AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Coming of Cash Doesn't Mean Pay for City Officials and Employes.

BACK CLAIMS MUST WAIT ANOTHER MONTH

All Past Due Salaries Are Included in Overlap Bond Issue and Will Be Paid Out as Proceeds of the Sale.

While the fiscal year of South Omaha commences on August 1 and the 1903 levy is available, the council will not at its first meeting in August, pay any claims or back salaries. Policemen and firemen and other city employes are anxious to get hold of some money, but these salary claims will not be paid during August. All salaries of city officials are now four months over due, while firemen and policemen are eight months behind. These claims were taken care of in the overlap bonds and when the bonds are sold will be paid. In figuring for the overlap bonds the council included all back claims and salaries, and no attention will be paid to claims of this kind when the council holds its first meetng of the fiscal year on August 3. Many of the firemen and policemen find it a hard matter to dispose of their time checks, as brokers do not care to run any chances just now, owing to the differences of opinion existing between the mayor and city council and the Fire and Police board.

A special meeting of the city council is to be held this evening for the purpose of receiving bids for the overlap bonds. These bonds will pay 5 per cent interest, and will run for twenty years with the usual option. Quite a number of inquiries have been made by bond buyers, and it is expected that there will be some lively bidding tonight. Under the charter the bonds must sell at par and the council hopes to secure a premium. When the bonds are sold it will take a couple of weeks to look over the history of the transaction and the $70,000 will hardly be available before September 1, when back salaries will be paid.

New Christian Church.

Plans have been prepared by John Kiewit, jr., for the new Christian church to be erected at Twenty-third and I streets. Members of the church are out now with subscription lists asking aid in the building of this church. The plans show a building 54 by 84 feet, with the main entrance at the corner of Twenty-third and I streets. Stone and pressed brick will enter into the construction and the roof will be of slate. In the auditorium seats for 300 have been planned. Adjoining is a Sunday school and class room with a seating capacity of about the same. The building is to be modern in every respect. So far the soliciting committee has met with good success. As soon as sufficient funds have been subscribed the contract for the building will be let. The church now owns the two lots upon which the building, which is to cost $10,000, is to be erected.

Terms Have Expired.

The terms of three members of the South Omaha Library board expired on July 1. Those who are serving until the mayor appoints their successors are Dr. W. S. White, Mrs. Josephine Carroll and Mrs. Mary Lane. Members of the board serve for one, two and three years. While those whose terms are out still hold over, the acting board is composed of Bruce McCulloch, W. S. King, Rev. D. W. Moriarty, Mrs. C. L. Talbot, W. B. Cheek and Mrs. Sloane. Appointments on the board must be made by the mayor and confirmed by the city council. When the Library board holds its next meeting another estimate will be furnished by the architect and another draft made on the fund set aside by Andrew Carnegie for the construction of the library.

Saloon Case Postponed.

Four liquor dealers were arraigned in police court yesterday for alleged violation of the Slocum law. P. J. O'Connor and Tom Gillespie were cited to appear for selling liquor to minors, while Paul Kusknicek and Fred Fiffer were charged with keeping open on June 23, a special election day. These complaints were all sworn to by John Briggs, chief of police. When called the representatives of the saloon men asked a continuance on the ground that the attorney having the cases in charge was out of the city. As the city prosecutor had nothing to say when asked about the postponement, Judge King set the cases for sixty days hence.

Services Well Attended.

Solemn high mass of requiem for Leo XIII was held at St. Agnes church Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. The church was filled almost to overflowing. Rev. D. W. Moriarty was the celebrant. He was assisted by Rev. Mungan, Rev. Chundalek and Rev. Schlinkert. Rev. O'Callahan of St. Bridget's church delivered the sermon. All of the Catholic churches in the city united in this service.

Collins-Cusick.

Guy Collins and Miss Ellen F. Cusick were married last evening at the home of the bride's parents, 832 North Twenty-first street. Rev. T. O'Callahan of St. Bridget's church performed the ceremony. The groom is receiving clerk at Swift and Company's office here and is considered one of the most popular young men in the city. As for the bride, she is well known in social circles. Mr. and Mrs. Collins will reside at 722 North Seventeenth street.

Magic City Gossip.

Mrs. C. W. Stanley, Twenty-second and K streets, is quite sick.

Frank Kinsley, Twenty-second and N street, reports the birth of a son.

Charles Allen, Twenty-third and H streets, is reported to be quite sick.

Bruce McCulloch has returned from a few days' visit with friends at Sioux City.

Dr. J. M. Thompson of Albion, Neb., is in the city, the guest of Dr. James A. Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Field, Twenty-fourth and O streets, announce the birth of a son.

Quite a number of South Omaha people will leave on Saturday for the Pacific coast.

The Modern Brotherhood of America will meet on August 7 to discuss plans for a picnic.

Thomas Alderson of St. Louis, Mo., is here visiting James Koutsky and other friends.

Mrs. Henry Geest, Twentieth street and Missouri avenue, has returned from a three weeks' visit with friends in Chicago.

Rev. M. A. Head, Twenty-third and N streets, left yesterday for Colorado, where he will visit relatives for a few weeks.

City Treasurer E. L. Howe wired from Boston, Mass., yesterday that he would reach home the latter part of the week.

Charles A. Dunham, assistant cashier of the Packers' National bank, returned yesterday from a trip to the northwestern part of the state.

The young people of the Christian church will give an ice cream social at Twenty-third and I streets Friday evening for the benefit of the building fund of the church.

This evening the Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist Episcopal church will give a social at the Lefler Memorial church, Fifteenth and Madison streets. Refreshments will be served.

Funeral services over the remains of George E. Manderville will be held at the family residence, Twenty-fifth and P streets, this forenoon. Interment will be at St. Mary's cemetery.

Miss Catherine Dawson died at the home of her brother-in-law, William Wallace, Twenty-first and Y streets, Monday. The funeral will be held at the Wallace home at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment at Laurel Hill cemetery.

Miss Bertha Clark, the elocutionist, will give a public recital at the assembly rooms in the High school building this afternoon. Miss Clark has just closed her summer school of elocution and the two dozen pupils will participate in the recital.

WINDUP OF MERRY WEDDING

Bridesmaid and Groomsman Land in Jail After Row with Bride and Groom.

After a continued courtship George Brown and "Dutch" Minnie came to the conclusion that there is more pleasure in wedded life than single blessedness, and accordingly arrangements were completed for the celebration of the nuptials. In order to have everything in accordance with the usages of elite society, it was deemed necessary to have a bridesmaid and groomsman. It was arranged that the bride was to make arrangements for the one and the groom for the other. Minnie chose Mary J. Dunn, who resides at Sixteenth and Webster streets; Brown chose Henry Eggert. Yesterday afternoon when the arrangements were completed the party boarded a car for Council Bluffs where the happy event was pulled off.

On the return to Omaha it was considered only proper to engage in a celebration befitting the occasion. Divers and sundry pitchers of the best brew which could be obtained in Omaha were ordered and quickly disappeared down thirsty throats. As time wore on common beer began to take on an aspect of cheapness and the bride expressed a desire for something more substantial in the way of a beverage. A bottle of whisky was ordered, but this did not entirely fulfill the requirements of the newly married woman's taste and she expressed a determination of adding a dash of piquance to the flavor of the flowing bowl in the shape of a liberal pinch of cocaine. To this Eggert objected. He was promptly pitched into the street, charged with interfering with the pleasures of the occasion.

Eggert and Mrs. Dunn were arrested and locked up charged with being drunk and disturbing the peace. When taken to the jail Mrs. Dunn characterized the proceedings as disgraceful, and intimated that she had served in the capacity of bridesmaid for the last time.

WEEKLY POLICE SHOOT SCORE

Averages Lower on Account of Distance Being Increased to Fifty Feet.

The score made by the policemen in their weekly shoot yesterday averaged a great deal lower than those made heretofore on account of the fact that the distance was changed from 30 feet to 50 feet. The score:

Captain H. P. Haze, 30; Sergeant Thomas Hayes, 19; Sergeant J. H. Gibbons, 32; Sergeant A. T. Sigwart, 51; Sergeant M. F. Dempsey, 21; Sergeant H. C. Cook, 43; Sergeant W. K. Marshall, 32; Sergeint P. F. Havey, 18; J. Kirk, 40; A. Vanous, 33; J. B. Wilson, 19; D. P. Baldwin, 44; J. Vanderfort, 14; S. E. Fisk, 42; H. L. Wooldridge, 19.

Detectives: H. W. Dunn, 54; J. T. Donahue, 33; H. Heitfeld, 36; Dan Davis, 34; E. R. Ferris, 44; S. Drummy, 30; William Hudson, 43; George Stryker, 50; M. McCarthy, 35; C. Madsen, 50.

Patrolmen: M. J. Sullivan, 18; E. W. Heelan, 19; M. J. Crowe, 38; Charles Bloom, 29; A. F. Lambert, 45; A. Patulla, 21; L. Smith, 37; J. E. Johnson, 18; A. H. Jackson, 21; John Shea, 23; Otto Lickert, 43; S. E. Brown, 34; H. E. Jackson, 46; L. F. Dwyer, 35; J. Mansfield, 47; William Good, 34; W. R. Wilson, 18; J. T. Dunn, 00; William Murphy, 48; H. W. Sawyer, 31; J. H. Russell, 29; T. J. O'Connor, 30; J. Thomas, 32; E. R. Smith, 37; J. Mackin, 14; J. S. Rouk, 28; F. Goodrich, 36; R. Flynn, 33; J. S. Shepperd, 35; S. Maloney, 26; G. W. Barnes, 32; C. O. Sandstrom, 49; William Cullen, 29; George Horne, 29; W. T. Devereese, 29; P. H. Dillon, 23; H. J. Nielson, 10; D. J. Ryan, 6; William Halterman, 51; M. Klasane, 7; A. Inda, 41; N. Thomas, 48; W. J. Vorboril, 16; P. Foley, 12; Thomas Reidy, 45; E. Morrison, 51; J. Cusick, 26; A. F. Samuelson, 14; H. C. Cunningham, 40; E. Severance, 26; C. M. Knox, 21; J. R. McDonald, 40; M. Shields, 26; Thomas Ring, 40; F. C. Moore, 16; S. Riegelman, 36; W. R. Edgehill, 8; T. F. Boyle, 13; P. Divis, 50; P. J. Rinn, 4; H. Lesch, 33; E. J. Delehanty, 23; J. F. Byrnes, 8.

WOODMEN OF WORLD CARNIVAL

Another Night of Much Good-Natured Noise and Fun at the Grounds.

Bright, starry skies and refreshing breezes brought out the banner crowd to the Woodmen of the World carnival last night, and, if noise is indicative of all of the elements of success, nothing ever came within hailing distance of the aggregation of acts and shows of the Collins Carnival company. Anyhow, all of the main and the lowly of the herd were there with their mouths open and jammed full of confetti. Everybody bought confetti and used it in liberal doses as often as they had it handed to them in the face and down the back of the neck.

The hit of the evening among the outdoor attractions was the loop the loop. The famed person with the spaghetti name, who makes the trip, emerged from the ball smiling last night and everyone went wild and then the spielers began getting in their work and the shows were filled to the entrances on all sides.

Lost—A large envelope containing valuable papers on west side N. Y. Life Bldg. on 17th or between 16th and 17th on Farnam. Finder please return to J. P. O'Keefe, care of Payne Investment Co., main floor N. Y. Life Bldg.

Benefit for Salvation Army Hotel.

The Salvation Army is having a big demonstration tonight at its tent on the corner of Seventeenth and Davenport streets, for the benefit of the Poor Man's hotel. It is to be an international meeting, when some twenty-five Salvationists will be dressed in the costumes of the different countries where the army is now in operation. There will be songs and speaking in different languages and a very interesting time is expected. Brigadier and Mrs. Cousins, Staff Captain and Mrs. Merriweather and other visiting officers will be present. The parade will be at 7:30 o'clock. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the Poor Man's hotel, where for 10 cents a poor man can get a clean bed, clean nightshirt, a good bath, the use of the reading room, and his clothes fumigated, and if out of work a job will be found for him.

This hotel is under the management of Adjutant and Mrs. Dodds, who will welcome visitors at any time, show them over the building and explain the work being done.

Ends Headache's Torture.

Lazy livers and sluggish bowels cause headaches. Dr. King's New Life Pills remove the cause or no pay. Only 25c. For sale by Kuhn & Co.

"The new in art is always formed out of the old."
—Emerson
The best work of the old craftsmen is assimilated by the
Gorham Co.
Silversmiths
whose productions are notable for their graceful design, admirable workmanship and sterling quality of material.
STERLING
All responsible jewelers keep it

COERCION LAW IN CHINA

Reformers Arrested, While Reactionaries Get Official Ear, and May Stop Freedom.

PEACEFUL CRITICS ARE DENOUNCED

Offenders Who, in Other Countries, Would Be Honored Are Held Up as Dangerous to Dowager Empress.

PEKING, July 29.—The Chinamen who are advocating government reforms have been terrorized by the readoption of the old policy of repression as instanced by the recent arrest at Shanghai of Chinese editors on charges of sedition. These arrests are interpreted here as indicating that the extreme conservatives are in the ascendancy and that the government has determined to suppress the freedom of speech which has prevailed since the upheaval in 1900.

The names of forty residents of Peking who are accused of liberal tendencies were presented to the dowager empress today by the reactionary officials, who recommended that they be severely punished. Those accused are considered guilty of only what, in enlightened countries, would be termed legitimate criticism of the government. This is said also to be true of the native journalists imprisoned at Shanghai, except in the case of two, who suggested the assassination of the rulers as a remedy for Chinese troubles.

All foreigners and progressive Chinamen are deeply interested in the decision which the ministers will make on the question of turning over the native editors at Shanghai to Chinese jurisdiction, and express the hope that technicalities concerning the jurisdiction of the mixed courts will be ignored, if necessary, and that the ministers will refuse, on the ground of humanity, to deliver prisoners to the Chinese for probable torture and execution, as happened in the case of the Chinese spies turned over at Shanghai during the Japanese war.

Prince Ching is reported to favor leniency. At the examinations recently held at Peking for the selection of officials many of the candidates departed from the usual custom of writing merely scholarly essays and submitted papers favoring improvements in the government.

The dowager empress is said to blame the reformers and the increasing freedom of speech for the disorders in the south, hence the repressive measure.

TAKES TOO MUCH MORPHINE

Police Surgeon Called and Succeeds in Counteracting Effect of Drug.

Police Surgeon Schleier was called to the Center hotel, 210 North Seventeenth street, about 10:30 last night to attend Mrs. James Hunter who had taken an overdose of morphine, whether with suicidal intent or not is unknown.

Her husband, who is a barber working in the Exchange building in South Omaha, when questioned, admitted that he and his wife had some words early in the evening. She seemed to be in a happy frame of mind, however, after the difficulty was over. The Hunters, together with several other roomers in the house, went out and had some ice cream, after which Mrs. Hunter retired. Her husband went up later to go to bed. He spoke to his wife when he entered the room but she did not reply. When the light was turned on he saw that she was sick and telephoned to the station for a doctor. Mr. Hunter said that his wife had formerly been in the habit of using morphine, but that she had not used it for some time, and he thought she might have taken an overdose by accident.

The usual restoratives were applied and the woman soon rallied. Dr. Schleier thinks she will be entirely recovered within a day or two.

If it's the taste and sparkle you want, I'll bring you Cook's Imperial.

TAKE PRINTERS' INK FOR DOPE

Prisoners in the City Jail Think They Have Struck It Rich.

During the period of target practice in which the police force has been indulging lately the reporters on the various papers have been furnishing printers' ink for the purpose of making targets. A quantity of this ink was carried to the station on stereotype paper yesterady. Turnkey Kirk took the paper into the cell room for some purpose and laid it down near a cell which contained several prisoners. There was an immediate scramble to obtain possession of it. Mr. Kirk was in the dark as to why the paper was desired by the prisoners. After it had been thoroughly examined by them one of the number pushed it through the bars and said it was no good. He was asked what he thought it was and replied that he believed it to be dope. The printers' ink which had adhered to the card looked like a preparation of opium which seems to be much in favor among the "fiends." They thought it had been secured in a raid on some opium "joint."

Called Up at Midnight.

"Something like a month ago a neighbor of mine came to my house at midnight and called me up and wanted to know if I had a medicine in the store recommended for cramps in the stomach and diarrhoea. I sold him a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy which he carried back home and at the same time sent for a doctor. Immediately on his return home he gave a dose of this remedy, and he afterwards told me that the patient was entirely relieved before the doctor got there," says Enoch Burson, O'Lea, Ala.

FRANK MULICK IDENTIFIED

Alice Gard Tells New Story and Declares He Assaulted Her.

Frank Mulick was yesterday identified by Alice Gard and Dora Osborne as a member of the crowd of young men that assaulted them at Benson Sunday night. Mulick, with the two Wisemans, was taken before Justice King and their hearing was continued until Saturday morning. B. F. Thomas represented the defense.

Alice Gard now claims that she, too, was assaulted. She denied at first that she was assaulted, she said, because she did not want to suffer the disgrace and humiliation. Mulick, she said, was the man who assaulted her.

It only costs you a nickle to ride to Courtland Beach, the best resort in the west.

CIRCULATION LIST STUFFED

World-Herald Figures Found Wanting in Many Respects by Council Committee.

The councilmen listened to the claims of the World-Herald as to its city circulation yesterday. In an attempt to disprove Attorney Connell's contention that at least 455 of the claimed subscribers were not bona fide, World-Herald collectors and delivery boys were introduced as witnesses. It was shown conclusively that the lists as submitted are faulty and contain many names of persons who do not take the Evening World-Herald. In addition to this it was discovered that the lists on their face have many names of residents of Council Bluffs, Dundee and other places. These, however, had not been included by Attorney Connell in his compilation of the 455 names, which he declares his evidence will prove are all or nearly all other than genuine subscribers.

Today Attorney Connell, on behalf of The Bee, will introduce evidence and witnesses to prove the assertions already made.

NEBRASKA AT ST. LOUIS FAIR

Commission Working Hard and Greatly Encouraged by Reports from State.

Assistant Secretary H. G. Shedd of the Nebraska commission to the Louisiana Purchase exposition is in St. Louis on exposition matters.

The commission is wasting no time in arranging for the interests of Nebraska at the exposition, and the enthusiasm with which the project is meeting from all quarters of the state is very encouraging, according to Secretary Miller, who has been in the city in conference with President Wattles on commission matters. Prof. Barbour, superintendent of the educational exhibits of the exposition, is in the city on a like mission.

Prof. Barbour met with the representatives of the State Federation of Women's Clubs and President Wattles to confer upon matters pertaining to the educational exhibits, in which the women's clubs throughout the state are taking so active an interest. It is the purpose to make this exhibit one of the very best at the exposition, and in this endeavor the most hearty encouragement is being given by the educational interests of the state.

"There will be no formal meeting of the commission until after next week," said President Wattles. "I expect to be out of the city and the meeting may not be held until after my return. However, the commission is virtually always in session. Mr. Morrill and Mr. Miller are here frequently, and Mr. Shedd and I are always in conference, so you see we are practically in perpetual session. We have set our mark at $70,000 for the commission's purposes at the exposition. Half of this has already been appropriated by the state; we have about $25,000 subscribed from private sources and we are confident that the other $10,000 will be forthcoming in time. We have not given up the project for a Nebraska building on the exposition grounds by any means. We have already secured a location that is one of the most attractive on the exposition grounds. Our time just now is occupied with arranging for a proper presentation of Nebraska's resources at the exposition, and I am free to confess that our present plans give us every assurance that the interests of the state will not be neglected. The purpose of Mr. Shedd's visit to St. Louis at this time is in relation to this very matter."

New Cure for Weak Lungs.

Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption cures all coughs, colds, grip and lung troubles or no pay. 50c, $1.00. For sale by Kuhn & Co.

St. Cecilia Parish's Lawn Social.

The parish of St. Cecilia celebrated its annual lawn fete on the fine park of the bishop's house at Thirty-sixth and Burt streets last night and drew together a happy crowd. Few better places could be found in the city for such an affair. The big trees were festooned with bunting and here and there scintillated electric arcs. In a decorated stand Franek's South Omaha band played a varying program through the evening, and in a tent an amateur fortune teller puzzled her brain in an effort to hang poetic fiction from the life line, while in another part of the lawn genuine spenders indulged in the excitements of the sight-unseen fish pond. The social had been twice postponed and had this not been the case the attendance would have been even larger than it was. Ice cream, cake and lemonade filled in the time between the fifth rib and the left lobe of the liver.

Lake Manawa is offering special features this week.

Marriage Licenses.

Frank M. Koppenhafer, Omaha	20
Susie Millan, Omaha	20
Peter Reef, Omaha	44
Dora Ritter, Omaha	45
Florence Sullivan, South Omaha	27
Jewel Warren, South Omaha	18
Thomas Nickell, Omaha	25
Carrie Hansen, Omaha	20
Bert P. Siegfried, South Omaha	31
Grace Porter, South Omaha	19
George A. Hartman, Omaha	21
Margaret Mangel, Omaha	18
William G. Strawthers, Omaha	38
Louise Buchanan, Omaha	37
Guy F. Collins, South Omaha	29
Ellen F. Cusick, Omaha	24

Caught at Missouri Valley.

Minnie Brown, who is supposed to have assisted in relieving H. D. Jones, a sheep herder from Belle Fourche, S. D., of $120 in gold Tuesday night in a Tenth street resort, was arrested in Missouri Valley last night. The police have been scouring the bad lands for the woman since the crime was committed. It was learned that she had left the city and a telephone message was sent to Missouri Valley yesterday morning to apprehend her. Detective Mitchell will leave to bring her back this morning. The other two suspects are in jail.

For Robbing a "Drunk."

William Ryan, who stops at the Salvation army lodging house, is locked up charged with being drunk and working a drunk. The party whom Ryan had designs upon was William McCoy. The two after imbibing freely laid down to sleep together, but Ryan came to first. As each of them had but forty-five cents when searched, the capital was pretty evenly divided.

Burglars Visit Dalzell.

Burglars entered the store of the Dalzell Confectionery company Tuesday night and secured $5 in cash. In getting the money the cash register was demolished.

The best of everything at the Blue Ribbon cafe, 1415 Farnam street.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

J. C. Teller of Denver is a guest at the Paxton.

Hon. W. P. McCreary of Hastings is a guest at the Murray.

Fritz Wirth returned from San Francisco Wednesday morning.

W. B. Price of Lincoln and F. W. Shear of Nebraska City are at the Murray.

Hon. W. G. Sears of Tekamah is an Omaha visitor, registered at the Merchants.

Lieutenant Ward B. Pershing of the Fourth United States cavalry is in the city, registered at the Paxton.

W. H. Hake, R. E. Pate of Denver, Jacob Fitzgerald of Wisner, Curtis L. Day and E. A. Witte of ePnder and L. Eaton of Lincoln are at the Millard.

August Skoog of Genoa, H. J. Perkins of North Platte, Mr. and Mrs. William Fenelon of Beemer and J. F. Johnston of Hastings are registered at the St. James.

R. D. Hobart of Denver, L. E. Mainprice of San Francisco, Ada Reed of Casper, Charles S. Jallings of Mountain Home, Ark., W. S. Francis of Cheyenne, E. G. West of Gothenburg and L. C. Johnson of Seward are at the Iler Grand.

Lieutenant Lawless of the United States navy passed through Omaha Wednesday morning and visited at the Union station with his parents until the Overland continued on its way to the coast. He is enroute for service in the Philippines.

M. McBeth of Greeley, E. F. Proudfoot of Osceola, E. G. Adams of O'Neill, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Muldoon of North Platte, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Randall of Randolph, H. Morris of San Francisco, C. McMenemy and W. W. Wilson of Blair and C. Vail of Arlington are at the Merchants.

W. E. Brady of Port Arthur, Tex., Lincoln B. Smith and John Wharton Clarke of Washington, D. C., A. H. Dillon of Sterling, George E. Pilker of Ashland, J. B. Erwin of Waco, H. E. Dewey of Lead, R. G. Freeman of Crawford, E. S. Worrall of Denver and James Kennedy of Fargo, N. D., are registered at the Paxton.

Did you ever try the 40c table d'hote dinner at the Blue Ribbon cafe, 1415 Farnam.

SUGAR TRADE DISCUSSED

Parliament Passes Convention Bill's Second Reading by Good Majority.

CHAMBERLAIN DEFENDS THE MEASURE

Choice Declared to Lie Between Prohibition and Countervailing Duties if West Indies Are to Be Saved.

LONDON, July 29.—The House of Commons today passed the second reading of the Sugar Convention bill by 224 to 144. In the course of the debate Mr. Chamberlain said:

For twenty years we have tried to secure the voluntary abandonment of bounties, and it was only when we changed our policy and suggested retaliation that we secured the object for which we struggled so long, and so escaped a condition of things under which Germany and Austria would be able to regulate the price of sugar in Great Britain.

Mr. Chamberlain said he believed the bill would not increase the price of sugar, but by giving greater stability to the trade would benefit the West Indies.

Referring to the possibility of losing the American market, he said:

If we had only treated the West Indies fairly there is no reason why they should not now be supplying us with the greater part of our demand. The government has a choice between prohibition and countervailing duties.

He believed prohibition the simplest plan, but should it become necessary he would take the opinion of Parliament on the question of countervailing duties. Mr. Chamberlain did not touch directly on the fiscal question, but incidentally remarked:

We are on the eve of a great economic fight and it behooves everybody to keep cool as long as possible and not turn an economic into a personal fight.

KING CHARLES TO BE GUEST

Ruler of Portugal Will Visit the American Squadron on Saturday.

LISBON, July 29.—King Charles is expected to visit the United States European squadron on Saturday.

The reception accorded to Rear Admiral Cotton and the other American officers by the king and Queen Amelia at the royal castle at Cintra, fourteen miles from Lisbon, was most cordial. Admiral Cotton, while at Cintra, visited Queen Maria Pia, mother of the king, and the duke of Oporto, brother of his majesty.

There were 250 guests at the banquet given by the minister of marine last night in honor of the Americans, and at which the cabinet ministers were present. Admiral Cotton, who was greeted with cheers, made a speech, during which he eulogized Portugal, and thanking the officials for the hearty reception accorded to the American war ships.

He also referred to the exaggerated accounts of a petty squabble which occurred between the police and some sailors ashore, and declared that the relations between the two forces were most friendly. The minister for foreign affairs, the minister of marine and United States Minister Bryan also made speeches.

Admiral Cotton and his officers will entertain a large number of Portuguese at a reception given on Brooklyn August 4, and Mr. Bryan will give a garden party August 5.

FISCAL POLICY OF ENGLAND

Bank Governor Says that McKinley Had Changed His Tariff Views.

LONDON, July 29.—Governor F. O. Schuster, at a meeting of the Union bank of London, limited, today made a lengthy reference to the British fiscal controversy, which met with the approval of a large gathering of city men. While he welcomed an inquiry into the fiscal policy of the government, the whole tenor of Mr. Schuster's remarks were opposed to tampering with free trade.

He expressed the belief that the United States was within "measurable distance of adopting free trade," and in support of this said he had a private interview with the late President McKinley two years ago in which the latter said:

My tariff bill has done its work. We have been able to build up many great industries in a short time, and now gradually but inevitably, our tariff must be reduced.

Mr. Schuster contended that America's industrial position under protection was "not entirely attractive nor its workingmen contented."

STEAL MARCONI MESSAGES

German Company Declares it Possible and Right to Stop Transatlantic Aerograms.

BERLIN, July 29.—The German Wireless Telegraph company, recently organized through the amalgamation of the Slaby and Braun systems, has issued a statement regarding Signor Marconi's allegation that the German company could intercept his messages if it is allowed to erect a station in England. The German company says all that is necessary is to erect a strong station on the shores of the Baltic or the North sea, attune its receiving wires to Marconi's station at Poldhu, Cornwall, and it would be impossible for Marconi to receive transatlantic messages. The statement concludes:

Such a procedure for fighting the world monopoly aimed at by Marconi could hardly be called "chicanery," but more properly self-defense.

Approved by the Shareholders.

LIVERPOOL, July 29.—The shareholders of the Cunard Steamship company, at a meeting here today, unanimously approved the changes in the articles of association announced July 21, by which the government will pay considerably over $5,000,000 for the construction of two additional steamers, placing the whole fleet at the disposal of the admiralty for use as cruisers and providing for an improved Atlantic mail service and confirmed the agreement with the government which Lord Ivercylde asserted did not constitute subsidizing the company, but "only paying for services rendered."

Cruiser Sinks a Steamer.

PLYMOUTH, July 29.—The British third-class cruiser Melampus collided with and sank the British steamer Rupperra off the Lizard last night. The crew was saved. The damage sustained by the Melampus will necessitate docking the vessel for repairs.

Socialists Unite with Radicals.

BERLIN, July 29.—A proposal is on foot to amalgamate the national scocialist party and the radical union and it is said that a national-socialist congress, which will meet at Goettingen on August 29 and 30, will undoubtedly agree to the amalgamation.

London Will Loan Cuba Money.

LONDON, July 29.—If Cuba fails to float its proposed loan of $35,000,000 in the United States it will have no difficulty in doing so here, as British financiers stand ready to subscribe the full amount.

Auto Across Arctic Circle.

COPENHAGEN, July 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Glidden of Lowell, Mass., left here this afternoon in their automobile in an attempt to cross the Artic circle. The United States consul here accompanied them to Elsinor. The chaffeurs received an enthusiastic send off from a big crowd at the starting point.

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CALLER—Dear old Jack, I just read in the paper about your being sunstruck, and rushed right over. I'm awfully glad you're as well as you are. You're lucky. Now, old man, I don't want to work the old "I told you so" gag on you, but the way to prevent sunstroke is to keep the bowels clean and cool, and the blood from being over-heated, by taking a CASCARET Candy Cathartic at bed-time. They work while you sleep, and keep you safe and comfortable all day.

LABOR PROBLEM IS SERIOUS

South African Natives Inadequate to Meet Growing Demands for Men.

LONDON, July 29.—The parliamentary correspondence on the South African labor question was issued today.

Lord Milner, high commissioner for South Africa, telegraphed Mr. Chamberlain on May 12, urging the employment of 10,000 Indian coolies for work on the railways, the coolies to be forcibly repatriated at the end of their service. Lord Milner reported the labor problem to be alarming in South Africa, as there were not enough natives there, if all worked, to meet the growing requirements for the development of the country's resources.

Mr. Chamberlain replied, generally approving Lord Milner's suggestion, but stipulating for the assent of the white population in South Africa, and explaining that it could only be done with the consent of the Indian government, which insisted on terms practically amounting to the removal of all restrictions on immigration and the settlement of Indian traders in South Africa.

According to Mr. Chamberlain's statement in the House of Commons last Monday, the question is still unsettled, probably owing to the reluctance of the South African people to remove the restrictions on Indian immigration.

PERSIANS PERSECUTE BABIS

Religious Reformers Slain and Dead Bodies Dragged Through Dust.

LONDON, July 30.—The Times this morning describes a serious religious riot in the city and province of Yezd in central Persia, which lasted more than a fortnight and culminated at the end of June.

The outbreak was directed against religious reformers called babis. In the city for two days every babi found was butchered by the rabble and their mutilated bodies dragged through the streets, followed by exultant crowds. Houses were looted, women beaten and killed and finally the priestly leaders of the riot enjoined the populace to bring all the remaining babis before them or the governor for judgment.

The governor refused at first to act at the behest of the mob, but his palace was surrounded by menacing men and the following day he consented. One babi taken before him was blown from the mouth of a cannon and another was killed and dragged through the town. Order, it is reported, has been restored, but the babis who escaped are in hiding.

CASTRO HUMBLES CONSUL

Withdraws Spaniard's Exequatur Without Notifying Minister After Official Snub.

PORT OF SPAIN, July 29.—The Spanish consul at La Guayra, Venezuela, has been deprived of his exequatur. The action is the result of friction between the consul and the local authorities over the Spanish claims in his district against Venezuela.

Passengers arriving here say the local authorities established a commission to revise the claims presented by Spaniards to the mixed tribunals under the terms of the Bowen protocols. This commission was composed of military officers, who were said to have been instructed to intimidate witnesses.

The Spanish consul requested the authorities at La Guayra to authorize him to attend the meetings of the committees. It is alleged the prefect replied in a letter, in which he spoke of the consul "as the representative of pillagers," and subsequently distributed printed copies of the letter in the streets of La Guayra. The federal authorities are then said to have withdrawn the consul's exequatur without having notified the Spanish minister.

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TABLE AND KITCHEN

Menu.

BREAKFAST.
Fruit.
Parsley Omelet. Lyonnaise Potatoes.
Dry Toast. Coffee.

LUNCH.
Cold Sliced Ham.
Potato Ribbons. Sliced Tomatoes.
Muffins.
Fruit. Cocoa.

DINNER.
Tomato Bouillon.
Broiled Steak. Creamed Onions.
Creamed Corn. Mashed Potatoes.
Combination Salad.
Cherry Pie. Cheese. Water Crackers.
Coffee.

Recipes.

Cabbage Hearts and String Beans—Wash thoroughly half a head of new cabbage in slightly salted water; chop moderately fine. Place in a saucepan and cover with boiling water, and cook fifteen minutes; then add one pint of string beans which have had the strings removed and cut into inch pieces; cook together until the beans are tender. Place a tablespoonful of butter in a hot dish and pour in the cabbage and beans; season with salt and pepper and serve.

Red Cabbage—Put in a stew pan one medium sized head of red cabbage cut up as for cold slaw, add a tablespoonful of sweet drippings or butter, cover with boiling water and add a generous teaspoonful of salt and five tablespoonfuls of good cider vinegar. Let simmer for two hours, watching carefully that it does not burn, sift in one-half tablespoonful of flour and cook for ten minutes longer. Serve very hot in covered dish.

Scalloped Cabbage with Cheese—Drain and chop fine one medium head of white cabbage, after it has been boiled in two waters. Make a white sauce of two tablespoonfuls of hot melted butter, into which has been stirred one tablespoonful of flour, cook three minutes, then add slowly one cup of hot milk; cook three minutes, stirring carefully all the time; season with a pinch of grated nutmeg, cayenne pepper and salt. Rub a baking dish with garlic and then butter lightly; spread a layer of cabbage in this; squeeze over a little lemon and a few drops of onion juice; cover this with a little of the white sauce and a tablespoonful of grated cheese. Fill up the dish in this order and cover the top with buttered bread crumbs and sprinkle lightly with cayenne pepper. Cover and bake in moderate oven half an hour; remove cover and brown a golden color. Serve in dish in which it was cooked.

Green Peppers au Gratin—Wash and dry thoroughly twelve green peppers, cut off the stem, remove the seeds carefully with a penknife. Lay the peppers in cold water one-half an hour. Prepare a force-meat of half a cup of cold minced chicken and a half a cup of cold boiled rice, season with salt and a tablespoonful of melted butter and moisten with tomato juice, being careful not to have the mixture too wet. Stand the peppers in a deep baking dish and fill them heaping full of the mixture; pour a good tomato sauce around, leave the upper part of the peppers visible; sift over all fine bread crumbs, dot with tiny pieces of butter and cook one hour covered, then remove cover and brown. Serve in the baking dish.

Fried Sweet Peppers—Select fine, large sweet peppers and wash thoroughly, cut in rings crosswise, take out all seeds and lay in cold water for fifteen minutes, salt lightly and roll in flour, fry in deep fat for six minutes. These are a delicious appetizer served with boiled fish or cold meat.

Sweet Pepper Baskets—Wash and dry carefully six sweet green peppers. Cut a piece from the blossom end so that they will stand firmly on the chop platter, remove all seed and the white walls inside. Fill with hot minced chicken or fish or creamed shrimps.

Green Pepper with Tomato Salad—Slice large, ripe, firm tomatoes and arrange on tender lettuce leaves; wash and wipe large sweet green peppers, slice and remove all seeds, throw into cold water for half an hour, then remove and, free from all water, place in overlapping circles on the tomatoes. Dress with a French dressing and serve very cold.

Did you ever try the 40c table d'hote dinner at the Blue Ribbon cafe, 1415 Farnam.

Fought on the Streets.

Charles Oak and Joseph Boyd engaged in a fight near the corner of Eleventh and Farnam streets last night and were locked up charged with disturbing the peace.

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