#### OF INTEREST FROM IOWA. NEWS

## COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells glass, Moore's food kills worms and fattens. Fire escapes for buildings at Bixby's. Budweiser beer. L. Rosenfeldt, agent. C. B. Jacquemin & Co., jewelers and op-ticians, 27 South Main street.

W. C. Estep, undertaker, 28 Pearl street. Telephones, office, 97; residence, 33. Get your work done at the popular Eagle laundry, 724 Broadway. 'Phone 157. Conductor L. M. Crockwell of the motor

company is reported to be seriously iil. Officer J. J. McNamara of the St. Joseph, Mo., police force was in the city yesterday visiting friends.

Father Feeley, chaplain at St. Bernard's hospital, has gone to northern Minnesota on a vacation. Mrs. John Heffron and daughters, Agnes and Fannie, of Laramie, Wyo., are in the

city visiting friends.

Lida Dempsey, 308 Oak street, was re-ported to the Board of Public Health yesterday as suffering from whooping cough. A marriage license was issued yesterday to H. G. Hain of Rockford, Ia., aged 55, and Emma Hameton of Mason City, Ia., aged 48. The children of the Sunday school of the First Baptist church will hold their annual picnic this afternoon at Manhattan Beach, Lake Manawa.

Hon, Lewis B. Miles of Corydon, United States prosecuting attorney for this dis-trict, was in the city yesterday on business connected with the federal court. The Ladies' Aid society of St. John's English Lutheran church will meet Thurs-day afternoon at the residence of Mrs. J.

H. Miller, 1013 South Main street. The Misses L. B. Dunn and A. O'Neill of St. Louis, who were the guests of Mrs. N. Joseph of Williams street while visiting the exposition, have returned home.

Ray W. Bixby brought suit in the district court yesterday against Owen Collier and wife to foreclose a mortgage on lot 21, block 4, Van Brunt & Rice's addition. Mrs. J. M. Tryon, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. N. C. Phillips of Blu T street on her return from California, left for her home in Monroeville, Ind., last even-

Rev. Alexander Litherfand, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, has tendered his resignation to the congregation, having received a call to the pastorate of the Pres-byterian church at Schuyler, Neb.

M. C. Ewans, the old man charged with making improper proposals to a little girl of 8 years, was sentenced in police court yesterday morning to thirty days in the city jail, the first and last five days to be on bread and water.

Dr. F. P. Bellinger left last evening for Boston and New York, where he will remain for a few weeks before salling for Europe, where he goes to take post-graduate study in the leading medical institutions. He expects to be absent about six

The case against Christ Miller and wife, charged with threatening the life of G. W. Schaeffer, was dismissed yesterday in Justice Vien's court on motion of the assistant as follows: Philosophy, 58; theology, 29; county attorney, for want of evidence to natural science, 59; fiction, 2,883; poetry and convict. The trouble was the result of a essays, 107; history and biography, 175;

O. C. Gaston, court reporter for Judge Thornell of the district court, has been named as vice chairman of the transmississippi region in connection with the movement for a national organization of stenographers. An organizing convention will be held at Chicago August 22 to 24.

H. M. Heath, route agent of the WellsFargo Express company, with headquarters at Maryville, Mo., is in the city and checked up the local office yesterday. Mr. Heath is accompanied by his wife and her sister, Miss Brash of Indianapolis. They will spend a couple of days visiting the exposition before returning home.

A change in the time of the library on August 1 was 22,005, 17,254 in the circulating library and 4,751 in the circulating library and 4,751 in the commanded with them and he wishes to limit the made with them and he wishes to limit the finance committee showed that there was \$1,703.65 in the treasury on the first of the month.

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A change in the time of holding the fu-neral services of the late Hattle McCulfough has been made. They will be held at 9 o'clock a. m. instead of 9:30 as pre-viously announced and will be conducted at the residence of E. F. Watts, 366 North First street, Rev. M. C. Wadell of the Broadway Methodist Episcopal church offi-

Colonel Virgil E. David, E. R. Fonda and Thomas M. Bray will represent Island No. 10, Command No. 14, Union Veterans' union, at the fourteenth national encampment, to be held in Des Moines next week The delegation from this command will join with the Nebraska delegates and go in a special car, leaving here August 21 on the early morning train. received a

County Auditor Innes has County Auditor Innes has received a quantity of passes to the State fair at Des Moines to be distributed among the old soldiers of this county. All soldiers who served in the Mexican, civil, Spanish-American or Philippine wars are entitled to them. Wives or widows of soldiers are also entitled to them. The State fair opens August 29 and lasts until September 2. The appraisers in the condemnation pro-

ceedings brought by the Northwestern Railway company against the Iowa Construction company met yesterday and fixed the dam-The Northwestern required the land condemned for the purpose of building its second track. It is understood that the Iowa Construction company, which filed objections to the proceedings, will appeal from the award.

Work on the new school building at Cut-off is being delayed, owing to Contractor Wind being unable on account of the water on the island to get his brick on the ground. Present indications are that it will be well into October before the new build-ing will be ready for occupancy. The Board of Education will either be compelled to rent a building temporarily or else post-pone the opening of school at Cut-Off until the new structure is completed.

The trial of John Schicketanz, the Broadway barber charged with violating the Sabbath by plying his trade on that day, which was set for yesterday before Justice Swanson of Crescent, has been postponed for two weeks. Schicketanz took a change of venue from Justice Swanson's court to that of Justice Harley Mayne in the same township. A number of barbers kept open Sunday and it is understood that more prosecutions will be brought by the Barbers' Protective association.

The case of William Linehan, charged with being drunk and disturbing the peace, was continued in police court until Thursday morning. Linehan is the man on whom Officer Claar was compelled to use his club. No formal complaint has been lodged against Claar, but he has demanded an investigation and in the meantime is laying off duty. Mayor Jennings yesterday stated he did not where an investigation was necessary see where an investigation was necessary until formal charges had been filed against the officer. In the event of charges being filed Mayor Jennings says he will hold the investigation himself.

N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 250.

Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street:

Ernest E. Hart and wife to Hiram Cassell, part block 3, Mill add, s. Cassel, part block 3, Mill add. s. w. d.
Lon Thomas and wife to J. H. Swanson, lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and north 25 feet lot 13. Auditor's subdiv. of nw4/sw4/36-76-43. w. d.
Martin Olsen and wife to J. H. Swanson, lot 11. Auditor's subdiv. of sw4/nw4/36-76-43. w. d.
Albert L. Sarchet and wife to Fort Dodge & Omaha Railroad company, part se4/se4/9 and part e1/2 ne4/16-77-44. w. d.
Thomas Bowman, trustee, to Chicago & Northwestern Railway company, part government lots 2 and 3 in 2-76-44 and accretions, w. d.

Total, five transfers..... \$1,628

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PATRONS WILL FACE PENALTY

Those Who Use Library Privileges Must Preserve Books Properly.

FINE WILL FOLLOW A LACK OF TIDINESS

Damaged and Soiled Condition of Volumes Impels Board to Impose Rigid Rules to Remedy the Evil.

The trustees of the public library have decided to check as far as possible the damage done to the books by careless handling on the part of the patrons of the circulating department and persons who return books in a damaged or soiled condition will be fined. At the meeting of the board yesterday afternoon this matter was brought up by Trustee Edmundson and thoroughly discussed. It was shown that new books after being out but a short time come back to the library looking as if they had been in constant circulation for years. In many instances the covers are not only soiled, but the leaves are torn and the binding broken This is frequently the case with books that cost a large sum and results in loss to the library. Some people who take books from the library appear to have no respect for the volumes and are in the habit of ecribbling notations and comments on the pages.

One of the rules of the library is that the amount of fines incurred by damage to books shall in the first instance be decided by the librarian subject to appeal to the committee on administration, but the rule has in the past been permitted to become a dead letter. From now on, how ever, the trustees decided that it should be strictly enforced and the librarian was instructed to assess a fine in every instance where a book was returned in a damaged condition. Printed notices to this effect will be posted in the library.

Dufficulty of Placing Blame. left the library, especially in the case of old books that have been circulating for a considerable time. Trustee Edmundson said the rule if carried out and enforced would do much to preserve the newer books, and if a few fines were assessed people would soon begin to realize that they must take

better care of the books. The report of the librarian for the month of July showed the following statistics: Number of visitors, 4,521; registered booktakers, 8,356; booke taken, 3,618; classified travels, 307; magazines, 411. During the month 80 volumes and 28 pamphlets were received from the government, and 71 books by purchase were added to the shelves. Magazines were supplied to the Woman's Christian association and St. Bernard's hos-pitals and the county jail. The number of

Domestic soap sold by all grocers

Scientific optician, Wollman, 400 Br'dway. Firemen Are Exonerated.

Aldermen Atkins, Shubert and Brough, comprising the city council committee on fire and light, held an investigation last night into the charges preferred against Firemen Newton Martin and Charles Matthison of No. 2 engine house by William J. White. The charges, which had been filed in written form with the committee, were to the effect that the two firemen had maliciously and unlawfully conspired together for the purpose of depriving White of his property, to-wit, a cow and her calf, by baying them "incarcerated" in the city pound. White also complained that his wife had been insulted by the two firemen and just before the investigation opened filed a supplemental complaint, in which he charged Martin and Matthison with running a dairy while they ought to be attend-ing to their duties as firemen.

The investigation was held in the city council chamber and was attended by a large number of the residents in the vicinity of the engine house. Both sides were represented by attorneys. The firemen had little difficulty in proving that they were not responsible for the cow and her call being put in the pound and after both sides had had their say the committee announced that the charges had not been proved.

Card of Thanks. William Barker wishes to thank his neigh-bors and friends for their kindness and sympathy extended to him at the death of his beloved wife, Esella.

Domestic outwashes cheap soaps.

O. Younkerman & Co., grape baskets, bar-rels, and all fruit packages.

Domestic soap is the purest made.

Insanity from Blood Poisoning. The Board of Insanity Commissioners yes terday ordered Henry L. Binkley committed to the insane asylum at Clarinda. Binkley was sent to St. Bernard's hospital four weeks ago for treatment, but his condition not improving it was decided to place him in the state asylum. He will be taken

Binkley's case is a peculiar one, his men tal aberration resultig from blood poison-He had been living at Underwood ing. and while working on the farm of his brother-in-law one of his hands became blistered. For the purpose of protection he put on a pair of gloves that had a colored cloth lining. The hand commenced to swell and the swelling spread up the arm and finally crept up the side of his neck. The trouble was diagnosed as blood

poisoning of a virulent character and the usual remedies were prescribed. Being unable to work Binkley became morbid and suffered from hallucinations. Until recently Binkley had been engaged in the work of state organizer for the Modern Woodmen. He has a wife and four small children, who are practically desti-

tute. Domestic soap is full weight.

Davis sells paint.

Marriage Bonds Are Irksome. S. A. Gayman, a well-to-do farmer living day. The reward of the company of \$10,000 in York township, commenced suit in the for information leading to the arrest and district court yesterday for divorce from his conviction of persons guilty of placing exwife, Annie E. Gayman. The Gaymans were plosives on the street car tracks has remarried a number of years ago in Daven- sulted in active work by scores of detecport, but according to the allegation made tives. The company regards the strike as by the petitioner their married life has not been altogether a bed of roses. Gayman charges his wife with being possessed of an "We are just getting down to business," ungovernable temper, which, he says, she says Bryan, "and people may expect a long frequently vented on him. Her treatment of struggle unless the company surrenders."
him, he alleges, has been such that he is The boycott is still in force, but its effect fearful of his life, and recites an instance is weakening under the strong influence now

and attempted to strike him on the head. | DEMOCRATS GROPE FOR ISSUE ties which bind him to his wife, but to give him the custody of their three children, ranging in age from 13 to 19 years.

Prizes go with Domestic soap. Democrats Leave for Capital.

Chief of Police F. A. Bixby, accompanied by several of the Pottawattamie county delegation, left last evening for Des Moines to attend the democratic state convention, which will be held Wednesday. The rest of the delegation will leave for the Capital city this morning. Chief Bixby wanted to be early on the scene, as he has a yearning ambition to be elected member of the state central committee from this district and he and his lieutenants will put in today working toward that end.

City Treasurer Brooks Reed also went to Des Moines last evening, not as a delegate meeting tonight. It is said that Reed is also a candidate for a place on the state

Henry Atkins, one of the delegates to the state convention, will, owing to business matters, be unable to go.

Domestic soap whitens your clothes. Welsbach burners at Bixby's. Tel. 191.

HENDERSON DENIES REPORT Rumor that Speaker Reed Turned Him Down Believed to Be With-

out Foundation.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Aug. 14 .- A trusted friend of Colonel Henderson denies the statement in a Washington special to the New York Tribune that Henderson wrote ex-Speaker Reed on the subject of the speakership, ommittees and other matters, and received no reply. He says that to his personal knowledge Colonel Henderson, though his has not written to him on this or any other subject since becoming a candidate for

Work on New Railroad. CLINTON, Ia., Aug. 14.—Work began nere today on the Davenport, Clinton & Eastern railroad, the new line to connect Clinton and Davenport, Ia. The line will follow the shore of the Mississippi and will be rushed to completion.

Responses to Relief Request. Some of the members of the board thought it would be rather a difficult matter for the librarian and her assistants to keep track of the condition of every book as it. Porto Rican sufferers. A large shipment of clothing will be ready tomorrow.

> Strike Natural Gas. MUSCATINE, Ia., Aug. 14.-Natural gas in great quantities has been struck on the farm of Robert Lee, near the city. The vein is 170 feet below the surface.

SULTAN AFTER GOOD BARGAIN

Head of Sulu Natives Only Wishes to Acknowledge Nominal Authority.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14 .- A dispatch to the Ierald from Ilollo says: Your correspondent has just returned to Hoilo after a trip to Jolo, Mindanao and Cebu. General Bates is still negotiating for a

treaty with the sultan of the Sulu islands The sultan is as yet unwilling to accept the terms offered by the Americans. He says that the Spaniards misrepresented to the

Lowest prices, easy terms. The best and largest stock of planes at Swanson Music company, Masonic Temple.

Inc. suitan seems not to have the support and requests that this dispatch be published generally by papers throughout the United Sentiments toward the Americans. Yokon-time, the most powerful chief in Suita Island. "Steamer Evolve of the New York & Deutstein and requests that this dispatch be published generally by papers throughout the United States:

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was given over by them to the sultan's men, are being squeezed financially by a duty of 5 per cent on exports and imports. In an interview with your correspondent the Chinese said it would be a most excellent change if the Americans were substituted of War Meiklejohn has placed bovine animals.

Vendle, arm, slight; Company E, George W. Howard, thigh, severe; Twenty-fourth in should be properly packed and delivered at the pier of the steamship referred to, Emprise Stores, Brooklyn, on or before noon Wednesday, August 16. Assistant Secretary change if the Americans were substituted of War Meiklejohn has placed bovine animals. for their present rulers.

The sultan's flag is now floating over Siassi. The sultan recently added eighty island of Porto Rico. rifles and a large store of ammunition to his previous stock of 300 rifles.

War between the controlling chiefs among the Moros is more likely than is war with the Americans, provided we do not interfere with their religion and customs.

For the first time in history white people can travel about Sulu island among the Moros in safety. Your correspondent crossed the island without a guard, through a wild country, to interview the sultan at Maibun. He received me with courtesy and gave me this signed statement:

"This certifies that his highness, Sultan Hadgi Mohamad Womolol Kiram, is like a brother to the nation of Americans and wants to know if they are the same to him." General Bates has shown great skill in onciliating the native chiefs. The Moro chiefs of the island of Mindanao

do not acknowledge allegiance to the sultan of Sulu. Dato (chief) Mandi of Mindanao came to visit General Bates in Jolo to assure him of his friendliness toward the On the trip to Mindanao your correspond-

ent found the Moros friendly, but the towns of Zamboanga and Mercedes are held by the insurgents. They number 500 men and are armed with rifles, under their leader, Alvarez, who stated to the commander of the Castine that he desired to be neutral until the difficulty with Aguinaldo in Luzon was settled. If the latter was eaten he would surrender.

In Cebu the insurgents still hold their trong positions in the mountains. The majority of the population do not want to fight, but are hostile in spirit. The native servant of an American officer was caught by the insurgents and branded on the forehead with the word "traitor."

In the case of Iloilo the insurgents are entrenched about the nearby towns of Jaro and Molo. The rainy season prevents an active campaign, but considerable fighting may be expected in the fall. The rich na tives have not returned to their homes. The Island of Negros is still unsettled General Hughes has sent extra troops to suppress the uprising. The richer class of natives are gradually returning to their

FIFTH WEEK OF THE STRIKE

Men Just as Determined as Ever-Company Insists the Strike is Ended.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 14.—The fifth week of the second strike of the employes of the Cleveland electric street railway opened to-

when he claims his wife seized a hatchet directed against it.

Party in Iowa Bitterly Divided on Formation of Platform.

BRYAN AND WEAVER WILL GIVE ADVICE

Conservative Element Desires to Keep Silver Question in the Background, but Meets Opposition from Rabid Wing.

gathered here tomorrow evening to attend to the convention, but to attend the Bryan | the state convention of Wednesday. Bryan is to arrive late in the afternoon. He will be met at the railroad station by the state central committee and a few hundred followers and escorted to his hotel. At 8 o'clock he will speak to the delegates in the new auditorium and following this address will speak at the Tabernacle, where General Weaver is to precede him.

Much depends on the address of Mr. Bryan. It will determine in a considerable measure what the party in the state is to do the following day. There are two factions bitterly opposed to each other. One is for making silver and 16 to 1 the main issue. The other is for bringing to the front anti-expension and the anti-trust plank, denouncing the war and the administration of McKinley.

Sells Alms at Gubernatorial Chair. Cato Sells of Vinton is the leader of the onservative element which wants to keep 16 to 1 in the background. He is backed by every man on the state central committee. His support is strong and he is making relations with Reed are still most friendly, a hard campaign for the nomination for governor. He refuses to make any statement, but is working hard. S. H. Bashor of Watterloo is the opponent of Sells. He is also

> What the platform will be depends on the success of the Selle or Bashor party. The Chicago platform will be endorsed in any Following deaths have been the 16 to 1 people subdued. The party will Rico: probably win that gets the support of Bryan. There seems to be no likelihood tonight that fantry, Company F, intestinal complaints;

In regard to the other state offices little candidates. No one wants to run. There of casualties: are several delegations of populists here and they are scheduled to hold a convention. They will in all probability, however, do 30th, nothing but adjourn after endorsing the

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said in an interview that he was willing to Rico Steamship company, sailing from this

change if the Americans were substituted of War Meiklejohn has placed bovine animals for immediate consumption and all agricultural machinery on the free list for the

ANOTHER RELIEF PROCLAMATION. Secretary of War Issues Few Instruc

tions on Mode of Procedure. WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The secretary of war this afternoon issued the following proclamation to governors of states for aid for the storm sufferers in Porto Rico: "Sir-I enclose herewith copies of two telegraphic dispatches received last evening

from the governor general of Porto Rico, by which it appears that the devastation wrought by the recent hurricane in that island is even greater than was at first supposed. It is evident that a great multitude of people rendered utterly destitute by this awful calamity must be fed and cared for during a considerable period until they can have the opportunity to produce food for themselves. Enormous quantities of supplies such as indicated by the governor

general must be orocured. "The magnitude of the work to be a complished leads this department to supplement the appeal already made to the mayors of the principal cities of the country by a more general appeal and I beg you to ask the people of your state to take generously to the relief of Porto Rico.

"Swift steamers have been provided to leave the port of New York to carry the supplies directly to Porto Rico as rapidly as they can be collected.

"Contributions should be either in supplies of the character indicated or in money. in order that the supplies can be purchased. The supplies should be sent to Colonel F. B. Jones. Army building, foot of Whitehall street, New York City, in packages plainly marked 'Porto Rican relief,' and he should be consulted as to the time of shipment. Money should be sent to the National bank of North America, New York City, which has been designated as a depository for the relief. Very respectfully,

Transport McPherson Sails.

"ELIHU ROOT, Secretary of War."

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The transport Mc-Pherson, with a cargo of supplies for the storm sufferers of Porto Rico, left its pier in Brooklyn this afternoon. About twoquantities of rice, beans, grain, clothing, tending to kill him lumber, etc., required for the immediate Eastwood escaped. necessity of the sufferers. Up to within a quarter of an hour of sailing voluntary do-nations kept piling in. It is expected that San Juan will be reached not later than

Further Storm News, NASSAU, N. P., Aug. 14.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The hurricane is ended, the center passing west yesterday afternoon. The shipping in the harbor was much injured. Many small vessels were tost. The American steamship Cocoa is safe.

New President in Peru. LIMA, Peru, Aug. 14.—(Via Galveston, Tex.)—At an exciting session today the Peruvian congress formally approved the recent presidential elections and proclaimed Eduardo Romana as president and Senores Atzamora and Bresani as first and second vice presidents respectively.

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Everything that pertains to vehicles—everything to please you. Why DES MOINES, Aug. 14.—(Special Telegram.)—W. J. Bryan and James B. Weaver on the bulled to address the democrats of Iowa ONE HUNDRED different styles. Write for catalogue. Call and see me. No trouble to show you.

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Commanding Officers in Philippines

and Porto Rico Send Lists to War Department.

command: Drowned: July 20, Patrick Duffy, cor-

poral, Company H, Twenty-first infantry; Al Stafford, Company H. Twenty-first infantry; August 7, Albert Peuitski, Company A, Twenty-first infantry. Dysentery: August 6, Thomas Maloney, Company E, Seventeenth infantry; August 8, Walter E. Hutchingson, Company A, Fifty-first Iowa; August 8, Fredrick S. Batri, Company B, Twelfth infantry. Typhoid fever: August 1, William Kunzig, Company B, Sixth inon the ground and making the fight of his life. He is backed by the populistic element. This faction is undoubtedly the ment. This faction is undoubtedly the fantry; August 8, Rodney Clark, Company stronger in numbers, but the conservative ker, Company M, Fourth cavalry. Emanelement is trying to outgeneral them. Unless Bashor can win the nomination on the first ballot his chances seem slim. The silver people will control if numbers deter- Enteritis: August 9, Emil Jessiam, Company K, Third artillery. From wounds in action: August 11, Nicholas Nolan, Com-

Following deaths have been reported to event, but it is hoped by the leaders to keep the War department from Ponce, Porto Corporal Andrew Peterson, Eleventh in

there will be any other candidates, the August 10, Charles W. Wheatley, Eleventh friends of M. J. Wade declaring he is not in infantry, Company G, typhoid fever, August 11.

The War department today received from is being done. There are practically no General Otis the following additional list

Killed: Sixth infantry, at Bebon, Negros, July 19, Company K, David S, Anderson; 30th, Company K, Vincent Seger, near San Isidro, Negros, John Heichener; Twensupplies for porto richards

Supplies for porto richards

Steamships Will Carry Contributions

Free of Charge to the Stricken

Islanders.

Washington, Aug. 14.—By direction of
the president all relief supplies sent to Porto
Rico will be admitted to all parts of that
island duty free. The War department has
received the following telegram from the
New York & Porto Rico Steamship company,
and requests that this dispatch be published
generally by papers throughout the United

San Isldro, Negros, John Heichener; Twenty-third infantry, near Pardo, Cebu, July
24, Company K, Robert H. Moore; Seventeenth infantry, near San Fernando, Luzon,
August 9, Company D, Corporal Samuel T.
Bollinger; Ninth infantry, company H, Charles
J. Lavier, jr., Fourth infantry, near Novaleta, August 11; Company I, Frank Lampman, Twenty-second infantry, near San
Luis, Twelfth infantry, Company D, Via W.
Cox; Twenty-first infantry, near Mariquina, Company B, Welling Colfins; Company G, John A. Brennen; Twenty-fourth
infantry, E. James Noid; Company B, Sergeants James Robinson, and Company F.
Wounded: Twenty-first infantry, at Calamba, July 39, Company C, Corporal Alex-

amba July 30. Company C. Con of his chiefs, many of whom express friendly generally by papers throughout the United sentiments toward the Americans. Yokonine, the most powerful chief in Sulu Island, said in an interview that he was willing to force the sultan to terms if he refused the port Friday, August 18, for Ponco direct, will second Lieutenant Marion M. Weeks, abdothus the controversy to arbitration or that Canada first infantry, near Mariquina, August 12, should construct a railway to Dawson City, thus opening up a purely Canadian line of the controversy to arbitration or that Second Lieutenant Marion M. Weeks, abdothus opening up a purely Canadian line of the controversy to arbitration or that canada should construct a railway to Dawson City, thus opening up a purely Canadian line of American propositions. All the chiefs complain of the bad treatment the sultan has given them.

The Chinese population of Siassi, which was formerly held by the Spaniards, but was given over by them to the sultan's men, them should be marked "Relief Supplies" and the school of Ponco direct, will second Lieuteant Marion M. Weeks, abdomen, men, moderate; Company E, Corporal Louis men, moderate; Company B, First Sergeant George T. Roflins, arm, severe; Charles Wallington, leg. severe; Company G, James J. Canaly, thigh, moderate; Frank D. James J. Canaly, thigh, moderate; Frank D. James J. Canaly, thigh, severe: Twenty-fourth in-

DIAZ WILL VISIT CHICAGO

President of Mexico Sends Acceptance to Invitation of the

Diaz will be a guest of Chicago during the fall festival and the exercises attending the aying of the corner stone of the new federal building, October 9. This information was conveyed to Richard S. Lyon, president of the Board of Trade, in a letter received from the president of Mexico today. He wrote that if his health permitted he would certainly accept the invitation which he understood would be tendered him and which the committee that left Chicago Sunday night is carrying to him.

DESTRUCTIVE CLEVELAND FIRE

Explosion of Gasoline Causes Severa Costly Buildings to Be Burned

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 14.-The town of Berea, thirteen miles southeast of this city, was for the second time within a week threatened with destruction by fire today. Two companies from this city have gone to the vicinity of the site, which was on the

The fire started in a bicycle store by an explosion of gasoline. Several buildings are already burned and at 3 o'clock the fire was still raging. There is a high wind blowing the history of the remarkable Mori Pitcher, and grave apprehension exists as to the safety of the business part of the town.

THRILLING TRIPLE TRAGEDY

East Middlebury, Vt., the Scene of th Culmination of Imagined Domestic Injuries.

MIDDLEBURY, Vt., Aug. 14 .- In East Middlebury tonight a man named Eastwood dealings with the unseen powers. went to the home of his mother-in-law and contrary, all information secured in regard shot his wife and her mother, killing both. to her goes to prove her a woman of more He then drove to Middlebury, went to the than ordinary intelligence, charitable to the residence of Frank Fenn, shot him through poor, a devoted wife and mother and a kind the heart, killing him instantly; then shot neighbor, as well as being credited with marat Fenn's wife and just missed her. East- velous powers of predicting future events. thirds of the original cargo of army sup-wood then went to the residence of his Her proper name was Mary Pitcher, although plies were left behind to make room for the wife's brother, E. D. Brown, evidently in-she was familiarly known as "Moll" Pitcher. tending to kill him, but could not find him. It appears that isolated cases of successful

> Allied to Bubonic Pingue. LONDON, Aug. 15 .- The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Oporto, Portugal:

"The suspicious disease which broke out here recently has become epidemic. Its Guild and John T. Moulton, to distinguish symptoms are identical with those of the the spot, erected a neat gravestone. bubonic plague. The doctors disagree as to its precise character, but admit that it must be allied to the dreaded eastern malady Sanitation and the water supply here are bad and the wildest rumors are current. The authorities are taking energetic measures.

Choice of Two Remedies. LONDON, Aug. 14 .- Sir Charles Tupper, eader of the opposition in the Canadian House of Commons, who arrived at Liverpool today on board the steamer Parislan when interviewed regarding the Alaskan af-

## DEATH REPORTS FROM ARMY Cheap Acreage Near Council Bluffs DAY & HESS COUNCIL BLUFFS,

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champlain at 5:30 this evening. Torpedo Bont Accepted WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The torpedo boat Fox, built by Wolff & Zwicker on the Pacific coast, was today accepted by the gov

Decides Upon Date. Windy City.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 14.—The executive committee of the New England Bimetallic league today decided to hold its big mass meeting and convention at Crescent Park September 2, 3 and 4.

Lockout Declared Off.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Aug. 14.—A spe-tial to the Times-Union and Citizen from Tampa says the cigarmakers' lockout was declared off today and that all the factories are open and at work. Threatening at Charleston.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Aug. 14.—High winds and heavy rains have prevailed here today and tonight. MOLL PITCHER'S HOUSE RAZED.

Home of the "Pythoness of Lynn" No Longer a Landmark There. The last vestiges of the Pitcher house, in which lived the famous Moll Pitcher, the "Pythoness of Lynn," have disappeared, reports the Boston Transcript. The old building has been demolished, and the material, bricks, stones, etc., used in the construction of new buildings which are being erected in

northwesterly side of Essex street, nearly

opposite the corner of Pearl street.

The recent removal of this old landmark has intensified the interest always taken in woh achieved such a wide reputation throughout New England in the early part of this century and the last of the one before. According to researches made by the Essex Antiquarian society, an injustice has been done to the memory of Moll Pitcher by accounts which describe her as a witch, decrepit, malevolent and possessed of all the wicked traits commonly ascribed to those of the time who were suspected of predictions in early womanhood gradually built up her reputation as a fortune teller, and she became known widely as a prophet ess. She died April 13, 1813, aged 75, and was buried in the 5ld cemetery near the western end of Lynn common. Her grave was unmarked until 1887, when Isaac O.

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