## TIME WASTED IN SCHOOLS

Lack of the Practical in Present Elucationa System Criticised.

ARE THE MASSES BEING OVEREDUCATED

Peculiarities of the Corean Schools-Methods of Teaching the Chinese in San Francisco-Educational Notes.

A speech on education delivered in San Francisco recently by Collis P. Huntington, the noted railroad magnate, has aroused considerable discussion. Mr. Huntington declared that the mass of the people were being overeducated, with the result that there is a large class which scorns hard work of the practical sort and makes a precarious living in consequence. He laid stress upon the value of the years from 15 to 25 in acquiring mastery of some line of business, His contention was that the great majority of young men should get an early start in the practical work of life.

This is the old-fashioned business man's view," comments the Buffalo Express, "and dt contains both positive merit and useful criticism of a side of the general educational practice. The boy who begins practical work early acquires a facility which does not come later. He gets the habit of obeying orders cheerfully, of taking what comes to him as a matter of course. He grows into his business until it becomes second nature, and when he has the n / ral qualities that give him personal standing and the intelligence which constantly widens his horizon, he usually commands a measure of success. The great objection to giving many young men an academic education is that they are not taught the elements of the work they must do after leaving college. The stress has been laid upon moral and intellectual preparation, to the neglect of the practical. This applies in part to the serious workers who intend to follow the professions, for which, however, this preparation is not generally unsatisfactory. The shiftless men, who manage to get through college without thoroughness in any direction, cannot be said to be overeducated; they have not spent their time to the best advantage, either for a professional career or for practical life.

"A third class of young men consists of those who make a good use of their college course, but do not follow a profession. It is these that might better have had a kind of training which would put them more easily into touch with the industrial and commercial life which the mass of men must pursue. The education these men receive is well worth while because it was intended to give them broad and sane ideas has not directed attention to the necessity of entering heart and soul into some branch of what is called business and to the worth those who are unable to be successful at dustrial pursuit.

doing more than this, for they show how years and is far better in its ultimate results. The commercial schools carry the same idea into another phase of business

"As these institutions make themselve felt in this country as they have in Europe, they must inevitably increase the attractions of the business career and shame the college graduate into following a business with the same enthusiasm that marks | Thursday, June 1, the graduate of a textile school, for instance. They must, in fact, inculcate the idea broadly that it is worth while for the best minds of the United States, so far as they have a practical turn, to study exhaustively, and work earnestly with their hands in doing it, any great branch of industry or trade-that it is better to be at members of a profession for which they are business men will be presented. not fitted.

"In the meantime it is to be remembered Milwaukee has come to grief. The children that it is the wide diffusion of education were not equal to the responsibility, and the which has so increased the wants of the people of the United States that the home market is the best in the world. It is not education that is at fault, but the refusal, from false pride or other cause, to utiliz it to the best advantage to the community There can be no overeducation except that which makes its possessor a parasite." Coren's Unique Schools.

Miss Louise Chase, formerly employed as a teacher in the public schools in Hurley, S. D., who is now a missionary in Corea, writes an interesting letter to friends in South Dakota in reference to the unique schools of that far off land.

old man. He sits on the floor in the front end of the room and never gets up to walk as an alderman in the school government. about the room to see what pranks the children are up to in the back part of the room. He is always dressed in white, keeps his hat on in the house, leaves his shoes outside the

heads of the boys who do not behave well. Little girls are never seen in a heathen history, science and religion and also study Corean geography. They all want to know the Chinese characters, because they think that China is the most powerful and popular country in the world and as the Coreans have always been ruled largely by China they have a sort of reverence for that

"The boys never wash their hands or

faces or have their hair combed before comng to school each morning and you know he boys here never out their hair until they are about 18 or 20 years old, but went in a braid down the back. They always wear great, baggy trousers, with yards and yards of white muslin as the only material n them. Their coats are also of musling olored pink or blue or purple. Their little straw shoes and short, white stockings are ery pretty when they can afford to wear hem. There are a number of Christian chools in Corea now for the girls. The girls come to the little church room two evenings of each week and study the native haracters and learn to read and write then and then have a bible lesson and commit to nemory a great many scriptural texts. They study evenings because they have to work hard all day, helping their mothers with the work or taking care of the baby brother

#### Teaching the Chinese.

what they term the heathen. The churches until the fall term. language, for it is very rare to find an adult chools have from fifty to 100 each.

the pupil the proper inflection, but it en- now serving out their sentences. ables him to detect any "soldiering" on their part. If any one is silent, or he does not was in session officers and others from Fort cussed at a meeting held Monday night into play. The adult pupils cling to this facts, an indictment was returned against vited to assist. easier to handle.

there must be, necessarily, a multitude of to the fort. The United States officials, ing their distinguished fellow member and tone-combinations to give the numerous ex- however, say that within a day or two after that the admiral himself will prefer a sopressions to the various characters. The the difficulty the sheriff rendered a bill to Chinese language has more characters, or the county in which he made a charge for symbols, than all of the combined alphabets arresting and committing the men, in this thing else of a more elaborate character. of the Caucasian races. And the tone-com- bill designating them as deserters from the | The pariors of the club will, of course, be binations for the expression of those symbols | United States army. would make half a dozen of our padded dictionaries. Instead of the letters of the of life. It is chiefly defective because it alphabet they have syllables, and these are combined into words. The syllables vary in meaning according to the tone in which they are spoken, or the strokes made in and dignity of such a career. This defect writing them. A syllable may mean one nish more flith for the consideration of a in academic education produces the large thing with certain strokes, and quite another element to which Mr. Huntington refers- with different strokes-according to the inflection. The strokes vary from one to sevena profession and who do not like the idea teen, and it is presumed that when sevenof learning thoroughly a commercial or in- | teen strokes are made around one character it means something. The teachers state "But there is an educational tendency that the Chinese language is more flexible abroad now which is certain to reduce the than the English, owing to the shortness of size of this class and to work a very great their words, few being over three syllables. change in the attitude of some educated. In writing, the Chinese make one character men toward business in its humbler forms. for each word, but that word may be prop-It involves not only manual training, but erly spoken in syllables. As the syllables industrial and commercial education. The are divided into no longer spaces than are industrial and commercial education. The schools of technology have already done a great deal in harmonizing theory and the severest practice. Their work, however, has been in the direction of training engineers, who can rightly claim to belong to neers, who can rightly claim to belong to neers, who can rightly claim to belong to the words from each other, the spoken the words from each other. The work the words from each other, the spoken the words from each other, the spoken the words from each other, the spoken the words from each other, the words from each other. The word from each other, the words from each other, the words from each other. The word from each other the words from each other, the words from each other. The word from each other the words from each other the words from each other. The word from each other the word from each other the word from each other. The word from each other the word from each other the word from each other the word from each other. The word from each other the one of the most important professions. The telescoped by his rapid talking that we imhigher trade schools, which specialize the agine the language is very difficult, but student must be guided by the inflection more than the word, for the same word can be made to express opposite meanings beginnings made by manual training, are teachers say that it is easy to learn. The profit and adequate remuneration in the most strictly economic side of life. They give a training which takes the place of ectual work in mills during the younger years and is far better in its ultimate re-

by Rev. William H. Davis of Newton, Mass.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, May 30-31, the Fourth Annual Negro conference as-sembles at Atlanta university. This conference differs from most of the negro con-ferences in that its aim is to collect each work at something than to aspire to be be discussed and statistics from 500 colored

even with their tormentors. Parents com-plained that the system made spies of the children, caused them to be watchful of petty short-comings, revengeful when ar-rested, and degraded when brought into hools of that far off land.

"The teacher," she writes, "is always an elders in politics, had been trying to buy votes with pencils to compass his election

#### Mortality Statistics. The following births and deaths were re-

ported to the health commissioner during the last twenty-four hours:

Ninth, boy. Deaths-Joseph Gasser, Company B, Third "Little girls are never seen in a heathen Nebraska volunteers, Bennington, 21 years, Indexed to the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained applying the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was sustained asphyxiation; Thomas Brooks, St. Joseph's judgment of the lower court was supplied to the lower c educated. They are usually 6 or 7 years hospital, 39 years, pneumonia; Frank Kluold when they begin and stay in school un-til they are 16 or 17. They, during these 49 years; Edith G. Taylor, Plainfield, N. J., the bond, although he said the signature was years, study mostly the Chinese books of 25 years, consumption; Margaret A. Drexel, wonderfully like his. Mr. Reeves admits history, science and religion and also study 1913 South Tenth, 6 years; Helen Thompson, that he signed. 1248 South Fourteenth, 9 months; Walter Yeates Tietzel, 1424 North Seventeenth, 14

> Conkling, Immenuel hospital, 35 years. Fourteen People Drowned. BERLIN, May 23.-Fourteen persons were drowned today by the upsetting of a ferry-

accidental gunshot wound; George

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## SHERIFF DARGEN'S MISTAKE

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HE IS BROUGHT TO OMAHA ON A CAPIAS

Is Under Indictment for Interfering with a United States Army Ofneer While in the Discharge of His Duty,

Chinese who cannot read and write in his with a squad of men to look them up. On than the admiral himself.

own language. The Chinese of course are April 16, he located them at Chadron and "The program during my stay here is in osts them nothing. In the free public school immediately communicated with the com- way arranged, I would like very much to be to our school system, but find it difficult to Dargen contending that he wanted the pris- the program already planned it will be posto himself." The Chinese custom is for the There was an altercation, but as the United him to return to the cast. of his lesson at the highest pitch. They that of the sheriff, he surrendered the men Arcanum committee. claim that by this method they acquire the and reported the facts to the commanding tone and pitch of the language, not consider- officer at Fort Robinson. Subsequently which the admiral can return from his that I was employed by the sheriff to defend ing that each pupil disturbs the other by his | Kauffman and Pennington were tried in the | western trip and the Royal Arcanum recepsing-song repetition. The Chinese teachers state courts, convicted and sent to the tion will be held on the evening of that

"old school" custom, but the children are Sheriff Dargen. The sheriff now contends The Chinese have primer text books, begin- | Sergeant Drew he did not know that they | to be an informal sort of an affair, as it ning with the "a-b" series, but most of the were descriers, but supposed that they were instruction is oral. . Having no alphabet, ordinary drunks, who were being taken back want to spend the entire evening in meet-

#### GEORGE CRAIG'S CASE ON TRIAL. Called Into Court Accused of a Serious Crime.

Judge Baker took up a criminal assault case yesterday, which promises to fur- affair. which George Craig is charged with having criminally assaulted Josephine Graber, a child of 13. The complaint is made by Mrs. Elizabeth Badenhop, her mother. The first assault is said to have occurred in February. Several others occurred during the time intervening between that date and the last, which is alleged to have taken place at 1916 Cuming street on April 1. The defendant is Bee:

by the use of different inflections and tone of the voice. Perhaps there is reason in the Chinese schoolmaster insisting that the pupil shall study his lesson at the highest pitch of his voice.

The Chinese schoolmaster insisting that the pupil shall study his lesson at the highest pitch of his voice.

The Chinese schoolmaster insisting that the pupil shall study his lesson at the her unfortunate condition attracting the sympathy of all who heard her story. Her mother's condition was and is hardly less to be deplored. She is suffering from a cancer, which gives her face a repulsive appearance, highest pitch of his voice.

Educational Notes.

The ligion is tounded upon the block. Or who has been recruited for original Protestants made a mistake in announcing an infallible Bible. People reject Christ because to them the book of Moses, the story of Jonah and other biblical tales are inconsistent and even ridiculous. The divine command is not to believe in David or Joshua or Jonah or Solomon but to believe in Christ."

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Educational Notes. The Baccafaureate sermon at Atlanta university will be preached Sunday, May 28, by Rev. Edward C. Moore of Providence.

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The Baccafaureate sermon at Atlanta saulted by his brother, Charles Craig, who 28 has career for even condox pulpits, is it not time to ask, 'Whither are we drifting?' Tom Palne, Bob Ingersoll by imprisonment for not less than six months nor more than two years and by a

complaint was that the time occupied by indorse the names of several more witcould be employed better in studying. The defense objected on the ground that the climax came when the fact was disclosed law provides that after a jury is sworn no more names may be indersed on a complaint. Judge Baker granted the request the witnesses to the stand.

#### Sait on a Bond.

In Judge Powell's court an interesting door and smokes his pipe any time he likes during the school hours; he has no time-piece, but goes by the sun. The pupils all gather at about 9 o'clock and study until 12. The teacher calls the attention of the children by tapping on the floor with a long stick and he uses the same stick on the stick and he uses the same stick on the stick and he uses the same stick on the stick on the stick and he uses the same stick on the stick sedeas bond signed by Harvey Link and Preston Reeves, both very old men. The and the plaintiff brought suit on the bond.

> Minor Matters in Court. In the case of Eno Henderson against the city of South Omaha for \$10,000 damages caused by change in grade, judgment was confessed by the defendant for \$300 with the consent of the plaintiff.

> Judge Keysor is engaged with the case of Edwin A. Phelps and Goodwin Phelps against Ephramin Engler and Maria M. Engler. nvolves the possession of a strip of land

four feet wide on Nicholas street. The will of the late William R. Bowen was filed for probate. Mrs. Lila S. Bowen. the wife, is named as sole executrix and all the property is left to her for distribution among the following heirs: Elizabeth A. Bowen, Abba W. Bowen, Sarah H. Bowen Young, William Storrs Bowen, Lila Bowen and John S. Bowen. The will bears the The will bears the

date of February 8, 1894. James Crandall was arrested on a capias from Judge Slabaugh's court. He was tried recently and found guilty of stealing brass from the Union Pacific storehouse. He was released on bond to appear for sentence Failing to come in at the appointed time the court had him brought back and imposed a fine of \$10 and costs. Not money, Crazdall was sent to jail. Not having the

The case of the Modern Woodmen of

America against the Union National bank of

this city, wherein suit is brought to recover on an alleged claim of \$27,000, is still drag-ging along before a jury in Judge Munger's section of the United States court. During orning hour Head Banker Zink of th the methods pursued by the Woodmen the conduct of the business. He mail tained that the order had the sum of \$27,000 on deposit in the bank, that it was checked out, but the check was never honored,

## WILL RETURN NEXT WEEK

Admiral Schley to Come Back and Be a Guest of Royal Arennam.

Admiral Schley will leave the city Sheriff Charles F. Dargen of Dawes this afternoon with the intention of reounty has been brought an from Chadron turning again next week for the special puron a caplas Issued on an indictment wherein pose of attending a reception that will be he is charged with rescuing prisoners from given in his honor by local members of the an officer of the United States army and Royal Arcanum, of which society he is a also with interfering with an officer of the member. The members of the order pro-The city of San Francisco maintains a free army while in the discharge of his duty, posed to honor the admiral in this way durpublic school in the Chinese quarter for the The sheriff was arraigned before Judge ing his present stay in the city, but they sheriff bargen of Chadron, recently indicted the court and did not step forward promptly enough. By the federal grand jury for taking away language, and eight religious denominations pleaded not guilty and the case was con- it was found after his arrival that every have each a school for the christlanging of tinged, which will probably throw it over evening of his stay in Omaha was occupied and deplored the fact that so many young find that to Christianize the Chinese they About the middle of last April Kauffman they learned when they paid their respects men spend that period in ways which after- must first be educated, or, rather, taught our and Pennington, privates at Fort Robinson, on the day he reached the city. They were descriced, and Sergeant Drew was sent out disappointed, of course, but not more so law in any manner whatever.

anxious to learn English, because it helps placed them under arrest, taking them to the the hands of General Manderson." Admiral and not "apparently with authority," and them in business, and especially since it city jail for safe-keeping over night. He Schley explained, "but if it can be in any in view of that fact, of course the criticism here are about 200 pupils, and the mission manding officer at Fort Robinson, who in- able to accept an invitation to be present at the sheriff has been indicted. I have not structed that they be returned to the fort a reception of my Royal Arcanum brothers." Many of the pupils are grown men, who on the first train. The next morning the As a result of this Admiral Schley and in this or in any other case. The editorial attend with their children, and are often sergeant handcuffed his prisoners and General Manderson went over the program cound in the same class. The public school started with them for the depot. While on coming week. They finally decided has the usual text books, and the teachers the way the men were taken away from the that if no delay is allowed to intervene and bench to understand that it would be imndeavor to instruct the Chinese according sergeant by Sheriff Dargen and a posse, by possibly dropping off something from make them observe the rules. One of these oners to answer to the charge of house- sible for the admiral to attend the proposed is requiring the pupil to study in silence, or breaking at Whitney, in Dawes county. reception before it will be necessary for have been a lawyer for over thirty years, pupil to study aloud-repeating the words States officers' force was outnumbered by "I'll be here," the admiral told the Royal

say that this "studying aloud" not only gives penitentiary at Lincoln, where they are date. Union Pacific council of the order ment and would not have attributed to me has already commenced making prepara-When the recent United States grand jury tions for the affair, the matter being dissee his mouth in action, the whip is brought Robinson appeared, and after stating the The other councils in the city will be in-

The reception will probably be held that when he rescued the two soldiers from the parlors of the Commercial club. It is convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary lief that the local authorities and the disis believed the members of the order will cial gathering where he can become acquainted with his fraternal brothers to any bandsomely decorated, refreshments will be served and there will be music. Invitations to the reception will soon be issued and will be confined mainly to members of the order, their wives and families, as the reception is to be a strictly Royal Arcanum

Admiral Schley has long been a member jury than any that has been in the district of the order and is apparently very much court for a long time. It is the case in attached to it. He has held several offices of honor in it. On his return from the Santiago fight he was presented with a very handsome and rich sword by the order, which was the gift of councils all over the country. The Omaha members of the order were among those who subscribed to it.

Agnosticism in the Pulpit.

the man who gave Patrolman Shavlick a church, Rev. Mackay, at last Sunday's morn-court they were within the jurisdiction of ing service made this statement, as reported; that court and the sheriff held them as its ival.

When the case was called for trial in When the First Methodist church, Rev. M. the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In the Chited States. The Chited States. The Chited States opinion is of any value will dispute this the Revised Statutes of the United States.

Charles Craig has served a term in the and all scoffers and infidels have not called penitentiary for forgery, taking the blame in question Bible passages more pointedly of his brother George's act upon himself because George was married and offered to pay him, a certain sum of money if he would do so. Charles claims he never received the money and his long regular to the preservation of its purity and truthful exposition so boldly deny the formular properties. It would seem preposterous that any person should claim that an arrest duly made and truthful exposition so boldly deny the ference differs from most of the negro conferences in that its aim is to collect each year statistics and information on certain walls did not serve to sweeten his feelings limited fields of inquiry in regard to the negro. This year the negro in business will be discussed and statistics from 500 colored business men will be presented.

Self-government in the public scools of Milwaukee has come to grief. The children were not equal to the responsibility, and the statement of the negro in the statements of Christ Himself, who declares that "Jonah was three days and three and truthful exposition so boldly deny the miraculous accounts in scripture—deny even the statements of Christ Himself, who declares that "Jonah was three days and three nights in the whale's belly;" is it to be wondered that there are millions in so-called Christian America who never darken a church door, that the musses are irreligious and scoffers, that there is such open is strictly subordinate to the civil authority in times of peace and when martial law does the trial, the girl and her mother being short, that the world is waxing "worse and not exist. This letter of Langhorn's was a the trial, the girl and her mother being short, that the world is waxing "worse and not exist. This letter of Langhorn's was a present in the court room, Charles Craig worse." It is time that the laity who does direct threat against the district court of boys particularly were troublesome, being especially restive under the surveillance of girl "policemen." The girls who served in the court room, Charles Craig worse." It is time that the laity who does direct threat against the district court of also dropping in to see the trend of the case. It is time that the laity who does have a direct threat against the district court of also dropping in to see the trend of the case. For the defense Craig's wife and her aged the pulpit; those of the common people who upon its jurisdiction over the burglars, and cut of school, and naturally they watched father are there. A dozen women, sum- believe that the Bible entire is the word therefore it was a "willful attempt to obclosely in school for opportunities to get moned as witnesses for both sides, occupy of God to man; that it says what it means struct the proceedings or hinder the due adront seats.

The morning was spent in making up the test of its truthfulness. There is food for the meaning of section 669 of the code. The and means what it says, shall study that ministration of justice in a suit proceeding arinto After they had been sworn Deputy County above quoted. Let each one, in the silence, ested, and degraded when brought into the school "municipal court." Another Attorney Thomas requested permission to with God alone as witness, interpret Scription indores the names of several more witnesses of the court in trying offenders nesses on the back of the complaint. The clashing of opinions nor denials of doctrine, the sheriff violated the federal statute. BELIEVER.

Sapolio vs Soap Polish.

The outcome of the suit now pending in the United States circuit court wherein of the county attorney, but intimated that Enoch Morgan's Sons company, proprietor he might not permit the prosecution to call of Sapollo, have sought to enjoin J. J Gibson from manufacturing and placing gent, faithful, competent and conscientious upon the market Soap Polish, is attracting the attention of Omaha people as well as the entire country where Soap Polish has been sold. We learn from Mr. Gibson it is the volume of business and the quality Soap Polish that have aroused the Sapol people more than the name used. Encol Morgan Sons company claim in their peti-tion that Soap Polish is sold to do the same work that Sapolio does and claim they have been damaged thousands of dollars since Soap Polish has been put on the market and therefore ask the courts to enjoin J. J Gibson from disposing of any more Sos

No Danger of Lynching. PAINESVILLE, O., May 23 .- The stories of possible lynching here are without foundation. The negro, Kelly, was ar-rested for rape as stated, but the people are disposed to let the law take its course.

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## JUDGE ALLEN ON DARGEN CASE

order was upon the witness stand explaining | Says He Has Not Been Retained to Defend the Sheriff.

JUSTIFIES ACTION OF INDICTED OFFICER

Judge Explodes World-Hernid Fake and Details Steps Leading Up to Collision of State and Federal Authorities.

MADISON, Neb., May 22, 1899.-To the Editor of The Bee-1 have just read an editorial in The Bee of the 22nd inst., entitled "A Questionable Proceeding." which it is said: "It has been announced apparently with authority, that Judge Wilfrom an officer of the army, two deserters wanted upon a charge of burglary, etc. The editorial quotes section 14, article vi o the state constitution, prohibiting a judge rom acting as an "attorney or counselor-ut

The assumption that I have been retained been spoken to or retained to defend him does me injustice in assuming that I do not know enough of the proprieties of the proper for me to act as an "attorney o counselor-at-law in any manner whatever and know some, and I trust all, of the duties of a lawyer, and among other things I think I know the proprieties of the bench May 31 is expected to be the date on No one had a right to state or to assume him, and a person keenly alive to judicial ethics would not have made such a statesuch a purpose.

#### In Sympathy with Sheriff.

I am in hearty sympathy with the sheriff dicted for burglary in Dawes county and are "Baltimore toughs." They evidently had the impression, from what they said, that they were not amenable to state authority for a violation of the criminal laws of no statute encouraging a soldier to become meeting. rant for that purpose, duly issued by a there is such a law I presume the trial of this ourt of competent jurisdiction. They were in Dawes county and nominally in charge of no lawyer is stupid enough to claim that the a sergeant. The sheriff arrested them by sheriff himself committed a crime in making virtue of the warrant and incarcerated them. Their case was examined and they were held to appear at the next term of the district court in that county and answer to the procured the sheriff's indictment under section 5455 of the Revised Statutes of the

## fine not exceeding \$500.

letter could have no other object than to in-These burglars were not guilty of desertion. The military feature of their case comes clearly within articles xxxi and xxxiv, section 1342 of the Revised Statutes, known as "The Articles of War."

Sheriff Dargen is a very modest, intelli-





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gentlemen constitute the national Dewey

committee which is endeavoring to raise

\$250,000 to purchase the admiral a home in

Washington. They request that the Com-mercial club take up the question and pre-

sent it to the people of Omaha, whom they

think will be anxious to subscribe toward

providing a resting place for the old age of

the hero. Action was deferred until the next

for discussion, but no definite action was taken. It is suggested now that a joint com-pany be organized which will be able to put

Railway Telegraphers' Convention.

PEORIA, III., May 23.—The Order of Rall-way Telegraphers has decided to change the

time of meeting from the third Monday in

May to the third Monday in September. The

grand chief has been given power to remove

headquarters from Peorla at any time he may see fit. T. N. Pierson, formerly vice

grand chief, has been reinstated in the

order. There are 125 amendments to the con-

stitution and by-laws pending. Cleveland

is making a strong bid for the next conven-

Hotel Men Reduce Denth Benefits.

vention of Hotelmen's Mutual Benefit associ-

ation in the United States and Canada held

death benefits from \$1.500 to \$1.200 and establishing a reserve fund. D. C. Shears of

the Grand hotel, Cincinnati, was elected

Good Time in Matrimonial Line. PERU, Ind., May 23.—Charles Hutchinson was shot and killed by his wife during a family quarrel at Arcadia today. The woman pleads self-defense. She is but 26

DRINK GRAIN-O

after you have concluded that you ought not to drink coffee. It is not a medicine but doctors order it, because it is healthful, invigorating and appetizing. It is made from pure grains and has that rich seal brown color and tastes like the finest grades of coffee and costs about & as much. Children like it and thrive on it because it is a genuine food drink containing nothing but nourishment. Ask your grocer for Grain-O, the new food drink. If and 15c.

And be sure you are getting

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in a large quantity of beets next fail.

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He went no further in arresting lip, Charles H. Allen, H. C. Corbin, Perry these criminals than the law required him to S. Heath and Ellis H. Roberts, treasurer of go and he performed his duty in good faith, the Dewey Home fund in Washington. These go and he performed his duty in good faith. The army pest at Fort Robinson has been a menace to the peace, order and mora's of the this case. The two soldlers who were in- locality, and it is to be regretted that many of the officers there have encouraged the betrict court of Dawes county have no jurisdiction to punish a soldier for a violation of the criminals laws of the state. I know of state and that they could be punished a highwayman or a burglar, or that exempts nly, if at all, by military authority. The him from punishment for criminal conduct heriff when he arrested them had a war- to a greater extent than any other man. If case will reveal it. I assume, however, that

an arrest of burglars in his own county. Cause of the Contempt Case. It was the letter of Langhorn that led me o issue a citation to him to appear and charge of burglary. They were convicted of answer to the charge of contempt of court. the crime and sentenced to the penitentlary Repeated insults have been offered the civil for a period of one year each at a term of authorities, and it was my purpose to give the district court over which I had the honor this Heutenant to understand that so far as to preside, No doubt, feeling somewhat I was concerned, in the discharge of the chagrined by the lawful taking of these jurisdiction for the time being vested in criminals, the sergeant went to Omaha and me, the military should be strictly subordinate to the civil authorities within the proper jurisdiction of the latter, so long as United States, I do not doubt that if Mr. martial law did not exist. If anything can Summers or Judge Munger had known the be said to be settled in our country it is truth no indictment would have been re- that "This is a government of laws and OMAHA, May 22.—To the Editor of The turned against the sheriff. When the burnot of men," and that in a time of peace, 3ee: The rector of All Saints' Episcopal glars were held to appear before the district and when martial law does not exist in a men have strayed away from Christ they of George Langhorn, wrote the sheriff a let- the United States. I think no lawyer whose sire to say. I have the honor to be, very

Commercial Club. At the meeting of the executive committee

months nor more than two years, and by a of the Commercial club Monday the ommittee appointed to circulate petitions requesting the clearing house to take the ecessary steps to adjust the differences now existing and to restore Omaha clear-ances to their proper position reported that a number of petitions are in circulation and will be ready for presentation in a few days.

They were authorized to follow up the matther and visit the clearing house officials themselves when the petitions are ready. A letter was received from F. A. Vander-

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