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The ghosts of Barrett Scott's to-day he retains his former preslynchers still bravely stalk the prai- tige. ries of Holt county and are again holding up inoffensive citizens against whom they entertain a spite.

The United States senate does not propose to have any of its little congressional perquisites abolished, hence it has voted for Secretary Morton to continue his distribution of seeds.

Nevada's output of precious metal for 1895 was about \$4,000, 000, an increase of 12 per cent over the preceding year. The United States will more than keep pace with the Kaffir boom unless all indications fail.

It is all right for the people to respond to the call of the president and bring in the \$100,000,000 in gold, but the fact remains that with a good protective tariff not a dollar of the amount would have been needed by the United States treasury.

Congressman Hall's assertion that eight senators voted for free silver after having privately expressed the opinion that it meant ruin in case it became a law would be more interesting if it included Waller from further imprison- brought suit against Henry James for ple—Ogallala Indians are holding a the names of such persons; and ment and pardon his offense \$20,000 damages for slander. Both are council on Wounded Knee creek, at the charges of that sort should not be thereby terminated as between France Ark.—Leonhart Froeschle, a merchant made unless the accuser is ready to specify the guilty parties.

board of county commissioners propendent Era and the Wallace Her- houses of congress today by the presiald"is a legal newspaper as contemplated in the statute adopted by the last legislature? But of course Beeler being an interested party it is doubtful whether his opinion should be accepted as final.

Morton's candidacy is indorsed by the New York Republican State Committee, which means that all, or nearly all, of that state's delelot all is conjecture. The age and by a priest of the Roman Catholic Morton in the other states. nobody doubts that he has the make a satisfactory president.

A suggestion to the Nebraska club: Don't make the mistake have made, by forgetting that Nebraska extends beyond the nineteenth meridian. Instead of commencing the work of organization at the east and working west should be commenced simultaneously at the east and west and pushed toward the centre. A word to the wise is sufficient. - Kearney

Outside of national and state leghave shown how the old soldiers are regarded. Of the the five men elected to the presidency since | ranged a pair with Representative Poor 1865 all but one were ex-soldiers of the union army. About the same proportion holds as to governors of | 46; McCreary, 3; Carlisle, 2. Necessary states and to all other elective officers. It is therefore quite unneccessary to pass ridiculous and unconstitutional acts ostensibly in the of Japanese by Formosa rebels, some in the interest, but really to the injury, of the men who bore arms in any great war.

In his speech the other night before the alumni of an Eastern col lege Senator Hawley, of Connecticut, said there is danger of culture becoming separated from manhood in our young men. every emergency which has confronted this country the British to extra dressed beef and shipping cattle sold government has been our enemy. 465. Exporters' purchases were made at \$3.91 It is pushing us on every side now, trying to straddle the Nicaragua canal and to grab the Alaskan and priess were about 5c lower. The bulk sold at \$4 10.54.15, prime light selling at \$4.25 and gold fields. The British hold upon | the best heavy and medium weights at \$4,20. India began with a trading company and one warship, and now India is a British possession. Senator Hawlley contends that this country must be ready to fight. and sheep, 12,000. that, whether the Monroe doctrine is international law or not, it is our law of national defense, and we

must stand by it. Dr. Sawyer; Dear Sir: Having used your Pas tilles, I can recommend them to the public. I have been attended by four different doctors, but one and a half boxes of your medicine has done me more good than all of them. Yours respectfully, Mrs. Maggie Johnson, Bronson, Branch

The Glasgow Herald is authority for the statement that Gladstone will again stand for parliament in order to support the aid for the Armenians. It is said he does not conceal his conviction that political parties in Great Britain have betrayed Armenia. Time was when the grandold man exercised a potential influence in England's political progress; but it is doubtful if

WILL BE TAKEN TO KENTUCKY

Grand Jury Preparing Indictments Against Jackson and Walling. CINCINNATI, Feb. 11 .- Jackson and Walling, after a somewhat exciting first day in jail, are reported to be in good spirits today. It looks as if the men will shortly be taken to Newport for trial. The grand jury is now in session and it is hearing evidence in the case. The prosecuting attorney is already preparing indictments. Besides this, Governor Bradley has sent a special officer to Newport to get the facts with a view to the issuance of a demand for the ex-

tradition of the prisoners. While the officers of Campbell county, Ky., are confident that they can protect the prisoners in Kentucky, and while citizens of Newport resent the imputation of lawlessness, it is still the common notion that little would be left for the court to do with these prisoners if

Scott Jackson today gave a written statement about his bloody coat found in the sewer. He claims that Walling wore his clothing on the night of the

A special from Greencastle, Ind., says that no confidence is placed in the statement of Miss Hollingsworth of Indian-

PARDON FOR EX-CONSUL WALLER. Ambassador Eustis Instructed to Accept

the Offer Made by France. Washington, Feb. 13.-Ambassador Eustis has been instructed to accept the offer of the French government to release ex-United States Consul feed merchants at Dallas, Tex., shot him- wounded—General Weyler arrived at on condition that the affair be properous merchants at Plummerville, and the United States, and that the at Davenport, Ia., committed suicide by latter make no claim in behalf of the hanging himself-Boas Poe, the last of prisoner based upon his arrest, convic-We wonder if our honorable tion or imprisonment. Waller may, however, sue in the French courts for damages for ill treatment. These facts, cured the opinion of the county showing the amicable termination of attorney as to whether "The Inde- the celebrated Waller incident, appear in the correspondence sent to both dent in answer to resolutions of inquiry upon the subject.

Secretary Olney says that there is no doubt whatever of Waller's guilt, that "the evidence fully sustains the charge," and no court could have hesitated to condemn him.

BAT SHEA PAYS THE PENALTY. Troy Murderer Dies In Chair of Electroca-

tion at Dannemora Prison. DANNEMORA, N. Y., Feb. 13.-Bartholomew Shea died in the electrical chair today, paying the penalty for the murder of Robert Ross at Troy gation will cast its vote for him on in May, 1894. He was attended to the the first ballot. Beyond that bal- gallows by a clergyman from his home church of this place. After receiving handicap, of course, will weaken the last sacrament, Shea said: "I am Yet innocent, Father, innocent," an assertion which he had repeated during the rite of anointment. When he was conmental and moral equipment to ducted into the death chamber he started

The straps being adjusted, the priest in low tones read the service of the dead. While the priest read, the first that political parties in this state voltage was turned on. It was 9:55 when Shea entered the room and at 9:5834 he was pronounced dead.

THE REPUBLICANS ARE INDIGNANT. Dr. Hunter Prevented From Being Elected

Senator by Poor's Pair. CINCINNATI, Feb. 11 .- A special to The Commercial-Gazette from Frankfort, Ky., says: The Republicans are indignant because Dr. Hunter was pre- denly at Burling on, Ja., aged 66-The vented from being elected as United Catron bill to prevent prize fighting in States senator yesterday because of a the District of Columbia and territories pair between Senator Ogilvie (Dem.) and Representative Poor (Pop.). The latter is said to have promised to vote for Hunter whenever he was needed. Senator Ogilvie was sick and unable to islation, the votes of the people be in attendance. After the joint ballot last Friday his physicians forbade him attending the sessions until he was bet- Danny Needham in an 8-round fightter. Meantime the Blackburn men arand Hunter needed the latter's vote. With it he would have been elected. The vote stood: Hunter, 51; Blackburn, to choice, 52.

> Cannibalism In Formosa. VICTORIA. Feb. 13.-Dreadful stories come from Yokohama of the treatment correspondents going so far as to say that the Chinese practice cannibalism.

Uhl Confirmed Immediately. Washington, Feb. 11 .-- The nomination of Hon E. F. Uhl to be ambassador to Germany was confirmed by the senate in a little more than an hour after it had been received.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago Live Stock.
CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—CATTLE—Today's re ceipts were almost too large for the demand and the market was dull. Prices were about steady for good lots, others weak. Common at \$3.63@4.40 and extra choice beeves at \$1.53@ (64 30. Heifers and cows in good demand, sold largely at \$1.90 g 8.25. Choice calves were ac-HOGS-The market continues to show weak

Buyers took hold very well at the reduced prices and the supply was sold early.

SHEEP-Trade was fairly active. Native sheep were in demand at 12 50@3.60, westerns

at \$3.00@3.50, yearlings at \$3.65@4.4) and lambs at \$3.25@4.50. New sheep sold below \$3.00 and lambs went mostly above \$3.80.
Receipts—Cattle, 15,0.0 head; hogs, 24.00); South Omaha Live Stock.

SOUTH OMAHA, Feb. 12 -CATTLE-Receipts,

1,000 head; market steady; active; all sold; native beef steers, \$8.25/\$4.25; western steers, \$2.80.63.70; Texas steers, \$2.75@3 60; cows and heifers, \$2.40g8 40; canners,\$1.50g2.35; stockers and feeders, \$2.80g2.70; calves, \$3.00@5.25; bulls, stags, etc., \$1.75@3.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,500 head; market a shade to 5c higher; active; heavy, \$3.75@3.90; mixed. \$3.85@3.90; light, \$3.85@3.95; pigs. \$3.70@8.90; bulk of sales. \$2.85@3.90.

SHEEP—Receipts, 100 head; market easier; fair to choice natives, \$2.70@8.60; fair to choice

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Friday, Feb. 7. Six hundred conversions have resulted at Albion, Mich., during a series of union General Manager Kendrick is to be reinstated and will be made general manager of the entire Northern Pacific systemintended for use in the gold mines at was adjudged insane. When she heard of apolis. She is an intimate friend of the action she went into spasms and died in a few hours. rebellion as lieutenant colonel of the trouble John Siber, a butcher at Hannithe Hudgins gang of outlaws, was arrested by Deputy Marshal George Stewart at Paris, Tex .-- On account of a disagreement between the city council of Nevada, Mo., and the electric light company of that town the city is in darkness -A ledge of silver ore has been discovered on the farm of Paul H. Pigg near Mount Vernon, Ills. It averages seven

and a half ounces of silver to the ton. Saturday, Feb. 8. The miners at Percy. Ills, who struck because of a reduction, have nearly all returned to work-Edward Davis of Alexandria, Ind., went to Muncie to get work and failing shot him-elf in the abdomen. He will die—The bald headed members of the New York Stock exchange have organized an association called the Bald Headed league --- By the overturning of a lamp at Des Moines Mrs. James Cully's clothing became saturated with oil and she was fatally burned-Aug. 12 and 13 have been selected as the days for holding the national regatta at Saratoga-Yale spent \$54,000 on athletics last year, according to the treasurer's statement-The McFarland Planing Mill company at Lawrence, Kan., has passed into the hands of receivers. Liabilities, \$9.000 -- A Missouri farmer named Mort Eads, who has been a fugitive from justice for several years has surrendered - Rev. Father Gaskins, while addre sing his congregation in Shiloh Baptist church at Washingas he came in sight of the electrical ton, D. C., was attacked with heart chair, but said nothing. trouble. He has since died --- Mrs. Georgiana Joy, mother of Congressman Joy of St. Louis, is dead at the home of her daughter in Jacksonville, Ills. -- Since the publication of General Harrison's letfer the sentiment among the Republican at Rushville, Ind , seems to be for Senator Allison for president. Of 100 old soldiers interviewed 80 per cent expressed themselves for the Iowa man - The senate Indian committee favorably reported Mr. Pettigrew's bill for the taxation of lauds allotted to Indians in severalty -- Charles Wachsmuth, the world's greatest palontologist in the line of crinoids, died sudwas signed by the president - A. J. Shaw secretary of the senate by the Republi-Twelve Lundsed soldiers embacked at cans-Benjamin Ratcliffe, the slaver of Barcelona for Cuba --- President Kruger the entire school board of Jefferson disat the penitentiary-George Green, known as "Young Corbett," defeated The Upper Des Moines Editorial a socia- organization to memorialize congress for tion closed a very successful meeting at Boone, Ia. - The Kansas Live Stock Exchange adopted a protest against the cattle qua: ntine line for 1896 promulgated by Secretary Morton -- President Cleveland

> the corn rates to the gulf. Monday, Feb. 10.

politician-William M. Ramsey, a well known lawyer, a former partner of Stanlev Matthews, a late justice of the United States supreme court, is dead in Cincinof Sioux City is likely to be urged by western Iowa Republicans for one of the Louis -The grand jury returned indict-Mason City for illegal sale of liquors-The business men of Dallas, Tex., have fair-J. R. Bailey of Harrisonville, Mo., committed suicide at Jefferson City by means of morphine-E. D. Smith of Clinton, Ills., committed suicide because his home was about to be sold for a debt - F. Kitts, a nephew of Justice Kitts of Knoxville, Tenn., was killed by a falling tree while on a hunting expedition-Father John M. Fitzgerald, charged with erson at Rochester, N. Y., has been sentinced to 10 years in the penitentiary-Bennie Egglestrom, aged 13, was accidentally shot and killed by Clatence McCoy, a schoolmate, at Rapid City, S. D. -Tom Drivers shot and killed Harry Mack at vasota by students of the school there-The sensational divorce suit of Dr. Lewis A. Malone against his wife at Jacksonville, Ills., has been terminated in favor of his wife - A postoffice clerk at Chillicothe, Mo., was badly injured in an encounter with a burglar, who was going through the postoffice at that place-Jean Auguste Barre, the cistinguished French sculptor, is dead-R. M. Craig, a farm laborer omployed by Flas Fator at North Vernon, Mo., is suing Falor for \$10,000 damages for injuries received while driving one of Falor's mules

cago Dispatch, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary and fined \$2,000 for circulating through the mails indecent matter-Officer William Raiffeissen, who shot and killed Henry Ross, an escaping convict at Sedalia. Mo., was held blameless, but the colored people of the city have raised a fund with which to

Tuesday, Feb. 11.

William Van Lo sal has mysteriously disappeared from Beardstown, Ills --Martin Kronski was fatally burned and three others seriously injured by a gas explosion in the iron works of Jones & Laughlin at Pittsburg, Pa.-Conrad revival meetings-Rumor has it that Trus, aged 90, a well-to-do resident of Wabash, Ind., hanged himself-Bishop Thomas Bowman of St. Louis dedicated a Methodist church at Martinsville, Ills,-The Iowa Baptist pastors' conference is in Howard M. Cummings, a gambler and session at Ottumwa, with a large attend- son of Judge J. R. Cummings, committed ance. Extension work is being discussed | suicide at the Huntington hotel at Fort -A holsting engine of 600 horse power, Scott, Kan. Frank Timms, a farmer, was attacked by an enraged bull at Dun-Cripple Creek, Colo., was given a success- kirk, N. Y., and fatally wounded. Timms' they should be placed in the Newport ful test at Beloit, Wis .- The jury in the son was also badly injured -- Over 12,00) case of John Rama, on trial at Ottumwa, tons of sugar is now on its way from Ia., for killing Edward Reliford, has dis- Alexandria, Egypt, on board British agreed, nine men maintaining he should tramp steamers to Philadelyhia, Pa-, and be acquitted - Jacob Pitka of Toledo, is due March 1 - According to the reports Ia., who has been having trouble with of southwestern railroads there is a great relatives, was shot by some unknown per- improvement over last year's business for son, who fired through a window. He | the corresponding period -Alva Trelow, will die-Mrs. N. Nelson of Beloit, a young farmer, was mortally wounded Wis., who has been ill for a long time, at McAllister Springs, Mo, by the accidental discharge of a pistol which he was handling-By the explosion of a 110in a few hours-Colonel Edward Travis | horse-power boiler at the Ann and Hope died at Waverly, Ia. He served in the cotton mill at Lonsdale, R. I., one man was killed, another fatally injured and Forty-eighth New York infantry volun- five seriously hurt-W. I. Burdett and teers-Because he was in financial his son became engaged in a fight with George and Charles Way near Sugar bal, Mo., blew out his brains-Mark | Lake, Mo. The elder Burdett was almost Bessard of the firm of Madsen & Bessard, instantly killed and his son fatally famous battlefield-In the speech from the throne it is stated that Great Britain's relations with foreign powers are satisfac-torp—Brazil will strengthen her navy.

Wednesday, Feb. 12.

A receiver has been appointed for the Dickel Riding academy of New York-A Chine e in-pector of the treasury department has been located at Denver-The s cam lighter Alfred Lister sank off Rockaway, N. Y. The crew was rescued -The Valley State bank of Hutchinson, Kan., has suspended. Deposits only amounted to \$11,000 -- Company D of the Minnesota militia has gone to New Orleans to participa e in the Mardi Gras exercises - Evidence is accumulating to show that H. Ccanston Potter, whose body was found in the bay at San Fran cisco, was murdered - Miss Annie Maud Brewer of Salem, Mass, has been sentenced to seven year.' imprisonment for killing her lover in a quarrel-Daniel Sullivan, a Fort Wo th banker, has sued the Strahon-Hulton Evans company of St. Louis for \$25),000 damages, for writing matters tending to injury his credit-An employe of the Prairie du Chien, Wis., brewery fell in o a beer vat, and, being unable to swim, was drowned-The Randolph coal mine, closed down since Dec. 15, has opened up at Percy, Ills., giving employment to 100 men-Mrs. Stella Dittinger, the 22-year-old divorced wife of Louis Dittinger, committed suicide with chloroform at Hennessey, O .-A bill is to be introduced in the Ohio legislature providing that murderers be executed by twisting their heads until the neck breaks by means of a lately inverted machine - Diphheria is raging in the Baltic provinces of Russia, the epidemic being so virulent that 8) per cent of those afflicted die -The Transvaul government has ordered two batteries of artillery from Kuropean firms-Isaac Murphy, the well of Lancaster county. known jockey, is believed to be dying at hi + home in Lexington. Ky., of pneumonia After an idleness of six weeks, the Illinois Steel company at Joliet set it s mill in operation and 2,000 men went to work at book, "Roughing It," is dying at the Faptist sanitarium in St. Louis-The purchased by Boston capitalists for \$400,-000, in monthly payments of \$100,000.

Thursday, Feb. 13.

will visit The Hague, Paris and Berlin as congress of the National Trotting association was held in New York Clay-Exslave; of the country will effect a national pensions - Out of 100 applications of the knife in appendicitis in New York only two operations resulted fatally-The county, whose bondsmen attempted to heaviest snow of the winter is reported in | make a settlement with the state treasnorthern Illinois and Iowa-Steps will | urer some days ago. Mr. Whitney lays left Washington on a lighthouse tender be taken to prosecute the lynchers of the responsibility for the shortage on for a trip down the river-The Kansas Grant Atterbury at Sullivan, Ills. - Coboard of railroad commissioners has sent | caine was found in the stomach of the a second letter to the railroads relating to murdered Pearl Bryan at the Cincinnati inquest-Mrs. Homer Swope of Quincy, Ills., let a needle slip down her throat. She narrowly escaped death-Ben pany for the purpose of developing the Mrs. Helen M. Arion, an aunt of Gen- Smith, a lifetime convict, and Thomas Milford gold has been completed and eral Lew Wallace, is dead at Los Angeles. O'Neil made their escape from jail at the contract let for an artesian well to Her husband was a well known Chicago | Pract City, Ala. -- Charles Rich and Mme. Emma Clark were sentenced to 10 years for the murder of Theodore Breen at Knoxville, Tenn .-- William Hoover was scalded to death by the explosion of a per acre for development. As the connati of paralysis-Congressman Perkins | boiler at Warren, Ind. A woman whom | tract for the well is a Nebraska man, he was about to marry went insane on Mr. A. L. Harrison of Panama, the hearing of his mi fortune-Mrs. Frank | whole movement and results will be four Iowa Allison delegates at large to St. | McDonel of Goffs, Kan., has been arrested | charged with poisoning her husbandments against all of the druggists of Local pa-senger associations have gone into operation at Denver, Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Colo., and Lincoln. Neb .--sub-cribed \$10,000 toward: the Texas state | H. B. Gillette, of Pierre, S. D., died in a | of Shelby was surprised when Rev. E. New York ho-pital, where he had gone to submit to an operation. He was for five years assistant secretary of state-Western Pas-enger association roads have agreed to run two additional homeseekers' excursions to points in the west and southwest in April next and in May | rie was assistant pastor of a church here - Alexander Lavrenius, a Russian politital p isoner who escaped from Siberia in 1883, is dead at Denver, Colo., aged 46 rears-Returns from Shiawasse county, Michigan, indicate the defeat of the local option law-The state superintendent of insurance has granted a license to the Omaha Life Association of Minneapolis, Prairie View, Tex., but was captured at Na- Minn., to transact an assessment life insurance business in Illinois - Nashville, Tenn., is actively campaigning for the Christian I'ndeaver convention of 1896-A baby weighing exactly one pound was

> TEXAS LOSES A CONGRESSMAN. Sepresentative From Eleventh Texas Dis-

born in San Francisco

trict Passes Away In Washington. WASHINGTON, Feb. 11 .- Villiam H. Crain, representative from the Eleventh district of Texas and a member of that body since the 49th congress, died at his

NEWS OF NEBRASKA.

Takes His Own Life. OMAHA, Feb. 8 .- Fred Matsen of Hooper committed suicide while standing at the bar in Odin's hall by shooting himself.

OMAHA, Feb. 8.—W. S. Seavey, exchief of police of Omaha, has filed his application with the board of police commissioners of Denver for the position as chief of police.

Gold Contract Attacked. Lincoln, Feb. 7 .- An action has been commenced by W. J. Bryan and Norris Humphry, attacking the contract recently entered into by the city for the sales of \$534,000 of gold bonds

Wrecked a Printing Office. STANTON, Neb., Feb. 8.-Parties broke open the back door of The Register office, pied the forms that were ready for press, tore up the papers and pied every case of type in the office and defiled the

pile with filth. Nebraska Prohibs to Meet. LINCOLN. Feb. 13 .- The Nebraska Prohibitionists will hold their state convention at Red Ribbon hall Thursday and Friday for the purpose of electing delegates to the national convention at Pittsburg, May 27.

Murder Trial Postponed. SPRINGVIEW, Neb., Feb. 7 .- The criminal case in which G. A. Porter is being held for the murder of young Woodfork has been adjourned until May 12 next on account of the illness of F. M. Harrington, Porter's principal attorney.

Hastings to Vote on Bonds. HASTINGS, Neb., Feb. 11.-The city council passed an ordinance submitting to a vote of the people at a special election a proposition authorizing the city to issue bouds in the sum of \$15,000 for an electric light plant and \$10,000 for waterworks improvements.

Heavy Judgment Against Lincolp. WAHOO, Neb., Feb. 10.-The damage case of Kendall & Smith against Sanitary District No. 1, or properly the city of Lincoln, was given to the jury and after about three hours of deliberation a yerdict of \$61,600 was returned for the plaintiffs. The plaintiffs sued for \$77,-

An Old Timer's Death. HARTINGTON, Neb., Feb. 13,-Dennis O' Flaherty, one of the oldest settlers of Cedar county, having been connected with the affairs of the county as early as 1860, died at his home in the east part of the county, Mr. O'Flaherty was a member of the first board of county

Hawkins Bound Over. BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 10,-Ex-Water Commissioner George E. Hawkins had his preliminary hearing in justice court upon a charge of embezzlement of city funds and was placed under a bond of \$1,000 for his appearance in district court. His wife signs the bond, as she has in the other cases for forgery, pending against him.

A. O. U. W. Grand Lodge Meeting. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Feb. 7 .- Grand lodge Ancient Order of United Workmen, in special session reduced initiation fee from \$9 to a minimum of \$5 About 100 delegates are in atendance. This reduction is made on account of hard times. Receivers and recorders who have been in office for three years or more were also made eigilble to the

grand lodge. Sam Payne Has Gone Crazy. LINCOLN, Feb. 8 .- Sam Payne, convicted of the murder of Maud Rubel in Omaha, is violently insane. Penitentiary officials said that he was kept in strict confinement all the time, and that it was a difficult matter to keep clothes on his person. Mr. Demaree, penitentiary physician, has filed a com-plaint before the insanity commission

Accused of Stealing Cattle. RANDOLPH, Neb., Feb. 10. - John Drayton of Holt county went to Wausa, where he captured a man by the name once-Judge Alexander Davis, whose of John Denham and took him to name figures in Mark Twain's famous | O'Neill. Denham is accused of being a partner of Holtz, arrested in Boyd county the other day and taken to Raven mine at Cripple Creek, has been O'Neill for trial. Denham is also accused of selling two steers belonging to Drayton to a man living near Wansa.

Banker Bound Over For Triel. Lincoln, Feb. 10 .- Benjamin ;), Mills of this city, ex-president of the defunct State Bank of Republican City, was bound over to the district court of Harlan county on the charge of embezzling \$2,700 of county funds. This is the outgrowth of the alleged shortage of \$30,-000 of ex-Treasurer Whitney of Harlan

Banker Mills. Ready to Produce Gold. Millford, Neb., Feb. 10 .- The organization of the Middlefield Gold crimwork the soil. The company consists of seven land owners, who contribute their land and a certain sum of money Nebraska product.

Shocked His Church Friends. SHELBY, Neb., Feb. 10 .- The congregation in a country church northwest W. Cole, who presided over them, deviated from his usual teachings of the United Brethern church and preached that there is no hell and then severed his connection with the denomination. was appointed as delegate to the next Young People's Christian union convention at Des Moines. He is preparing a course of lectures in support of his

WRECK ON THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL. Five Men Killed In a Collision Between

Mixed Trains at Dongols, Ilis. CENTRALIA, Ills., Feb. 13. - Two mixed freight and passenger trains on the Illinois Central railroad collided at Dongola, Ills., at 6:45 this morning Five men were killed; George Hunting ton, engineer; Baggageman Armstrong, Fireman Anderson, Fireman Adams and Brakeman McLean. Most of them live here. Superintendent Baker and Trainmaster Beverington are at the