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THE senate has just passed one general pension bill against which protests from the public are not likely to be many. It increases the pensions of survivors of the war of 1812 from \$12 to \$30 a month. There are only twelve of these pensioners, and the voungest is 90 years old.

TREASURER MESERVE is said to be calling and cashing the state's warrants in large numbers. It is a pleasure to know he has the money with which to carry on this good work. We were given to understand that when the populist came into power they would not find any money with which to cancel debts. They must be chagrined to discover this is not the case .- Fremont Tribune.

As an illustration of the unfair and conscienceless methods that a certain element among British millers are using in order to stop the growing importation of American flour, United States Consul Taney at Belfast has forwarded to the department of state at Washington extracts from Irish trade papers all of the American flour is adul- legislature by Representative Compton to was elected chaplain of the Idaho legislaterated. According to this remarkable statement, the adultera- in lawful money of the United Statestion is corn meal, which is so finely ground as to defy detection when lived until April 22 he would have been fused to pay for a glass of beer, was shot mixed with flour. The very whiteness and purity of our flour is cited in proof of the charge, for it is said | Mason City Ia., committed suicide by | Cook, daughter of wealthy Denver parthat as the British millers can make only yellow flour from India wheat, the Americans must add the corn meal, which is of a bluish tint, to make their flour white. The consul says this sort of argument is used with evil effect.

THE Schuvler Quill, which is one of the most consistent and honest populist papers in the state, refers to the legislative "machine" as follows: The machine is now in good working order and those who are on the inside and part and parcel of the institution are strickly in it, so to speak. The organization, not only of the legislature, but the state officers and the state boards has been machine work from the start. state ever engaged in more unprincipled schemes than our so-called reform party. "The riffraff" who organized the party and made the the lawyers, bankers, dudes and a high hand. Dissatisfaction prevails in all ranks and the dirty work of the past week has disgusted the old line populists to such an extent that already they are ready have the party.

IT is only proper to call the attention of the sixteen-to-one fellows to the undisputable fact that the resumption of industrial activity continues. The Pittsburg Post last Saturday gave a long list of the concerns that had started up on that day in the industrial centre surrounding that city, giving employment to thousands of men. Monday last the Case Threshing Machine factory. at Racine, Wis., resumed work after being shut down for six months, giving employment to several hundred men. Announcement is made that the great Warwick cotton mills at Providence. consisting of 330,000 spindles and 700 looms, the Ray cassimere mill at Franklin, Mass., the Glendale woolen mill at Woonsockett, R. I. and several other extensive factories in New England, will shortly ters, named Sloane, Adams and Jacobs, resume operations. Advices from attacked the jailer and escaped from other parts of the country report preparations for starting up industries, showing that confidence in the future among manufacturers is field of Pana, Ill., who gave birth to twins charged two fellow workers-Mrs. Mary general.

THOSE are very eloquent figures which show that, while the Wilson act has yieded in round numbers only \$739,000,000 of revenue in the the McKinley law furnished \$886,-000,000 in the same length of time. ficit of \$127,000,000 and its predecessor provided a surplus of \$23,000,-000 in an equal period. A fair measure of the relative capabilities of the two parties in the business of practical legislation is here re- a mule at Alhambra, Ill. - F. P. Sullivealed. Nobody doubts that the bill which the republicans will Jeff Ryardon and Tom Ash have been arpase in the extra session will meet all the government's needs in the way of income and provide a small | solved by mutual consent.

surplus for emergencies. It will also give adequate protection to all industries needing any. Consideralle skill is demanded to meet the two sorts of requirements, but the republicans have displayed it on several occasions and undoubtedly will do it again. - St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

TOLD IN A FEW WORDS

EVENTS OCCURRING IN ALL SECTIONS SUMMARIZED.

Happenings From Home and Abroad Re duced From Columns to Lines-Everything But Facts Eliminated For Our Readers' Convenience.

Friday, Feb. 5.

The education bill passed its first read

Twenty-three young men from St. Joseph,

Mo., have left for Cuba to fight the Span-

ish-Prof. H. H. Harris of the Louis-

ng in the British house of commons-

ville Theological seminary died at Lynchburg, Va .- The postoffice at Laketon Ind., was robbed of stamps, cash and checks to the value of \$400-The Dolphin has been ordered to Charleston, S. C., to join Admiral Bunce's fleet there-Rev. J. A. Brooks, a well-kn own divine of the Christian church, and prohibition candi date for the vice presidency in 1888, died at Memphis, Tenn.-Bob Love, who shot his father's head off with a load of birdshot, was found guilty of murder in the second degree at Emporia, Kan. The prisoner pleaded self-defense-The St. Louis merchants exchange is threatened with a raid as an ordinary bucket shop-Betting on the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight at New York is in favor of Corbett by odds averaging 10 to 7-Samples of handmade silk laces have been received at the state department at Washington from Chee Foo, China, made by female lacemakers-A South Dakota farmer missed several geese during the last snow storm and after 26 days the birds were discovered alive and in fairly good condition-John T. Kilgalon, secretary of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers since 1892, died at Pittsburg after a brief illness from Bright's disease—Secretary Carlisle's visit to New York is believed to be with a view to opening a law office ing in Louisville, Ky., or Chicago-A Elisha Pratt, the oldest citizen of Union six weeks ago, and feared he would be financially rained.

Saturday, Feb. 6. The cotton mills at Saco, Mo., will not be shut down as was expected-Cudahy Bros. have purchased more oil wells in Nottingham township, Indiana, worth about \$50,000-President Smith of the First National bank at Mason City, Ia., contracted consumption from diseased cattle-Judy Jeffers was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary at Defiance, O., for killing Frank Jones at a dance-The 3-year-old daughter of Edward Hillsberry was burned to death at Eureka, Kas., while playing near a stove-A sleeping car attached to a Santa Fe train jumped the tracks at Chicago and several passengers were cut and briused-The Jesse Edy Manufacturing company's woolen mills at Fail River, Mass., have been shut down owing to lack of business -Sixteen head of cattle shipped to the Chicago stock yards to be slaughtered were condemned as suffering from pneu-No republican combination in the monia-William L. Williams, an engineer at Winona, Minn., has invented a rotary ice sleigh which is capable of traveling forty miles an hour-The Maryland | Crete. Steel company's works at Sparrow's Point near Washington, are to resume operations after an idleness of several months, fight in 1890 has been read out and furnishing work for about 1,500 hands-The Portuguese parliament was dissolved —Thomas Doherty & Co., tea merchants stinkers are carrying things with Montreal, have assigned. Liabilities about \$100,000-It is announced from the vatican that the pope is in good health and will attend a requiem mass in commemoration of Pope Plus IX. on Monday -Dr. Fridjof Nansen, the explorer, was entertained at dinner at the Savage club, London, and was elected an honorary life to step out and let the politicians | member of that organization-Sixty five per cent of the striking dock laborers at Hamburg voted in favor of returning to work, the others voting favorable to continuing the strike-Mortiz Rosenthal, the planist, who is convalescent after a long illness, left Chicago last evening for Coronado Beach, Cal., where he will fully recuperate-E. C. Breden, the champion runner of the London Athletic club, was defeated in a 440 yard race at London by

A. R. Downer, the Scotch champion, who won by a yard and a half. Monday, Feb. 8. Sam Brown of Velpen, Ind., fell in fit and was fatally injured by a train-Harry Frieze, an old resident of Bonfield Ill., was killed in a runaway-Mat Brown was accidentally shot in the thigh at Sherman, Tex., by a companion and will die-Two ranchmen were killed and three badly wounded at the El Benito ranch near Mapimi, Mex .-- Charles Grove, treasurer of Monroe township, Ohio, committed suicide by shooting himself-John Long made an unsuccessful attempt to end his life at Mayfield, Ky., by taking morphine-The big plant of the American Plate Glass company at truction by fire-Gen Raffaele Cordona, Knott county jail at Hindman, Ky .-State Labor Commissioner Baird of Kansas threatens to enforce the eight-hour labor law at Atchison, even if he has to resort to the courts--- Mrs. Douglas Shinnitwo years ago, has just presensed her husband with triplets, two daughters and a son-Ross Daniels and Fred Magell, owners of a ranch in Buchel county, Texas, became involved in a dispute with John Elchor and the latter took offense at their tricks and killed both men-The body of D. F. Riordan was found on the twenty-nine months of its operation | frozen Kankakee river at Kankakee, Ill. and as there was considerable cash on his person the suspicion that he was murdered is discounted-Ethel Frizelle, a Butler, The Wilson law has created a de- Mo., young woman, in jail at Fort Scott, Kas., who is dying, directed the police to the house of Mamie Price, where a large quantity of stolen goods were secreted.

Tuesday, Feb. 9. Miss Ovedia Viggin took polson at Chicago and died on the streets-Henry Hock was seriously kicked on the head by van was shot in the thigh during a fight at East St. Louis by James Onright-

-The firm of Kellner & Lloyd, which has been heretofore in existence, is dis-

rested charged with passing counterfeit money at Greercastle, Ind .- M. C. Borden of New York purchased the entire stock of print cloths, numbering 750,000 at Fall River, Mass .-- Owing to the heavy rains the Thames, England, has overflowed its banks and the Eaton recreation grounds and Windsor track are submerged-W. C. Noble, a sculptor at New York city, charged with the larceny of \$2,000, under promise of marriage, by Miss Julia Price, a model, has been acquitted - Theodore Hornback, a negro boy, who set fire to the clothing of Daisy Jones near Lebanon, Mo., has been sentenced to four years' imprisonment in the penitentiary-Merchant tailors meet at Cleve land for a three days session, and the main features to be discussed are higher tariff on foreign goods and uniformity of dress. -A strike is expected on the part of the fishermen of the Columbia river because the canneries have refused to pay more than 4 cents per pound for fish. Four and a half cents is asked-Mrs. Anna Hamilton, aged 82 years, slipped on the ice at Muncie, Ind., and received fatal injuries-August Peters, a Chicago cab driver, was fatally injured by -A block of 10 business houses was dehanging, says he will certainly kill himself the first chance he gets-The ice gorge in the Ohio river near Louisville Ky., has done considerable damage to steamers and boats on the river and traffic is blocked-Edward Peterson and Gus Hallett fought over the affections of a girl near Morrisburg, La., and Hallett dealt Peterson his death blow with a knife--George Shankiin, late editor of the Evansville, Ind., Courier, died at the residence of his brother-in-law, Judge Harlan, at Washington, D. C .- H. M. Richards of Chicago, while prospecting near Cuatro Cienegas, Mex., discovered an extensive deposit of opals and it is expected that the mine will prove a profitable one.

Wednesday, Feb. 10. -Major Charles W. Dick, Hanna's campaign lieutenant, is reported to be a candidate for governor of Ohio-Monroe Johnson, a notorious negro criminal, was hanged at Charleston, S. C., for burglary in the first degree-A team of Australian baseball players will sail from Sydney by the March boat to San Francisco to play Americans—Lo Kow drew a razor across his throat at Chicago and will die. He is the first Chinaman to attempt suicide there, although he has some idea of locat- in the Windy city-Mrs. Rebecca Mitchell of Idaho Falls, president of the State making the broad statement that | bill has been introduced in the Illinois | Woman's Christian Temperance union, prohibit the taking of notes, bonds and ture-The gunpowder war on the Pacific competition, in which it is estimated that \$1,000,000 profits have been lost to the varicounty, Iowa, died at Creston. Had he ous firms-John Stewart, because he re-100 years old. He was a member of the and fatally wounded by "Texas Tom" Congregational church for 73 years-W. Redmond, an old-time jockey and bar-A. Lachtenwalter, a wealthy farmer of tender in a Chicago saloon-Miss Nellie hanging. He was a stockholder in the ents, went to Los Angeles to visit her City Bank of Nora Springs, which failed | millionaire uncle, and from there eloped with J. Radelle, for which act it is probable she will be disinherited-Torpedo boat No. 6 did not leave Bristol, R. I., as she was not ready for her trial trip-The State Savings bank at Atlanta, Ga., with deposits of \$75,000; capital, \$100,000, has been closed by the examiner. -A sundry civil bill amendment reported favorably to the senate, appropriates \$50,000 for a site for a public building at Butte, Mont .- In a riot among striking miners at Belle Vernon, Pa., Superintendent Gates and Boss Canahan exchanged shots and both were killed-Nicholas Boor, for many years the largest grain dealer in Osceola county, Iowa, died at his home near Ashton from paralysis. -The North German Lloyd's steamer Spree, for Southampton and New York, ran aground in the Weser, but was towed off and proceeded-Wallance Wheeler, an old settler and president of the Fairmont Creamery association at Fairmont, Neb., died suddenly from a complication of grip and heart failure-In the house

Thursday, Feb. 11.

Buchanan county, Mo., was killed in a runaway accident-Will Johnson, son of Postmaster Johnson at Austin, Tex., committed suicide by swallowing a dose of rough on rats-A severe earthquake shock was felt at Brigham City, Utah, the shock being so severe as to ring the court house bell--Four members of the Sencho family, ranchers near Ures, Mexico, were murdered by Indians who tried to steal cattle.—The postoffice at Clearfield, Pa., was entered by burglars, the safe blown open and over \$1,100 in cash and valuables taken---John E. Northrope, treasurer of the Comstock-Cheney Piano Manufacturing company at Essex, Conn., died at the age of 60 years-John Cramer, a laborer, was crushed to death at the dump of the Interstate Sand Car company at St. Louis by a car loaded with sand-In the case of A. Baxter against City Marshal Kitteridge of Bath, Me., for false arrest, the jury awarded the plaintiff a verdict of 1 cent damages-The illness of Roswell G. Miller, president of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, is more serious than anticipated, and his wife has been stummoned to Los Angeles, Cal., to attend him-Charles Becker, aged 72, fell downstairs at Waukegan, Ills., and broke his neck-The Illinois Steel company's plant at Joliet will resume work next week-Lack of employment caused James Moody of Chicago to end his life by means of carbolic acid-Chicago Music company, 195 Washington avenue, Chicago, has failed, with liabilities amounting to \$18,000one of the best known Italian soldiers, Ind., pleaded not guilty-A. B. Clark, died at Rome yesterday. He was born at seged 72, late editor of the Daily American Milan in 1815 - Three desperate charac- at Newark, O., was run over and killed by a passenger train-A Masonic school of instruction lasting three days, has commenced at Bloomington. Ills., at which 400 Masons are present. struck because the management dis-Adams, wife of Dr. J. Adams, who was so badly burned at Amity, Ind., has gone insane through excitement, and her husband cannot survive his injuries.

Opposed to Woman Suffrage. HELENA, Mont., Feb. 11 .-- The Montana legislature has p'aced itself on record as being opposed to woman suffrage by a vote of yeas, 40; nays, 27.

at A. F. Streitz's drug store. 3

Chas. B. Hood, Broker and Manufacturer's Agent Columbus, Ohio certifies that Dr. King's New Discovery has no equal as a cough remedy. J. D. Brown, Prop. St. James Hotel, Ft. Waynne, Ind., testifies that he was cured of a cough of on the Golden irrigation ditch. A party found to be peculiarly adapted to the two years standing, caused by la grippe, of 13 men under the personal supervis. by Dr. King's New Discovery. B. F. ion of Donald Campbell, the irrigation exerting a wonderful direct influence in Merrill, Baldwinsville, Mass., says that engineer, has left this place for Snake he has used and recommended it and river to survey the route of the pronever knew it to fail and would rather posed ditch. This is one of the largest have it than any doctor, because it projects of its kind in the United State 25th St., Chicago, always keeps it at The main canal will be 250 miles long Bitters is the medicine you need. Health hand and has no fear of croup, because and its many miles of laterals will and strength are guaranteed by its use. it instantly relieves. Free Trial Bottle | water at least 500,000 acres.

OUTRIDES A STORM

ADMIRAL BUNCE'S SQUADRON HAS A ROUGH VOYAGE.

Six Men From the Maine Were Washed Overboard During the Gale-By Prompt and Heroic Action Three Were Rescued By a Lifeboat Crew.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 9.-Admiral Bunce's blockading squadron made this port yesterday after a disastrous voyage from Hampton Roads. Three men were lost overboard from the battleship Maine during the gale of Friday, one man was crushed to death on the cruiser Marblehead and one was fatally injured and six others were so badly hurt that several may lose limbs. The details of the accidents on the Marblehead are not obtainable, but it seems the cruiser made bad weather of the blow. As she now lies off the jetties she presents a disa train while crossing the railroad tracks mantled appearance. Her forecastle is stove in and a portion of her superstroyed by fire at Davis, I. T., causing a structure and two hatches are carried loss of \$20,000 -- Cornelius Dennick of away. The heavy seas that swept over Chicago, who attempted to end his life by her decks also carried away her search light, lower port boom, smashed the rails and carried overboard her lifeboats. Carpenter Shawberl was crushed to death in the forecastle when it was wrecked by a monster wave and a man had his skull crushed by the wreckage. The six seamen who were injured were hurt at the same time. It is understood the injured men will be brought ashore for treatment. Carpenter Shawberl was buried at sea. The other vessels of the being damaged.

The Bankers' club of Chicago will give put out to sea. Friday evening company refused to reinstate a hauler, Secretary of the Treasury Gage a banquet | the weather thickened and by night was | who had been discharged for reckless to the Roads, owing to the condition of her turrets. The rest of the fleet, howand headed south. When about 50 miles off Hatteras the fleet felt the full force of the blow. Open squadron formation was maintained and the vessels were put in order for a siege of weather. The battleship Maine rolled in the big seas, the water washing her decks at Three others were rescued only by more secure the lashings of the big feared guns. The deck was deluged and the wind was freshening every moment. They were at work at the lashing when bows and swept aft. Six of the gang were picked up and carried overboard

before they could escape. discipline of the crew was apparent. Life buoys were cut loose and the order given to get a boat overboard. A boat's crew under Naval Cadet Walter R. Gherardi, son of Rear Admiral Gherardi, retired, was finally lowered, excellent seamanship alone preventing the frail craft from being crushed against the sides of the big battleship. While the engines had been reversed at the first signal from the bridge, the movement of the ship had carried her some distance beyoud the spot where the seamen were swept overboard and the current was carrying them further away every moment. The ship's crew watched the rescuers as they pulled manfully in the of commons Mr. George Curzon, under the little boat was at times hidden from foreign secretary said that nothing had | the vessel's view as it rushed down into been heard by the government of the for- the trough. Meantime the drowning mation of a provisional government in men fought bravely and three of them managed to keep affoat until their mates William Phillips, an aged resident of were Seamen Hassel, Cronin and Free-

man. The remaining three, Brown, Nelson and Kogel, were not to be seen. The lifeboat cruised back and forth over the sea, but the brave fellows had given up the struggle and met a sailor's fate. Cadet Gherardi and his boat's crew were highly complimented by the

officers for their brave work. Friday night the fleet made heavy weather of it, but managed to keep within signalling distance of one another. Toward morning they have to and weathered out the rest of the gale in that manner. The officers say it was one of the worst gales the fleet has experienced. The Fern made this port before the worst gale, being 48 hours ahead of her consorts in making Nellie Kneebs. harbor. The Dolphin, which came up from the south, arrived Sunday and experienced no severe weather. A boat from the Maine came up to the city yes-

Holdup In Arizona. Los Angeles, Feb. 10.-The westbound Santa Fe train was held up and robbed by two masked men near Nelson, was killed by the express messenger. The train robbers stopped the train by signal and as the engineer stepped out of the cab to ascertain the cause of the The Missouri senate has passed a bill to trouble, an armed and masked man compel assessment insurance companies commanded him to cut off the engine to pay suicide death claims-John W. and run ahead a quarter of a mile, which Alexandria, Ind., narrowly escaped des- Campbell, charged with swindling the he did. The robbers then turned their Adams Express company at Bruceville, attention to the mail car, their command to open the door being complied with. One robber entered the car and commenced picking up the loose registered urging them to labor with their reprepackages. The other robber started for sentatives in congress to secure a duty the express car then, but Messenger Sum- on lumber. mers quickly opened the door and with -The employes of the Lippincott Lamp extraordinary coolness shot the robber Chimney factory at Elwood, Ind., have dead. The other robber then escaped, taking with him a few registered packidentified.

Rail Pool Collapses. CHICAGO, Feb. 10.-Steel rails are being sold at the lowest price ever known in America. The steel rail pool has collapsed and \$18 a ton was asked Pittsburg the rate was \$15.25 a ton.

Start Work On the Big Ditch.

FAST MAIL WRECKED AT OMAHA Fireman Krause Loses His Life and En-

gineer Vannoy Seriously Injured. OMAHA, Feb. 10,-Union Pacific fast mail No. 2 from the west, due in this city at 4:45 p. m., was wrecked on the Twentieth street viaduct last evening was severely injured and J. Haghes, a colored porter, was badly hurt.

The accident was caused by the train running into an open switch, while going at the rate of 35 miles an hour.

The engine was overturned and lying on its side, the cab was a mass of broken glass and splinters and the tender was thrown upon them. The mail car, immediately following. was crushed in, and the next five cars were thrown zag fashion across the track, although none were overturned. There were many narrow escapes for trainmen. Passengers were badly shaken up and scared, but none received more than slight injuries.

OMAHA, Feb. 11.-W. H. Vannoy, the engineer injured in the Union Pacific fast mail wreck on the Twentieth street viaduct Tuesday evening, died of his injuries last night. He had been a railway fireman and engineer for twentyeight years, was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and was regarded as one of the best engineers on the road. He leaves a wife and several children.

Two Men Shot In a Riot.

Belle Vernon, Pa., Feb. 10 .- A rio occurred among the striking miners at fleet show marks of the rough voyage, J. H. Somers' Fuel company mines, in their upper works and deck hamper which Superintendent Gates and Boss Canahan were shot and probably fa-The squadron weighed anchor in the tally wounded. The 400 men at the Hampton Roads Thursday morning and | works struck last Friday because the blowing a gale. The Indiana returned driving. At a meeting called to discuss the difficulties a quarrel arose. The disturbers were driven from the hall, but ever, poked their noses into the storm | they renewed the struggle with clubs and revolvers. Superintendent Gates was attacked, and tried to defend himself with a revolver. He was met by Canahan, who flourished a revolver also. The men exchanged six shots each and then fell to the ground. After the mob had been driven back they were every plunge. It was late Friday picked up. Gates was shot four times, afternoon when the accident occurred twice in the stomach; Canahan twice, be reached from Des Moines sooner than which cost three seamen their lives. being also shot in the stomach. Burgess Bronson has closed the saloons prompt and heroic action. A gang of temporarily, and the town is under give his own state a good office at the men were ordered forward to make heavy patrol. Another outbreak is

End of the Whist Tourpament. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Feb. 8.—The third annual tournament of the Central an unusually heavy sea curled over her Whist association closed. The Richards trophy was won by the Des Moines team, with the Omaha team second, many, because unable to move to St. Springs was broken into between 2 and When the cry of "man aboard" was Rapids fifth, Sioux Falls sixth and Sioux change, heard there was a scene of momentary | City seventh. Cumings and Whitney confusion, but in an instant the splendid of Des Moines won the pair contest, with Martin and Scranton of Kansas City second. L. A. Garner of Omaha was elected president, R. W. Burns of Yankton vice president and George S. Hall of Sioux City secretary and treasurer. The midsummer meeting will be held at Spirit Lake July 23 and 24 and the annual contest at Des Moines Feb. 17 and 18, 1898.

Intend to Execute Reforms. MADRID, Feb. 8.—Prime Minister Canovas del Castillo in an interview, announces that the government intends to faithfully execute the proposed Cuban reforms, and that it will not be necessary to wait for the complete pacificaheavy seas, the waves running so high | tion of Cuba. He says that it is sufficient if the rebellion is confined to the western portions of the island. The Marquis of Apezteguia, the leader of the constitutional party in Cuba, in an interview says that it is doubtful whether hauled them out of the water. They | the scheme of Cuban reforms will serve to terminate the insurrection, he adds that Captain General Weyler should not be entrusted with their execution

> Bob Kneebs Sent to Prison. Berlin, Feb. 7.—Bob Kneebs, the American horseman, charged with entering the trotting mare Bethel in races on the German tracks under the name of Nellie Kneebs, has been sentenced to nine months in prison and ordered to pay a fine of 1,000 marks. He will also be deprived of all civil rights for two years. Seven months allowance for the time which he has already served in prison will be deducted from the sentence so that in reality Kneebs has only two months yet to serve. The court ordered the forfeiture of the mare,

Warships Ordered to Crete. LONDON, Feb. 8 .-- A dispatch to The Times from Athens says that the Greterday afternoon with several officers. | cian ironclads Spectia and Psara, now being repaired at Toulon, have been ordered to get ready for an exped tion to Crete. The government submitted a measure in the legislative chamber apa small station about six miles east of propriating £4,000 to the Creteau refu-Peach Springs, Ari. One of the robbers | gees. A dispatch to The Standard from Athens announces that an Englishman was killed and an Australian subject wounded during the Cretean troubles. Toulon, Feb. 8. - The French cruiser Troude has started for the Island of

> Working For Duty On Lumber. Washington, Feb. 8.—The executive committee of the national lumber con-

Death of a Chicago Millionaire. CHICAGO, Feb. 8 .- Albert M. Billings, president of the Home National bank ages. The dead robber was taken to and a millionaire of Chicago, has died. Peach Springs, but has not yet been | aged 83. His death was due to old age. Mr. Billings is the father of C. K. G.

company.

New Find of Coal In Wyoming. THERMOPOLIS, Wyo., Feb. 11 .- A large vein of coal has been discovered on the for rails in Chicago yesterday and in Big Horn river eight miles from this

Did You Ever

Long Pine, Neb., Feb. 7.-There is Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for great rejoicing among the people of this | your troubles? If not, get a bottle now vicinity over the first real field work and get relief. This medicine has been giving strength and tune to the organs. If you have loss of appetite, constipaor troubled with dizzy spells, Electrie Fifty cents and \$1.00 at Streitz's drug BRADLEY-MARTIN BALL.

New York City. NEW YORK, Feb. 11.-Beautiful be-Mrs. Bradley-Martin last night. Col- put up. umns have been written about the and Fireman Thomas Krause was in- affair and pictures have been drawn, but stantly killed, Engineer W. H. Vannoy | the fancy of the reporter and the artist did not picture scenes one-half as lovely as were presented in the Waldorf. For weeks Mrs. Martin has worked in the preparation of the sumptuous affair. in the year 1874. Her efforts were richly rewarded. The bitter criticisms hurled at her were forgotten and thousands who were present vied in making her the happiest woman dealers in the city, turned their stock in America. The decorations through- over to Schminke & Co., millers. They out the Waldorf were exquisite. Amer- owe Schminke \$1,000 and several ican beauties, lilies and the rarest of im- smaller bills. from the rails and were standing in zig- ported blossoms, with vines and palms, were intertwined in a marvelously beautiful scheme.

At midnight the great ball was at its height. All society was there gathered to portray the regal splendor of past centuries. The great ball room of the Waldorf, beautiful with a wealth of roses and fragrant flowers, was then the scene of grandeur never before equalled in this country. Kings and queens, princes and princesses, but here and there the old spirit of loyalty had manifested itself in the presence of colonial men and women of the quaint old days of America.

of thousands of dollars were exhausted | Strode. in five hours. It was very fashionable. Men and women traveled across the continent for the honor of being present

STIRS UP MATTERS IN IOWA. Indignant Over Proposed Removal of

Pension Office. DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 9.—The announcement from Washington that the president has signed an order to consolidate the Des Moines and Topeka pension agencies and removing them to St. Louis has stirred up matters in Iowa. The consolidated office will pay pensions for Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Indian territory, Colorado India famine sufferers if the state will and New Mexico.

Iowa is the only Republican state in the list and a strong effort will be made to have the order revoked by the incoming administration and the consolidated office located here. It is claimed that the great majority of the pensioners can from St. Louis, and that Secretary Francis made the change in order to expense of Iowa and Kansas.

The two offices have about 100 employes and are among the largest in the country. The Iowa office now pays 70,000 and the Kansas office 109,000 pensions. All the employes except

Will Fight at Carson,

Carson, Nev., Feb. 9.—Dan Stuart will not be here until tomorrow, but it can be stated that the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight will take place in this city, the information having been given to the Associated Press by a man who has authority to speak. Already telegrams engaging hotel and boarding house. rooms have been received. Accommodations will be provided for 5,000 who are expected from east of the Rocky Mountains, as well as a larger number looked for from the Pacific coast states.

To Investigate the Rawlins Election. SALT LAKE, Utah, Feb. 11.-In the legislature Senator Rideout introduced a concurrent resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of four members of the house and three of the senate for the purpose of investigating the charges that undue influence was brought to bear upon members of the legislature in relation to their voting for United States senator. Without action the resolution was laid over for a day.

Pickler Gets Populist Votes. PIERRE, S. D., Feb. 10.-Two ballots were taken today on senator and Pickler drew two votes from the Populists. The Populists who changed were Senator Morgan and Representative Denton.

Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher Dying. STAMFORD, Conn., Feb. 7.—The life of Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher is rapidly drawing to a close. It is the belief that she will not survive the day.

Failure Due to a Defalcation. GREAT FALLS, Mon., Feb. 6 .- The Northwestern bank of this city failed to open its doors today. The failure is said to be due to a defalcation.

NEW LOW RECORD FOR CORN. Overloaded Condition of the Marke

Force Price of Wheat Down, CHICAGO, Feb. 10.-Corn made a new low ecord for the crop today. May closed at 23%c close, but turned weak and closed at 7.c, at a 34c decline caused apparently by the over loaded condition of the market. Oats were also weak and closed 36c lower. Provisions declined 577%c. Closing prices: WHEAT-Feb., 743%c; May, 763%c CORN-Feb., 215/gc; May, 235/gc.

OATS-Feb., 15c: May, 17@17%c. PORK-Feb., \$7.61; May, \$7.70%7.72% LARD-Feb., \$3.70; May, \$3.8.34. RIBS—Feb., \$3.92½; May, \$3.95@3.97½. Cash quotations: No. 2 red, wheat. 86@87c. No. 3 red, 82@85e; No. 2 spring, 76e; No. 2 corn, 2234c; No. 2 oats, 1536 2 16c. South Omaha Live Stock

SOUTH OMAHA, Feb. 10.-CATTLE-Receipts, 2.900; steady to lower; native beef steers, \$4.75 64.75; western steers, \$3.25@4.25; Texas steers, vention, with headquarters in this city, \$3.00@4.00; cows and heifers, \$2.80@3.60; canhas issued a circular to its members hers, \$1.75@2.75; stockers and feeders. \$3.20@ 4.25; calves, \$3.00@5.50; bulls, stags, etc., \$1.75 HOGS-Receipts, 4,400; steady; heavy, \$3.15

of sales, \$3.207(3.30). SHEEP-Receipts, 600; strong: fair to choice natives, \$3.00@3.75; fair to choice westerns, \$2.85@3.50; common and stock sheep, \$2.25 | ing the proper precautions during the ex-23.25; lambs, \$3.50@5.00.

Chicago Live Stock. CHICAGO, Feb. 10.-HOGS-Receipts, 38,000; fairly active, averaging a shade lower; light, Billings, president of the Chicago Gas \$3.40@3.45%; mixed, \$3.40@3.55; heavy, \$3.15 63.50; rough, \$3.15@3.25. CATTLE-Receipts, 13,000; quiet but generally steady; beeves, \$1.5125.30; cows and hiefers,

and feeders, \$3.25@4.20. SHEEP--Receipts, 12,00; steady; natives.

A Bootblack's Novel Scheme.

The most enterprising bootblack in New York is a young negro who has a stand on Columbus avenue not far from the Natural History museum. His location is one which does not bring much "transient" trade, but he has a goodly number of regular customers. On days when the weather looks threatening this tion, headache, fainting spells, or are | wise young man issues rain checks, good nervous, sleepless, excitable, melancholy for 12 hours, so that if it rains and a customer's shine is ruined he gets a new one free of charge. The rain checks are slips of paper with the date and hour written in pencil. - New York Press.

Abandon the Cutting of Ice. Greatest Social Function Ever Given In ALHLAND, Neb., Feb. 6.-The ice harvest has been abandoned at Swift's lake and 185 men are thrown out of emyond description was the ball masque of ployment. About 50,000 tons had been

Old Fort Hartsuff Is Sold. BURWELL, Neb., Feb. 6 .- The sale of Fort Hartsuff by government officials yesterday finally disposes of this military reservation, which was established

Nebraska City Failure. NEBRASKA CITY, Feb. 8 .- Dunn & Coleman, among the largest grocery

Ish Released From Prison. LINCOLN, Feb. 9 .- James Ish, who was sentenced to 15 months in the penitentiary on his plea of manslaughter in killing William B. Chapple July 9, 1895, was released from confinement Sunday morning, his term having ex-

Appointed as Naval Cadet. NEBRASKA CITY, Feb. 8.-H. N. Shewell, vice president of the Merchants' National bank, has just received word that his son James, has been appointed alternate at the United States Naval academy at Anapolis, Md., Months of preparation and the outlay | through the efforts of Congressman

Bank Examiners Are Out. LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 9 .- All the bank examiners have gone out on the road for the first time to visit the various banks in the state. The newly appointed examiners are Reuben Seipp of Pawnee City, J. F Coad, jr., and V. E. Wilson of Omaha, and F. A. Reynolds of Goth-

Iowa Would Help India. DES MOINES, Feb. 9 .- Governor Drake is in receipt of many communications from people in Iowa who offer to present two carloads of provisions for the name a commission to take care of them and induce the railroads to give free

transportation. Nebraska House Will Hear From Bryan. LINCOLN, Feb. 10 .- The house this morning decided to invite W. J. Bryan to address the members on some date in the future. The senate put in the entire forenoon in the passage of bills. The senate substitute for house bill No. 5, providing for a recount of the ballots cast for the constitutional amendments at the last election, was read for the third time and passed.

Failed to Open the Safe. BEATRICE, Neb., Feb. 7 .- The Farmagents are under civil service rules and ers' and Merchants' bank at Blue Yankton third, Lincoln fourth, Cedar Louis, would lose their places by the 3 o'clock a. m. The burglars drilled a hole in the vault and then into the saf and attempted to blow it open, but did not succeed. A number of small tin boxes in the vault, owned by different persons, were broken open and contents of considerable value were taken.

SWITCHMAN HENN ARRESTED.

Disaster In the Union Pacific Yards at Omaha Due to Carelessness, OMAHA, Feb. 11.—Switchman William Henn is locked up at the station on a charge of criminal negligence for causing the wreck of the east-bound Overland flyer in the Union Pacific yards here yesterday, in which Fireman Thos. Krause was killed and Engineer W. H. Vannoy and Pullman Porter J. Hughes

were fatally injured Henn says the switch had been opened to allow the passage of the Rock Island freight. As it happened last evening, the freight was late and the mail came in ahead. The switchman perceived his mistake, but had not time to rectify it before the fast mail train, consisting of engine, two mail cars, a combination baggage and express, two Pullman and a Wagner car, running at the rate of 25 miles an hour, hove in sight. The switchman tried to throw the switch back, but was too late and the train struck it. The engine at once left the track, tumbling completely over, followed by two mail cars and the combination baggage and express car. The Pullmans and the Wagner, containing the passengers, fortunately held to the track, otherwise it is more than prob-

able that the loss of life would have been appalling. Fireman Krause was found wedged in between the engine and tender, and was dead when removed. Vannov was picked up in an insensible condition and removed to the hospital. Hughes was injured internally, and his condition is growing worse.

The railroad loss is quite heavy. The rails for six coach lengths were tern from the ties.



tinctly feminine, and neglects to take the @3.30; mixed, \$3.20@3.25; light,\$3.30@34; bulk needful remedy, she is running the risk of great suffering, the loss of her baby, and possibly the loss of her own life. This is a great and unnecessary risk to run. By takpectant period, she may avoid the usual dis-

comforts, and make it certain that the coming of baby will be safe and easy without danger either to the mother or child. The best of all medicines at this critical time is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It cures all forms of weakness and disease peculiar to women. It does away with the nausea of the period preceding motherhood. \$1.80@4.3); Texas steers, \$3.00@4.20; stockers | It makes parturition easy, painless, and free from danger. You can get it at the drug store. If you want to know more about it, \$2.50@3.50; westerns, \$3.00@4.00; lambs, \$3.50 write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo. N. Y.

Mrs. Emma Crowder, of Anthoston, Henderson Co. Ky., writes: "I was once a sufferer from fe-male trouble. Have been using your medicines for it and have been almost entirely cured. I can truthfully say that one bottle of your 'Favorite Prescription' did me more good than our family hysician did in six months. He attended me for womb trouble previous to the commencement of taking your medicines and tollowing your advice. It is now my firm belief that I would have been cured years ago if I had taken your med-

To further eulogize the good merits of your medicines will say that before taking your med-icines I had miscarried twice, and since taking it have given birth to a fine healthy boy who

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure Constipation.