THEY HAVE CHOSEN OFFICERS.

Nebraska Women's Christian Temperance Union's Leaders for the Year.

SOME VERY INTERESTING PROCEEDINGS

Prize Picture Awarded-Some Enthusinstic Addresses - Mrs. Mary A. Hitchcock Re-elected President-The Day's Routine.

About the first thing taken up yesterday morning by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was the report of the committee on revision of the constitution and by-laws. Several important amendments were recommended by the committee.

A lengthy discussion arose over the retention of county presidents as delegates to the state conventions. The county presidents were retained as delegates.

The matter of sending delegates to the national convention was a subject of discussion. The rule has been that districts having a paid up membership of 500 have a right to a delegate in the national convention. The discussion arose over the effort to secure representation for those districts which have not 500 members in good standing.

Mrs. Woodward favored the idea of per-mitting the district not having 500 delegates to have a representation in the national convention by paying a sum equal to the same as the dues of 500 members. The substitute offered by Mrs. Woodward was adopted.

A Picture Presentation. The committee appointed to audit the ac-counts of the Union Worker reported the number of subscribers sent in by the various

The premium for the largest number of subscriptions fell to the Cowles union.

The premium offered by the Union Worker was a handsomely framed and artistically executed portrait of Frances E. Willard.

Mrs. Mary Clement Leavitt was requested to present the portrait to Mrs. L. E. Baker, president of the Cowles union. Mrs. Baker stepped forward and Mrs. Leavitt made a very appropriate speech in presenting the portrait. The lady first said a good word for the state Woman's Christian Temperance union paper, and then apoke of the appropriateness of the presenta-

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tion. She eulogized the life and work of the noble leader of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, Miss Frances E. Willard.

Mrs. L. E. Baker responded in a very touching address. She said that she should take the picture back to Webster county and present it to the Woman's Christian Temperance union there with the assurance that it would be an inspiration and shlessing to them. Mrs. Dales and the a blessing to them. Mrs. Baker said that many of the ladies who had sent in the subscriptions resided at Red Cloud and the por-trait would probably be presented to them at

After Mrs. Baker had finished her ad-dress the ladies sang, "Blessed be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love." Mrs. Brakefield of Red Cloud arose and said that she would certainly oppose the idea of accepting the portrait entirely for the Red Cloud union. She thought that the union workers down in that part of the state could adopt the itinerant plan and send the picture all around the county.

The president then introduced Mr. Jung

Choe, a Chinaman, who is being educated by the Women's Christian Temperance union for missionary work in his own country. Annual Election.

The annual election of officers was then taken up. The roll was first called to ascer-tain the exact number of delegates present. Those who had not paid their dues in full were requested by resolution to pay up before they left the convention. Mrs. Ada M. Bittenbender of Lincoln, was requested to take the chair and conduct the

The total number of delegates present was 156 and three visitors making the number 159. Mrs. Leavitt being one of the visitors hor-self, moved that the visitors who had been granted the privileges of the convention, be not allowed a vote in the election. By general consent of the delegates that was

'ellers were appointed and the first ballot, according to a rule of the organization, was an informal one. Just as the ballot had closed the clock on

the High school preclaimed the hour of 12. Mrs. Leavitt was asked to lead in the noon tide prayer. After the supplication the tellers retired to count the ballots.

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The result of the informal ballot for president was as follows: Mrs. M. A. Hitchcock, 106; Mrs. Jennie E. Holmes, 8; Mrs. C. M. Woodward, 17; Mrs. Belle Bigelow, 3, Mrs. Upton, 4; Mrs. Zera Wilson, 1; Mrs. Cooley, 4; Mrs. Ada Bittenbender, 3; Mrs. O. H. Jones, 1; Mrs. Ferguson, 2. Mrs. Ferguson, 2. The convention then adjourned to take

lunch. Lie Nailed.

Dr. P. S. Morrill said yesterday to a BEE reporter that the statement in the World-Herald to the effect that be had spoken in an uncomplimentary manner of The Bes's re-port of the Methodist conference before the man's Christian Temperance union was

solutely faise.
'What I said before the Woman's Christian Temperance Union about Tug Bee's report of the Methodist conference was of a commendatory and complimentary nature and any statement to the contrary is without foundation," said Dr. Merrili emphatically. Afternoon Session.

Mrs. Bailey of Cowies lead in devotional exercises immediately after the convention had been called to order at 1:30. The first formal ballet in the election of president was

Rov. H. L. Powers of Grand Island was introduced to the conference. Mr. Hartigan of Frement, a leading worker connected with the Frement Chautauqua was also introduced and spoke briefly Mr. H. B. Bittenbender, husband to Mrs Ida Bittenbender, was introduced and greeted the convention in behalf of the pro-hibition party.

The ballot for president resulted in the

election of Mrs. M. A. Hitchcock of Fremont for president of the Nebraska Women's Christian Temperance union. Mrs. Hitchcock was escorted to the chair id was greeted by applause. She lanked the convention for the honor

conferred and promised that she would do all in her power for the good of the organiza-World's Fair Matters.

Mrs. John S. Briggs of Omaha was then introduced and addressed the convention re-garding the work of the Board of Lady managers of the Columbian exposition. expressed a hope that the ladies of Nebraska would see to it that Nebraska should take her place among the foremost states of the union in the great exposition.

Mrs. Briggs was given a vote of thanks for

Mrs. C. M. Woodward of Seward was then elected vice president-at-large. She thanked the convention for the honor.

Mrs. Octavia H. Jones of Hastings was

elected corresponding secretary. Rev. Mr. Hodgetts of Omaha, Mrs. McCoy. a leading temperance worker of New York, and Rev. Mr. Henderson of the United Presbyterian church of Omaha, were introduced to the convention.

Miss Ella M. Watson of Bellwood was

elected recording secretary, and Mrs. M. M. Lautry of Omaha treasurer. This completed the election of all the general officers.

Electing Delegates. With reference to the election of delegates to the national convention Mrs. Lantry said that there were but two districts, the Fourth

and the Fifth, that had a right by reason of sufficient membership to elect delegates to the national convention. Fourth district had elected Miss Watson of Bellwood as its delegate from that, the banner district of Nebraska The convention confirmed the election of Miss Watson. Mrs. H. S. Doan of North Bend was confirmed as the alternate for the

Fourth district. Mrs. I. A. Troyer of Dorchester had been elected as the delegate to represent the Fifth district. Her election was confirmed. Mrs. S. T. Corey of Crete was confirmed

the alternate delegate for the Fifth Nominations for the four remaining detegates and one delegate at large were then made by the different districts and were slected by the convention.

Au intense desire to represent Nebraska in

the National Womau's Christian Temperance union convention seemed to be quite univer-sal among the ladies and some very energatic work was done for the different candidates work was done for the different candidates before the informal ballot was taken. The following ladies were elected: Mrs. Wilson of the Second, Mrs. Covell of the Tnird, Mrs. Harrison of the Sixth and Mrs. Downing of the Eighth district. They will attend the next national convention at Boston next November. The alternates elected were Mrs. Wheelock, Mrs. Band, Mrs. Cooley and Mrs. Dustin.

Miss Ella Watson was elected a delegate to the Methodist conference at Lincoln to carry greetings to that body. Mrs. Cooley was elected a delegate to carry similar greetings to the Home Missionary convention at Lincoln.

Mrs. Richardson was elected as a delegate o bea fraternal greatings to the West Nebraska Methodist conference at North Platte next week.

Airs, Ida Moore of Davenport was elected is delegate at large to the national conven-ion. Mrs. Moore is state superintendent of tion. Mrs. Moore is state superintendent of the Young Woman's Christian Temperance union of Nebraska. Mrs. A. Wiley was elected as the alternate delegate at large. Mrs. Hitchcock, the president, stated that it would probably be impossible to complete all the business that should have been presented to the convention. Several of the ladies were obliged to go home and business would have to be greatly rushed in order to get through on Friday at 5:30.

Parents Read This.

July and August are anxious months for mothers who carefully watch over their little ones. Hot days and frequent changes of temperature are liable to produce cholera morbus. How satisfactory it should be for moreus. How satisfactory it should be lot parents to know that Haller's Pain Paralyzer is both a pleasant and effective remedy for all summer complaints. It soothes and re-lieves all pain and griping and always effects

TOOK ROUGH ON RATS. Bessie Wade Couldn't Stand to be Talked About.

Bessie Wade, a good looking young mulatto girl, living at 208 North Thirteenth street, sought to cross to the evergreen shore by the rough on rats route about noon vester day but a double geared stomach pump headed her off before she had gone very far.

Bessie is sweet on Julius Alexander, porterin the Continental block, and the feel-

ng is reciprocal.
It is charged Jim Turner, who works in t Fourteenth street saloon, although a married man, has circulated stories derogatory to the character of Bessie, whereat she became despondent, and finally decided to be re-venged on everybody by joining the silent majority. With that idea in view she de-voured a large dose of rough on rats, but the gnawing at her vitals was more than she had figured on, and she gave the whole thing away. A stomach pump was brought and Bessie coucluded she would stay in this

vale of tears a while longer.

James Turner called at The Bee office I as: night and denied that he had ever sought the love of Bessie Wade, nor had he circulated any stories about her. His donlal is best iven in his card, here:

given in his eard, here:

To the Public: In yesterday's paper I was accused (and that falsely) of circulating stories derogatory to the reputation of Miss Bessle Wade. I wish to state compatically that I have always treated the Indy with the greatest respect and have yet the first time to say anything that would blacken her reputation. If she has been informed differently it has been done by evil-minded persons, whose only desire to break the very peaceable relations existing in my family. I am a macried man, enjoying the full confidence of my wife and I have never been guilty of an act that would mittgate the trust, and I positively deny having said a harmful word or sough to gain any favors from the estimable lady.

James Turner.

The Latest Conundrum Why is Haller's Sarsaparilla and Burdock like the most popular soap of the day.

Because they both cleanse the skin and leave it both soft and velvety.

Excuse for the Canteen. Омапа, Sept. 24.—To the Editor of THE BEE: Allow me to point out the other side of the army canteen question. You consider t an unmitigated evil, which should be abolished. Now, what would be the result! The return of previous conditions Scores of hell holes in the immediate vicinity of forts Which of the two is the best? I believe you should view the matter from the same stand point as you do prohibition. You know that by prohibition you will not abolish the use of liquor; you know that by prohibition you take the traffic out of the control of the authorities; you know that by prohibition you place the traffic into the hands of irresponsible, vicious and lawless element. You will do the same by abolisming the control. The traffic is under abolishing the canteen. The traffic is under army control and supervision in the canteens, abolish them and you create a multitude of hell holes. You can't make tectotalers out of our boys in blue by abolishing the can-teens, but only drive them from respectable resorts into disreputable. Cui bono!

One Minute. One minute time often makes a great difference—a one minute remedy for bronchitis, choking up of the throat, lungs, etc., of course is a blessing. Cubeb Cough Cure is

uch a remedy. For sale by ell druggists. Cubeb Cough Cure-One minute.

They're After Burns. "Sober" Burns, alias John McIntyre was picked up in the Third ward June 29, for disturbing the peace and threatening to trans plant some fragile flowers which bloom there to the other shore. He resisted arrest and tried to shoot Officers Kissane and Meals. He snapped his gun at Kissane, but for som respon it failed to go off. For his previous demonstrations he was sent up for ninety days and was released Sunday morning. He was picked up again yesterday and a complaint filed against him charging assaul with intent to commit murder. The author ities believe that they have a sure cas-against him, and will be able to send Mr Burns, alias McIntyre Lincolnward.

Most complexion powders have a vulgar clare, but Pozzoni's is a true beautifier vhose effects are lasting.

First Ward Democrats. The democrats of the First ward neld a meeting at the corner of Teuth and Hickory streets last evening and organized the First Ward Democratic club, with the following

officers: President, George Bertrand; vice president, John Zellers; secretary, F. Geed; treasurer, A. Fricke. The primary object of the organization is to familiarize the demoocrats of the First ward with the new Australian ballot law. The president and secretary were instructed to secure speakers fo first regular meeting of the club, will take place Thursday evening, October 1.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething gives quiet, helpful rest. 25 cents a bottle.

New Firemen. At a short session of the fire and police commissioners held yesterday, the board appointed eleven new firemen. Here is the list: George W. McKray, transferred from the police force; Horace L. Pearman, William H. Earnest, E. M. Williams, E. S. Fingg, William Raney, John J. Coady, Joseph Hoffman, Grant Fox, I. E. Loomis and Oliver Morrell.

These men will be ordered to report for

duty as fast as they are needed. Gesaler's Magic headache Wafers, Curesal headaches in 20 minutes. At all druggists

Fatal Panie in a Church. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Sept. 24.-Just before midnight last night a panic occurred in Harmony Baptist church (colored), caused by the lights going out. One woman was killed About twenty people were seriously crushed

A very small pill, but a very good one. De Witt's Little Early Risers.

Manufacturers' Meeting. The adjourned meeting of the Omaha Manfacturers's association will be held at the Omaha Builders' and Traders' exchange, room 207 in the New York Life building, on Saturday afternoon, September 26, at 3 o'clock. Sam REES, President.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers for the liver.

WORK OF AN ORGANIZED GANG.

Officials Unable to Apprehend the Authors of Numerous Robberies.

YORK SWARMING WITH THIEVES.

Detectives Industriously Engaged on the Recent Depot Bugglary-Other Nebraska News of Interest.

Your, Neb., Sept. 24 .- | Special to Tun BEE.]-Yesterday afternoon the residence of J. P. Miller was entered while the family were absent and a watch, ladies' neck chain and some money was stolen. There seems to be an organized gang of thieves working this county. In the past two weeks there has been six residences, two depots, two postoffices and three or four stores robbed of various sums and articles in this neighbor-

The officers are trying to apprehend the guilty persons, but as yet have been unsuc cessful. Two detectives are here from Lin-coin working up the B. & M. depot robbery, but have only succeeded in tracing the thicves to the business center of town, where they lost all trace of them.

Several Attractive Features. ORLEANS, Neb., Sept. 24.—[Special to THE BEE.]—Great preparations are being made for the Harlan county fair, to be held at this place from September 28 to October 1 inclusive. The chief attraction will be a corn carnival with two large and beautiful corn palaces. An army of men are busy corn paraces. An army of men are only night and day getting the grounds and palaces ready. A grand street parade will be a feature of the attraction on two days. Each township in the county will be represented in the parade with a wagon trimmed with from and small grains. All the merchants of Orleans will have wagons in the parade. There will be a two days' shoot on Septem ber 29 and 30 at blue rocks and live birds Every effort will be made to make the shoo a success. Large purses will be offered. Other attractions will be a baby show and

bicycle and horse races.

Alliance Favored Democrats. DAKOTA CITY, Neb., Sept. 24 .- [Special relegram to THE BEE. |-The farmers' alliance in convention in this place today nomnated the following county ticket: Treasurer, Barney Gribble; clerk, William Mor-gan; Sheriff, M. M. Beacom; superintend-ent, Miss Mollie Baker; commissioner, A. P. The offices of surveyor and coroner were left vacant. All the nominees were former dem-ocrats. It was thought at one stage in the proceedings that a ticket would be nominated that the republicans would endorse, as with the parties joined, the democratic majority of 300 could be overcome. There is dissatisfaction in the alliance ranks over the outcome.

Rain Interferred with the Fair. BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 24 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The Gage county fair was very largely attended this morning, excelling that of any previous day. About 11 o'clock a drizzling rain set in which has continued with varying intervals all the afternoon, as a consequence the races announced for today are postponed until tomorrow.

They will comprise a 2:48 trot for \$100, 2:36 trot for \$150, 2:35 trot for \$150 and a free-for all trot for \$200. A large number of fine en tries are made for each race.

Dawson County's Fair. LEXINGTON, Neb., Sept. 24 .- [Speciat to THE BER !- Dawson county fair opened yesterday with a large attendance. The exhibits of agricultural products is grand. Enormous veretables and fruits and splendid grain are exhibited. These exhibits are especially interesting owing to the fact that Dawson county's calamity shrickers were, a short time ago, asking aid. The best horses in the state are stabled on the grounds and the speed programme promises to be especially interesting.

Nebraska's Native Wealth. Nonrolk, Neb., Sept. 24.- Special Telegram to THE BEE. -The second day of the North Nebraska District fair closed after a very successful show. The speed purses were competed for by a nice string of step pers, good time being made. Tomorrow wi be the best day of the fair and with good weather, will oring an enormous crowd best horses will start tomorrow. The display of agriculture and stock was never so good in northern Nebraska.

Successful in Every Way. PAWNEE CITY, Neb., Sept. 24 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-The interest in the success of the county fair still continues. Over 500 plates of fruits were entered up to last evening. The display will excel that of any previous year. All other exhibits are superior to past years. Governor Thayer arrived yesterday afternoon and delivered an excellent address at the fair grounds this forenoon. Friday will be a big day.

Madison County's Success. Madison, Neb., Sept. 24.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The Madison county fair has been extended until Saturday. The display is the finest in quality and the greatest in quantity of any previous fair ever held in this county. Nearly 1,500 people were on he grounds this afternoon. Mrs. Pratte made a stirring alliance speech. severely roasting the democratic and repub-

Temporary Injunction Desolved. DAKOTA CITY, Neb., Sept. 24.- Specia Telegram to THE BEE. |-District Judge Norris today dissolved the temporary injunction secured against the calling of a second spe cial election on the relocation of the county seat. The commissioners meet tomoracw and will endeavor to call the election if Dakota City does not interfere.

Elmwood Changes. ELMWOOD, Neb., Sept. 24.- [Special to Tur BEE.]-The local postoffice was moved last night into a building on D street. Rev. C. Al'on, the newly appointed postmaster, will take charge of the office on October 1. A. U. Mayfield, the former postmaster, has taken full charge of the Elimwood Echo.

New Jail Required. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Sept. 24 .- | Special to THE BEE |-The county commissioners have decided that the construction of a new jail is necessary, and will place the proposi-tion before the people to vote upon at the November election. The building will cost about \$5,000 and is nadly needed.

Presbytery's Session Closed. Hastings, Neb., Sept. 24. | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The session of the Hastings presbytery closed today. In the orenoon the revision of the confession of faith was discussed and a resolution favoring In the afternoon the presbytery t passed. adjourned.

Nebraska City's Speed Ring. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb , Sept. 24 .- | Special to THE BEE.]-The director's of the Nebraska City Driving Park association have concluded to hold meetings October 14, 15 and 16. Already over \$1,000 in purses have been secured and a successful racing event is anticpated.

Crops in Good Condition. Manison, Neb., Sept. 14.- Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The entire crop of corn is beyond the reach of frost. The quality will be better than any crop since the memorable year of 1884. The average yield nere will be not less than forty bushels per

Child Burned to Death. LEXINGTON, Neb., Sept. 24 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-Little Al, son of Dave Marshall an employe at the Cornland hotel, was burned so seriously that he died yesterday afternoon. The child set fire to his clothing

in some unknown way. Cuming County Democrats. WEST POINT, Non., Sept. 24.- Special to THE BEE. |-Political matters in Cuming county, from a democratic standpoint, are

becoming interesting. Last winter when this, the Eighth junicial district, was formed, it was called "Crawford district," is honor of Judge J. C. Crawford, and up to this morning the democratic nomination has been conceeded to him, but Hon. T. M. France now publicly announces that he is a candidate for the office. This announcement has demoralized the judge and upset his more partial friends.

Tomorrow the precipits will hold their

Tomorrow the precincts will hold their cancuses to elect delegates to the county convention, which will be held here on Saturday, to elect the delegates to the judicial con vention at Pender on September 29. Holt County's Fine Exhibit.

Tonight the members of the society met a Tonight the members of the society met at the court house and elected officers for the ensuing year. They are: W. Bowen of Atkinson, president: Samuel Stores, Emmet, secretary: H. Hodgkins of Leonia, treasurer; C. W. Cole of Chambers, vice-president. Directors—Neil Brennan, E. P. Hicks, Milton Doolittle, Peter Cauble, Charles Blain, Arrangements were made to collect the products for the advertising train and W. J. Dobbs selected to go as Holt county's representative. The question of changing representative. The question of changing the fair society into the Nebraska Ho, Palace and Exposition was discussed and the foundation laid for the same. Tomorrow promises to be the best day of the fair and altogether it will be a success.

Democrats of the Tenth. HASTINGS, Neb., Sept. 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The democrats of the Tenth judicial district met here in conven tion today. R. B. Wahlquist, chairman of the central committee, called the convention to order. All the counties were represented. The nominations are: G. W. Tibbets of Adams, moderator; E. L. Adams of Kearney, secretary; Hon. R. A. Batty of Hastings, judge; R. B. Wahlquist of Hastings, reclected chairman of the central committee; Dan Sullivar, secretary.

Slight Blaze at Wallace. WALLACE, Neb., Sept. 24.- [Special Telegram to THE BEE, |-A small blaze which might have proved a disastrous fire was smothered by a bucket brigade here tonight The fire started in a rookery occupied as offices and a shoe shop in the principal street. Prompt action and plenty of water prevented much damage. Sullivan, the shoe maker, loses most of his effects. The building was damaged \$50. It was insured.

Not Represented. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Sept. 24.—|Special Telegram to Tue Bee.]—The local branch of the State Business Men's association was unable to raise Otoe county's assessment and this county will not be represented on the great advertising train.

BATTLE WITH A PANTHER. New York Animal Dealer Nearly

Loses His Life. NEW YORK, Sept. 24.-Donald Burns traveled for fifteen years with Barnum's circus. He now has an essablishment at 115 Roosevelt street. He supplies animals to circuses and menageries, and has in stock a particularly large and ferocious panther, When Burns reached his store at 7:30 a. m, yesterday, John Miller, an employe, was standing outside.

"Oh, Mr. Burns, the 'panther is loose," he cried. "Well, we'll have to get him back in the cage," said the old animal trainer. "You get

me a rope." With a piece of clothes line arranged with a running noose at one end Burns entered the store. The panther sat on top of his cage licking his paws. With a quick movement Burns threw the lasso. It missed and the panther made a leap for the trainer, who stopped out and closed the door. Peering through a window Burns saw the panther making around the place, scaring the other animals terribly. He squeezed his paw between the iron bars of cages and shook them.
A little monkey seized the paw. He lived about two minutes, but the scratch on the paw enraged the animal. He began a war ce in the center of the ro other animals howled. Finally he went back to the top of his cage and Burns decided to make another effort to lasso him. when I yell you open the door." he said to Miller, "then grab the end of the rope and pull with me when I tell you to." The door opened softly again and Mr. Burns threw the lasso. When the animal saw the rope coming he threw up his left paw and the noose dropped over his bead and

"John! John! open the door," yelled Burns. "I've got him; come and help me," But John's courage failed him and despite Burns. Burns' yells for help no one went to his as-sistance. A crowd gathered around the door, but no one entered. Miller rushed about on the outside like a crazy man.

"When I found that Miller would not come in," said Mr. Burns yesterday, "I braced myself for the struggle that I knew was coming. The animal was a year old and had just been brought from India. I figured on his pulling from me, like all panthers, but the lasso caught under the shoulder and he did not feel it so much around the neck.
pulled hard and strong and so did panther for a moment or two, but in the twinkling of an eye he seemed to shrink his body up and slipped out of the noose. I picked up an iron floor scraper and jumped aside as soon as he leaped for me. I tried to hit the beast with the scraper but missed him. Then we fenced around the room, the panther leaping for me and I endeavoring to hit him. I seized a box of pepper and tried to throw some in his eyes, but I could not connect. I had a dog up stairs and kept calling him, but he was tightly chained. Fully fifteen minutes passed in this way. The cages, barrels and other obstructions in the room served to protect me. When the panther jumped I would dedge behind one of the e and he would go over my head.

"Finally I got a paper file from the desk. It was only a little piece of from work about six inches long, but I felt a bit stronger when I got that in my nands.
"Then I lost my footing in trying to prod the brute and he was on me in a second. He caught me in the arm above the cibow. I jabued the spindle into his side and he let go and leaped to the other end of the room The blood spurted out of the hole I had made in his side. We came together again and before we separated I was bitten in several places. Luckily for me the panther was not an old one and the teeth were not long. They

were long enough to tear the flesh terribly "I was getting weak from loss of blood when a policeman from the Oak street station opened the door and closed it. I had the panther by the throat, but he was working out of my grasp. I yelled again for help and two longshoremen came to my rescue They beat the pantber off and with poles handed in from the outside we drove the beast into his cage again."
Mr. Burns was badly lacerated about the

body, and his face, too, showed the marks of desperate struggie. Miller is out of a

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Economy in their use Almond Rose etc. and deliciously as the fresh fruit

CONTINENTAL.

BOYS' DEPARTMENT--SPECIAL SUIT SALE O'NELL, Neb., Sept. 24.—|Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The third day of the Holt county fair has been a decided success. \$3,\$3.50,\$3.75,\$4 The agricultural exhibits and floral attractions are very fine but the display of stock is

Our stock this season is by far the largest and best we have ever produced. In buying Boys' Clothing, workmanship is the important thing. A good piece of cloth may be spoiled in making. We manufacture our own goods and aim to make a stylish, serviceable article at no greater cost than is usually paid for inferior grades. This week we call attention to a line of School Suits, ages 6 to 14, at \$3, \$3.50, \$3.75 and \$4. Every prudent buyer ought to see them before purchasing. They will be on sale all week. Boys' Long Pant Suits, special bargain lines at \$8, \$9 and \$10. Remember, we have the largest store, the largest stock to select from, and no goods sold which we cannot safely recommend.

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NEW YORK'S ARMED PROTECTOR. The Monitor Miantonomah Will Soon Be in the Harbor.

New York, Sept. 24 .- New York harbor will have its first armed protector about October 1. The monitor, Miantonomah lacks only the placing of two great guns in the fore turret to be complete. The guns are done, and are already on deck of the Monitor as she lies at a dock in the Brooklyn navy yard. She is to be placed in commission at once, even if the work is not entirely completed. The finishing touches can be put on later. The big turreted monitor has a long history. She was one of the fleet of ironclads built toward the close of the civil war after the model of the famous little monitor, at the time Uncle Sam nad for the second time in his history, the most powerful navy in the world, and the Miantonomon was the most formidable ship in it. Since then she has been practically rebuilt twice, and is now an extremely formidable ship. battle ship in one sense of the word, for there is no ship of war alloat in any water which she could not meet with some chance of victory. But she is primarily a harbon defense ship. Her business is not to go out to meet an enemy in other waters, but to lie in wait for an approaching foe. To such a foe she would give a welcome worthy of her flag, for in every respect except her armor,

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

THEY DISCUSSED WAR.

Emperor William Would Not Begin Hostilities Unless Forced To. LONDON, Sept. 24.—The Standard's Vienna correspondent records a discussion which was carried on at the table of Archduke Albrecht during the Austrian military manoeuvres, as to whether it was wise to allow a known enemy to complete preparations for war or wnether it was not preferable to force a conflict. "No names were mentioned," says the correspondent, "but all understood that Russia was meant. Emperor William

said emphatically "I strongly believe that the enormous responsibility which modern warfare imposes must override all military theories. I would not begin war if conscious that, by delaying it, I could secure a single year, nay a single month, of peace by trusting in the success of my good cause. Even if the changes are equal on both sides, there is much to be gained by having several months of peace. "The king of Saxony expressed himself to the same effect, pointing out instances where diplomacy had averted an apparently inevit-"Archduke Albrecht also dilated upon th

enormous responsibility of forcing a war, in view of the murderous perfection of modern The correspondent says Emperor William's remarks made a deep impression on the high rank German and Russian officers present.

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Big Horn Valley Railway. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Sept. 24. - Today articles of incorporation of the Big Horn Valley railway were filed at the office of the state secretary. The organizers are W. W. Dudley, Richmond, Ind.; E. M. Dawson, Baltimore Louis T. Michiner, Sheibyville, Ind.; Eben B. Crane, Norman T. Howe, New Pork; John W. Howbart, St. Albans, Vt.; Carroll T. Herbert, Red Bank, N. J.; John St. Clair, Dhiladalana, C.

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