Gevernment Reports Eleven Sweltering in the Poiling Sun.

KANSAS MAY GET HALF LE YF CORN

Must thip Cattle to Market Beca. 7. is Getting fcarce.

VARIOUS CITIES ARE AFRAID OF FIRE

Fruit and Vegetable Crops Total Failure and Pastures Dried Up.

Report from Far South Says Cotton is Being Injured by Drouth that Has Prevailed-Most of Corn Crop Burned.

WASHINGTON, July 14.-Reports to the weather bureau show that the hot weather continued today in nineteen states and territories of the great corn belt, the Ohio valley and various portions of the south. There seems to be no immediate evidence of abatement, except in the south and southwest, where local thunderstorms may 10, says; tause some moderation. The states affected include Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Kentucky, Tennessee, Atabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, warmer also in the upper take region and of the country is now Japanese. in New England, Marquette, Mich., reporting today a record-breaking temperature with studied conciliation, estentatiously iters there. They strolled south about two of 102 degrees. Hope of rain today in the communicating to the Japanese legation miles and called at the home of a farmer the east. region affected by the heat was not fulfilled, only traces of it appearing in one or two sections, except at Galveston, Tex., where about one-third of an inch fell, and in eastern Texas, where there were local The temperatures rethunderstorms. ported today show only slight variations from the extremes of the last few days and these are due to local conditions entirely. In Des Moines, Ia., today the temperature was 100, in Kansas City 102 and in Omaha 103, while at Davenport, la., Denver, Colo., Little Rock, Ark., New Or-

leans, North Platte, Neb., St. Paul and Vicksburg, Miss., it was 96 or higher. KANSAS CITY, July 14 .- No relief came many places in western Missouri, Kansas and the territories of temperatures over the 100 mark. At most places the sun shone mercilessly with not even a fitful cloud to break its rays nor a slight breeze In Kansas City last night proved more bearable, a breeze from the north alleviating the condition, but a day of intense heat followed.

Tonight there is a prospect of rain in Oklahoma, but there are no indications of a change in any other part of the southwest. With no relief in sight the fears for the erons that have been expressed are fast becoming realities and the scarcity of water and generally dry condition make the element of fire a most serious one. What the real damage to corn, the crop most affected, will be is problematical, but it is probably safe to say that half the crop will be lost. The supply of water is short in almost every direction and the shipments of cattle and hogs to this market to save them must continue. In Kansas City today the government thermometer reached 102 and at Maryville, Kan 104 was recorded against 100 yesterday There were three prostrations at Mary

Weather Report from Lincoln.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 14.-Nebraska again suffered from the heat today. The highest temperature reported by the weather bureau was 102 degrees at 4:30, but the thermome ters in the business district recorded 109. The mean temperature of the day was 90 degrees, the highest of the year. The restate during the last twenty-four hours. Reports that reach Lincoln tonight indicate that rain failing within two days will

yet save the corn crop. The wind shifted to the southeast this evening and the atmosphere is somewhat cooler. No Crop Near St. Joseph

ST. JOSEPH July 14 .- The long contin ued drouth has resulted in the entire ruin of the corn and oats crop in this section of the country. Corn has commenced to tassel only a few feet high and no amount of rain would now be of any benefit to that cereal. The fruit and vegetable crops are also complete failures and the pas tures have dried up so that the farmers are paying enormous prices for hay and Today was clear and hot with no relief apparently in sight. Unless rain comes this week wheat, which was an abundant crop, will have to be substituted even the coarser and cheaper kinds of feed.

Iowa Weather Unchanged.

BURLINGTON, Ia., July 14.-Today was the sixth day in succession that the mercury went to 100 and over. There are no signs of relief.

ARDMORE, I. T., July 14.-Reports from the cotton belt show that cotton is being injured by the drouth that has prevailed in Chickasaw Nation for the past fiv weeks. Unless rain falls within the next few days crops will be cut short. About 60 per cent of the corn crop has already been ruined. There will be no marketable corn. The crop of other grains is a total failure

equaled today by the government ther- jawbone, right wrist and hip and sustainmometer, the maximum being 98. There was ! a hot breeze from the south blowing most of the day, which greatly added to the dis- are fatal. comfort. The hot wave continues throughout Minnesota and the Dakotas, Huron reporting 102 and Sioux Falls 100. At the latter place a child went to sleep in the sun and died from the heat. New Ulm, Minn., reports a temperature of 104, with a number

Prof. W. M. Hayes of the State agricultural experimental farm reports that the hot wave is doing a great deal of damage to wheat in southern Minnesota and that chinchbugs are very numerous and are contributing to the destruction. He believes that but a small crop will be harvested in this section.

Oklahoma Expects Rain.

EL RENO, Okl., July 14 .- The trains to-Any brought in moderate crowds for registration. There are probably 10,000 people here. Everything is quiet and orderly and every man is comfortably situated. The temperature here today was around the point, but no serious inconvenience was experienced by the homeseckers. Indications point to rain during the night. MUNCIE, Ind., July 14 .- The continued

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Expedition on the Steamer Erik Sal's North to Ald the Explorers.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 14 .- The stemper Erik left North Sydney this morning on call at Labrador and then at the various; Esquimaux stations in Greenland West. reaching Etah under favorable conditions in about three weeks. At the various stations it will make inquiries as to news . Licutenant Peary and the Windward.

'he Erik took 250 tons of coal and is sioned for at least a year. The memof the Peary Arctic club, who went the steamer, are Dr. F. A. Cook, surgeon of the expedition; Herbert Stone and Herbert Berri, both of Brooklyn; C. F. L. C. Whitney Church of Elgin, Ill.

WHEAT WILL HAVE TO BE USED AS FEED gentlemen have agreed to contribute \$1,000 this afternoon and then committed suia year for a number of years to aid Lieu- cide. tenant Peary. The Erik carries a crew of hardy Newfoundlanders, used to the There was a large crowd at the dock to bid farewell and success to the ex-

> Watching Every Move of the Rus- during the afternoon and again later in the sians Along Korean Border.

LONDON, July 15 .- Dr. Morrison, wir- the couple and because of their noisy Walnut Street theater, M. C. Anderson, ing to the Times from Seoul, Kerea, July demeanor ordered them off the streets proprietor.

"The Japanese are well maintaining their hotel and during the night guests heard owned by the Orpheum company. position in Korea, acting cautiously, yet them quarreling. Prange appeared to be watching with unceasing vigilance every endeavoring to persuade his wife to removement of Russia and particularly along turn to Omaha and she refused. This the Kerean frontier. They are increasing afternoon they went to Lake Contrary, South Dakots, North Dakota, Colorado and in number constantly throughout the penin- took lunch at a restaurant and strolled Michigan. It has become considerably sula and one-nineteenth of the shipping about the lake front for some time. They owned by the Orpheum company,

the movements of the Russian troops in and asked for a drink of water, which Menchuria and particularly if these affect they received. the Korean frontier."

MOURN FOR THEIR PRESIDENT Body of the Dead Chillan Mag- and shake her severely. She broke away istrate Lies in State.

July 14.—The body of President Errazuriz, left. He sent a bullet through the center burg, its territory extending to the Mis who died Friday, was brought to this city today and received with solemn public ceremonial, no fewer than 100,000 people today from the heat. It was a repetition of participating in the procession and as the past two weeks, with reports from spectators. It will lie in the hall of the Chamber of Deputies until Tuesday, when the interment will take place. All the theaters are closed and the oc-

casion is one of general mourning.

Noted Iowan Arrives at San Francisco on His Way to His Station in China.

nited States minister to Nippon Maru.

Baden-Powell to Go to England. LONDON, July 15.-General Baden-Powell, the Times announces, is suffering from overwork and fever and his medical gland.

Rulers Will Not Meet. LONDON, July 15 .- "King Edward, Emwill not meet at the review at Mayence about August 15," says the Berlin cor-

respondent of the Standard, but they will exchange visits at Darmstadt. Ex-Premier Crispi Better. NAPLES, July 14.-The condition of Signor Francesco Crispi, who last Monday

suffered an apoplectic seizure which in ports show that no rain has fallen in the view of his advanced age caused considerable anxiety, is now much improved. Russian Mittary Increase

LONDON, July 15 .- Emperor Nicholas, according to a dispatch from St. Petersburg, has issued an order that 308,500 men shall be recruited for the Russian army and navy during the present year.

German Emigration Statistics. BERLIN. July 14 - The emigration from Germany by way of Hamburg and Bremen during the first six months of this year reached 112,968, as against 117,930 for the corresponding period of last year.

Melba Cannot Sing. LONDON, July 15 .- Mme. Melba is suf-

fering from an attack of laryngitis and her physicians have ordered her not to sing at Covent Garden this week.

Another Carnegie Library. LONDON, July 15 .- Andrew Carnegie has

offered £10,000 for the erection of a free public library in Annen, Scotland.

ANOTHER FALLS FROM WINDOW Well Known Young Man of Louisville Leans Out Too

Far.

LOUISVILLE. Ky., July 14.-Stewart Leathers, one of the best known young men in Louisville and a son of Captain they will raise the standard of revolt John H. Leathers, fell from a third-story window of his father's residence on Ormsby ST. PAUL. July 14 .- The heat record was svenue at 11 o'clock tonight, breaking his ical movement initiated in the most ening internal injuries. Physicians are unable to say whether Mr. Leathers' injuries

> CLEVELAND LUMBER BURNS Railroad Trestie Destroyed, Causing Trouble in Getting Trains

Through. CLEVELAND, O., July 14.-Fire tonight destroyed \$60,000 worth of lumber belonging to the Cleveland Sawmill and Lumber

A Wheeling & Lake Eric trestle in the vicinity of the blaze was burned and trains on that road will enter this city on the tracks of the Valley road.

Socialist Unity Convention

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 14 .- Official nnouncements were sent out from here today for the National Socialist Unity convention to be held at Masonic hall in this city. July 29. The convention will repre- water penitentiary at 19 o'clock this mornsent all branches and locals affiliated with ing. For the present they will make their the Social democratic parties with head- | bome in Stillwater and it has not yet been quarters respectively at Chicago and decided where they will be employed. The Springfield, Mass., the sections of socialist | men spent their first day of freedom upon labor parties and the various organizations a steamboat excursion up the St. Croix of socialist parties.

Robert Prange Phoots Wife and Belf at St Joe

Its voyage to the frozen north. It is to PREPARES ALL DETAILS BEFOREHAND

Deed is Done After Much Consing and Some Quarreling-Omaha Friends Have Previous Intimu-

tion.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., July 14 .- (Special Telegram.)-R. Prange, whose business cards represent him to have been manager of the Wikoff and L. C. Benedict of Ithaca and Schlitz hotel, Omaha, and manager of the Schlitz Brewery agency at that point, mur-Dr. Cook said that fourteen American dered his wife near Lake Contrary late

He made careful preparations for the clothing that would lead to his identity. Prange came to this city yesterday morning from Omaha to look for his wife, who had left him several days ago because of JAPANESE REMAIN IN KOREA his alleged dissolute babits and cruelty toward her. They met at the postoffice

Prange was drinking late in the day and at a late hour last night Patrolmen Kinneman and Brown stopped a back containing under penalty of arrest. They retired to a quarreled most of the time and their ac-"Russia, recognizing Japan's power, acts Mons attracted the attenion of many vis-

Double Shooting.

Returning toward the lake Prange was Merchants' Association of New York seen to grab his wife by her right arm from him and ran ahead. He overtook her and the couple entered a grove. A few minutes later Prange sent a bullet through his wife's brains. He carefully arranged became a corpse.

tonight that when Mrs. Prange came to this ger bureau. city several days ago she went to the home MINISTER CONGER TO LEAVE Omaha when both were school girls. It was made to it some time ago for the usual which complaints did not come from some called the meeting.

Prange's History in Omaha. SAN FRANCISCO, July 14 .- E. H. Conger, twice at the latter's restaurant in Omaha. had already agreed to concur. He was first in the latter's employ from rived, enroute to Pekin. Minister Conger 1888 to 1891, when he quit Omaha and went begin its July meeting at Glenwood Springs, depended for financial backing, an old-time matter up at the meeting. German brower committed spicide at the advisers in South Africa have ordered him Merchants' hotel and frustrated his plans to take complete rest and proceed to En- When Mr. Buthorn took possession of the Schlitz Prange went to work for him as Ferry Boats Feel Their Way Through manager, but at the end of three months was discharged, as Mr. Buthorn says he found that he was not a success. Since peror Nicholas and Emperor William then Prange has been selling cigars on

commission for the A. J. Sherret company and Blatz beer for Tom Foley. No one in Omaha knows Prange went to St. Joseph. Ed Maurer says that Prange was at his place last Monday or Tuesday evening. Maurer invited him to take a glass of beer and when Prange intimated that he did not care for any insisted on his drinking with him. Prange did so, with the remark that it was probably the last drink they would

ever enjoy together. It is said by one of the employes at Maurer's place that he had heard that Prange's wife had gone to St. Joseph time ago, but he knew nothing fur ther. Mr. Buthorn says that they were a queer couple in their relations, as the wife was usually away from her husband in California or elsewhere. Ed Maurer recalls that once while in his employ Prange told him that his wife had attempted suicide by taking poison. None of the acquaintances of Prange who were consulted knew much about Mrs. Prange or her antecedents.

TO ARISE AND SMITE CHURCH Mexican Students Appeal to All Countrymen in Manifesto Against Roman Catholics.

issued a flery manifesto against the Roman Catholic church. They say a congress composed of educated young men of the country will soon assemble to take action on church matters. The government will be asked to confiscate all property found to proceeds to be applied to the payment of beach this afternoon. The dead: the national debt.

The students call on all Mexicans arise and smite the church and declare against the church above the sepulcher of Juarez and will continue the anti-clerlightened nations of the globe.

There are fears of a renewal of the anticlerical disturbances on the 18th inst. which is the anniversary of President Juarez's death. Today it is announced that every workingman's society will be in the procession. Some portions of the manifesto are so violent that the newspapers have refused to print them. Father Icaza now repeats his denial the charges against him and the women's societies under his direction have issued an address declaring full belief in his in-

YOUNGER BROTHERS ARE OUT Notorious Bank Robbers at Last Enjoy Full Freedom After Long

Imprisonment.

tegrity.

Younger, who were granted a conditional Rev. Mass ST. PAUL, July 14 .- Coleman and James parcle by the Board of Pardons on Wednesday last, were released from the Stillriver.

MANY STATES ROAST START OUT TO FIND PEARY ONAHA MAN'S DUAL KILLING THEATER TRUST THE LATEST NOTHING BUT HEAT IN SIGHT CONDITION OF THE WEATHER JOE BARTLEY'S DEED

All the Orpheum Circuit with Many Other Vaudeville Houses Incorporate.

CHICAGO, July 14 .- The Tribune tomorrow will say: With a capitalization of bethe chief vaudeville theaters between Chicago and the Pacific coast are about to be merged into a single property. The Conditions of Growth Are Such as principles employed in industrial combines are being used to bring about the unification. Stock in the new corporation will be ussued to the individual theater proprietors in amounts proportionate to the valuation placed upon the respective theaters. Papers of incorporation will be filed under the laws of Illinois. The largest interests involved in the coalition are those of the Kohl and Castle theaters of Chicago and of the theaters of the Orpheum circuit of the west. The only vaudeville manager in a city as far east as Chicago to be a party to the arrangement is M. C. Anderson of Cincinnati, controlling crime by destroying everything about his Heuck's opera house and the Walnut Street theater in that city.

The twelve theaters which will become locations are as follows:

Chicago-The Chicago opera house, the Olympic theater and the Haymarket theater, owned by Kohl and Castle: Hopkins' theater, owned by J. D. Hopkins, and, indirectly, the Masonic Temple roof theater, managed by J. J. Murdock. Cincinnati-Henck's opera house and the

San Francisco-The Orpheum theater New Orleans-The Crescent theater,

owned by J. D. Hopkins. Kansas City-The Orpheum theater. owned by the Orpheum company. Omaha-The Creighton-Orpheum theater,

Dental of a vigorous sort was given tonight to a question asking if the union was one either of offense or defense against

IS GETTING RATES ALL FIXED

Persundes Central Passenger Men to Be Agreeable. .

NEW YORK, July 14.-The Central Passenger association, which has jurisdiction SANTIAGO DE CHILI, via Galveston, her body and himself lay down to the over the lines west of Buffalo and Pittsof his own forehead and almost instantly sissippi river and as far south as the Ohlo river, including the cities of Chicago and Prauge carried in his pockets a number St. Louis, has, at the request of the Merof his own business cards, but carefully de- chants' association of this city, agreed to stroyed them. He was about 45 years of concur in rates which may be made from age and his wife about 35. It was learned the territory of the Southwestern Passen-

will sail next Wednesday on the steamer to California. He returned to Omaha in Colo., tomorrow. C. M. Pratt, chairman 1898 and was employed as head waiter at of that bureau, has been notified by wire Maurer's during the two expositions. Later of the action of the Central Passenger he made an effort to secure a lease of the association in agreeing to concur in dates Schlitz hotel, but the party upon whom he and rates. He has been asked to take the

the Narrows with Greatest Difficulty. the mist. One of these boats which left

Pier 1, North river, at 2.45 p. m., did not reach Coney Island until 6:15 p. m. On reaching The Narrows the pilot found the fog so thick that he decided it would be folly to attempt to steam through it. So the boat made a circle and returned almost to Pier 1 again. The 1,200 passengers were mystified by this movement. The movement was repeated twice and only by following a tug through The Narrows reached Coney Island. The presence of the tug tonight gave rise to long stories that two excursion boats had gone down with all on board. When sifted these stories developed the fact that the Julia, plying between Caparsie and Rockaway, had gone ashore in Carnarsie bay, but was floated again in two hours. No one was hurt. Another rumor was that the big excursion steamer General Slocum, with several hundred passengers aboard, had gone down off Norton's point. Investigation showed this story arose from the accident to the Julia and the further fact that the General Slocum was detained down the bay by the fog.

TRAGEDY AT SAVANNAH

MEXICO CITY, July 14.—Students today Six Hebrew Picnickers Are Drowned While Bathing in the Surf.

SAVANNAH, Ga., July 14 -Six persons were drowned while surf bathing at a pienic be held by the clergy or their agents, the of the Hebrew Gamahl-Hasad at Daufuskie MRS. ABE DICKSTEIN, aged 23.

ANNIE KRONSTADT, aged 10. IDA KRONSTADT, aged 17. LEAH SILVERSTEIN, aged 17. ANNIE HOROWITZ, aged 13. ISAAC ZACHT, aged 22.

A strong southeast wind was blowing and he tide was at flood. Fifty yards off shore a a shoal and between the shoal and the hore is a sluice. The party was bathing on the shoal, but finding the tide getting rather high, the bathers concluded to go nearer shore. Almost at once they found themselves in the sluice, over their heads, with olg waves pounding and a sweeping current unning. Of twelve who started across the sluice six were drowned. Mrs. Dickstein's body was found floating in the surf an hour after the tragedy, but the others were swept

ut to sea.

Universalist Young People Meet. ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 14.—The clos-ng day of the Young People's Christian association of the Universalist church was shered in by meetings in several churches.

This evening a mass meeting was held in the Lyceum theater. Rev. M. D. Shutter D. D. of Minneapolis delivered an address on "Universalism in Modein Though." on "Universalism in Modern Though."
Rev. G. L. Perrin, D. D., of Boston, spoke on "Universalism in Modern Though."
Rev. F. O. Hall. D. D., of Cambridge, Mass., closed with an address on The Religion of a Man." President Has Quiet Day

ANTON, O., July 14.-President and Mrs. McKinley passed a quiet Sunday, spending most of the day in the house or on the front porch. During the early morning they took a drive. The president then went to the First Methodist Episcopal church for morning services. church for morning services,

Weather Man Welsh Sees No Sign of Immed ate Relief.

tween \$1,000,000 and \$3,000,000 twelve of CORN WELL FIXED FOR A DRY SPELL

Favor the Staple Cereal and Obviate the Customary Damage from Heat.

"Of course such reports as we receive

on Sundays are very meager and I have not

seen even them," said Forecaster Welsh of the local office of the weather bureau. About 3,000 persons saw Carlisle D. Graham bilities, but so far as I am able to judge noon. The barrel is of locust wood, oval from the reports received during the week shaped, except that it has a flat head; i I do not see any cause for immediate hope is about five feet long, nineteen inches it of relief from the existing state of diameter at the foot and twenty-six inches Governor's Action Debated by Citizens weather. The same torrid condition pre- at the head. With its 100 pounds of balvails throughout the west, or as far west last it weighs 165 pounds. The start was the property of the combine and their as the mountains, and it is extending eastward, so that there appears to be no immediate prospect of a change. It has reached the Ohio valley and is moving castward, so that the distress and suffering lever bridge for a quarter of an hour. The recently experienced in the eastern cities are likely to be repeated unless local conditions come to their relief. As far as

see no change from the past several days. Record-Making Weather.

local conditions at Omaha are concerned I

"Yes, this section has been smashing records on hot weather for some time past. There has been nothing experienced like it here since the hot spell of 1874, when the spell lasted from the 9th of July until some time in August and the mercury ran up to 102 and 103 for a number of days in succession and one day it touched 105. That was the record for years and it took the hot wind of July 26, 1894, to wipe it out. On that day the thermometer registered 106. The highest point reached during the existing heated spell was 103, but since the 23d of June, with the exception of two or three days, the mercury has been lingering around the 100 degree point Over in Illinois it has been up to 113, in Missouri temperatures as high as 114 have been reported and down in Kansas it has gone to 100 and possibly a little higher, "Out along the Pacific coast, however, they have been having an even temperature averaging around in the 50s and 60s.

Crops Are Doing Well.

braska as a rule. Of course there are com- downtown office building in this city and that is always the case, no matter how a new party should enter the field of Ohio favorable the conditions generally through politics. This last-named association has juris- the state. During the many years I have The attendance at the conference was act authorizing Bartley to draw such a of Ada Oakley, the keeper of a resort on diction over the lines in Texas, Indian Ter- been connected with the weather service larger and represented a greater area in warrant. April 10, 1895, he drew the war-Main street whom she had known in ritory and Oklahoma. Application was here I do not believe there has been one in the state than was expected by those who backwardness of the crop, is now a decided ciples.

advantage. immediate cause for apprehension in Nebraska, but one cannot tell how long the Firebugs in 'Frisco Set Several Stacorn will hold out. In the present condition of Nebraska corn, however, it is hard to kill and does not yield to heat until the oots are touched."

Grain men say that in the northern part usually less-favored localities of the west-

ern part of the state.

Light Local Rains Reported. enough to burn a barn with a stroke of between Rush and Sutter, caught fire. There Bartley guilty was made up as follows: A. lightning. The weather bureau reports re- were fifty head of horses in the stable. P. Fry, J. V. Shipley, G. R. Wahlgren, Chris ceived last evening showed that a trace of Eight of them were burned to death. rain had been enjoyed at St. Louis. During quarter of an inch at Santa Fe. N. M., and something over a third of an inch at Gal- Marshal Joe Wheeler Invites Millveston, Tex., showing that the fountains of the heavens have not gone wholly dry and disproving the startling theory of the Kansas City man who asserted that it would be impossible for it to rain until the weather ize any precipitation before it could reach the ground.

POISON CASE IS REVIEWED Botkin's Attorneys Will Carry

It to the United States Court.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 14 .- The attorneys of Mrs. Cordelia Botkin, who has asked to be present. Secretary Root and been granted a new trial by the state supreme court on the charge of murdering Mrs. John P. Dunning of Delaware, are preparing to carry her case to the United States supreme court. They will file tomorrow a petition in the state court for a writ of habeas corpus. It is expected that the application will be denied, in which event the case will be carried to the United States supreme court on a writ of error. In the petition for a writ of habeas corpus two new points on the question of jurisdiction will be raised. First, that the sending of a box of poisoned candy through the mail, which caused the death of Mrs. Dunning and her sister, Mrs. Deane, was not a crime in this state; second, that the constitution of the United States prohibits the trial of an accused person except in the state where the crime was actually committed.

STABLE BOY MADE DESPERATE sas, Then Shoots Himself Because of Love.

KANSAS CITY, July 14 -A special to the Times from Newton, Kan., says: Last night Miss Oma Beers, the 18-year-old a stable boy formerly in the family's emgle for her life.

Forecast for Nebraska-Fair and Continued Temperature at Omaha Yesterday: Hour. Hour. 2 p. m..... 100 3 p. m.....101 4 p. m.....100 8 a. m..... 83 6 p. m..... 98 10 n. m..... 90 7 p. m 90 11 s. m 94 S p. m 92 12 m..... 98

THROUGH NIAGARA RAPIDS Carlisle D. Graham Makes the Perilous Voyage in a Locust Wood

Barrel. NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., July 14 .-Without first having seen them I would not make his fifth successful voyage through undertake to hazard a forecast as to proba- the whirlpool rapids in a barrel this aftermade from the Maid of Mist landing be-

low the falls. The barrel was caught in an eddy and circled about a little above the Cantistronger current in the middle of the stream dually jerked it out of the eddy in the penitentiary three years and one into the foaming waters of the rapids week to a day. He was taken from the Passing under the second bridge the barrel Douglas county jail to the pentientiary on had a narrow escape from being dashed to July 6, 1895, and was released on July 13, pieces against the stone abutments of the 1901. His term of twenty years still had bridge. The passage through the rapids sixteen years, eleven months and three was swift. It took the barrel five minutes weeks to run. His physical condition is to reach the eddy from the starting point reported to be excellent, except his eyes. and twenty minutes to get out of it, but He has always had trouble with his eyes, it took only three and one-half minutes to even before he was elected to the office pass through the rapids and the whirlpool, of state treasurer a distance of about a mile. At no time knees, but was otherwise unburt.

OHIO BRYAN MEN TO BOLT

Ten of His Democratic Followers in Cleveland Decide to Split the Party.

democrats who believe in Bryan and the is- not be satisfactorily accounted for sues which he represents, which the recent democratic convention ignored, will as-"No. I do not think there is any imme- semble in Columbus and make up a state diate cause for alarm for the crops in Ne- ticket. Ten men met this morning in a plaints from some points in the state, but decided that a bolt should be made and that

also learned tonight that Prange visited rates from its territory, but no action points in the state of damage to crops from A formal statement of principles was sub-Kansas City last week, searching for his could be taken until the intervening lines the heat. Corn in Nebraska is large mitted to the conference and was adopted In the central west had announced their enough to shade the ground and thus retain This will be printed and sent throughout Bartley, who a gotiated its sale through the willingness to concur in the rates which the moisture. On the other hand, it is not the state to those who are known to be Omaha National bank. The bank officials Robert Prange worked for Ed Maurer might be made. The trunk lines having so far advanced to be most susceptible to faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of demand of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of demand of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of demand of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of demand of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of demand of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of demand of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of demand of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of demand of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of demand of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of demand of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of demand of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say that Bartley ordered the proceeds of the faithful to the Nebraskan A convention say the faithful t It is after corn has tasseled that it is most Southern hotel on the last day of July. To Before Bartley went out of office, January easily affected by heat, so that what was this convention may come all those who 6, 1897, he drew a check on the general fund some time ago a cause of complaint, the sign their names to the declaration of prin- of the state for \$201,884.05, the amount of-

"Just now I should say that there is no STARTED BY INCENDIARIES

bles Afire, Burning Number of

Horses. SAN FRANCISCO, July 14 .- A series of of the state and the extreme west the corn fires early this morning indicates that in- with money from his own personal bank acwill stand ten days of existing weather, but cendiaries were at work. Stables were made down in the Republican valley country they the special mark of their torches. Twenty are beginning to feel the need of rain horses were burned to death. The fires oc-NEW YORK, July 14.-Fog tied up the badly, and the same condition prevails curred in the same general neighborhood, harbor today. The iron steamboats to along the southern tier of counties. Corn is near Larkin street. At midnight the stable coney Island had to feel their way through southeast corner of the state as in the street and Van Ness avenue was discovered to be burning. The frame building with its contents was destroyed. Twelve horses perished. While the firemen were at work an weeks. alarm was turned in from a stable on Eilis The most encouraging bit of weather news street, three blocks away. The six horses Baldrige, attorney for Douglas county that has floated into town for several days in the stable were rescued with difficulty. was that received last evening telling of a Shortly after 2 o'clock the stable of the shower at Fremont that got up steam Signal Transfer company on Larkin street. Bartley's attorneys. The jury which found

the day there was a fall of a little over a COMING FETE AT NEWPORT erts, Fred C. Anthony, Charles A. Thomp-

tary Organizations to Be

NEWPORT, R. I., July 14 .- General Jomoderated, as the terrific heat would vapor- seph Wheeler, marshal of the coming fete other persons would be implicated in the day, has sent to Governor Crane of Massa- attempted jury bribery, but Wright rechusetts a request that the Eighth and fused to disclose any information concern-Ninth Massachusetts regiments be sent ing the persons who employed him. here on the fete day to take part in the exercises. General Wheeler is anxious for the presence of these regiments, they him. There will be 3,000 men in line, men from the Atlantic squadron, naval appren-

to be present. CELEBRATE PERRY'S American and Japanese Speakers Dwell on Friendly Relations

Secretary John D. Long have been invited

Between Two Nations. YOKOHAMA, July 14.—The ceremony of inveiling at Kurihama the monument to ommemerate the landing there of Commodore Perry July 14 1853, was performed today by Rear Admiral Rodgers, commandng the United States visiting squadron Viscount Katsura, the Japanese premier delivered the memorial address and a number of other Japanese officials of high rank were present. Three American and five Japanese warships saluted. speeches were made by Americans and Japanese, all dwelling on the close relations between the two powers.

Kills a Young Girl at Newton, Kan- MEMBER OF DALTON GANG Scar-Face Jim Located in Oklahoma Suffering from a

Wound.

ARDMORE, I. T., July 14.-Scar-Face daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beers, Jim. alleged to be a member of the Dalton was shot and killed by Herbert Shacklett, gang of outlaws, was located last night when, perhaps, he should not have done in a secluded spot twenty miles east of so. In short, that he had been more ploy, who afterward shot himself through here, suffering from a bullet wound. Last the heart. Shacklett became fascinated week at Sulphur he had a desperate fight with the young woman, who did not in with deputy United States marshals and any way return his infatuation. The bodies was wounded, but escaped. The marshals served several years for the crime and were found today in the roadside three had a narrow escape. Today United States has been a model prisoner, connected with miles west of Newton. The girl had been Marshal Hammer and several deputies the fact of the pardon of Henry Bolln, shot four times and the surroundings in- started for the scene. Scar-Face says he the parole may be all right, but on the dicated that she had made a terrible strug- will not be taken alive. He is wanted other hand I am opposed to turning mea

1 p. m 100 Why He Was fent to Prison by People of Nebraska

HIS SHORTAGE WAS HALF A MILLION

State Funds Disappeared During His Two Terms as Treasurer.

CONVICTED ONLY AFTER A LONG TRIAL

Him from Popitentiary. PUBLIC SENTIMENT CONCERNING PAROLE

Every Legal Expedient Exhausted to Save

Who Hold Variously as to the Sagnelty of the Course He Has Pursued.

Joseph S. Bartley, who has just been paroled by Governor Savage, was confined

Bartley was born in Dearborn county. during the passage through the rapids was Indiana, October 28, 1858. He removed to the barrel lost sight of. It was taken from Nebraska in 1880 and settled in Holt the water after it had circled about in the county, where he engaged in farming. In whirlpool for a few minutes. Graham was 1884 he removed to Atkinson and started slightly bruised about the clows and the Exchange bank. He was connected with that institution until it was closed by the State Banking beard.

In 1892 Bartley was elected state treasurer and he was re-elected to the office two years later. During both terms the state's money was scattered among banks which were favorites with the treasurer and was not regularly accounted for. When he went out of office there was about CLEVELAND, July 14 .- On July 31 Ohio \$500,000 worth of state funds which could

Specific Charge of Embezzlement.

Bartley was charged with embezzling \$180,101.75, the proceeds of a warrant drawn against the state's general fund to reimburse the sinking fund for money that had been lost through the failure of the Capital National bank. The legislature passed an rant, but thade it payable to himself personally, rather than to Joseph S. Bartley,

This warrant was brought to Omaha by the warrant and interest which had accrued.

In defense of his action Bartley insisted that he used \$164,000 of the money derived from the warrant in payment for Otoe and Saunders county bonds, which the Board of Educational Lands and Funds instructed him to buy with money from the permanent school fund. Attorneys for the defense insisted that Bartley paid for these bonds count and thus refunded the money to the state. The records showed, however, that the permanent school fund was reduced in the amount the treasurer paid for the

Convicted in Douglas County.

Bartley was convicted of embezzlement. The case was tried in Douglas county during June of 1897 and lasted for nearly two

Attorney General C. J. Smyth and H. H. prosecuted the case. T. J. Mahoney of Omaha and C. O. Whedon of Lincoln were Steiger, Hugo Wahlers, Benjamin Trumbull, John W. Stiles, John A, Finch, C. A. Rob-

sett and Henry A. Homan. The trial began June 8. A day later Josiah S. Wright confessed to having attempted to bribe one of the jurors and was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years. His admission of guilt created a great sensation and it was thought that

Sentenced by Judge Baker. The case was tried before Judge Baker having served in the Santiago campaign with of the district court. After being out seventeen hours the jury brought in a verdlet against the defendant. Nine of the tices and local militia. Military organiza- jurors were for conviction from the first tions from other nearby states will be and the other three hung out. Chris Steiger was the last juror to be won over by the majority. A verdict was returned fune 22 and on June 25 Judge Benjamin S. Baker sentenced the ex-treasurer to twenty years' imprisonment at hard labor. Immediately after the announcement of he verdict Judge Baker released Bartley's bond for his appearance in court and re-

manded the defaulter to jail. Motions for new trials were overruled nd the case was appealed to the supreme ourt. The lower court was sustained by the higher court in a decision handed down January 6, 1898. Attorneys for the defendant were afterward allowed to submit additional argument, but avail. Bartley remained in the Douglas county jail until July 6, 1898, when he was aken to Lincoln penitentiary by Sheriff McDonald.

Public Sentiment on Parole

Some expressions of sentiment as regards the action of Governor Savage in paroling Bartley were secured yesterday. They follow thus: John L. Webster-I do not know the pro-

visions of the parole, but I signed an application for his release and would have been pleased to see an unconditional pardon. have always believed that Bartley has been made to suffer to a great extent for the shortcomings of other people and it was Bartley's generous nature that induced him to yield to the solicitations of friends sinned against than sinning.

that Bartley is almost blind; that he has out of the penitentiary through the avenue

Harry Fincher-In the light of the fact