawson claims, would have pre-vented the loss of the keeper of the Ariel station last spring, who slipped off the bot-tom of his capsized boat in a storm. The crew cansized and righted the r boat vester crew capsized and righted the r boat yester day three times before inspector Rogers and a large crowd. The best record was forty-two seconds. The inspector said that if he had been told that it could have been done in that time he would not have believed it, and added they would doubt his report on the record at Washington. He complimented the crew on their splendid condition and superior showing. The members of this crew are Captain L. O. Lawson and seven university students—Messrs. Frank M. Kindig, Eli Fowler, W. M. Ewing, J. A. Loining, W. L. Wilson, W. R. Holt and W. W. Wilkinson.

EX-POSTMASTER JUDD VERY FREBLE. . Corning Judd, postmaster of Chicago prominent in democratic councils, is in a very feeble condition at a sanatarium in Kenosha, Wis., and while he himself has hopes of his ultimate recovery, they are not shared by any of his friends. His trouble is rheumatism and it has gone as far as possible and the sufferer yet lives. His mind is clear and active, but his limbs are absolutely

useless. WORK OF MEAT INSPECTION.

Secretary Rusk has given out the report of Prof. Michaels, in charge of the microscopical station in Chicago, regarding the work of that station inspecting pork for trychinae. Prof. Michaels says the plan on which the work was carried out was that of Dr. D. V. Salmon, chief of the bureau, and was found to work admirably. The manner in which the examination is made has already been detailed in these discarders. detailed in these dispatches. Prof. Michaels calls attention to the opening for women made by this work for which they are often better adapted than men. Those already selected, he says, have proven, "without a single exception, to be successful manipu-lators of the microscope, delicate and refined in their work, and thoroughly reliable."

The meat inspection establishment to be stablished in Omaha during the coming established in Omaha during the coming month, Prof. Michaels says, will be modeled on that in Chicago. Other stations will be established as rapidly as large dealers find it to their interest to secure this government inspection. Prof. Michaels ventured the statement that the present government inspection of meats is the most thorough that has ever been attempted.

PUNDS FOR THE PAIR. Treasurer Seeberger of the World's fair was agreeably surprised this morning by the receipt of a \$20,000 check. It came from the Cyrus H. McCormick Harvester company and was the full payment for its 2,000 shares. "If these payments continue to come in with regularity," remarked the treasurer, "it will not be long before we can call upon the city of Chicago for its ₹5,000,000 of bonds." Chief Buchanan of the agricultural depart-

ment is making preparations for one of the largest cotton and cotton manufacture dis-plays that was ever seen. All of the leading cotton growers and operators of the south are in correspondence with world's fair officlais and they are making great promises. TURKS TAKE OUT PAPERS.

Three Turks, Garbad Najerian, Peter G. Hagoopian and Hagoop G. Hagoopian took out their first naturalization papers today. They want the government to assist them in of the sultan none of his subjects are allowed to emigrate and the penalty for attempting to do so is death. These three escaped by stealth. They were referred to the State department at Washington.

MUST BLEVATE CHICAGO TRACKS. The special council committee appointed to visit the principal eastern cities and investigate the subject of elevated railway terminals have decided that all roads running into Chicago must elevate their tracks and will submit a report to this effect at the next meeting

of the council.

In the course of its report the committee will say: "It is a well established principle of law that public highways caunot, in any way, be obstructed by railroad or other cor-porations, nor can it be by any act of theirs made dangerous to the traveling public. It must be placed and perpetually maintained in a safe condition. It is clearly manifest that no such conditions can be carried out with the crowded conditions of our streets while railroad companies are permitted to operate their lines at the present grade." Chairman Madden of the committee was asked if the city would pay part of the ex-

"Not a dollar," he replied. "Why, the public would hang an alderman that proposed to have the city pay any of the rail-roads' expenses."

ODD AND ENDS. Captain R. W. Mead of the navy department of the government board contemplates bringing into Lake Michigan at the time of

the exposition a United States training ship, if the canal will permit of its passage into

Tommy Hogan of Minneapolis won in a six round go with Harry Finnick, the "Arkansas Because her former husband failed to meet his installment of alimony regularly. Mary Press called and attempted to collect it with

the lake.

kid," at the Columbia Athletic club last

WESTERN PROPLE IN CHICAGO The following western people are in the

At the Leland-Mrs. Perry, Niobrara. At the Auditorium—George B. Douglas, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; H. S. Boice, J. R. Tower, At the Paimer-D. Ford. Stromsburg;

a revolver. She first at him three times without effect and was then arrested.

O. Anderson, Sturgis, N. D.: Mrs. J. M. Metcalf, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hiller, A. B. Caie, Omaha; J. S. Bishop, Lincoln; Owen Young, Chand Univ. Young Grand Forks, S. D.
At the Grand Pacific—N. O. Camburn,
Cedar Rapids, Ia; R. V. Hull, Eli Hodgins,

Cedar Rapids, Ia.; R. V. Hull, Ell Hodgins,
O. K. Schofield, Omaha; Mr. and Mrs. R. E.
Moore, Lincoln; J. R. Kathrens, William
Gordon, Sioux City, Ia.
At the Tremont—Mrs. K. Thompson, Mr.
and Mrs. E. J. Davis, Omaha,
At the Sherman—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sherwin, Wallace, Idaho; J. K. Powers, Cedar
Rapids, Ia.; Mrs. B. Coiston, Omaha; P. G.
Tozier, Fargo, N. D.
Councilman, C. L. Chaffee of Omaha is at

Councilman C. L. Chaffee of Omaha is at the Grand Pacific. Editor C. A. Jacobson of the Omaha Svenska Posten passed through the city to-day on his way to New York city to meet Mrs. Jacobson, who has been visiting in the

Dr. Birney, hay fever and catarrh. B bldg

PROMISE OF THE FAIR. Attractions That the Douglas County

Society is Holding Forth. The Douglas County Agricultural society will throw open its gates on August 31 to its eleventh annual fair and exhibition, which the managers promise will be of unusual in terest.

Particular attention is being given to county and district fairs all over the state this season with an eye to Nebraska's ex hibit to the World's Columbian exhibition in 1893. The State Board of Agriculture has sent out instructions to all agricultural soci eties in the state to commence making their selections from among their products that may go towards forming a nucleus for the grand exhibition Nebraska expects to make at the World's fair. For this reason alone the Douglas county fair directors expect to have an unusually attractive exhibit.

Added to this is the assurance for a bountiful erop, which increases the pride and enthusiasm of the agricultural exhibitors. The managers of the society living in the country are working assiduously and say they will make a large display. The merchants and manufacturers of Omaha also promise to contribute largely and will fill the various halls with their choicest productions. The purses to be hung up on the racing track

are very large, and are tempting the states all over the country. The south will be well represented by some of its pest horses, as will Illinois, Ohio and the east. Nearly \$1,500 with two \$1,000 purses, will be contested for On Thursday, September 3, parses to the amount of \$1,950 will be up and some of the crack horses promise to be after them. This will be the great racing day of the season, and the management experts to entertain a large crowd of spectators. So far vinety entries have been made for the speed purses and this does not include the runners who do not make their entries until the day before their respective races. An unusually fine field of runners is promised. A full list of the entries in the different races will be pub-

lished by the society today.
It is a well known fact that Douglas county excels in the breeding and exhibition of live

stock, and some entries of very choice stock have already been made.

Mr. John Baumer, the secretary of the society, speaking of the fair says: "I am happy to say that the prospects for a successful fair this fall are very promising. We cessful fair this fall are very promising. We are going to have a very large and choice exhibit of the products of Douglas county and Omaha will also make a good display. Our racing season will be the best in years, and if the weather is propitious we shall have the best fair Douglas county has had for years.'

Well, Sarah, what have you been doing to make you look so young! Oh, nothing much, only been using Hall's Hair Renewer to restore the color of my hair.

It Stirs Up Mr. Clark to a Few Perti-

MR. HOLDREGE'S LETTER.

nent Remarks. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Aug. 27,-To the

Editor of THE BEE: The statement of Mr. Holdrege under date of August 24, inst., in reply to your editorial of previous date, urging the lowering of freight rates for Nebraska, is as usual chiefly remarkable for what it does not say. He uses these words "The railroads of this state have not for several years earned a reasonable rate of interest on actual value." Would Mr. Holdrege, being a gentleman of

strict truth and veracity, dare to leave out the word "value" and substitute the word net "cost" to the builders and managers o

That appeal to the sympathies of the uninitiated to preserve reasonable annual revenues on values has been repeated till the sing-song has become monotonous.

Years ago, when the parent line, the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, in Illinois was cago, Burlington & Quincy, in lithous was compelled by "granger legislation" to lower its passenger fares from 4½ cents to 3 cents per mile, and freight rates in proportion. Mr. Robert Harris, then president, appealed to sympathy by saying: "The ruling rates of interest on money, gentlemen, are not lower than 10 per cent per section. are not lower than 10 per cent per annum at the present time. The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy road is making only 8 per cent per annum. Is this fair!"

Mr. Harris, being a careful Christian gen-tleman, carefully avoided any reference to the fact that his road was clearing 8 per cent per annum on three times the cost of the property, saying nothing of the almost illimitable future of the property for increased earnings, which increased earnings have been ever since enjoyed to the fullest extent. Railways are declared by the laws and the courts to be public highways, and as such they are as much a legitimate subject of public inquiry relative to net cost and annual revenues as the cost of public buildings and disbursements from the public treasuries. No government ownership need be looked and waited for in order to control absolutely all just and equitable annual revenues upon

Publicity as to truthful cost and details of management of public highways is the expe-dient which may be applied immediately to the solution of the vexed question of extor tionate charges of common carriers.

every dollar actually expended by private en-

ALFRED CLARK. A very small pill, but a very good one DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

Westerners in New York. New YORK, Aug. 27 .- | Special to Tire BEE. |-Among those who arrived on the Paale of the North German Loyd line from Southampton were: Mr. Cyrus Archer and Mr. Jabon Eckrich of Iowa City, and Mr. Aug. Richter and Mrs. Anna Bartels of Deadwood, S. D.

Mr. R. Dupre of Omaha is at the St. James Mr. P. Read of South Dakota is at the St. Mr. George Harper and wife and two chil-dren from Larimie, Wyo., are at the Metro-Mr. James B. Brown of Omaha is at the Metropolitan hotel on business.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers; best little pills for dyspepsia, sour stomach, bad breath.

For Hitting a Dago. Charles Mikesell, the young man who cut a street sweeper's head with a brick a few days ago, had a hearing in police court yes-terday afternoon and was fined \$10 and costs.

Dr. Birney, hay fever and catarrh, B bldg Mistaken Identity.

McCoy and Johnson, arrested yesterday for chicken stealing, were discharged in police court when their trial came up. It was shown to be a case of mistaken identity.

Better than the Imported. Soterian Ginger Ale-Excelsion Springs

TWENTY THOUSAND PRESENT

Creston's Blue Grass Palace Foores an Assured Financial Success.

ADAMS COUNTY TAKES THE PRIZE. Numerous Exhibitions of Cereals Indicate Iowa's Great Agricultural

Riches-Ottumwa Citizens Will Be There.

CRESTON, Ia., Aug. 27 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- Twenty thousand people visited the Blue Grass palace today, crowded trains coming in from all directions. The weather was delightful and the attendance nuch the largest of any day yet. Adams county carries away the prizes for

the best county display, both in general exhibits and exhibits of cereals. The lucky county will take its matchless exhibit to the state fair and Coal palace at Ottumwa. The failure of yesterday's exhibits and aces on account of rain and mud was more than met by today's crowds and the palace is

now an assured financial success. The racing today was exciting and attracted many housands. A large excursion from the Coal

Palace city is expected tomorrow.

Good Templars in Session. DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 27.- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. -There was an increased attendance at the Good Templar grand lodge this morning. The Iowa Temperance Magazine of Charles City was made the offi-Magazine of Charles City was made the offi-cial organ. The election of officers resulted: G. C. T., Edward R. Hutchins, Des Moines; G. C., Luke Roberts, Clinton; G. V. T., Rosa Howard, Clear Lake; G. S. J. T., Mrs. E. M. Remington; G. S., Perry Perkins, Des Moines; G. T., C. A. Young, Hawarden, Miss Bessie Star Keifer of Toronto, Canada, addressed a public meeting this evening.

Iowa Merchant Injured

CRESTON, Ja., Aug. 27-[Special Telegram o THE BEE. |-Walter Cullen, a promineut nerchant of this city, in attempting to get off the Omaha special at Villisca last evening fell under the cars in such a manner as to crush the right leg between the knee and ankte. He was brought home this morning and his leg will be amputated. His nervous system is greatly shocked and little hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Instantly Killed. MUSCATINE, Ia., Aug. 27 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-Henry M. Wallace, a horse breeder residing six miles east of this city, while returning from a picnic at West Liberty last evening was thrown from his cart by his borse running away near Moscow and was instantly killed.

VAN WYCK IN MISSOURL.

Some Good, Old-Fashion, Anti-Mo-

nopoly Doctrine for Farmers. TARKIO. Mo., Aug. 27 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-This was Farmers' alliance day at the county fair, and General Van Wyck of Nebraska was on hand, by request, to preach some good, old-fashioned, anti-monopoly doc-The attendance was large and the trine. crowd listened attentively to the address of the general. Among other things, he said: Corporation managers and straight politi-cians assure us the farmers are growing rich and in a few months will be money loaners and not need greenbacks or silver at 2 pe

cent.
The people are not less thankful to Provi-The people are not less thankin to providence because by the greed of corporations and syndicates the great bulk will be required to restore the ravages of the last few years. After the payment of interest and taxes and store bills and for transportation to market there will be nothing left to loan and but little to the future.

there will be nothine left to loan and but little to credit to the future.

The ratironds as usual will take the largest deal of clear money. The cloquent Chauncey Depew after receiving his annual sainty of \$50,000 has a few moments pause in his European trip to advise his toiling countrymen at home that pow is the opportunity to benefit America, that they must not try to corner the market and obtain excessive or unnatural prices, and he deprecates any movement to withhold wheat. How sweet and antelle Chauncey has grown. He seems to have received a fresh installment of philanthropy and generosity. He gave no such utterances when the New York Central clovators were full to overlowing. Chauncey did not warn us of the terrible effect of secondard warn the when the New York Central elevators were full to overflowing. Chauncey did not warn us of the terrible effect of speculation when the New York Central was duplicating the stock of all the roads they controlled. Now at the prospect of a few cents more a bushel than the cost of production. Chauncey bewails danger. Why don't he appeal to his railroad brethren to reduce a trifle on the burdens of transportation and aid to send cheap grain to the unfortunates in Europe? Chauncey dreads a corner on grain, unless his crowd can make it. Chauncey did not want a corner on cattle when he came to Chicago, sold the stock yards, at once reorganized, increasing the stock millions thereby adding millions to the bank account of himself and friends. Less than two years ago the railroad magnates called the farmers of minser and friends. Less than two years ago the railroad mannates called the farmers idlots because they rushed the corn and broke the markets. Now they call them knaves if they don't rush grain into market and endeavor to send it only fast enough to supply the wants of those who buy.

No gripping, no nausea, no pain when DeWitt's Little Early Risers are taken. Small pill. Safe pill. Best pill.

S. C. POMEROY DEAD.

The Ex-Senator from Kausas Passes Away in Massachusetts.

Worcester, Mass., Aug. 27 .- S. C. Pomeroy, ex-United States senator from Kansas, died at Whitensville this morning, aged 76.

Samuel C. Pomeroy was born at South ampton, Mass., January 3, 1816, and was educated at Amherst college. In 1852 he was elected from his native town to the Massachusetts legislature. He also took an active part in organizing the New England Em-igrant Aid society, established in 1864, of which he became the financial agent. He engaged with great earnestness in the anti-slavery struggle in Kansas to which territory he had emigrated in 1864 and was member of the defense committee. In 1856 he was a delegate to the Pitts-burg and Philadelphia conventions, and to that of Chicago in 1860. the famine in Kansas was made was made chairma of the relief committee, and was elected United States senator from that state, which office he held from 1861 until 1873. Ever since his retirement from the senate he has resided in Washington, living in comfort able style.

Pomeroy's Private History. ATCHISON, Kan., Aug. 27 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. | -Ex-Senator Samuel C. Pomeroy, who died in Massachusetts today was a resident of Atchison when he was elected United States senator, and claimed Atchison county as his home until 1879. He came to Kansas in 1854 with the second party of "Emigrant Aid Settiers," sent out from Massachusetts. In 1858 he was elected the first mayor of Atchison. During the famine of 1860, he distributed supplies that were sent here from the north and east, which gave him the title of "Old Beans." He was a senator from 1861 until 1873, when by a brib ery expose he was defeated for re-election. John J. Ingalls was elected to succeed him Until this calamity in his history, Pomercy was well thought of by his party friends in Washington. Charles Summer said to Senator Ingalls in 1879, "If this calamity had not befallen Pomercy and be had died before me, I myself would have pronounced his eulogy.

The Howe scales, the only scale with pro tected bearings. No check rods. Catalogue of Borden & Selleck Co., Chicago, Ill.

Wyoming M ners' Convention. Mr. C. G. Contant of Cheyenne, secretary of the Wyoming State Board of Mines, is in the city in the interest of the miners' convention, which will be held in Cheyenne, com

mencing September 7.
Mr. Coutant says that the convention cannot but prove of immense benefit to Wyoming and to any state or city that will take a proper interest in the development of the mining wealth of the 'Ruby of the Rockles.' He is very anxious to have a large delegation of Omana citizens and business men at the convention, Mr. W. E. Mend of this city will deliver an address before the convention,

Laying Permanent Sidewalks. Ford & Hughes who have the city contract to lay permanent sidewalks, have com-menced laying 200 fast of artificial stone walk at Tenth and Dadge streets. The ex-pense of laying the same is charged against the property. This two the first time in the CAN CONTROL THE ELEMENTS.

the property. This is the first time in the history of the city that the officials have taken the bit in their mouths and put down stone walks where the property owners have Melbourne, the Rain Maker, Will Exhibit His Art in Wyoming.

of the board of public works state that if the property owners don't go to work at once, they will lay all of the walks within the fire CONFIDENT THAT HE WILL SUCCEED.

Declares That He Will Try and Sell His Secret to the National Government After Demonstrat-

ing Its Value.

BEE. |-The ladies of the Hospital association CHEYENNE, Wyo., Aug. 27 .- [Special Teleram to Tue Bee. |-Frank Melbourne, the rain artist, arrived here from Canton, O., today and is ready at any time to show what hespital to justify the expense attendant, he can do. Some time ago a circular letter was received from him by Governor Barber, and this letter was published in the local papers. The subject naturally excited a good deal of interest here and negotiations were at once entered into to secure the presence of the rainmaker here. He wanted \$150 to defray the expenses of himself and his assistant, the money to be paid only when the experiments had been carried out to the satisfaction of a committee of the subscribers.

credit upon the state. Crooks enroute to the Grand Island re The money was quickly raised and the union are quite numerous in Hastings now. The police are kept quite busy seeing then result of it was Melbourae's arrival here this morning. Melbourne is a tall, slender, pale-The masons are laying the foundations for faced man with a studious cast of countethe new brick block on Lincoln avenue. Work is progressing rapidly on the new nance and a rather pronounced Irish brogue. He is an frishman by birth, but has spent asylum wings. The walls of the new Fourti the past twelve years in Australia. He is Silas A. Strickland Post 13, Grand Army evidently a man of very good education. of the Republic has asked for accommodations for 200 people at the Grand Army of the Re Chemistry has long been his hobby while his pleasure has been found in making experiments. His discovery of his ability to produce rain, he says, was entirely accidental. Hastings, Neb., Aug. 27 .- [Special Tele During a severe drouth in Australia, he

claims to have made a dozen successful tests. Afterwards, he made five successful experinents in New Zealand. He has been in this country only a few months and has made his headquarters at Canton, O. He made three uccessful experiments there.

Regarding those which were not successful he says he wasn't in them. The local papers got to appointing days for rain on their own accord. On these occasions many people naturally looked for the down pour but it never came. This was not his fault as he advertised no experiments on such days and he made none. This, he says, accounts for the slleged failure.

Melbourne looks forward to his success as

a matter of course. He is willing to try the experiment at any time or under any circum-stances that the committee may suggest. He leaves the time entirely in their hands. The weather here has been threatening and rainy for several days, consequently the experi-ments will be postponed until such time as the weather is perfectly clear. The experi-ments will be conducted under a committee composed of Andrew Gilchrist, president of the Stock Growers' bank, C. P. Organ and ex-Governor Baxter, all of whom are heavy land owners in this vicinity and deeply interested in the outcome of the artificial rain.
Melbourne claims that he can precipitate moisture over a region
of 500 square miles or less, just
as required. His invention is not patented out the ingredients are not expensive. What they are, is his secret. He says he wants to demonstrate beyond dispute that he can pro-duce rain at will, then he will sell his secret to the national government. If he fails in this, he will try the state governments of the arid regions and if they will not take the

ations in certain prescribed regions. Melbourne is a modest, unassuming man and he has favorably impressed everybody he has met. The experiment will be tried in the stable in the rear of F. H. Jones' residence here and will be easerly awaited by Cheyenne people

matter up he will sell his secret to corpor

WEATHER EXPERTS.

Opening of the International Meteor ological Congress at Munich. MUNICH, Aug. 27 .- The International Me tecrological congress which opened here yesterday continued its session today. Among the Americans present are Prof. Mark W. Harrington, the new chief of the United States weather bureau; Prof. Cleveland Abbe and A. W. Greely of Washington, D. and Prof A Lawre Hill observatory near Boston. There are eighty representatives of the weather services of different countries present at the congress. The members elected Dr. Tang of this city president of the congress. Prof. Mascart of Paris and Prof. Harrington of Washington, D. C., were elected vice pres

PLAYED JOHN GILPIN.

Broadway. "I am sorry," said he, "to learn of the death of my cousin, Miss Livingstone, but I cannot uniterstand why she should ever have claimed to be my wife. As to her Fun Had by Two Railroad Clerks with

a Guileless Broncho. Mr. C. McKenzie, chief clerk in the general passenger office of the Union Pacific, is the owner of a broncho which resembles Bret Harte's Chinaman, in being peculiar. Mr. McKenzie boarded the hurricane deck of the critter Wednesday evening and, opening the throttle, pulled out for Walnut Hill. In the course of events he reached the residence of J. C. Poor, a co-laborer in the general pas-

Dismounting from his flery, untamed steed Mr. KcKenzie was about to run the beast onto a sidetrack and "pull the fire" when his evil genius prompted him to ask Mr. Poor If ne dian't want to ride.

It was then pitch dark and the moon had not shed her light upon the scene. The gaso line street lamps were largely conspicuous for their blackness, and Mr. Poor thought he might venture. He had not straddled horse for lo! these many years, but the treacherous little beast looked so quiet and docile that he hesitated. While he was hes itating he rested one hand on the pony's neck and put his foot on the near stirrup. The and put his foot on the near surrup. The brute edged away and Mr. Poor caught the saddle with his right hand, rais-ing his foot from the ground. The pony knew his business and started on a run towards the railroad track with Mr. McKen zie in hot pursuit. Every step made by the pony was accentuated by a loud grunt from Mr. Poor who was hauging on for dear life. Suddenly there was a louder grunt than usual accompanied by a "d-s-t-," and Mr. McKenzie fell headlong over the prostrate form of Mr. Poor who was firmly impedde

A long and careful search failed to reveal A long and careful search falled to reveal
the broncho, and a thorough search of the
neighborhood by daylight yesterday was also
futile. Even the ubiquitous poundmaster
did not find him, and up to date his whereabouts is a mystery.

Mr. McKenzie is very anxious to recover
the rony and the saddle and has offered at the pony and the saddle and has offered a reward for their return to him.

FIG TER IN COURT.

Chance for Cinching a Pair of Professional Bruisers. Judge Helsley's court was well filled yes

terday afternoon with a crowd of dead game sports, who gathered to hear the trial of Gardner and Coridan, the two sluggers who fought at Rothery's place a few nights ago. The men were charged with prize fighting. County Attorney Manoney prosecuted the A long list of witnesses were examined.

They were all hostile to the prosecution, and it took a good deal of expert pumping to get any information at all out of them. A printed invitation, which stated that a twenty-round contest for \$100 would take place, was also offered in evidence.

The attorney for the defense tried to show that the fight was only a four-round friendly contest under Londou ring rules and did not ne under the statute for prize fighting. County Attorney Mahoney read from the statutes and showed that a premeditated fight or contest was punishable by law, and that it would do no good for the defense to put in expert testimony, as was their inten-tion, to prove that the contest was not

Judge Helsley will give a decision at 4 p. m. today.

Courts for Indian Reservations. Boston, Mass., Aug. 27.-At yesterday's meeting of the bar association a resolution was adopted advocating the establishment by the government of a system of courts and

law on and for Indian reservations. A committee of three was appointed which was authorized and instructed to bring to the attention of the president and congress the expediency of such legislation.

FOSTER BEAT THE BANKERS.

He Wanted More Gold in the Vaults and He Got It.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.-The Herald says When Secretary Foster found the gold in the national treasury running low with the 41per cent bonds due on September 1 he was puzzled to know how to replenish the supply The express companies charged 75 cents on \$1,000 for shipping currency from the east to the west, and when the demand began to come into the New York banks from the western cities for money to move the great crops, all the shipments were at first made that way. The eastern banks of course sent legal tenders to their western correspon-

Then Secretary Foster caused it to b made known to the western banks that the treasury department would ship money to any part of the west for 15 cents per \$1,000. Therefore the western banks accompanied every draft on New York with an order to ship through the Treasury department. When the New York banks went to the sub-trens ury in Wall street to deposit the money for shipment, they found to their surprise that Assistant Treasurer Roberts insisted upon the deposit of gold coin or gold certificates. When asked if the treasury had issued any order to that effect, Mr. Roberts admitted that there had been no official order, but, he said, "It was the practice." The bankers called Mr. Roberts' attention to the fact that it was an entirely new practice to insist upon all gold for such shipments, but the assistant treasurer was obdurate.

The bankers protested, but there was no

help for them. The result has been that every New York bank which has received during the last two months an order for currency to supply a western bank, has been obliged to deposit against it either gold coin or gold certificates in the sub-treasury in Wall street. Then the government, instead of sending the gold to the west, has simply put it in the vaults and sent out a telegraphi order to the sub-treasury at Chicago, or the nearest government depository to the bank wanting this money, to transmit to the bank

legal tender.
So successful has this policy been that the gold reserves in the national treasury have increased about \$12,000,000 in about six weeks. On June 30, the supply of gold in the treasury aggregated \$117,667,723. At present the total is \$120,402,927. Meantime the gold reserves in New York banks have fallen so low through this strong drain that many bank officers have become somewhat alarmed. There has been a good deal of grumbling within the last week, and inasmuch as there was no immediate prospect of decrease in the demands for currency from the west, there have been several informal conferences in bank parlors to determine what concerted action the banks might take in the way of re-prisal upon the secretary of the treasury. There is no doubt that serious action by

the bankers in that direction would have been attempted had it not been for the action of Secretary Foster yesterday. He had kept his eye upon the New York banks. He privately communicated with the national troasurer, and yesterday when bankers sent to the sub-treasury to make their currency shipments to the west they were surprised and pleased to be informed by the suave Mr. Roberts that the "practice" of the department had been changed and that the treasury would accept half gold and half legal tenders This concession satisfied the New York bankers for the time being. It has put a stop for the present to the talk about a systemati combination of the bankers against the secretary of the treasury. In financial circles yesterday it was admitted that Mr. Foster has been very shrewd and has fairly outwitted the New York banks

ONLY THREE SHOTS FIRED.

Three Men Killed in a Kentucky Fight. Louisville, Ky., Aug. 27.-In an affair at Georgetown this morning James Montgomery, a bystander, and John Jarvis, a participant, were killed and Burrell Jarvis mortally wounded. For some weeks bad feeling has existed between the Kendall and Jarvis families in the county. Last week the Kendall watermelon patch was robbed and it was reported that Kendalls thought the Jarvis' robbed it. This angered the Jarvis' and when the Kendall house was stoned it was charged the Jarvis' were getting even. Peace warrants had been sworn out and the rial was set for today. Only three shots

were fired. Will Have to Prove It. Washington, D. C., Aug. 27 .- The secretary of state has decided that Son Chong and Hop Lee Hop, two Chinese boys, aged respectively 17 and 15 years, who alleged that they were born in Texas and who subse-

quently visited Canton, China, are not de-barred from returning to the United States under the Chinese exclusion act, provided they were born in this country. He says, they were born in this country. He says, however, that they will have to produce satisfactary evidence to that effect before they vill be allowed to land. Lost and Squealed. Officer Keyser served warrants on and arrested Charles White, Charles Robbins,

Henry Parish and Jack Morrison vesterday afternoon for gambling.

The complaint on which the arrest was made was sworn to by Shorty Beadle of Cut Off island, who claims to have lost money at a recent sitting at the green cloth table.

Judge Heisley set the hearing for Septem-

Guatemala's Bad Financial Condition CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 27.-The financial condition of Guatemala is deplorable. For the past three months neither the army nor the federal forces have been paid. There is great scarcity of food in the city of Guatenala, in consequence of which there is much At Tegucigalpa, the capital of Honduras, small pox is epidemic.

Another Stove Gone. A gasoline stove explosion at the residence of J. Harris, 2210 Mason street, called out the fire department at 5:30 p. m. yesterday. The damage was about \$10. No one was injured.

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