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NEWS OF NEBRASKA.

TO NEBRASKA WOMEN.-It is desirous that Nebraska women's work be well represented at this New Orleans World's Exposition. Through the efforts of some of our enterpris ing ladies we have a very fair exhibit-con sidering the time given for collecting-con. sisting mainly of knitting, needle and decorative work, besides a good culinary exhibit, but we are deficient in lines of work in which I am sure many of our Nebraska women are profi-clent, and by which they are enabled to sup-port themselves. Desirous of obtaining arti-cles which represent such occupations, I make this appeal to Nebraska women who are interested in the following lines of work, and ask that models or samples be sent to my address: Inventions, domestic or other, originated by women; a copy of every book pub-lished or newspaper edited by women; edi-torials, poems or literary articles written by women; type-writing, stenographic work, penmanship, business cards; samples of silk, wool, flax, or cotton grown by women; samples of same spun or woven; samples of grain

rown by women. Let Nebraska women interest themselves in these things, thus aiding toward making the Nebraska woman's work a feature of the woman's department as our state exhibit is of

the states display. Send by registered mail or express to my address, MRS. S. C. ELLIOTT, Commissioner for Neb.Woman's Work, New Orleans, La.

THE STATE IN BRIEF.

Beatrice Methodists are arranging to build a \$5,000 church.

The Gage county poor farm has been let for \$25 per month.

Över eight hundred pupils are enrolled in Kearney public schools.

The Hastings Journal claims for that city a population of about 8,000.

Tom Miles, near Loup City, recently died from the effects of a gunshot wound.

The coming session of the Nebraska legislature will convene on the 6th day of January. The grand encampment of the G. A. R. will

be held in Beatrice the latter part of January. Twenty thousand bushels of corn was sold

at Hastings the other day at 8 cents a bushel. Neligh wants a new hotel, water-works, a

pork packing establishment and a public square. Many farmers are leaving their corn in the

field, saying it does not pay to gather at present prices.

Kearney is put down by a correspondent of the Lincoln Journal as having a population of eight thousand.

A. J. Larson is confined in jail at Kearney awaiting action of the grand jury on the charge of forgery.

Mrs. Shaffer, a Lincoln lady, was found on the streets with a babe in her arms, in a demented condition.

The cattle mortality and hog cholera is giving Schuyler druggists a big run on sulphur and condition powders.

The grand jury of Harlan county failed to indict Nora Rhykert, who was accused of murdering her baby at Orleans.

Cook was hung by a mob on November 17, but was subsequently cut down and resuscitated by the sheriff.

The four lodges of Knights of Pythias in Omaha have decided to form an incorporation and to erect a Knights of Pythias building, which should contain a "Castle Hall" for use of the order and also stores and apartments for business use.

The latest Kansas-Nebraska railroad company incorporated is for the construction of the Wyandotte, Nebraska and Northwestern line. It is to cross the state line at the northern boundary of Marshall county, Kansas, and have its northern terminus at Beatrice.

In Beatrice and vicinity, says the Express, real estate business continues active, and the number of inquiries for land increases every day. December starts out well, and there is every prospect that the land dealers will do a largely increased business over last month.

Last week a horse-thief or thieves entered the barn of Wm. Huxtable, who lives five miles southeast of Hastings, and took there from a span of horses .valued at \$500. They hitched the horses to a wagon, procured robes, drove off and have not been heard from since.

5 Postoffice changes in Nebraska during the week ending December 6, 1884: Discontinued -Glengary, Fillmore county; Okane, Phelps county; Norval, Seward county. Postmasters appointed-Oxbow, Nuckolls county, W. P. Jewett; South Bend, Cass county, Oliver Jacobs.

John Davids, of Boone county, asked a man who was looking for employment to ride with him. After reaching a lonely part of the

journey the stranger made a savage attack on Davids with a knife and would doubtless have killed him had he not been the fleetest footed of the two.

William Wilson, a laborer, escaped from the penitentiary the other day while working outside. He is an Irishman, born in Limerick, five feet six inches high, weighs 160 pounds, beard sandy when he has any. His hair is dark brown. He is 36 years old. One hundred dollars reward is offered for his capture'

The refusal of the supreme court to give Simmerman, the Minden murderer, a new lease of life, has knocked the nerve clean out of him, and a comical crook, occupying apartments in the Kearney jail, has been assigned as a companion to Simmerman to cheer him up. The Lincoln Journal learns that L. C. Burr, Simmerman's attorney, will make an attempt to secure a rehearing of the case in the supreme court, and if he fails in this he

will go to the supreme court of the United States At the Johnson sale of stock, near Lincoln, the other day, prices were realized as follows : Twenty-two yearling steers brought \$35.80 cover. each; twenty-two 2-year olds, \$50.50 each; thirty thoroughbred Short horn cows brought

prices ranging from \$75 to \$205; four grade Galloway bulls averaged \$60 each; two Galloway calves, pure bred, averaged \$144. The grade Short-horn yearling and 2-year old heifers bred to a Galloway bull sold like hot cakes and ranged from \$38.50 to \$43.75, selling in lots

of ten and fifteen. The present pools on California, Utah, Coloradoand Nebraska cattle business, and also

the traffic agreement for the maintenance of dead-freight rates to and from Nebraska points, will terminate January 31, 1885, if any of the roads parties to those agreements gives thirty days' notice of withdrawal previous to January 1, 1885. It is understood that several of the roads have decided to give the required notice, and consequently the pools and agreements will cease to exist on the above named

BRIEFLY TOLD.

The house resolution for the continuing of work in the census bureau was passed.

Telegraph operators throughout the country have been notified of a reduction in their wages.

The general feeling among business men of Pittsburg is daily growing more hopeful. Large orders for railroad supplies have been given this week and many bids asked for.

The jury, at Fort Worth, Texas, in the case of young Dawson, who had his hand mashed n coupling cars, rendered a verdict of \$15,000 against the Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonia railroad.

News is received from Golden City, British Columbia, that a commercial traveler named Baird was killed and robbed of \$4,500 near that place. A large number were in hot pursuit of the perpetrator.

6 At a meeting of Chicago socialists, a speaker named Griffin declared that "workingmen must be incited to absolute resistance, and In his opinion the pursuance of a colonial that all monopolists were enemies to the country and ought to be hung.

The Hocking Valley strike seems to be practically ended. Many of the old men have offered to go to work, thus breaking the lines. Others want to compromise at sixty cents with the privilege of remaining in the union.

The general assembly of Virginia passed over the governor's veto the electoral board bill. This is the second time this year the assembly has done this, the court of appeals having decided the first bill to be unconstitutional.

Reuben R. Springer died at Cincinnati last week. He was widely known for his munificent gifts to the public in the form of Music hall, exposition building and college of music, to which he has contributed in the past nine years about three hundred thousand dollars.

The message sent by the president to the senate with the Spanish treaty briefly alludes to the lengthy negotiations of which the proposed treaty is the result. He says a perusal of the convention now submitted will suffice to show how fully it carries out the policy of intercourse outlined in his late message to congress, and he commends it in confident expectation that it will receive the sanction of the senate.

In Lincoln county, Arkansas, Joel Thornburg, a prominent planter, heard a suspicious noise while passing Theodore Smith's residence. Thornburg approached, and while looking through the window was shot in the breast by a negro who was robbing the house. The negro then went to the house of James Wilkes, near by, robbing it also. At sundown the murderer was captured in the woods by citizens and shot dead. Thornburg will re

CAPITAL BRIEFS.

An Indian territory dispatch reports a tragedy at Kany creek. George Christy fatally shot Sanders, a son of Senator Sanders, of the Cherokee council. Christy is highly connected.

An attempt to suspend the rules and pass the bankruptcy bill will be made in the early part of January. The suspension requires a two-thirds vote. It is not probable that the attempt will be successsul.

The case of Robert Carwick, who petitioned The Pastoral Letter to the Clergy and Laity for a writ of mandamus on Secretary Teller.

burned. Kidnapping is common, and the inhabitants are afraid to leave their houses. The nihilist executive of Russia has issued a manifesto condemning Count Toistoi, minister of the interior, to death. The trial of eight nihilists was begun on the 11th, but was postponed, owing to the important arrest just made. Many arrests are being constantly made throughout St. Petersburg.

A Hong Kong dispatch says the affairs at Kee Lung and Tonquin are in statu quo, Gen. De Lisle threatens to resign if reinforcements are not sent. Each mail steamer brings more Germans for the Chinese military service. One hundred and twenty-six Germans have already entered the Chinese service.

The French senate on the 11th began discussion of the Tonquin credits. Duc De Broglie took a leading part in the debate. He said the government should be held responsible for increasing the gravity of the situation between France and China. He declared the members of the right would refuse to vote the credits. policy could only be permitted to states which have surplus forces.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Edwin Packard and Alexander Forman were expelled from the Kings county (N. Y.) republican general committee for disloyalty to Blaine.

The legislature of South Carolina has reelected Wade Hampton United States senator-He received every vote of both houses, except three colored representatives, who voted for Smalls, and two colored senators who voted for Whipper.

The celebration of the election of Cleveland and Hendricks began in Charleston, S. C., on the 12th, by the firing of a gun for every electoral vote-219. The jollity was unbounded during the day. In the evening the city was ablaze with lights.

The Eastern Pig Iron association, of Pennsylvania, Henry S. Eckert, of Reading, president, has issued circulars to every class of manufacturers and prominent men in the United States, asking their co-operation in the formation of tariff clubs.

In the Boston municipal election the vote for mayor was: O'Brien (dem.), 27,287; Martin rep. and citizen), 24,176; O'Brien's majority, 3.111. Board of aldermen: 6 republicans, 5 democrats and 1 independent democrat. The common council will stand: Democrats, 41; republicans, 31.

The persons indicted for participation in the election frauds in the Second precinct of the Eighteenth ward of Chicago, appeared before Judge Blodgett in the federal court and gave bail in \$10,000 each. The accused declared they had not had time to examine the indictments, and were allowed until next fuesday to plead.

Hon. Levi P. Morton having been cabled as to his position on the tariff, replies as follows: "In regard to my views on the question of protection, I stand fully committed to the policy and platform of the republican party. I

earnestly believe in protection of American industries and of the interests of the working masses in the United States."

ARCHBISHOPS AND BISHOPS.

Under Their Charge.

We hope the Sunday laws on this point will not be relaxed, but even more rigidly enforced, and we implore all Catholics, for love of God and country, never to take part in such Sun day traffic, nor to patronize or countenance it, and we not only direct the attention of all pastors to the repression of this abuse, we call upon them to induce all of their flocks that are engaged in the sale of liquors to abandon as soon as they can the dangerous traffic and embrace a more becoming way of making a living." The pastoral "invokes a blessing on the cause of temperance and on all who are laboring for its advancement in the true christian spirit." "Forbidden societies" is the next subject treated of, and while Catholics are instructed to shun bad or dangerous secret societies, they are counselled to take part in good and useful Catholic associations, always remembering, however, that the surest guide is the church of Christ. The letter closes with an appeal for generous co-operation of the Catholic people in the work of foreign missions and missions

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among the Indians and negroes.

SENATE.

In the senate on the 8th inst. Mr. Mitchell read a letter from General Grant in which the general expressed the hope that the bill to circun stances could he accept a pension, even if the bill passed.

Mr. Blair introduced a bill for the appropriation of \$50,000 to promote the colored people's world's exposition, to be held at Chicago in September, 1885. By Mr. Ingalls-To amend the revised

statutes so as to make the day of the in-auguration of a president a legal holiday in the District of Columbia.

Mr. Allison submitted a joint resolution, which was passed, extending the time fixed for the submission of the report of the joint commission appointed to consider the or ganization of the signal service and other bureaus of the government.

HOUSE.

The speaker laid before the house a letter from the postmaster-general, asking an appropriation of \$130,000 for the railroad postal-car service for the remainder of the current fiscal year. Referred.

Bills were introduced and referred: By Mr. Townshend - Proposing a constitutional amendment providing that treaties shall be made by and with the consent of the house as well as the senate.

By Mr. Ryan-To open to homestead settle ment certain portions of the Indian Territory. By Mr. Ellis-Appropriating \$25,000 for the erection of a monument to the officers and men who perished in the Greely expedition. The house then resumed consideration of the inter-state commerce bill, but adjourned without final action.

SENATE.

In the senate on Tuesday Mr. Hale called up the naval appropriation bill, which, at the close of the last session, was in the hands of the conference committee, and as to which that committee reported it had been unable to agree.

The bill to provide for the sale of the Cherokee reservation was passed. The bill to amend sections of the revised statutes which prohibit the delivery of registered letters and payment of money orders to

ottery companies was passed. A bill was passed providing for the pressing claims of American citizens for spollations by the French prior to the 31st of July, 1881.

HOUSE.

Chalmers introduced a bill to restore a republican form of government to the state of Mississippi. Referred. Derisive laughter from the democratic side greeted the reading of the title of this bill. It provides that congressional and state elections shall be held on the same day in that state and that each candidate for congress shall be permitted to appoint, in writing, one inspector and one clerk

CHANGES IN THE CHURCH.

of the Results of the Recent Plenary Council.

There has been made public the following said to be derived from authentic sources, concerning the third plenary council lately

held at Baltimore: "At the recent meeting of the archbishops of America in Rome the suggestions with reference to the election of bishops was made, and was acted upon at Baltimore, Heretofore at the demise of a bishop the vacancy was filled in this manner: the bishops of the province would meet and select three names for the va-cant bishopric and forward them to Rome, with the endorsements to each of dignissimus with the endorsements to each of dignissinds (most worthy) digion (more worthy) and dig-nus (worthy), and in most cases the candidate recommended as "dignissimus" would be chosen. The propaganda authorities super-vise these episcopal appointments and the dis-ciplinary government of the church, but the final approval comes from the holy father ciplinary government of the church, but the final approval comes from the holy father himself. A decree was adopted by the late plenary council that hereafter a new mode of electing bishops will be practiced. Hereto-fore a bishop of a diocese had full power to remove a priest from a parish and the priests had no voice whatever in selecting a candidate for a bish-opric. Hereafter each b shop will appoint a court of counsellors, comprised of six priests court of counsellors, comprised of six priests of his diocese. This court of priests will be irremovable. They will have power to try cases with the bishop, and each member will member will hold this very important office for life. Be-sides this ten per cent of the priests of the diocese, designated by the bishop, will be made rectors, and their pastorate shall be irremovable. After being selected the bishop will be powerless to remove them, except for cause after trial. In the selection of counsellors the bishop may choose from among the rectors or may appoint other priests, but whoever are appointed remain as such for

ROBBERY ON THE RAIL.

Arkausas Road Agents Go Through Seventyfive Passengers.

On Saturday a passenger train on the Little Rock, Mississippi River and Texas road, when three miles below Little Rock, was stopped by three masked robbers, who switched the train and took complete possession, and went through all the passengers. Conductor Rice and Express Messenger Honeycut were in the baggage car. Both men were covered by re-volvers. There were about seventy-five people in the cars and great excitement followed. All were ordered to hold up their hands and the robbers then went to work. They broke open the express safe and, according to reports, got \$3,000, and besides obtained from the passengers, in watches, jewelry and

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noney, \$4,000 more. Early next morning bloodhounds were put on the trail of the robbers and followed straight into Little Rock. Before noon Joseph Cook, J. C. Jones, John Clifford, Charles Camp-bell and a boy named Parker, six in all, had been arrested. Jones will probably be reeased. Three of those arrested have been identified as among the robbers. The state has offered \$1,000 for the capture of the rob-bers to which the railroad has added a like

Western Cattle Interests.

The Helena (Montana) Herald prints a letter from Gen. Brisbin, vice-president and chair. man of the national executive committee of cattlemen, explaining the purpose of the St. convention. The general declares that free ranges are no more practicable or desirable, and says a majority of the cattlemen of the United States favor the leasing of the public grass lands, a Texas cattle-trail and an animal industry bill. The statement is made that one-sixth of all the cattle herds west of the Missouri river are owned or controlled by Euglishmen, who feed their cattle on free American grass and are gradually driving the Americans out of the cattle business. The letter appeals to the people and congress to

The Bugle says Cedar Rapids is badly in need of a calaboose, and hopes early steps will be taken to procure the same.

George Brigham, a dry goods clerk at Juniata, has left for parts unknown, and numerous creditors mourn his departure.

The new city directory of Lincoln contains nearly 6,000 names, and from this it is figured that the city's population is about 20,000.

George Hickman, an electrician, was found on the street apparently intoxicated and taken to jail, where soon after he died.

It is stated that 20,000 head of sheep and about 10,000 head of cattle and hogs are being fed in the immediate vicinity of Kearney.

The republican senators in caucus selected Senator Manderson, of Nebraska, for the chairmanship of the joint committee on print-

August Safstrom, of Omaha, has deserted his wife, taking all money accumulations and leaving a letter saying that the parting is for all time.

Frank Heldt, the train wrecker, came near getting out of jail at Schuyler. He got the cell door open, but could not get out of the hall doors.

R. J. McKeon, near Superior, has lost several pigs with some kind of throat disease. They only live about six hours after being taken sick.

Warden Nobes, of the state penitenitiary, offers a reward of \$100 for the arrest of William Wilson, a convict, who escaped a few days ago.

The "Omaha Light Guards" is the name of an organization recently effected. The membership, which is limited to fifty-three, now numbers thirty.

The Omaha police made 274 arrests in No vember. Of this number 53 were for disturb ance of the peace, 37 for intoxication and 94 for prostitution.

August Lambrecht, proprietor of Rock Creek mills, Cuming county, had four of his fingers cut off from his right hand by a circle saw last week.

Antelope has a musical organization calledthe "Cyclone" band, members of which have just received instruments from Philadelphia at a cost of \$225.

The question of closing the Schuyler schools is being seriously contemplated by the board and other citizens, owing to the diphtheria among the children.

A new disease among horses has broken out in the western part of Cuming county. The throat swells up, and unless it gathers and breaks death ensues.

A Masonic lodge has been organized at Col eridge. It being the first organization of the kind in Cedar county, it was appropriately christened Pioneer lodge.

A boy named Bertwell, of Wilber, while out kunting rabbits accidentally shot himself through the head, dying instantly. The entire charge entered his forehead.

Mr. Eaton, of Jefferson county, wishing to cattle, experimented on a calf. He gave it all consent to open the exposition by electricity. it would eat, and it died soon after.

Mrs. Lens Wilson, of Omaha, wants five thousand dollars damages from a saloonkeeper in that city named Rasmussen for selling liquor to her husband. The case is now before the courts.

date unless in the meantime the general managers of the roads interested should succeed in effecting new arrangements.

A bold attempt to release the Union Pacific train wrecker, Frank Heldt, from jail, is re ported from Schuyler, where Frank languishes behind the bars in default of \$8,000 bail. Heldt's mistress, U. P. Mary, smuggled some tools into his cell, and gave him a pointer as to how he could break out. At a given hour she fired Hughes' livery barn to draw attention from the jail and allow Heldt an opportunity to escape. The plan worked so well that but for the unexpected return of the jailor on an errand the prisoner would have gotten away. As it was Heldt had made his

way to the front door and was just leaving the building when he was recaptured.

The grand chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Nebraska have elected officers for the ensuing year, as follows: Henry E. Palmer, grand high priest; John D. Moore, deputy grand high priest; J. T. Benjamin, grand king; E. B. Carter, grand scribe; J. B. Dinsmore, grand treasurer; W. R. Bowen, grand secretary; A. B. Irwin, grand chaplain; James Tyler, grand lecturer; Milton J. Hull, grand captain of the host; L. D. Richards, grand principal sojourner; Frank H. Young, grand royal arch captain; F. M. Dinniny, grand master third veil; B. F. Rawalt, grand master second veil; C. B. Stellman, grand master first veil; Ross

Gamble, grand steward; Jacob L. Miller, grand steward; Wm. J. Mount, grand sentinel.

CHOKED BY A MOB.

A Desperado Known as "Omaha Charlie' Sent to Eternity

Charles Stevens, a desperado known as 'Omaha Charlie,'' who killed Herbert Kramer at Maryville, Mo., December 3, was on the 10th taken from jail by a mob and hung from the railroad bridge, despite the efforts of the sheriff to prevent it. Stevens was pardoned out of the penitentiary for a previous murder

last winter. Sixty masked men went to the jail at 2 a.m. and called up Sheriff Anderson and demanded he deliver Stevens to them. The sheriff re-fused, and told the crowd he would fight to the last. A committee of three was sent to consult with the sheriff, but he remained firm. The mob then rushed upon the door of the jail, and, notwithstanding the sheriff repectedly fired into the crowd, dangerously wound-ing several, they forced an entra ce, over-powered the sheriff, seized the murderer, and marched him, under cover of a score of cocked revolvers, to a railroad bridge a mile and a half away, and hung him.

THE COMING EXPOSITION.

President Arthur Asked to Open the Show by Electricity

A delegation of congressmen, headed by Commissioner-General Morehead, of the New Orleans exposition, and Senators Lamar and Hampton, called upon the president and requested him, in view of his inability to be satisfy himself as to whether smut would kill present at the opening of the exposition, to The plan is to attach a telegraph wire to the motive power of the machinery in the exposition, the wire to be connected with the white tion, the wire to be connected with the white house, and at a fixed moment, everything be-ing in readiness in New Orleans, the presi-dent, surrounded by his cabinet, members of congress, judges, government officials and foreign representatives, will press a button in the executive mansion at Washington, and in-stantaneously set the vast machinery of the exceeding. The president accord

Julius Prebs and Herman Bellman, about 24 Sunday laws as would hinder the necessary No Pacific Road Legislation. One hundred operatives have left Notting-Year corn is still pretty n close application to work. He fit Owing to the crowded condition of the cal-endar of the house, the committee on Pacific railroads informaily decided not to urge the consideration of the bill introduced at the last inday work or would prohibit such popula years of age, were arrested at Chicago, charged picture of Shoshone Falls and then deliber- with a deliberate attempt to wreck the incomham for America, where places have already enjoyments as are consistent with the sacredpicture of should be fails and daubed it over with ately took a brush and daubed it over with yellow paint. Joe Cook, the Blue Hill murderer, has been taken from the penitentiary to Red Cloud for trial. It will be remembered that tussle between producers, shippers and specu-lators with high freights an obstacle to a free movement. But the corn is in existence and people know it, and hence will not hid up the sessior, by Representatives summer and Belatrocities in Macedonia are increasing. Two hundred christians have been murdered with-of selling beer or other liquors on Sunday, or market or take on any more than is wanted for immediate use.

has been certified to the general terms. Carwick claims title as a settler, under the preemption act, to Arsenal island, opposite St. Louis, and wants a mandamus to compel Secretary Teller to order a survey.

George Cook was hanged at Laramie, Wyoming, for the murder of his brother-in-law, stract gives the main points of the leading Henry Blount, one year ago. Cook made no remarks on the scaffold and maintained to the last he was too drunk to know he was commit ting murder. He died easily in ten minutes.

A terrible duel was fought between two cowboys in Idaho, opposite Assotin, Washington territory. The duelists tied their left tant events of our age and a detailed account hands together and fought with knives until of its work is given. The Catholics of Prussia both fell dead. One received twelve stabs are commended for their good work in availing and the other sevente-n. The affray was witthemselves of every legal means to check the nessed by the friends of both men. advances of despotism and save their own free-

It is the opinion of a number of the mem then discusses the following terms: bers of the house committee on naval affairs that no action will be taken by the committee on the recent recommendation of officials of the Catholic church and with the laws, instithe navy department for appropriations for tutions and spirit of the country; and we emnew vessels for the navy. They also think the recommendations will not be favorably in the United States; for the influence of his considered by the house committee on approchurch has constantly been exercised in bepriations.

half of individual rights and popular liberties, and a right-minded American no-Jerome Blanton, of Malden, Mo., a wellwhere finds himself more at home than in a known farmer, was met on the railroad track Catholic church, for nowhere else can he by two tramps armed with guns who de breathe that atmosphere of divine truth which manded his money. "Don't murder me, and alone can make us free. We repudiate with equal earnestness the assertion that we need I'll give you what I've got," cried Blanton, lay aside any of our devotedness to our but, instead of his pocket-book, drew a rechurch to be true Americans, and the insinuavolver and shot one of the men dead in his tion that we need to lay aside any of our love tracks. The other fired, hitting Blanton in for our country's principles and institutions to be faithful Catholics. To argue that the the shoulder, and escaped. Blanton will recover.

In the executive session of the senate the nomination of McCulloch to be secretary of the treasury was taken up. Senator Riddleberger moved the consideration be postponed until after the holidays, which motion was lost, as also was another by the same senator to postpone until next Monday. Riddleberger then said he was not fully prepared to state his objections to the confirmation, but he would, as a preliminary, ask for the reading and to his instruments in the work we look of one of McCulloch's annual reports during with grateful reverence, and to maintain the his former administration of the treasury deinheritance of freedom which they have left us, should it ever, which God forbid, be im partment. Riddleberger yielded, however, periled, our Catholic citizens will be found to for a motion to adjourn, which was carried stand forward as one man, ready to pledge unanimously. anew their lives, their fortunes, and their sacred honor. No less illogical would be the

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our republican institutions incompatible with At Bedford, Ky., Lafe Gammons and James perfect docility to the church of Christ." The Davine were quarreling, when the son of the latter shot Gammons through the head, killis severely condemned and our government ing him instantly. The father of the murdered man then seriously stabbed Davine twice with a penknife.

Perry Reilly, of the two negroes who fatally assaulted F. P. Jones and wife at Sulphur Springs, Texas, was lynched by a crowd of citizens. Reilly confessed the robbery of Jones' house and told how Jones and wife were struck on the head with a hammer.

Charley Palmer, on a carouse, at Sago, Pittylvania county, Va., accosted William Akers, with whom before he had an altercation, and commenced shooting. Several shots took effect. Akers soon died. Palmer then beat an inoffensive negro nearly to death and fied. Deacon Terry, who eloped from Northville, Long Island, with the wife of Rev. Mr. Downs, has, Mrs. Terry says, written her stating he was sorry for what he had done, and that if I didn't forgive him he would kill himself. I have forgiven him, but he mustn't do so any more. Mrs. Downs has written her mother at

its deliberations by December 20th.

The pastoral letter of the archbishops at each voting precinct, who shall be permitted to witness all the proceedings. It is made and bishops of the United States composing a crime punishable by a fine and imprisonment the third plenary council held at Baltimore, to for any person to assault, intimidate, threaten, or insult any inspector or clerk. Consideration of the inter-state commerce the clergy and laity under their charge, is made public through the Catholic Mirror. It bill was resumed and Messrs. Davis, Horr and is a lengthy document, but the following abothers addressed the house.

SENATE.

matters which engaged the attention of the In the senate the Dakota bill was council: Reference is made to the great in taken up. Mr. Vest addressed the senate in crease in Catholic institutions during the past opposition to admission. He contended that the population was not enough to entitle it to eighteen years, especially in the west. The a representative in congress, and it would, to assembly by Pius of a general council at the a certain extent, be the disfranchisement of vatican is alluded to as one of the most imporstates already in the union to give the present population of Dakota two representatives in the United States senate, as well as a representative in the lower house of congress. The demands, said to have been made since 1870, for the admission of the territory, had been the demands of ambitious politicians. Men dom and that of their country. The letter who were willing to cut each other's throats politically and physically had been urging these "demands." Gen. Grant had been credthink we can claim to be acquainted both with the laws of the institutions and the spirit of ited, Vest said, with the statement while president, that Dakota territory gave him more trouble than all the other territories put phatically declare that there is no antagonism together: that the trouble there was that there with them. A Catholic finds himself at home were two streets in Yankton and when one street did anything or got anything done the other street rebelled, and it would require almost all the civil and military power of the United States to keep the peace between the factions.

HOUSE.

The speaker laid before the house a communication from Representative Scales (N. C.) announcing his resignation, to take effect December 30th. Tabled.

Morrison offered a resolution providing for holiday recess from December 3 until January 5. Referred.

Morrison offered a resolution, which was adopted, distributing the president's message appropriately among the standing and select committees of the house. So much of the nessage as refers to revenue, provisions of the treaties with Hawaii, Mexico and Spain is referred to the committee on ways and means. Consideration of the inter-state commerce

bill was resumed, but no definite action was SENATE.

In the senate, on the 11th, after routine business, Mr. Van Wyck offered the following:

WHEREAS, A commercial treaty of great imortance has been negotiated between the United States and Spain, which was made public by the king of Spain to such an extent that it was cabled from Madrid by the Times of New York City, and given to the American people by that journal before the same was presented with becoming solemnity in the senate: and

WHEREAS. The provisions of said treaty materially affecting revenues and taxation and involving no serious questions of diplomacy and state secrets, the discussion thereof should be in open session, so that the people may be fully apprised of the reasons why said treaty should be rathled or rejected; therefore, be it Resolved. That the committee on rules be directed to report an amendment or additional rule requiring that treaties which concern matters of revenue be considered in open ses-

On objection of Wilson, the matter went over one day.

Consideration of the Oregon Central land grant forfeiture bill was resumed.

An amendment offered by Plumb was agreed to-33 to 11-repealing the act of March 3, 1875, which allowed settlers on railroad lands subsequently forfeited to locate an amount equal to the original entry without additional cost.

HOUSE.

The house resun ed consideration of the inter-state commerce bill.

Mr. O'Neill (Pennsylvania) gave notice that at the proper time he would move to recommit the whole subject.

On motion of Mr. Warner (Ohio) a resolu tion was adopted calling upon the secretary of the interior for information relative to fees of claim agents in pension cases.

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A New Congressional Scheme.

A bill has been introduced in the house by Mr. Beach to maintain the secrecy of the ballot in the election of representatives and delegates to congress. It provides for a separate uniform ballot upon which candidates are to be voted for. The quality of paper and size of type are specified and general provision is made that all ballots must be the same in outward appearance. An important change in the existing law is made in respect to what is a legal ballot. Section 27 of the revised stat utes provides that all votes for representatives must be by written or printed ballots and nullifies all votes which are not so cast. Beach's bill permits the ballots to be printed or written or partly printed and written. The bill also requires all representatives and delegates shall be voted for upon separate ballots. Violations of any of the provisions of the bill are declared a misdemeanor and punishable by fine or imprisonment.

Farmers of Iowa Demanding Relief.

Correspondence from over the state shows a great feeling of discontent among the people of Iowa, particularly among the farmers and business men, because of the high rates being charged by the railroads. Despite very low prices for grain and the great depression in business, rates are kept up as high as during the good prices for grain last year, while practically all the special rates for manufacturers and wholesalers have been withdrawn from the state. The correspondence states that the question of an extra session of the legislature to deal with the transportation question is being discussed and in several localities it is proposed to circulate petitions asking the governor to convene the assembly in January.

THE MARKETS.

OMAHA

WHEAT-No. 2	54	0	
BARLEY-No. 2.	40	0	55
RyE-No. 2.			41
Cour No. 9 mixed	37	0	
Coan-No: 2 mixed Oars-No. 2.	24	6	24%
0A18-NO. 2	25	1.12	26
BUTTER-Fancy Creamery BUTTER-Choice dairy CHEESE-Young America	30	¢.	32
BUTTER-Choice dairy	14	0	23
CHEESE-Young America	15	a	1514
EGGS-Fresh	. 24	a	25
UNIONS-Per bbl	1 40	a	1 75
CHICKENS—Per doz. live.	2 00	64	2 50
CHICKENS-Dressed, per lb	5	a	7
TURKEYS-Per 10	8	Ges.	10
APPLES-Barrels	2 25	0	2 50
LEMONS-Choice	6 00	GE	6 50
POTATOES-Per bushel	30		
ATTLE-Fat steers		0	35
Hogs-Mixed packers	3 75	0	4 50
	3 80	6	4 00
	2 25	0	3 00
NEW YORK.			
WHEAT-No. 2 Spring.	81	0	60
WHEAT-Unornded Red		0	82
Cors-No 9	65		88
Conn-No.2 DATS-Mixed Western	54	6	55
oars made western	32	6	33
CHICAGO.			
FLOUR-Winter. FLOUR-Spring WHEAT-Perbushel	4 75	0	5 50
FLOUR-Spring	3 75		5 50
WHEAT-Per hushel	0 10	S.	4 50
ORN-Per hushel	112	٩Ø	71%
Oorn-Per bushel	-00		36%
ARD- HOGS-Pckg and shipp'g	- 700	10	24
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LOCS-Poly and phinels	6 65		6 6714
Trans P Exposts	4 20	0	4 45
Supen Medium to		6	6 20
meer-stearum to good	2 00	6	3 85
ST. LOUIS.			
WHEAT-No. 2 red		à	
ORN-Per bushel	75%		75%
JATS-Per bushel	323	9	32%
ATTLE-Exports	24%	10	25
HEEP-Medium.	4 25	60	6 00
logs-Packers	2 00	63	3 25
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KANSAS CITY.	2 I I		
VHEAT-Por bushel		a	-
ORN-Per bushel	49	S	50
ATS-Per bushel	25% 22	0	26
ATTLE-Exports		0	2234
ORN-Per bushel.	5 90	6	6 30
HEEP-Fair to good	3 90	0	4 15
	2 75	0	3 00
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holders at any time this season as it does today," said Frank Hollister this morning. "It has been maintained all along by bullish bro-

warmly thanked for the action that saved the American college from confiscation. A considerable portion of the letter is devoted to a discussion of the education of the clergy and their pastoral rights. The subject of Christian education is treated at great length. The letter says it is a palpable fact and cannot be ignored that the influence of the school often outweighs that of home and church. "To shut religion out of the schools and keep it for the home and the church is logically to train up a generation that will consider religion

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good for the home and church, but not for the practical business of real life." Continuing, the letter says: "We must multiply our schools till every Catholic child in the land shall have within its reach the means of education. There is still much to be done ere this is obtained. There are still thousands of Catholic children in the United States deprived of the benefit of a Catholic school. Pastors and parents should not rest till this defect shall oe remedied. No parish is complete until it has schools adequate to the needs of its children." Christian marriage and the indissolubility of the marriage tie are treated upon and in this connection the havoc wrought by the divorce

Goods stolen from Duke's hardware store in Bridgehampton asking forgiveness. laws of the country is deplored. The importkers that any amount of buying orders were Omaha, some weeks ago, have been located in kers that any allount of ouying orders were held at 76c. for January and 80c. for May, and on this many 'longs' placed great reliance. When we went below this figures, however, these orders failed to materialize, and I have exposition in motion. The president agreed to take the proposition under consideration. ance of good reading, especially of the Holy a town on the Kansas border and a man Scriptures, and of supporting thoroughly the FOREIGN NOTES. Catholic press, is impressively declared. Re-garding the observance of the Lord's day, the On motion of Mr. Weaver the senate bill started after the same. passed authorizing the First National bank of The Congo conference is expected to finish Mr. Landeryou, and Omaha landscape Train Wreckers Arrested. Omaha to increase its capital stock. letter says: "Far is it from us to advocate such now given up attempting to fix a bottom price painter, is off his mental balance by too

Catholie church is hostile to our great republic because she teaches that there is no power but from God; because, therefore, back of the events which led to the formation of the republic she sees the providence of God leading to that issue, and back of our country's laws the authority of God as their sanction, this evidently is so illogical and contradictory an accusation that we are astonished to hear it taken. advanced by persons of ordinary intelligence. We believe our country's heroes were instruments of the God of nations in establishing this home of freedom. To both the Almighty

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