- HOW TO MAKE UP A DEFICIT

How to Supply Money to Carry on the Government is the Issue.

FIRST KNOT FOR CONGRESS TO UNTANGLE

Condition of the Treasury a Serious and Pressing Question-Issue of Gold Bonds Again Being Talked Of-Opposition to This is Modifying.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.-When asked to in dicate his idea of what subject would attract the first and most serious attention at the hands of congress during the approaching session, a democratic senator who is regarded by many as the leader on that side of the chamber replied laconically: "The condition of the treasury."

Other senators and members corroborate the opinion of this senator that the condition of the national finances is of paramount importance, and agree that the subject will have to be taken up and met in some practicable way at as early a date as possible and many go further and say that legislation is still necessary to improve the general financial condition of the country so as to restore the confidence of the masses of the people before there can be a general revival of business such as will stimulate trade into its wonted activity and give employment to the idle laborers of the land. There is a vast diversity of opinion as to what will be done. but there is a general agreement that much will depend upon the recommendation of the

It had been hoped that Secretary Carlisle would give some inkling in his speech delivered in New York Tuesday night of his plans in this respect, but those who read the speech fail to find that it throws any light upon the subject. They are now looking to his annual report with the hope that he will in that indicate clearly the course he would like to have congress pursue for the relief of the treasury and of the country at large. It is the prevailing opinion that he will, among other things, ask for authority to go into the European markets with United States bonds at a low rate of interest in order to increase the gold reserve.

secretary of the treasury.

In a Very Bad Condition.

A gentleman well versed in financial affairs has called attention to the fact that the last statement showed that the net gold in the treasury on last Monday was only \$84,516,514, and that there had been a loss of almost \$20,000,000, or almost one-fourth of the present reserve, since the 10th of August. "This," he said, "Is a rather frail support for the paper money the government has in circulation." He asserted also that there has been very little improvement in the treasury receipts since the 1st of Octo-ber, when Mr. Carlisic estimated that at the present rate of receipts and expenditures the deficit for the year would amount to \$50,-

There is also doubt in the minds of many as to whether Mr. Carlisle would favor the issuance of bonds. There was a time when he was not certain as to the expediency of such a course. But it is now believed that he has reached the conclusion that under all the circumstances surrounding the situation this is the wisest course to pursue, and some place this construction upon his New York speech. For the present and until our exports can be increased it would seem that the only means there is of increasing our gold supply would be the sale of our securi-

ties to gold standard nations.

The advocates of the policy hold, nowever, that there is a large amount of gold hoarded in Europe, which is now, as ever, seeking safe investment, and that if a country like the United States asks for a loan it would be taken up promptly upon easy terms. Influenced by His Party.

One circumstance that has caused Mr. Carlisle to hesitate before doing this is the antipathy of his party to it. When the ex-tra session was called there was a certain opposition upon the part of the democrats to any increase of the public debt, and a belief that if the party assumes the responsibility for it its overthrow was certain. It is not possible to say how great a change of opinion there has been. Some effort was made during the extra session to make the opponents of the bond policy see the wisdom of it. The reasoning used had a more-appreciable effect in the senate than in the house and the bond advocates in that body were of the opinion at the close of the session that a bond bill, carefully prepared so as to protect the interests of the country that if the party assumes the responsibility so as to protect the interests of the country and appeal to the masses of the democratic party; could have passed. They were not, however, so confident of the house of repre sentatives, where the feeling of doubt is still There are indeed, those who assert that if the house had not shown such opposition the compromise on the bill repealing the purchasing clause of the Shermar law would have received the addition of authority for a bond issue. With this addi-tion it would have secured the sanction of dministration and would have become a law instead of unconditional repeal.

Terms of Their Consent.

The senators opposed to bonds who showed an inclination to change their minds upon the subject were only willing to do so to the extent of consenting to a modification of the present law, reducing the interest from 4 and 5 per cent to 3 or 3 per cent. This proposition found considerable favor because it could be made to appear more a step in the direction of economy, and it is believed that should it become evident that the administration would issue bonds under this law if more direct authority should be given, con-gress might be persuaded to declare for their issuance under this statute with the modifi cation as to the amount of interest and the fixing of a briefer time for the bonds to run. It is also believed that Mr. Carlisle will ask for authority to coin the seigniorage of the silver bullion now in the treasury, which would amount to \$50,000,000, or probably enough to make good the threatened treas ury deficit, but with the present coining facilities of the government it is doubtful whether this silver could be coined into money in time to be available. The same difficulty of delay will rest with teriff or internal revenue legislation What is needed say those who dwell upon the condition of the treasury, is immediate

The proposition to coin the seignlorage, if it should be taken into congress, will meet with very stubborn opposition, probably from both the extreme gold men and the ex-treme sliver men as well. The former claim that such a proceeding will weaken the se-curity of the silver notes and the latter would recognize in the movement a desire to reorganize silver without giving any substan-tial encouragement to silver mining. Many of them would also take advantage of any opportunity to thwart the administration because of its general policy toward the white metal.

REPORTS OF INDIAN AGENTS.

Some of Them Not Very Flattering to Advancement in Civilization.

Washington, Nov. 23.—The commissioner of Indian affairs has received a number of belated annual reports of Indian agents. The majority of them indicate general prosperity among the tribes, and a gradual adrancement in civilization. Several of the agents comment on the indifference of Indians to their marriage ties and their un-willingness to abandon old customs. This condition of affairs is especially noticeable at the Sisseton agency in South Dakota. Only a small number of the Sissetons are self-supporting, and in the opinion of the agent they have retrograded since the open-ing of the agency.

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The agent of the Colville agency in Washington thinks the efforts to civilize the redmen are not successful and says that by intermarriage and heavy death rate the Indian is downed to extinction in a few generations. At the Ouray reservation in Utah the use of grazing lands by white men is creating considerable dissatisfaction. The attention paid to agriculture and stock raising on most of the agencies is reported to be growing each year.

Telegraph Facilities Are Poor. Vashington, Nov. 24.—The State department has not yet received any information

from Minister Young in Guatemaia cancern-ing the arrest of Menage, the Minneapolis defaulter. It is believed that the arrest has not yet been made, or the department would have been informed. Officers of the depart-ment say the telegraph facilities for finding the man in Guatemala are accountable for

WILL ADOPT THE INCOME TAX. It Will Be Incorporated in the New Demo

Cratic Tariff Bill.
Washington, Nov. 23.—The sessions of the full democratic membership of the ways and means committee were suspended today in order to give several of the subcommittees opportunity to revise some of the schedules

which had been ordered by the main comnittee to be altered. It has been definitely decided by the full committee that the income tax plan shall be adopted as a part of the new revenue system and the details of the plan are to be perfected by Messrs. McMillin, Bryan and Montgomery. The changes in the internal revenue schedule contemplates an increase of 10 cents per gallon on the whisky tax and some slight modifications of the tobacco tax. Several hundred petitions today inundated

Several hundred petitions today inundated the committee from tobacco manufacturers of the United States, asking that the McKinley tariff import duty of \$2 per pound on leaf tobacco, suitable for wrappings, be repealed and a duty of 35c per pound be imposed on ailleaf tobacco. It appears to be the intention of the committee to reduce the duty from \$2 to about \$1 per pound. Secretary Carlisie is to meet the demo-cratic members of the ways and means committee tomorrow to go over the bill in de

TO SIMPLIFT MATTERS.

commissioner of Pensions Lochren Issues a New Order. WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Commissioner of Pensions Lochren today issued the following order, simplifying the practice of the bureau in the adjudicating of claims under the

famous act of June 27, 1890: "Pension certificates issued under the sec ond section of the act of June 27, 1890, will no longer specify particular disabilities. In such certificates, where the maximum rat-ing of \$12 per month is allowed, the certificate will state it is for inability to earn a support by manual labor.

"Where less than the maximum rating is allowed, the certificate will state it is for partial inability to earn a support by man-

"Whenever, in case of a pension granted under said section at less than the maxi-mum rating, a higher rating subsequently is sought, the application for such higher rating shall be considered and treated as a claim for increase, and not as a claim because of a new disability, and the increase, if allowed, will commence from the date of the medical examination showing the increased disability."

Will Keep the Reports Yet Awhile. Washington, Nov. 28.—It was stated at

the War department after Secretary Lamont had returned from the white house that none of the reports of the cabinet officers would be given out to the public until after congress meets and the message of the president comes. The reason for this is believed to be that so much of what is contained in the message would be foreshadowed in the reports of members of the cabinet. An alleged synopsis of the report of Secretary Hoke Smith is given in an evening paper. Secretary Smith says his report is not yet complete and the alleged report was an unjustifiable publication.

Submitted to Secretary Carlisle. WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.-The new regulations for the issuance of certificates of residence to Chinese under the provision of the amendatory act, recently approved by congress, have been submitted to Secretary Carlisle by the commissioner of internal revenue, Mr. Miller.

Appointed by the President. WASHINGTON, Nov. 23 .- The president to day appointed Albert R. Amesbury of Colorado register of the land office at Montrose;

IVES IN THE LEAD.

Young Napoleon Gives the Old Wisard a CHICAGO, Nov. 23 .- Wizard Schaeffer set nother hot pace tonight in his billiard contest with Napoleon Ives. When the game was called last night Schaeffer had up 111 on an unfinished run. He continued it to night with the balls in an indifferent posi tion near the lower end. He nursed them to the center of the table, over to the side rail. across the table again, and slowly but surely edged them to the lower righthand corner, and got an anchor position in his coveted spot. After seventeen points on the anchor the balls broke. He had then 52, and he increased this to 87 in open play before he

Ives started in with an air of business, but fell down on the seventh shot. Instead of taking a cushion he chose a long masse for the sake of position. It was the first masse be has missed since the game began Tues-day night. Barring a run of 58 in the fourth uning Schaeffer did practically nothing

from then until the tenth inning. Ives got a little torpid, too, an I there was considerable desultory playing on both sides although Ives scored 102 in the sixth by pure skill, breaking on a kiss shot dead from the cushion. The black and white al ternated pretty rapidly after that for a few innings. Then Ives recovered his master stroke, and in an all-over-tne-table play scored 120. For the second time during the game he was ahead of his antugonist, the total score standing: Ives, 1,816: Schaeffer,

This example put Schaeffer on his mettle, and his next inning, the eleventh, witnessed some peeriess position plays. He rolled them in all directions, but the object balls invariably stopped nearly in opposition. After making 42 in this way he failed on the easiest shot of the series. The game was slow after that and unmarked by events executing the master shot, of the game by excepting the master shot of the game by Ives, who, having all three balls in a line on the rail, jumped the cue ball, struck the first object ball lightly on top, and scored on the other gracefully, six inches away, amid great appliance. great applause.

Schneffer did not follow up his spurt. He got lamentably weak again and manifested a lack of confidence. From the fourth in-ning to the sixth his total score was 82, and 74 of these were made in two innings. It was from this time almost a settled fact that it was the Napoleon's night and he cinched that conclusion by taking the cue and playing the prettiest nursing innings of the whole series. He scored 296, breaking on a short cushion draw, a shot he had made three dozen times during this run, which placed him ahead of the wizard 364 points of the wizard 3 soints on the whole game and 494 on the

evening's play.
Schaeffer strengthened his play by hard Schaeffer strengthened his play by hard ploiding from the seventeenth inning. He made no great runs, but his average was high for ten innings. After that the playing on both sides averaged small and the game ran along like a boy's game until the close. Ives got to one point of the finish by small runs and he used three limings getting that point, he and Schaeffer alternating with riphers. Tempth's score. Ives [87] Schaeffer. ciphers. Tonight's score: Ives. (87; Schaeffer, 628. Total score three night's: Ives. 2,400; Schaeffer, 2,228. Average tonight: Ives, 28,7-35; Schaeffer, 17,33-35.

Score by innings: Ives—7, 20, 34, 4, 0, 102, 0, 16, 0, 120, 7, 11, 4, 7, 66, 296, 1, 30, 0, 53, 0, 33, 1, 27, 7, 2, 15, 2, 0, 6, 14, 0, 0, 1—987.

Schneffer—87, 0, 6, 58, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1, 4, 42, 0, 3, 0, 25, 4, 17, 25, 26, 62, 57, 1, 55, 58, 15, 49, 0, 4, 0, 6, 0, 4, 8, 0, 0, 0, 14—628

Their Secrets Are Sacred. NEBRASKA CITY, Nov. 23 - | Special Tele rram to THE BEE. | - A young man giving the name of Brooks attended a practice game of the Nebraska City foot ball team yesterday and by smart talk gave himself away as a spotter for the Omaha team, which plays here Saturday. He was hustled off the grounds before obtaining any pointers. Brooks is believed to be an assumed name.

Not Yes Indicted. Naw York, Nov. 28.—The grand jury today resumed consideration of the charges against the president and directors of the Madison Square bank. Cashier Thompson, an expert accountant and notary public, who attested the statements of the accused officials, is being heard. No indistments are expected before tomorrow.

matter from Washington in the New York Herald and the San Francisco morning newspapers. Here it was not even sus-pected that the news was exclusive or that the east did not have general knowledge NOTHING [CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.] of it.

Refused to Believe It. "Willis is a capable man," he said. He ought not to have talked on that subject at all, and I don't believe he did."

minister must have been incorrectly re-

Upon the reading of the statement, Admiral Skerrett had been recalled for attending a ballgiven by the Annexation club, Mr. Gresham said: "Absurd!"

The statement contained in the letter re-

The statement contained in the letter re-ceived in San Francisco from a private cor-respondent in Honolulu that the provisional government was under arms all night pre-ceding the departure of the Alameda at-tracted the secretary's special interest. "If that were true," he said, "It is not likely your correspondent would have failed to have known it and speek of it in his letter. o have known it and speak of it in his letter think there are many inaccurate state-nents in the letter. We find the report that

Minister Willis made any such speech as that is a mistake." Regarding the report that Mr. Willis said he would do nothing after the Alameda left Honolulu until he heard further from the State department, he declined to say any

The statement reported as coming from the Philadelphia that some action was to be taken during the week following the de-parture of the Alameda is regarded as sig-

parture of the Alameda is regarded as sig-nificant, tallying, as it does, with the rumor circulated here on Tuesday that the queen had been restored that day.

At the Hawaiian legation Minister Thurs-ton was glad to read the letter of the Asso-ciated Press, but said he had nothing to say on the news that was reported. The strain of uncertainty that has surrounded them for two weeks is now beginning to tell on those attached to the legation.

Gratified at the News.

W. N. Armstrong, who voiced the opinions of the friends of the provisional government on the news by the Alameda, said that it was unexpected and grateful to hear that the provisional government was already aware of Mr. Cleveland's intention to restore the monarchy and were still standing firm and prepard to defend themselves. Of course the news had not reached them that there was a widespread expression of public sentiment for them in the United States. This can only have reached them today by the War-rimoo, from Vancouver, but the friends of the provisional government feel any delay that brings nearer the time when the pro-visional government shall receive news of the reception accorded by the public to Secretary Gresham's letter gives added assurances the plan to restore the ex-queen will be frustrated. For this reason the news of the past week in Honolulu will be looked to with special interest. The earliest date that this news can reach the outside world by ordinary channels is December 7.

PREPARED FOR TROUBLE.

Provisional Government Will Not Give the Royalists a Chance. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The provisional government was still in power November 16, the date on which the Australian steamship Alameda, which arrived here today, touched at Honolulu. Queen Liliuokalani had not yet been foisted back on the people who repudiated her reign in January, although she had called on Minister Willis and perhaps solicited from him the early aid of the American tars he trusts in to assist him in carrying out the instructions of Mr. Cleve land. The Alameda herself carried into Honoluiu a large political sensation.

Under date of November 16 the Chronicle correspondent writes: "The Australian steamer Alameda, which arrived early this morning, dropped a bombshell into Honotulu which added to the political excitement. This bomb was nothing less than the following four-line Reuter dispatch contained in the issue of the New Zealand Herald published at Auckland on November 4:5

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 2.-President Cleve land is drafting a message to congress in favor of restoring the monarchy in Hawaii. "At once an effort was made to corroborate

this news, which is five days later than anything received here from the United States. Minister Willis was seen, but he emphatically declines to say whether it was true or faise. He simply said he would be violating his instructions to reply to such a query.

Royalists Pleased with the News. 'Leading royalists declared that the dis-"Leading royalists declared that the dispatch was true, as it bore out intimations which they had received from advisers in Washington. Prominent annexationists were equally positive that the dispatch was a canard. One annexationist, P. C. Jones, said that even if it is true, they can't get a man in the house or senate to pass such a recommendation. When he was told that Clayeland would probably order, this course Cleveland would probably order this course

without consulting congress he said the American people would not endure so un-

constitutional an act.
"Whatever may be the facts about this brief dispatch it has added to the high political feeling. Every one is on the qui vive and the air is thick with rumors. Some prominent annexationists have conceived the idea that the royalists are playing a deep game by claiming the support of the administration and that they are really planning a coop which will give them con-trol of the government buildings. If they could hold this control for an hour Minister Willis would be able to recognize them and to order the American marines to protect them from assault.

Sharp Shooters Called Out.

"To guard against any such attempt the government building guard has been strengthened and scores of dead shots armed with rifles have been posted in various parts of the building. With this new guard it will require a very strong force to carry the place. This action was not taken after the news came from New Zealand, but before, and it was due to rumors of a royalist plot to suprise the government.

'Minister Willis is so far as secretive as Blount and no hint of his instructions has

been given out. The only occasion on which he has talked freely was when he replied to the address of the committee of the American league, an organization of prominent business men. He told them but bound all present to secrecy, that nothing which occurred on the islands could change his orders. This American policy had been decided upon and he was merely the instrument to carry it out. However, they might rest assured that it would be one which no American would regret.

May Use the Marines.

"He said very emphatically that no power would be permitted to interfere with the carrying out of his orders, and though he did not say in so many words that he would use the marines, there is no question that this is his reliance. In case he does, the provisional government will be put in the sition of fighting the United States or retiring from power.
"Some of the more conservative royalists

"Some of the more conservative royalists believe that Mr. Willis means to seat the queen and then force her to abdicate in favor of Kauilania, the heir apparent. Davies, her guardian, is working here to accomplish this, but he has made little headway. Every effort is being made by the royalists to drag the natives to the support of the queen. Here is the latest threat printed in a native paper, the Ka Leo, printed in a native paper, the Ka Leo which is the queen's organ:

Will Banish the Revolutionists. "It is rumored that all Hawaiians who "It is rumored that all Hawaiians who were traiters to the government of Liliuokalani will be banished to one of the coral islands to the south of these islands, for Hawaiian traiters are like Mataata of Samoa, and should receive his fate."
"Despite threats the natives are apathetic and cannot be counted on to help the gueen."

One of the curious questions suggested by the news from Honolula is, who gave out the facts on which the Reuter dispatch of November 2, announcing that the queen would be restored was cabled to London and reached Auckland November 4? The English papers actually printed as authoritative the news that Cleveland had decided to restore the monarchy in Hawaii four days before any American newspaper contained this important intelligence.

On the evening of November 7 a press dispatch was sent out from Chicago to San Francisco giving the first authentic intimation that Cleveland had decided to restore the queen. It was printed here, and on the following morning it appeared with other

Went Around the World.

Whoever gave the news out had the confidence of Mr. Clerbfafid, and he witheld news dence of Mr. Cleverand, and he witheld news that the country was hungering for five days after he had eabied it to Europe. It went around the ward by cable and actually reached Honolulu by steamer from Auckland only eight days after it was first printed in New York. It would be interesting to know who is so thoroughly trusted by Cleveland as to be given a secret of this importance for safe keeping for fourdays, and what was the idea in trying the news on London and the utmost parts of the searth pefore it was published at home. The same legerdemain was used in giving out the Gresham letter.

Both cases prove clearly that the adminis-tration gives out all this news for its own purposes and places it with papers which purposes and places it with papers which will exploit it. The next news from Hawaii may be expected by way of Victoria on December 8, when the steamer Arawa of the Canadian Pacific line reaches there. She will leave Honolulu about December 1. The next steamer to reach 'Frisco from Honelulu will be the Oceanic, which touches at the islands on her way back from China. She will leave Honolulu December 4 and will arrive here December 11. Meanwhile there are a number of swift sugar schoeners which make the voyage of 2,000 miles in twelve days. If any of these cleared two or three days after the Alameda left news may be expected by about the 1st or 2d of December.

PYTHIAN BANQUET.

Celebration of the Nilver Anniversary of Nebraska Lodge No. 1. Over one hundred Pythians, with their wives and friends, gathered around the banquet tables at the Commercial club rooms last evening to celebrate the silver anniversary of Nebraska lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias. The club rooms were thrown into a single apartments which was none too large to hold the throng of guests. The long tables were tastefully bedecked with potted plants and shining glasses. An orchestra discoursed excellent music.

The earlier part of the evening was spent

in forming rew acquaintances and renewing old associations, in which the reception committee performed a happy part. At 9:30 o'clock Grand Chancellor M. L. Roeder led the way into the dining room, where the next hour was passed in discussing a menu of exceptional merit. The cuisine and ser-vice were of the best. After the coffee had been served the guests were in a happy mood to listen to the somewhat lengthy program of toasts which followed.

The address of welcome was delivered by
Mr. Roeder, who compared the circle around

the table to that which, centuries ago, had graced King Arthur's round table. In the old time, as now, all were of one heart and one mind, thus proving, according to the precepts of Pythianism, that in union was power. The ancient knights wore the colors of their ladies on their sleeves, while the knights of today wore them in their hearts. The speaker then briefly reviewed the history of the lodge whose anniversary was being celebrated. It was organized on November 23, 1868, and was then the only Pythian lodge in Omaha. It was at that time an uphill undertaking, but had at length become a robust youngster. The fact that the membership youngster. The fact that the membership was composed of the representative men of Omaha had much to do with its success. With the beginning of 1874 the lodge had forty-one members and in 1892 had increased to 177. It numbered cight past grand chancellors among it members and had become one of the strongest lodges in the west.

Mayor Bemis rose in behalf of "Omaha." As the representative of the city he extended to the lodge congratulations on the prosperity that had attended its twenty-five years of life. He should remember this anniversarymot only on account of the

five years of life. He should remember this anniversarymot only on account of the occasion itself, but because the day was also the sulver anniversary of his first arrival in Omaha. In the bond of union that was the foundation of the order was found a principle that, was equally essential in municipal affairs, union was necessary to protect the city from corruption and corporations and gas commandes as well.

The other togats were: "The Supreme Lodge," Richard O'Nell, S. R.; "Those Who Have Never Enduen the Goat," Henry D. Estabrook; "The Home and the Lodge," J. J. Monell; "The Knight of the Nineteenth Century," Mrs. Elia W. Peattie; "The Future of Pythianism." W. S. Hamilton, P. G.; "Friendship, Charity and Benevolence,"

C.; "Friendship, Charity and Benevolence," Rev. J. G. Tate: "The Beneficence of the Fiag," T. B. Minahan; "The Ladies," W. F. Bechel, P. C.

AMUSEMENTS.

"silver King" at the Boyd. After an absence of nearly a decade, "The Silver King" was presented again in Omaha at the Boyd last night to an audience that enthusiastically expressed its appreciation of the ability and popularity of Carl A. Has-win and of the merit of one of the strongest melodramas ever presented in Omaha. Mr. Haswin, who has not had a superior in the magnificent part of Wilfred Denver, is supported by a very strong, well-balanced company, and the play, with its many thrill-ing dramatic situations and startling cli-

maxes, is faultlessly staged.

Mrs. Frances Haswin, while falling short of the ideal Nellie Denver, in the opening act leaves nothing to be desired in her por-trayal of the suffering mother who believes her husband dead and a murderer. Arthur Sprague's The Spider, the Jaikes of S. H. Verney and the Father Christmas of Charles Foster could not well have been improved upon. The minor parts were in capable hands.

"The Silver King" will close its engage ment Sunday night.

Comedy at the Fitteenth Street. "She Couldn't Marry Three," a comed; drama with the scene laid on the English coast, began a short engagement last evening at the Fifteenth Street theater, introducing Miss Lillian Kennedy as the of a right pretty story, is much about the drama tive of "Cousin Joe" in its of treatment, and recalls many of the old time stories with the coastguard, seamen and a modicum of "shady" people, giving life and color to the development of the

Miss Kennedy, who plays the role of Bess, is a pretty young woman, with a voice that is singularly sweet and captivating. She is bright and piquant in the earlier scenes, de-

bright and piquant in the earlier scenes, developing toward the close of the play considerable dramatic ability.

Joseph P. Maguire makes a very acceptable lover. He is "one of three," while the other two are played by J. S. Bristor as Bob Backus and John W. Cope as Dave Holt. It is somewhat unusual for a fisher maiden to have three proposals of marriages in one day, but Bess seemingly is quite capable of taking care of all the men that come along. George W. Barbier makes as cold-blooded a villain as one would wish to see in the most conventional English metodrama. Henrietta Howard plays the part of an adventuress with discretion, while Miss Craven's Aunt Tabitha amused, the gallery exceedingly. The stage settings are sensational.

FOR EQUAL SUFFRAGE.

Annual Conference of the Philadelphia Woman's Suffrage Association, Philadelphia, Nov. 23.—The twenty-third annual conference of the Philadelphia Wo-

annual conference of the Philadelphia Woman's suffrage dangention met at the New
Century club's rooms today.
Mrs. A. Blankesburg presided. Miss Jane
Campbell, the corresponding secretary, in
her report said that in Pennsylvania there
is a distressingly spiall amount of sentiment
in favor of giving women the ballot.
In the afternom's Lucy Stone memorial
service was held. Miss Mary Gray and
Susan B. Anthony addressed the meeting on
the character of Mrs. Stone and the work
accomplished by her in the cause of woman
suffrage. This evening Miss Anthony and
Mrs. Hattle Lane Chapman spoke of "Good
News from Colorado."

Officer Shot by an Ex-Convict.

ALTON, Ill., Nov. 28.—William Sweeny, captain of the night pelice force here, was shot and fatdly wounded early this morning by Peter McMullin, an ex-convict, whom the captain attempted to arrest. McMullin

Convicted of Defrauding the Government.
Toroxto, Ont., Nov. 23.—Hon. Thomas
MoGreevy and O. K. Connolly have been convicted of conspiracy to defraud the gov-erament and sentenced to one year impris-cement each at hard labor.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Special Session at Which a Communication from the Mayor Created Debate.

GAS ORDINANCE BOBS UP ONCE MORE

Ike Hascall Conspicuous by Ris Absence-How the Vote Stood Last Evening on . a Test of Strength-Other

Business Transacted. More gas was ignited at the special meeting of the city council last night. It was extinguished, as usual, only after the interests

of the gas company had been taken care of.

The following communication from Mayor

Bemis was read:

Bemis was read:

I have the honor to inform you that at the last regular meeting of your honorable body, held Tuesday evening. November 23, 1893, I returned to you the following ordinance and resolution without my approval and with my objections thereto attached in writing, viz:

An ordinance entitled: "An ordinance prescribing the terms and conditions on which the Omaha Gas Manufacturing company, its successors and assigns shall be permitted to construct, maintain and operate gas works, and to lay, use and maintain pipes and appurtenances in the highways, sidewalks, alleys, lanes, avenues, boulevards, public places, bridges and viaducts of the city of Omaha for the distribution and sale of gas."

Resolution No. 64 of November 14, directing the city treasurer to cancel the tax against the south 48 feet of the east 22x136 feet of sub-lot 4, tax-lot 10, section 10-15-13, for the year of 1889.

The above named ordinance and resolution and my veto messages regarding the same

The above named ordinance and resolution and my veto messages regarding the same were returned to you at your meeting above referred to by my secretary, Mr. Millar, who was present with the same at the time the meeting convened and ready to present them for your consideration in the customary manner when communications from the mayor were reached in your order of business. Their consideration, however, was made impossible by your action in immediately adjourning without the transaction of any business whatever, and Mr. Millar accordingly delivered the ordinance and resolution and the yeto message accompanying the same and the veto message accompanying the same to the city clerk, whe is the clerk of your honorable body. In order that they might be before you and be considered by you at the earliest opportunity.

Mr. Saunders secured recognition and moved that the communication be returned

Opened the Fight Right Vigorously.

to the mayor for correction, claiming that the date of November 23 mentioned in the communication was incorrect. He said that he knew the papers were not before the council on the night in question, which was November 21. Mr. Munro moved an amendment that the ordinances and papers in the gas matter be

brought to the meeting. Mr. Steel seconded President Bechel ruled the amendment out of order, for the reason, he said, that the charter prohibited action on veto messages

except at a regular meeting of the council, and read the section.

Mr. Munro called upon City Attorney Council for an opinion. Mr. Council replied that the spresident had ruled correctly so far as the council taking action upon a veto message was considered. However, he thought that the council had the power to cause the papers to be brought before the meeting, but could take no action.

Mr. Munro then insisted upon his amend-ment. President Bechel again ruled the amendment out of order. Mr. Munro appealed from the decision of the chair. Howell wanted fairness, and he de sired that the papers be brought before the council. He thought it perfectly proper that they should be presented, and protested that a member was not compelled to define his position as to whether he believed it proper that they should be acted upon or not. Mr. Saunders supported the position of the president. He said that the papers had not been presented to the council at the time

they should have been. Their Haste Was Dishonest.

Mr. Steel thought that the papers should be presented to the council. He said that he had read in the papers that some of the councilmen contended that the gas ordinance stood as a law because the veto of the mayor was not in the hands of the clerk before ad-journment Tuesday evening. He did not believe that a councilman could honestly set

Mr. Steel said that the papers were in the council chamber ready to be presented at the proper time by the mayor's secretary. Heretofore the custom has been for the papers to be presented during the time the council was approving the journal. The hasty adjournment Tuesday evening and the fact that the council met five minutes be-fore the proper hour prevented the possi-bility of the papers being presented to the council. Mr. Steel surgested that the matter could not be shut off in any sucn a nanner as was being attempted.

Mr. Prince pointed out the fact that th

udiciary department had stepped in and directed the legislative department that it must do one thing and not do another. He thought it improper to consider messages from the mayor at a special meeting and up-held the position of the president. Mr. Elsasser viewed the matter in the light that the council was in duty bound to onsider vetoes from the mayor, and in case hey were not considered at a regular meet

because of adjournment, should be at a

pecial meeting if held previous to the next President Bechel insisted that the papers could not be brought before the council, nor be considered at a special meeting. Mr. Munro said that in view of the fact that this was the first meeting held that the papers should be brought before the council and considered. The pretended meeting of Tuesday night was not a meeting at all and by such a procedure as was carried out on that night it was made impossible to consider messages from the mayor. He questioned the right of the clerk to withhold papers directed to the council, and believed it his duty to bring them be fore the meeting. For these reasons he insisted that the papers should be sent for and received by the council, and then placed upon the table for future action or acted upon immediately. This was the first time within his memory when the privilege

of having papers secured for information was ever denied a member. Refused to Sustain the Appeal The appeal from the decision of the chair was not sustained. The vote to sustain the chair: McAndrews, McLearie, Parker, Prince, Saunders, Specht, Thomas, Bechel

Against the chair: Bruner, Elsasser, Howell, Jacobsen, Munro, Steel—6.
Absent: Back, Edwards, Hascall, Wheeler.

The question recurred on Mr. Saunder's motion to recommit to the mayor the commotion to recommit to the major the communication for correction.

Mr. Elsasser said that the action of the council in refusing to permit the papers to be presented was not fair nor honorable. He desired to sustain the mayor on the action he had taken regarding the gas franchise.
Mr. Saunders' motion to return the com

munication to the mayor was adopted.

Treasurer Bolin requested the council to fix the amount of his official bond. He stated that the amounts in his possession during the past five months have averaged \$300,000. Approved the Mayor's Bonds.

Mayor Bemis' official bonds in the sum of \$10,000 as mayor, with J. N. Cornish and George H. Boggs as sureties, and as a mem-ber of the Board of Fire and Police Commis-sioners in the sum of \$5,000, with the same sureties, were approved.

The communication of Health Commissioner Somers, calling attention to defection of ventilation in the city hall, was referred

buildings.

The recommendation of the Board of Health that the amount allowed Meat Inspector Frank be dispensed with was laid on the table.

City Prosecutor Cochran was granted ten days leave of absence.

Storm doors at a cost of not to exceed \$200 were ordered provided for the south entrance to the city hall.

Mr. Howell's resolution was adopted, dibuildings.

the committee on public property and

Mr. Howell's resolution was adopted, directing Contractor McDonald to commence the removal of dead animals, garbage, etc.,

the removal of dead animals, garbage, etc., on or before December 28.

Mr. Prince's resolution was adopted, directing the comptroller to advertise for bids for a site for the erection of a market house thereon, to be located in some block north of Leavenworth street, south of Cuming and east of Twentieth, and to be of sufficient depth and length for the erection of a building at least 60x364 feet in size. The adver-

tisement will appear in THE BEE for four

The time of J. S. Woodburn, assistant to the secretary of the Board of Public Works, was extended sixty days from November 20. The contract for furnishing hard coal to the city was awarded to the Omaha Coal, Coke and Lime company, and for soft coal to C. B. Havens.

The finance committee recommended that the amounts in the appropriation ordinance in favor of the judges and clorks in the Sixth, Ninth and Eleventh districts of the First ward, First and Seventh districts of the Second ward, and First district of the Third ward, be stricken out because of regularities
Mr. Wheeler thought no compensation

should be allowed incompetents, and perhaps they would in the future keep off the election boards. Mr. Elsasser and Mr. Howell wanted the

men paid and reprimanded. The latter also wanted them forever barred from serving on Mr. Steel and Mr. Saunders wanted a precedent established and believed the re-port of the committee should be adopted. Mr. McLearic and Mr. Prince thought that the men should be paid, although they be-

lieved they were incompetent and had not properly performed their duty. Mr Howel's amendment that they be allowed pay and in the future not be ap-pointed to such positions was adopted by a vote of 8 to 6.

To Fill Vancancies in Elective Offices. An ordinance was introduced providing for the filling of vacancies in elective offices. It is an amendment to Mr. Saunders' ordinance empowering the mayor to fill vacancies in the council by appointment, to be confirmed by a majority vote of the entire council. The ordinance as amended provides that the council shall fill all vacancies occur-ing in the-body, and it shall require a ma-

jority vote of the council.

Other ordinances were introduced as fol-lows: Repairing the Eleventh street viaduct; garbage removal ordinance to conform to suggestions of the mayor and correcting errors pointed out; regulating the sale of milk and inspection of same under supervi-sion of the Board of Health; creating the office of plumbing inspector and assistant plumbing inspector. fixing the salaries at \$1,800 and \$1,500, and providing that they shall have served at least three years at the trade and been engaged in the business for five years previous to assuming such duties The appropriation ordinances were passed. These include the pay of judges and clerks of election, supervisors of registration and

AGAINST THE COOK BANKER.

recumseh's Breach of Promise Suit Ends In Favor of the Girl. TECUMSEH, Neb., Nov. 23.—[Special Telegram to THE BER.]—The plaintiff in the breach of promise case of Miss Mary M Derderinger of Jerseyville, Ill., against James R. Tober, cashier of the Bank of Cook, was successful in the case tried in the district court here yesterday. She sued for \$5,000, and, after remaining out all night, at 6 o'clock the jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$4,500. The case was a one-sided affair, Tobor practically making no defense whatever. It is announced that Deputy United States Marshal "german took exceptions to the language of "he". Tober's last letters to the plaintiff, which was read in the case, considering it of objectionable character for the mails, and will submit it to the United States district attorney, Omaha

Hebron Brevities. HEBRON, Neb., Nov. 23 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-The Board of County Commissioners met in regular session and among other claims allowed fees to clerks and judges of the late election.

Miss Harriet Campbell, was before the board of insanity and adjudged insane and taken to Lincoln this morning by Sheriff R. J. Town, assisted by John Scoville and Mrs. William Klass.

Captain J. H. Stickel, president of the Blue Valley bank, went to Lincoln this morning.

morning.
Mr. Dyke of New York, uncle of Sheriff Mr. Dyke of New York, uncle of Sheriff R. J. Town, is visiting here.

The Hebron Register is being incorporated as the Itegister Publishing company, with \$3,000 capital, paid up. A. D. Werner is to be its editor-in-chief and M. H. Welss associate

Funeral of George W. Feit. SUPERIOR, Neb., Nov. 23.-Special to THE BEE. |-The obsequies of George W. Felt were observed today by a large concourse of sympathizing friends and neighbors. Rev. S. W. Adams officiated at the religious services, and Grand Master James Black of Bloomington presided over the Masonic services, assisted by J. F. Bradshaw, master of Superior lodge Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, of which Mr. Felt was a member. There were present masons from all neighboring lodges. Business was entirely sus pended and flags were displayed at half mast.

Death of a Nebraska Boy. Columbus, Nov. 23 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-- A telegram was received here this morning from Fort Collins, Colo., by R. H. Henry stating that his second son, Herbert, had died suddenly. Young Henry went to Colorado several months ago for his health.

Young Thief Convicted. HASTINGS, Nov. 23 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-A young tramp giving his name as Joe Davis was today arrested, charged with petty larceny. He was found guilty of stealing a set of harness from A. C. Moore.

WILL RESUME BUSINESS.

One of Denver's Closed Banks Soon to Re open Its Doors.

DENVER, Nov. 23.—There is now a strong probability that the People's Savings bank will resume business at an early day, and on a basis that will be highly satisfactory to the depositors and stockholders. The plan has been completely arranged and an agree-ment placed before the depositors for their signatures. The bank is to be reopened under a new management; the depositors whose accounts are under \$25 each will receive their money in full at once, and the others will receive 10 per cent of their claims in cash and time certificates for the balance. In consideration of this conces-sion from the depositors the stockholders will advance an amount equal to the entire capital stock of the bank, \$100,000, in payments so arranged as to correspond with the time certificates issued to depositors.

NEWS FO THE ARMY.

Lieutenant Buck on Trini at Sait Lake -Captain Auman's Leave. SALT LAKE, Nov. 23.-Lieutenant B. B. Buck of the United States army was placed on trial in the district court today on the charge of the willful murder of Joseph W. Leonard within the military reservation of Fort Douglas on June 12 last.

Leonard was killed by two soldiers whom Lieutenant Buck had ordered to arrest him. WASHINGTON, NOV. 23.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The leave granted Captain William Auman, Thirteenth infantry, is extended the most of the control of the contro tended one month.

St. Louis, Nov. 23.—The loss by the fire early this morning, which destroyed a large part of the Paddock-Hawley Iron company's warehouse, will reach about \$250,000. The concern has two other extensive warehouses which were not damaged and those will be able to continue business with very little interruption. The firm has an open policy of insurance for \$360,000. The warehouse of the Ely-Walker Dry Goods company was damaged only about \$2,000.

Treasurer Carille as Compininant Chicago, Nov. 23 .- H. James Carlile, treasurer of the state of Colorado, was the complainant in a case in court here today. A. Graham attempted to pass a check which purported to be signed by Carlile. The check was pronounced a forgery and Graham was arrested. Mr. Carlile is from Pueblo. Colo., and is very wealthy. The case was continued until November 25.

New York Dry Goods House Assigns NEW YORK, Nov. 123.—Morris Rosendorff and Louis J. Rosendorff, composing the firm of Rosendorff & Son, buyers and sellers of dry goods, cloaks, furs and fancy goods at 277 and 279 Grand street, filed a general as-signment for the benefit of creditors this morning in the county clerk's office to Myers issaes. Ne preferences are mentioned.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA.

Entertainment Under the Auspices of the Sasrsfield Club-Gossip.
The entertainment given under the auspices of the Saarafield club, at Bauer's hall last night, drew out a large audience and the program was entertaining from the first number down. John Groves of Omaha acted as chairman, and in opening the entertainment made a few appropriate remarks. After instru-mental music by Miss Rafferty and a song by Mr. Kelley, Father McDevitt gave a very interesting talk on the lives and death of the Manchester martyrs—Allan, Larkin and O'Brien. Misses Jennie and Maggie Kane gave a duct charmingly and were followed by Thomas J. Flynn in a recitation. B. J. McArdie in his songs and imitations, fairly brought down the house. Mack is a clever come-dian, Hon. C. J. Smythe of Omaba delivered a splendid address on Ireland. Misses Katie and Teresa Desmond sang a duet very nicely, William Donohoe sang, F. J. Donohoe delivered an address, Misses Rafferty and Kane gave an instrumental selection, Joseph Kelley sang a solo and the program ended with "God Save Ireland," led by Thomas

Associated Charities.

'The Associated Charities held another meeting last night at the office of Adams & Bell. Mr. Laughland, secretary of the Omaha Associated Charities was present and gave the organization the benefit of some of his experience. County Poor Agent Burr was also on hand and joined with Mr. Laughland in giving advice. B. S. Adams was chosen president. F. A. Cressy vice president, F. A. Broadwell secretary and Thomas Court tressured. and Thomas Geary treasurer. The secretary was instructed to prepare a constitution and by-laws, and an adjournment was taken until Monday night. A mass meeting will be held in Bauer's hall next Tuesday

Magie City Gossin Mayor Walker is on the sick list.

night.

Henry Reiser has been sinking rapidly uring the past three days and his death is hourly expected. Police Officer Thomas is confined to his home by sickness. He is suffering from bronchitis and congestion of the lungs.

Mrs. Bukel, living at Thirtieth and Wyman streets, was reported to the police last night as being in a very destitute con-A phonographic entertainment was given

last night at the Presbyterian church which was liberally patronized and very much enjoyed by all. The First Baptist church will give their second annual grand concert at their church on H street, near Twenty-fourth, Tuesday evening, December 25. The entertainment will consist of selections by the Trinity Catholic choir of Omaha, who, it will be emembered, sang at this same church some thing like one year ago to a crowded house. The singing will be interspersed with recitations by Mrs. A. A. Monroe. The entertainments offered are of a high order.

LOCAL BREFITIES.

Mr. Frederick M. Hammond and Miss Amelia H. Wiese were married Wednesday evening, November 22, at the home of the officiating pastor, Charles W. Savidge. The postmaster has received a letter from Mrs. Kate Sutter of Decatur, Ill., making

inquiries concerning Andrew Cross, who she says, formerly made his home with a Colonel Henry near this city. The class in physical culture of the Young Woman's Christian association will meet this week and in the future at the Woman's exchange, Frenzer block, South Fifteenth street, Mrs. Spurr having kindly offered the use of it to the association.

The historic-economic section of the Unity the historic-economic section of the Unity club will hold its regular meeting tomorrow (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock in the lecture room of the Unitarian church. The subject of the papers and discussions of the evening is the "Mercantile System," the carliest that can be called a school of political economy. A condial invitation is evidence both omy. A cordial invitation is extended both to nonmembers and members of the club.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

F. B. Pope of St. Louis was in town yes D. H. Stearns has returned from a business trip to Grand Island. Fred Sonnenschein, a prominent capital-

ist of West Point, Neb., is in the city. George W. Parker, a prominent life in urance man of Minucapolis, Minn., is in the Mr. F. W. Snow of Onawa, Ia., is visiting

his son, Mr. H. A. Snow, of the customs

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