Most Important Happenings of the World Told in Brief.

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The body of Grover Cleveland was buried at Princeton after brief but impressive services which were attended by President Roosevelt and other

Secretary of War Taft went to New York from New Haven, and met a number of friends, including Booker T. Washington. William H. Pettis, treasurer of Sac

county, Ia., was arrested on a charge of embezzling the county funds. H. W. Tiers, former discount clerk of the First National bank of Pitts-

burg, Pa., was arrested on an information made by National Bank Examiner Folds, charging him with the abstraction of about \$51,000 of the bank's

James S. Sherman, Republican vicepresidential nominee, ill at Cleveland, continued to improve and his physiclans advised that, as soon as he regained his health, an operation should be performed for the removal of the

Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., son of President Roosevelt, was given his bachelor's degree by Harvard university. after three years of study, having taken extra courses.

autobiography for a New York maga-United States Senator Stephenson

of Wisconsin announced himself a can-

Secretary of War Taft was the center of enthusiastic doings at Yale, marched at the head of his class and saw Harvard defeated on the ball

Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., is said to have taken a position for summer employment with the United States Steel

estate, was convicted at San Fran-

the Miners' Union, refused to run for governor of Illinois or vice-president.

GENERAL NEWS.

Mexican revolutionists attacked the town of Los Vacas, on the Rio Grande, the Free Masons. but were repulsed by troops after about 50 men had been killed on both

Three delegates to the General Federation of Women's Clubs at Boston were seriously injured at Newport, R. 1. when a tally-ho coach was upset. Another delegate, Mrs. Sarah Shute of Coon Rapids, Ia., died of heart fail-

Over a million dollars in property was consumed within two hours at Duluth by a fire which razed elevator D of the Consolidated Elevator company and destroyed a dock and sheds of the Northern Pacific.

Fifteen persons were killed and 270 injured in a collision between an express and a freight train on the Bombay & Baroda railway near Baroda Mulai-Hafid, the usurping sultan of Morocco summoned the caids to his palace at Fez and peremptorily instructed them to raise an army of

gates for Bryan.

The sultan of Turkey has conferred the order of Chefakat on Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt and Miss Roosevelt.

Three children were burned to death

in Cleveland. O., when fire destroyed the home of William Klimacks. The father and mother were badly burned. Raymond Wells, son of a Chicago bank president, fell from a fourth story window and was killed.

The White City, an amusement resort about eight miles from Indianapelis, was burned, causing a loss of between \$150,000 and \$200,000.

Eleven Mexicans were arrested at El Paso, Tex., charged with fomenting a revolution against a friendly power on American soil.

The chamber of commerce of Milwankee filed charges against five railroads of discrimination in favor of Chicago in grain rates. Pope Pius has been presented with

a wireless telegraph apparatus which will be placed on top of the cupola of One man was killed and two were

fatally hurt by the explosion of a locomotive boiler near Imlay City,

William Mulholland of Springfield Mo., killed his brother-in-law, M. C. Sappington, and shot Mrs. Sappington because his wife had left him and was

One person was killed and many injured in a tornado near Mountain Lake. Minn.

Two sets of twins and a set of triplets were born in the neighborhood of President Roosevelt's country place in Albemarle county, Virginia.

It was announced that both Presion the Thames at New London, Conn. | regulations.

John Welsh, a farmer, fatally rounded his wife at Colfax, Wis., by tabbing her with a pair of scissors. wounded his wife at Colfax, Wis., by stabbing her with a pair of scissors. Henry Miller, aged 104 years, grew tired of life at Harrodsburg, Ky., and

Five persons were killed in a wreck on the Chicago & Northwestern road near Chadron, Neb.

Harvard won the 'varsity boat race from Yale. Griswold, the Yale stroke, collapsed a mile and a half from the finish. Secretary Taft and the family of President Roosevelt were among the

The list of honors accorded on the occasion of the official celebration of King Edward's birthday was issued. Four new peers have been created, ten 25 knights.

Two hundred armed and mounted men believed to be revolutionists, atpersons were killed and several wounded in the fighting.

Five persons, including a mother and her three children, perished in a fire in Chicago that followed an explosion in a cehmical works.

The United Norwegian Lutheran Church of America decided to erect a craite national convention. new ladies' hall at St. Olaf college, Northfield, Minn., to be called "Mohn Hall," in honor of the late Rev. Prof. Thorbjorn N. Mohn, who was the first president of St. Olaf.

Illinois against the Economy Light and Power company in the litigation over the Desplaines river dam was knocked out by Judge Mack at Chicago and the injunction dissolved.

While temporarily insane Mrs. August P. Johnson drowned her four children in the cistern at their farm home, near Ida Grove, Ia.

Max and Theodore Klopfer, partners composing the firm of Klopfer Brothers, bankers, of Munich, committed suicide, despairing of their ability to meet heavy obligations. Reports from Teheran said nearly

500 persons were killed in the two John D. Rockefeller is to write his days' fighting in the streets, and that the reactionaries were in control. Two men arrested at the Sheeps

head Bay race track for violating the New York anti-betting law were discharged by Justice Bischoff. Papers have been served upon Frank J. Gould in a suit for absolute

divorce brought by his wife, who was Miss Helen M. Kelly. Eighty-five persons are believed to have perished when the steamship

Larache sank near Muros, Spain. Iowa Democrats in convention at William J. Barnett, charged with Sioux City indorsed the state ticket and William J. Bryan for president.

The Locke anti-racing bill was signed by Gov. Sanders of Louisiana John Mitchell, former president of and is expected to put the race tracks out of business.

Two burglars blew the safe of grocery in Springfield and took \$2,180, but were caught. The corner-stone of the new capitol

of South Dakota at Pierre was laid by Fighting was renewed in Teheran, the Cossacks storming and looting the

residences of grandees. The shah declared the city in a state of siege. Over 100,000 barrels of oil consumed by fire, three valuable oil refineries

destroyed and an estimated loss of about \$500,000, were the results of electric storms which passed over western and northern Pennsylvania. The schoolship Nautilus, the first Spanish naval vessel to enter a Cuban port since the relinquishment of Span-

ish sovereignty over the island, arrived in the harbor of Havana, and was hailed with delight by the entire Spanish colony of the city.

Iowa Republicans in convention in dorsed Gov. Cummins, progressive legislation and Senator Allison.

Miss Jean Reid, daughter of the American ambassador to England, and Hon, John Hubert Ward, brother of the earl of Dudley and equerry-in-wait-18,000 men from the neighboring ing to the king, were married in London. The ceremony took place in the The Democratic state convention of | Chapel Royal of St. James' palace, and Vermont refused to instruct its dele- King Edward and Queen Alexandra witnessed it from their private gal-

> The United States now has no diplomatic representation in Venezuela, the legation's affairs being cared for by the Brazilian representative. Jacob Sleeper, secretary of the American legation and in charge during Minister Russell's absence, has left Caracas, presumably because of the disputes with President Castro.

The Toledo Ice and Coal company pleaded guilty in the United States court on three counts to receiving rebates from the Ann Arbor Railroad company and was fined \$1,250 on each

The Spanish steamer La Rache went on the rocks near Muros, Spain, and was sunk It was believed a number

H. D. Everett, a government forester, T. R. Wakely, a teacher, and four Filipinos were killed by hill tribesmen on the Island of Negros.

Meyer Newman, a New York diamond salesman is supposed to be held for \$10,000 ransom by kidnapers. George Willoughby of Milwaukee

pleaded guilty to a charge of wifemurder and was given a life sentence. Mrs. Mary Whitecamp, aged 48 years, wife of Henry Whitecamp, one of the wealthiest landowners in Madison county, Illinois, committed suicide because the Mississippi river floods had greatly damaged the Whitecamp

lands. Democrats of Georgia elected an uninstructed delegation to the national convention at Denver.

Cholera has broken out among the troops at Camp Gregg, near Manila. Three scouts and one civilian have dent Roosevelt and Secretary Taft died from the disease and the camp would see the Yale-Harvard boat race has been placed under quarantine

committed suicide by taking paris CITY TAKES REST BEFORE COM-ING OF THE DELEGATES.

FEW POLITICIANS IN THE CITY

Most of Those Who Have Thus Far Arrived Go Into the Mountains for Sight Seeing.

Denver, Colo.-This city took its last political slumber for at least a new privy councilors, 11 baronets and fortnight to come. The democratic politicians of prominence who have already arrived for the national convention left for a pleasure trip into tacked and captured the town of the mountains. They will straggle Viesca, state of Coahuila, Mex. Three | back, from day to day. By the time they are all back once more the ad vance guards of the state delegations will be here or on their way, and there will be an over-increasing act ivity until the red fire has flickered out and the curtain has been rung down on the final scene of the demo-

There were more departures of politicians Sunday than there were arriv als and consequently there was dear h of happenings in the political sense The out-and-out Bryan men were Every claim set up by the state of highly pleased over the easy manner. in which Theodore A. Bell of Califor nia was named temporary chairman There were reports before Mr. Bell had been selected that a fight was to be made on him by Thomas Taggart chairman of the national committee and Roger C. Sullivan, the national committeeman from Illinois, but the promised struggle did not materialize and the wishes of Mr. Bryan regarding Mr. Bell were carried out without a sign or sound of dissent. This fact was taken by the Bryan men to mean that all opposition to the wishes of their leader had disappeared, ar at least will be of only comparatively slight influence throughout the convention. They are now counting confidently on the selection of Henry D. Clayton of Alabama for permanent chairman, as serting that it will be brought about than was that of Mr. Bell at the meet-

No particular opposition has been made to Mr. Clayton and there is no present signs of any fight against at Mr. Cleveland's death. him. Other names have been men tioned, but none from the south save that of Senator Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, and it seems to be practically tend the convention because of ill health. It is said that Mr. Bryan desires a permanent chairman from the south, and the Bryan men believe that with Senator Bailey eliminated, no man other than Clayton will be con-

Very little talk has so far been heard concerning the platform, but it is generally believed among the re cognized leaders here that the fight over the "injunction" plank in the republican resolutions committee may find a parallel when the democratic platform builders are fairly at work. It is generally understood that in the event of the Bryan people securing control of the resolutions committee the declaration of principles will follow closely the "Lincoln platform."

Events of political importance so far have been few. Not a single headquarters has been opened as yet. and it will probably be Thursday of this week before events are in full

STORM WRECKS TOWN.

Pukwana, S. D., Almost Wiped Out of Existence by Tornado.

Mitchell, S. D.-The little town of Pukwana, in Brule county, about fifty miles west of Mitchell on the Milwaukee road, was nearly wiped out of existence by the visitation of a tornado. which covered an extent of about a quarter of a mile wide.

The storm struck the place about 11 o'clock, when the people were sound asleep, and it came with terrific force, lasting about five minutes, but the damage was awful. The tornado came from the northwest, leveling houses in its pathway. Between twelve and fifteen business places and residences were absolutely destroyed, while there is not a house in the town but what was wrecked to some extent. People were driven from their homes by the fear of danger that threatened but they had no place to go, and with the darkness that enshrouded them made the scene all the worse.

MAKE LIGHT OF IT.

Mexican Government Says There Is No Revolution.

City of Mexico-Stories emanating from border towns in the United States, which declare that important towns in the northern portion of Mexico are in danger of atack from revolutionists are declared here to be nonsense. It is declared that there is no organized force in the north.

Expenses Exceed Receipts.

Washington-The forthcoming statement of the treasury receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1908, will show a marked falling off in government receipts as compared with the year 1907, and a large increase in the expenditures. The excess of expenditures over receipts for the year will approximate \$60,000,000, which has been exceeded only twice since the civil war. In 1894 there was a deficit of \$69,803,000, and in 1899 there was another of a little over \$89,000,000.

CLEVELAND AT REST.

of Distinguished Ex-President Lowered at Sunset.

Princeton, N. J.-Grover Cleveland's body lies buried in the Cleveland plot in Princeton cemetery.

At 6 o'clock just as the sun was sinking in the west a distinguished company silently watched as the body was lowered into the grave. Then the simple burial service of the Presbyterian church was read and when the last of the carriages in the cortege had driven up to the path leading to the grave the benediction had been pronounced and the members of the family. President Roosevelt and otners who had gathered about the grave were leaving the cemetery. Many of the personal friends of the dead statesman lingered about the spot which was to mark his last resting place and each in turn was permitted to cast a shovelful of earth into the

Agreeable to the wishes of Mrs. Cleveland the services both at the house and at the cemetery were invoction, scriptual reading, a brief prayer and the reading of a William Wordsworth poem, "Character of the Happy Warrior," constituted the services at the house, while grave was brief and impressive.

Although the funeral was of strictly private nature, those in attendance numbered many distinguished citizens, including President Roosevelt, Governors Fort of New Jersey, Hughes of New York, Hoke Smith of Georgia, former members of President Cleveland's cabinet, officials of the Equitable Life Assurance society, members of the Princeton university faculty and friends and neighbors.

Mr. Cleveland was buried with all the simplicity and privacy that he vate citizen rather than as the former chief executive of the nation. There was nothing that savored of the official and the military element was injected solely as a measure of precaution in protecting President Roose-

and was met at the station by Governor Fort. President Roosevelt, Govas easily and with no more opposition | ernor Fort and Secretary Loeb were driven at once to Westland. Upon his arrival at the house the president went to Mrs. Cleveland, offering his sympathy and expressing keen regret

NEW LAND DISTRICT CREATED

and South Dakota, with offices at ute-it seemed ten-the Yale stroke C. Coleman of Flandreau, S. D., has been appointed by the president to be Sisseton, S. D., as register of the

AMNESTY PROCLAIMED BY SHAH. beaten.

Action Taken in Effort to Restore Order in the Persian Capital.

Washington-In a further effort to restore tranquillity in the city of Teheran, the scene of recent riots in Persia, the shah has proclaimed a general amnesty, according to a cablegram received by General Morteza. the Persian minister. The message is from the Persian government and the proclamation is dated June 26.

Dover Opens Headquarters.

Washington.-Elmer Dover, secretary of the republican national committee, opened the committee's headquoraters in this city Friday and be gan the preliminary work so far as it can be entered upon before the appointment of a chairman to conduct the campaign.

Will Marry Anna July 7.

the prince says that his marriage to rescue. Madame Gould will take place about July 7, and will consist of a religious and a civil ceremony.

Nebraska Soldier Killed.

Watertown, N. Y .- The dead body of Private Wardron Russell, Company K, Twenty-fourth infantry, was found floating today in the Black river near Great Bend and about two miles from the headquarters of Pine camp. He was a native of Lincoln. Neb.

Prohibition Meets Defeat.

Baton Rouge, La.-By a vote of 20 to 14 the senate defeated the state referendum and prohibition bill. This will probably end the fight for prohibition in Louisiana at this session of the legislature. A similar measure was recently defeated in the house.

VERMONT NOT FOR BRYAN

Voted Down.

Burlington, Vt.-The democratic state convention adjourned after an animated session devoted to the election of delegates to the national convention at Denver, the nomination of candidates for state officers and the adoption of a platform. A resolution instructing the delegates to vote for president was tabled

VICTORIOUS WITHOUT A PER-CEPTIBLE STRUGGLE.

A Tremendous Crowd Witness the Contest, Among Them the Republican Nominee for President.

New Haven, Conn.-Amid a deafening din of steam whistles and horns and the shouts of collegians, the Harvard 'varsity eight shot their boat over the finish line Thursday night, winning from the crippled and distanced Vale crew that classic of American college aquatics, the Harvard-Yale boat race. But instead of a race. Harvard finished the last mile and a half alone, while far behind Yale limped along with but seven men at the oars, with Griswold, the stroke-the man who had been relied upon to set the winning pace-bent forward, limp and faint from the terrific strain of the opening two miles.

Up to this unexpected climax it had been a strong struggle, worthy of the best traditions of the old antagonists and with the fitting setting of a marine spectacle such as has seldom for brilliancy and magnitude. For and active interest as a champion of the crimson colors, and although compelled by circumstances to ab sent himself today, the spirit of his enthusiasm was evinced by the Roose velt family, who witnessed the contest from the deck of the presidential

Yale was more fortunate in having her distinguished champion Secre tary Taft, present in reality, the central figure of a group of collegians aboard one of the observation trains who shouted encouragement to the Yale crew as they passed over the early reaches of the course and then lapsed into glum dismay as Griswold was seen to fall over helpless in the Yale boat. The race was rowed under the most favorable racing conditions just as the sun was setting over the picturesque Thames with the water broken only by ripples, a cloudless

sky and a light northwesterly breeze. With the final stretch almost 'in sight suddenly commotion was observed in the Vale boat, as Griswold. he stroke fell forward on his oar and ceased to row. Cass. Yale's cox Washington-A new land district to swain, had already been dashing was include certain lands in North Dakota ter into his face. For nearly a min-Lemmon, S. D., will be established on sat motionless, bent down as if life August 1 next. With a view to having less. Then he was seen to straighten the boundaries follow out township up and bend to his oar again and a section lines, the new district is taken great shout went up from the Yale from the Dickinson and Eismarck dis- cohorts as their crew was seen to tricts in North Dakota and the Rapid pick up the stroke and rally for an City district in South Dakota. Edwin other effort. But they were now six

lengths behind, hopelessly beaten. A few strokes and Griswold was receiver and Cyrus C. Carpenter of seen to collapse again, and then the whole crew, disheartened at the fall of their leader, quit their work and

Ownership Not an Issue.

Lincoln.-The Denver platform probably will declare for strict railway regulation. Friends of Wiliam J. Bryan predict that no government ownership plank will be inserted. Six months ago Mr. Bryan issued a statement declaring that government ownership would not be an issue in the cam- the assistance of local automobile paign. Norman E. Mack and other close friends of Mr. Bryan do not be lieve that government ownership will be discussed in the democratic con-

Burns Himself to Death.

Columbus, O .- Charles Rench, aged 18, for years well known circus clown, committed suicide by burning. He had been in ill health. He piled papers on the floor of his room, applied a match and then lay on the flaming pyle. His sister, Mrs. Kalecleaver, with whom he lived, ran to the room and at-Paris .- The Matin's London cor- tempted to drag Rench to safety, but respondent telegraphs an interview he resisted and she was badly burned with Prince Helie de Sagan, in which | before she abandoned her efforts at

Iowa Prohibitionists United.

Des Moines, Ia.-With perfect unity and intense enthusiasm, one of the most sweeping platforms ever framed by an Iowa political party was adopted by the prohibitionists

BELL'S SELECTION IN DOUBT Mr. Bryan Refuses to Discuss Choice

of Temporary Chairman. Lincoln-Whether Theodore Bell of California will be selected as temporary chairman of the national democratic convention is a question which William J. Bryan refused to discuss. Mr. Bell has been endorsed by the California state convention for the place and is regarded by Bryan's

Taft Sees the Boat Race. New Haven, Conn.-Secretary Taft

Motion to Instruct for Nebraskan Thursday sustained his first defeat since his nomination for the presidency at Chicago. He witnessed from the observation train the loss of Yale's aquatic prestige on the Thames at New London, and the besting of the Blue by the Crimson. After the Yale crew had stopped at the end of the third mile, the secretary remarked resignedly: "It always appears to be my luck to witness the defeats of Vale. William J. Bryan for nomination for In seventeen years we have been defeated but twice."

GROVER CLEVELAND IS DEAD.

Former President of United States

Passes Away at Princeton, N. J. Princeton, N. J.-Grover Cleveland. former president of the United States, died suddenly at his home at Westland here at 8:40 o'clock Wednesday morning. Death was due to heart failure complicated with other diseases. The passing away of Mr. Cleveland was not immediately announced, but was delayed until an official statement had been prepared by the physicians who had been attending him in the various periods of his

illness. The following statement, signed by Drs. Joseph D. Bryant, George R. Lockwood and J. M. Carnochan, was

given out: "Mr. Cleveland for many years has suffered from repeated attacks of gastro intestinal origin. Also he had long standing organic disease of the heart and kidneys. Heart failure complicated with pulmonary thrombosis and cedenma were the immediate

causes of death. Mrs. Cleveland was at home when her distinguished husband passed land summer home at Tamworth, N. Cleveland's mother

The Clevelands came here from and intended to go to their summer | week. home as soon as Mr. Cleveland had gained sufficient strength to travel.

Those at the bedside when the end came were Mrs. Cleveland and the three physicians. The only other persons in the house at the time were a number of servants.

Mrs. Cleveland is prostrated and only a few of the sympathetic neighbors have been able to see her. When the nearby friends heard of the expresident's death many of them hurried to Westland to render whatever assistance they could, but Professors West and Hibbin and the physicians had matters well in hand.

The following bulletin was issued to the Associated Press: "The funeral of former President Cleveland will be held on Friday,

June 26, at 'Westlawn.' Mr. Cleveland's residence on Bayard lane, Princeton, and will be strictly pri-Among the telegrams sent by Mrs. Sleveland to relatives and friends was

one to President Rocsevelt and one to Secretary of War Taft. Grover Cleveland, twenty-second and twenty-fourth president of the byterian church and a graduate of

ter of an Irish merchant of Baltimore NEWSPAPER MEN IN LINCOLN.

Bryan's Home Beseiged by Press Correspondents. Lincoln, Neb.—Representatives from many of the big newspapers of the country are a ready in Lincoln for the purpose of keeping an eye on Mr. Bryan. Fairview is literally besieged by correspondents. Most of these plan sat dejected at their oars. Yale was to go to Denver next week and to return to Lincoln after the convention. The courtesies of the Commercial club have already been extended by Secretary Whitten to the visiting newspaper men and like favors will doubtless be granted at the Country club and the Elks' club house. The correspondents were taken over the city in automobiles by Mayor Brown and some of the local newspaper men with

New Bullet Not to be Used. Washington.-General Bell, chief of staff, U. S. A., has ordered that the new special bullet being in an experimental state will not be used in the national match this year. Another reason for this action is that the trajectory of the bullet gives it greater accuracy and to utilize that bullet the rear sight would have to be re-gauged which could not be done accurately before the time for holding the matches. The new bullet being more pointed than the old one, meets with less air

resistance.

Hammond Gives \$10,000. Chicago.-John Hays Hammond, recent candidate for the vice presidential nomination, has subscribed \$10,000 toward the sustenation fund of \$125. 000 which Dr. Richard D, Harlan, special representative of the "George Washington university movement" is raising for the enlargement of the new colleges of poitical science of that uni-

Express Messenger Killed.

Kansas City.-Northbound Missourt Pacific passenger train No. 130 collided head on with eastbound passenger No. 532 between Piper and Menager Junction, fourteen miles southeast of Leavenworth. Samuel friends as an excellent man for chair- Robinson of Omaha, an express messenger, was killed.

IN STATE OF SIEGE.

Serious Condition of Affairs Exists in Capital of Persia.

Washington .- It was learned at the Persian legation here that the city of Teheran has been placed in a state of siege by royal edict. Owing to existing conditions the Persian minister said his government has detailed troops to safeguard the inhabitants against further attacks by the political clubs gathered at the Mosque of Sepensalar and the Andjounan Azerbaibjian, revolutionary organization.

STATE NEWS AND NOTES IN CON-DENSED FORM.

THE PRESS, PULPIT AND PUBLIC

What is Going on Here and There That is of Interest to the Readers Throughout Nebraska.

Arrangements have been completed for the Fairmont Chautauqua, which . will be held in Fairmont beginning August 7.

We publish a list of Omaha business houses in another column. In writing or calling on them please mention this paper.

As a result of a favorable decision rendered at an adjourned session of the district court the saloon at Chapman has opened for business.

Nebraska's oldest Old Line Company away. The children are at the Cleve, two and a half million assets, wants an agent in this locality. Good big H., in charge of Mrs. Perrine, Mrs. pay. Address, Box 1195, Lincoln, Neb.

Lincoln was unanimously chosen as the next meeting place of the Nebras-Lakewood, where the former president | ka Postmasters' association, which lay sick for many weeks, on June 1 | closed its sixth annual convention last. The large barn of Herman Lubeck

living about five miles southeast from Alma was blown to the ground by a storm which passed over that section. Part of the barn on the C. T. Newman farm was also blown in during the William Aldridge, who was arrested in Omaha, charged with stealing

vals near Fremont. There have been a good many horses stolen from that vicinity this year, one theft being of a \$500 team from Hooper. At a special election Pender voted \$7,000 bonds for an electric lighting plant. This amount, with funds on hand, will give the board \$10,000 to

horses, has worked on farm at inter-

expend. The question, "Electricity or gas?" was also voted upon, the former winning nearly unanimously. Albert E. Staider, a leading farmer and representative of Richardson county in the last legislature, commited suicide by drinking carbolic acid at his home. Ill health and loss from

flooded farm land are supposed to be the primary causes of the deed. Adjutant General Charles United States, was born in Caldwell, Schwartz is negotiating for a five-year N. J., March 18, 1837. He was the lease with the option of buying a tract F. Cleveland, a clergyman of the Pres- river two miles north of Ashland, to be used as a permanent rifle range for

Yale college, and Anne Neal, daugh or the National Guard of Nebraska. Ben Pearson, an aged bachelor, who tas been living alone in Nebraska City for many years, appealed to sheriff Fischer for protection, and was locked up in jail. He claims that several women are trying to force him

to marry them. It is thought he is mentally unhallanced One of the Nebraska Wesleyan graduates who received his degree last week, Mr. H. A. Whitehorn, left' tor San Francisco, to sail for the Philippines, where he has a position with the government in the public school system. Mr. Whitehorn was a classical student having his majors

In conformity with an order by Judge W. E. Stewart, permitting the receiver to levy an assessment against the policyholders to the amount of the unpaid portion of the premium on each policy, a suit was brought in the district court at Lincoln by J. A. Randall, receiver of the refunct Nebraska Mercantile Insurance company.

against about 800 policyholders. Postmasters, in convention at Lincoln, elected officers as follows: E. R. Sizer of Lincoln, president; J. Cook of Blair, secretary and E. L. Howe of South Omaha, vice president, and the following vice presidents for the different classes: First class, E. L. Howe of of South Omaha; second class, E. M. Wells of Crete; third class, J. H. Tower of Sutton; fourth class, Miss

Olive P. Tracey of Florence. The Midwest Life is an old line life. insurance company-a Nebraska company with its home office at Lincoln. An ordinary life policy at age 30 costs in this comapny the first year \$23.74 and thereafter \$18.60. The premiums after the first year may be paid quarterly at the rate of \$4.93 a quarter. Write the home office for sample policies or for agency contract. Agents wanted. Write for particulars.

A severe tornado swept over part of Custer county doing a great amount: of damage. The residence of Fred Arthur, four miles southwest of Broken Bow, was completely demolished. The family took refuge in a leanto and escaped serious injury. V. J. Stedry, in the same neighborhood, lost a big barn and outhouses. On the farm of George Pelkey, ten miles southwest, a new cement block residence and fine barn were swept away the damage at this place amounting probably to \$6,000 of \$8,000

In the case of the remonstrators against the saloon petitions in Stella Judge Pemberton in district court decided in favor of the saloon petitions and as the result F. M. Hinkle and D. C. Allen are preparing to open up in the near future.

This portion of the state, says a Callaway dispatch, has been receiving its share of the moisture which has been well distributed over the country. From last October until the 3d of last month no moisture fell here, but during the month of May and the irst half of June of this year over, leven inches of rain is recorded.