THE embalming bill failed to pass TEXAMAH will this year get along without any saloons.

THERE are three men who desire to run a saloon in Syracuse this year.

The deadly "nigger shooter" has been outlawed in Ulysses, and the small boys are in tears.

DR. W. H. STRYKER of Beatrice badly injured while attempting to stop a runaway team. For a time

WHILE playing around a bonfire the 7-year-old daughter of John Kline of Adams, was fearfully burned about the lower limbs and back, and will

For the shooting of Peter Hill at Fargo, Richardson county, on Septem-ber 15th, the jury returned a verdict of manslaughter against Miles L. Quimby

Ex-Congressman Andrews and wife have returned from Washington. Since his return Mr. Andrews has been kept busy entertaining callers from all parts of the district, some of whom are pplicants for office.

Word was brought to Schuyler from Shell Creek, that Herman Loseke had hanged himself. He was well known in Schuyler as one of the wellto-do Loseke family and is not known to have had troubles of any sort.

THE cornerstone of the first Trans-Mississippi exposition building will be laid by Grand Master Phelps of the Nebraska Masons, a letter accepting the invitation from the committee of arrangements having been received.

ONE of the Peavey corn cribs at Carroll was reported smoking by the railroad boys the first of the week, about 1,000 bushels of corn being destroyed. Too much dirt which retained the moisture, is said to have been the

From Washington it is reported that ex-Congressman Hainer is sufficiently recovered from his severe illness to take drives through the city during the middle of the day. He is not yet certain when he will leave for Nebraska.

The board of public lands and build-ings made short work of the investiga-tion of the row at the Heatrice insti-tate for feeble minded youth between Superintendent Fall and Steward Sherdan. Only four witnesses were ex-

Professor Currie, superintendent of the Broken Bow schools, has been offered a position as manager of a big cattle company, which proposes to purchase cattle in Mexico and else-where, to be placed on a ranch north-west of Anselmo, in Custer county.

Mayor Ross of Fairmont swore out a warrant for the arrest of J. T. Clark, proprietor of the Clarendon hotel, who has been suspected for some time of selling whiskey and beer. The house was searched and plenty of evidence was found, but Clark cannot be found.

As old man named Abram Hill, living east of St. Paul across the Loupriver, wandered away from home and was never after seen alive. Searching parties found the remains of the old man in the hill, two or three miles from home. A verdict was returned of death by old age and an exhausted condition, after wandering around in condition, after wandering around in the darkness and rain.

Tue labor commissioner is preparing anks to send out to the various coun-clerks, to be by them distributed along the assessors, under the provisions of house roll No. 277. This bill provides that the assessor shall gather the industrial statistics of their vari-ous precincts, to be turned in to the county clerks, who report the same to

BIRDIE HILLEBRANDT, the 4-year-old aughter of H. J. Hillebrandt of St. daughter of H. J. Hillebrandt of St. Paul, was seriously burned. Her mother and others had been burning gold grass and rubbish in the garden preparatory to their spring garden work. The little girl stumbled and fell into the fire and before she could be rescued was dangerously burned about the hands and face.

H. DOERFFEL, an old and respected H. DORRFFEL, an old and respected pioneer business man of York, died very suddenly while at work in his eigar store. He had been in poor health for a long time, but opened his store as usual in the morning. When his son entered the store at noon with a lunch for his father he found him lying dead on the floor by the work bench. Heart disease.

work bench. Heart disease.

The Alliance Guide has this to say with reference to the good accomplished by their stock association: This association, which has been organized less than two years, has done for the stock growers of this section far more than all the rifles and shotguns in the country have accomplished in the years previous to its existence, and it can be said with much satisfaction that cattle rustling in western Nebraska is almost unknown today, and all these good results are due to the influence of the association.

A WASHINGTON dispatch says: It is expected that the sundry civil bill, parrying \$200,000 for the Trans-Mississippi exposition, \$175,000 for the Omaha and South Omaha postoffices and \$25,000 for revetments on the Missouri river near Nebraska City, will pass the mate this week. Supervising Architect Alken is anxious to get to work on the government building for the exposition, and says that he will be able to arced a structure that will be a credit

creet a structure that he will be able to creet a structure that will be a credit to the vast extent of territory included in the trans-mississippi region.

A MERTING of depositors in the defunct Beatrice savings bank was held to ask that a new receiver be appointed.

The Dixon Tribune states that the reamery at that place paid 18 cents for milk in March. This is clear of excenses. A good showing.

gs and a ton and a half of butter is a record of one day's shipment from igh, Colfax county.

artson, was severely injured a upset the buggy and his leg-ken in two places above the

TURKS MEET GREEKS.

FOUR HUNDRED OF THE LAT-TER ARE DISLODGED.

furks Have About 150,000 Good, Well Equipped Troops in Line-Greeks Have About 80,000 Regulars and 20,000 Irregulars on

Greek Invaders Defeated. LARISSA, Greece, April 17.—The Greek invaders under Chiefs Luzzo and Zermos captured a village held by two companies of Turks, killing eighty of them and making twenty-five prisoners. A strong Turkish force attacked the 400 Greeks in Krania and after a fierce fight they routed the invaders. Most of them were driven into the mountains, but some escaped to Baltino. Chief Milonas, the leader, was wounded. It is reported that the Ethnike Hetairia (national league) has ordered the Greek irregulars to retreat into Greek territory, regarding further bloodshed as useless unless the regular army of

Greece shall support the irregulars.

The Greeks have about \$0,000 regulars and some 20,000 irregulars on the frontier, but they count a great deal on reinforcements to their armies through risings in Epirus, Albania and Macedonia.

The Turks have about 150,000 good, well equipped troops in line. Of these fourty-four battalions are Redifs, raised in Roumelia, in all about 30,000 raised in Roumelia, in all about 30,000 men, who are divided among two reserve divisions. At Monastir flying columns have been formed to watch the Servian frontier, and all the supplies possible are being pushed forward to the three Turkish divisions at Elassona, Grevena and Janninna. The Turks are weak in cavalry, having any about 8,000 mounted men on the Turks are weak in cavalry, having only about \$,000 mounted men on the frontier. They are, however, very strong in artillery and infantry. The transport corps is well organized, field telegraphs have been laid between all important points, artesian wells have been bored at Elassona and the broken bridges in Macedonia have been repaired as much as possible. The Turkish forces at Salonica have constructed a line of redoubts round the gulf and down the Aegean coast to Katerina. Krupp and Armstrong guns have been Krupp and Armstrong guns have been mounted behind those defenses and a line of thirty torpedoes has been laid across the bay from Cape Kara.

BIG BICYCLE SWINDLE.

Secured \$50,000 Through an Alluring Ad-One Under Arrest.

NEW YORK, April 17.-William S New York, April 17.—William S. Thompson, who was indicted in Chicago last October for carrying on swindling operations through the mails, has been arrested here and is held in \$2,500 bail for hearing. It is alleged that Thompson sent out letters offering to send bicycles worth \$100 upon receipt of \$45. Persons who sent money claim that they never heard anything more from Thompson. snything more from Thompson. Thompson had been arrested in Chi-cago and furnished \$1,000 bail The concern of which Thompson was the head sent out circulars offering a prize to the person making the greatest number of words out of the letters in the title "Empress bicycle." Later on circular letters were mailed to those persons who had failed to win the persons who had railed to win the prize, offering them a \$100 bicycle for \$45. In Chicago, Thompson was known as "William S. Thompson" and in this city as "C. Thompson." Thompson and his associates had obtained about \$50,000 by means of the swindle.

RECALL THOUSANDS.

Over a Fourth of the Spanish Army in Cuba Will Be Sent Back.

WASHINGTON, April 17.-Accoring information received here, when the rainy season shall set in in Cuba, 10, 000 Spanish troops will be sent back to Spain, and soon afterward 30,000 more will be recalled.

The Spanish insist positively that it means only that little or nothing of the insurrection remains; that Gomez has only about fifty or a hundred followerers, and to watch these under the conditions in which the campaign has been necessarily conducted a few thousand men are quite as effective as the 180,000 men which have been main-tained in Cuba. The Cuban contingent, on the other hand, insist that the Spanish financial resources are exhausted and that the troops are to be withdrawn because of lack of money to keep them in service.

FIFTEEN FLOOD VICTIMS.

Colored People on Davis Island Perish

-Louisiana Levece Still Stand Vicksbune, Miss., April 17.-Fifteen colored people, nearly all women and children, were drowned Wednesday by the flooding of Davis island, once the property of Jefferson Davis. The other hands of the plantation on the aland were rescued from the top of the levee by the government steam-boats John R. Meigs and Atlanta. The loss of stock on the rich island has cen very great.

New ORIGANS, La., April 16.—The weather bureau predicts that the Mississippi river flood will reach its maximum by next Tuesday, and water will cover the wharves and wet adjacent streets. The Louisians levee line is still holding, though rises of three inches and more a day are quite common.

OMAHA, Neb., April 17.—Contracta were awarded this morning for the removal of 80,000 cubic yards of dirt on the site of the Transmississippi argosition. The excavations will be for lakes and lagoons. The work will be commenced at once.

Heavy Roward for a Kansas Burglan El.Donado, Kan., April 17.-A safe was broken into at Latham, this sounty, Wednesday night and a large amount of money stolen. A reward of \$500 is offered for the capture of the thief and recovery of the money.

The Woman Connected With Henry Ward Steecher Dies , Very Quietly.

NEW YORK, April 17.—Mrs. Elizabeth R. Tilton, the wife of Henry Ward Beecher's accuser, died Tuesday. News of her death did not become pub lie until yesterday.

Since the famous Beecher trial she had lived in strict retirement. In recent years she had shared her home with her widowed daughter. Even the fact of her death was kept secret,

the fact of her death was kept secret, and there are no external signs of mourning about the house where her body lies. Theodore Tilton, her husband, is in Paris, where he has lived ever since the Beecher trial.

For a long time Mrs. Tilton was almost totally blind, but less than a year ago she underwent a difficult operation and regained her sight. Then, about a month ago, she suffered a paralytic stroke, from which she was slowly recovering, when in the latter slowly recovering, when in the latter part of last week she was again

The funeral services were held last night. Few were admitted to the house. Malachi Exeter, a preacher of the Plymouth Brethren, to which sect Mrs. Tilton belonged, officiated. The interment will take place to-day.

CIVIL SERVICE ORDER.

National Republican League Delegation Urges Its Modification.

Washington, April 17.—A delega-tion representing the National Repub lican League called on President Mc Kinley yesterday to urge some modifications of existing civil rervice rules. The delegation urged that they repre sented more than 1,000,000 of the young Republican voters of the country, and that under the civil service, as extended by Cleveland, offices which it was never intended should be placed in the classified service had been so placed, and that they had practically been put out of the hope of young Republicans to obtain. In all there are some 40,000 offices which the delegation urged should be removed from under the civil service rule.

Members of the delegation claim that the president is in thorough sympathy with their movement, and confidently expect that the necessary executive order suspending the civil service over the offices mentioned will soon be issued. was never intended should be

soon be issued.

Switzerland's President Arbitrator.

Washington, April 17.—The president of the Swiss republic has been selected as arbitrator of the boundary dispute between Brazil and French Guiana. The territory involved exceeds that at issue between Great Britain and Venezuela and includes rich gold mining districts. It was thought President McKinley would be desig-nated as arbitrator, but as France was one of the parties to the treaty, European arbitrator was preferred.

To Succeed Crittenden.

WASHINGTON, April 17.-The president has made a private announcement of the name of the next consul general to Mexico. The place will go to A. D. Barlow of Missouri. Barlow is the brother-in-law of D. M. Houser of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat Publish-ing company and the appointment will be made on the joint recommendation be made on the joint recommendation of National Committeeman Kerens, D. M. Houser and Major John L. Bit-

Judge Storrow Falls Dead.

WASHINGTON, April 17. - Judge James A. Storrow, the well known lawyer of Boston, about 60 years old, fell dead in the Congressional library yester-day. In the proceedings incident to the arbitration treaty between the governments of Great Britain and Venezuela for the settlement of the boundary line dipute Judge Storrow acted as special counsel for the Venezuelan government.

Bristow's Axe Still Busy.

WASHINGTON, April 17. - Record breaking has been the axe work of "Headsman" Bristow the past few days and to-day he made 127 fourth class postofice appointments, 66 of which were to fill vacancies caused by death and resignations, and 54 for removals at the expiration of four years service. Kansas was almost neglected Indiana being now as heretofore the

Shot Himself on His Wife's Grave. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 17 .- Captain Samuel Lyons, one of the oldest citizens of Little Rock, was seen to enter the Jewish cemetery about noon enter the Jewish cemetery about noon yesterday. Shortly afterwards a woman passing screamed and said that a man had shot himself. Captain Lyons was found lying on his wife's grave dead, with a pistol clutched in his hand. He was 68 years of age. His wife died in 1877 wife died in 1877.

"Watchdog" Holman Better. WASHINGTON, April 17.—Representa-tive Holman of Indiana, who has been seriously sick from stomach troubles for the past ten days, was somewhat better this morning. He is still quite weak, but is able again to take solid food. There is nothing alarming in his condition, though it will be some days before he converted.

days before he can resume his duties at the capital. Gives \$250,000 to a Church. NEW YORK, April 17.—The appraiser of the estate of Maria Louise Vanderbilt, wife of William H. Vanderbilt, filed his report with the surrogate yes

terday. The value of the personal property is found, after deducting expenses and paying certain debts, to be \$625,478. Under her will she gave \$250,000 to St. Bartholomew's church. Rig New Orleans Fire. NEW ORLEANS, April 17 .- One of th most picturesque structures in the city, known as the Moresque block, owned by Gauch & Sons, was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. In less than two hours the edifice had collapsed, and upwards of \$400,000 had gone up

Praucis' Order Heid Up.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Secretary
Bliss, of the interior department, has
held up an order issued by the authority
of his predecessor, conferring
48,000 acres of land upon the state
university of Missouri, as an addition
to its endowment fund.

MRS. TILTON PASSES AWAY A BIG DAY'S WORK

OVER ONE HUNDRED POSTMAS TERS APPOINTED.

The Kansas "Headsman" Surpasses the Mark Set by His Liveliest Predecessor-Kansas and Missouri Well Favored in the list - The Favored Ones.

Bristow Makes a Record.

WASHINGTON, April 16 .- All records were broken to-day by Bristow, the Kansas "headsman." He appointed 105 fourth class postmasters, fifty-eight of which were to fill vacancies caused by death and resignations, and fortyone for the expiration of four years' service

The Kansas appointments were A Butler, Reno county, J. Enus; at Belbue, Pottawatomie, county. R. Craig. vice D. Case, removed; at Burdette, Pawnee county, J. Page, vice John Lyons removed; at Wathena, Doniphan county, George Manville, vice M. Foley, removed.

The appointments for Missouri were: At Americus, Montgomery county, B. Baker; at Bland, Gasconade county, E. Aufderheide; at Cleaves. ville, Gasconade county, G. Essman; at Davis, Lincoln county, J. Cox; at High Hill, Montgomery county, M. Miller, vice Marion Skinner, removed; at Leasburg, Crawford county, John McInnis, vice J. King, removed; at Montevallo, Varnon, county, Cora Staurmer, vice Vernon county, Cora Steurmer, vice K. Whitley, removed; at Morrison, Gasconade county, Samuel Spreckel-meyer; at New Florence, Montgomery county, E. Corvey, vice C. Locke, re-moved; at New Hartford, Pike county, P. Lovelace: at Peers, Warren county, Louis Eckelkamp; at Rhineland, Montgomery county, I. Miller; at Saint Peters, St. Charles county, W. Steurmer; at Silex, Lincoln county, G. Smiley, vice J. Brown, removed.

FIRST TARIFF TEST.

It Shows a Clear Republican Majority of One Over All in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The first skirmish on the tariff question ocsurred in the Senate yesterday. It was followed by a vote which served as a test of strength of the various elements of the Senate. The vote occurred on a motion by Mr. Morrill, Republican, of Vermont, chairman of the committee on finance, to refer a resolution by Mr. Vest, one of the Democratic members of that committee. This made the issue between representatives of the two leading elements in the Senate. Aside from this the resolution was in the nature of a criticism of Secretary Gage and declared illegal his recent order relative to goods imported after April 1, when, according to the retroactive clause of the pending Dingley bill, the new tariff rates are to apply Mr. Morrill's motion prevailed by the close vote of 24 to 23. The detailed vote was as follows:

Yeas-Baker, Burrows, Carter, Clark, Cullom, Davis, Foraker, Frey, Gallinger, Hawley, Hanna, Hansbrough, Hoar, McMillan, Mantle. Mason, Nelson, Platt of New York, Pritchard. Proctor, Quay, Spooner, Warren, Wel-

Nays-Bate, Butler, Cannon, Chandler, Chilton, Cockrell, Gorman, Gray, Harris of Kansas, Heitfeld, Lindsay, McEnery, Martin, Mills, Morgan, Pasco, Pettigrew, Pettus, Rawlins, Turner, Turpie, Vest and Walthall-23.

The only Republican vote against the motion was that of Mr. Chandler, while the Democrats voted solidly against it. They had the assistance of all the silver Republicans and the Populists present, except Mr. Mantle, silver Republican of Montana who voted with the straight Republicans. Mr. Cannon, silver Republican, and Messrs. Butler, Harris of Kansas, Heitfeld, Pettigrew and Turner, Populists, were recorded against the motion. Messrs. Teller, Jones and Stewart of Nevada were absent.

Senator Kyle, whose position is question of interest, and Senator Allen, Populists, also were absent.

LELAND PENSION AGENT

The Kansas Republican Leader May Get a Good Place

TOPERA, Kan., April 17. -Since the return of the Kansas politicians from Washington the report has become current that President McKinley summoned Senator Baker to the White house two weeks ago and asked him to indorse Cyrus Leland for pension

It is also reported from Washington that neither of the candidates now mentioned for the office of internal revenue collector will be appointed. It is believed that Senator Baker has reserved that place for one of his Leavenworth friends, but who the lucky man will be nobody will venture a guesa.

To Exterminate the Grasshopper. LINCOLN, Neb., April 18.-Professo Lawrence Bruner of the department of entomology of the University of Nebraska will leave here next Satur-day, to sail from New York April 24, for Buenos Ayres, Argentine Republic. He goes as an expert hired by an Argentine syndicate to study the grass-hopper plague that has devastated the farms of that country for a decade, and he will spend a year in seeing how best to destroy the troublesome insect.

Mysterious Jali Delivery.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 16.-A mys terious jail delivery occurred here last night. J. W. Morris, alias J. A. Thurman, alias J M. Thomas, under indict ment for forgery in Chicago, Louis-ville and Memphis, passed through four doors, all of which were found to be securely locked after the escape

Fight Pictures All Right.

CHICAGO, April 16.-Dan A. Stuart resterday denied the story that the pictures of the Carson fight had proved worthless. They are, he said, entirely satisfactory.

FLAMES AT KANSAJ CITY.

Incendiaries Said to Bave Attempted to Burn the Town

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 16 .- The fire fiend was busy in Kansas City last night. Over the business center of the town the torch of destruction was brandished and a stiff breeze caught up and scattered myriad sparks as they welled from a fiame engulfed building and menaced millions of dollars' worth of property and threatened for a while to blaze a charred and blackened path along Walnut and Main streets as long as there was food to feed upon. There was every evidence that a well organized and systematic band of "firebugs" was industriously at work. Between the hours of 10 and 1 o'clock six alarms were sounded, all from in or close to the business center.

The origin of the Scarrit building fire is a mystery; there is no doubt in the world that G. W. Lovejoy's planing mill was set on fire. An attempt was made to burn the D. S. Mayer liquor store, at 114 East Twelfth

The estimated losses on the various Morledge Oyster company...
Morledge Oyster company...
Smithson Storage company
McMahon, the tailor...
Herman's restaurant
Economy Furniture company...
E. A. Filleau, artist...
Lenox rooming house...
United States Tailoring company...
Dornsife's restaurant. Dornsife's restaurant.... Total......\$116,850

A REMARKABLE BILL

Provides for the Creation of Forty New Executive Departments of Government.

WASHINGTON, April 16. - Senator Pettigrew has introduced perhaps the most remarkable bill that ever found its way to the Senate files. It provides for the creation of forty new executive departments of the government. The "secretary of public labor," is to establish a bureau for each class of workers, with an agency at every postoffice, for the purpose of "enlisting and organizing the grand army of labor." Of course, every enlisted man is to be given a job under the government.

The "secretary of public transportation" is to fix rates not exceeding one mill per mile for passengers and one mill per ton per mile for freight.

The "secretary of public communi-cation" is to see to it that telephone rates do not exceed \$1 a quarter-year, and telegraph rates are restricted to 10 cents for thirty words. Moreover, the "public wire service is to be ex-tended to every voting precinct in the country" so that "the same shall form one gigantic whispering gallery laid beneath the surface of the earth."

According to this remarkable bill,
"the secretary of public buildings" is

to provide persons employed by the government with rooms, flats and res-idences by lot in such a way that the various ages, classes, races and sexes shall be able to live together in peace

and harmony.

The "secretary of public farms" is to establish and operate public farms in every county of the republic.

There are to be similar departments

of insurance, mining, fisheries, mer-chandise, manufacturing, gas, electric light, forests, science, invention, surveying, printing, statistics, documents, etc. Not content with all this the bill

creates a "secretary of public hotels" whose duty it is to establish and operate public hotels and eating houses

in every part of the republic.

The "secretary of public baths" is to establish baths everywhere, and these baths are all to be free.

The "secretary of public penitentiaries" is to establish baths everywhere, and these baths are all to be free. the "secretary of public peniten-tiaries" is to pay wages to all prison-ers, holding the money till the expira-tion of their terms or sending it to their families, "to the end that the state may not commit a greater crime than the convicts could possibly have

committed. Although the bill was introduced by Senator Pettigrew, James Seldon Cowdon of Virginia is the author of it. Mr. Pettigrew admits that he does not expect the bill to become a law.

Ridgely's Prosperity Bill.

WASHINGTON, April 16.-Representative Ridgely, Populist, of Kansas, introduced in the House to-day a bill to enable the unemployed to earn a living, to utilize industry and produce general prosperity." His plan is much like the one advocated by "General" Coxey of Ohio. It authorizes each Coxey of Ohio. It authorizes each state, territory, county, city, town, township or school district to raise money for giving employment on public works by issuing non-interest bearing bonds of twenty-five years, payable only to the United States, not to exceed half the assessed value of the property of the state or municipality. In return for the bonds the United States treasury is to issue treasury notes.

Reorganization Scheme Rejected.

WASHINGTON, April 16.-The committee appointed by the Republican caucus of the senate to arrange with the opposition a plan for the reorganization of the Senate committees decided to reject the proposition made by the committee representing the alli-ance of the Democrats, Populists and silver Republicans, and to ask for an-other conference, with a view of reaching a more satisfactory under-

Judge Thomas J. Johnston Dead. MARYVILLE, Mo., April 15.—Judge Thomas J. Johnston, one of the best known lawyers in this section, died at 1 o'clock this morning. He had been in active practice at the Maryville bar twenty-seven years. He came here from Milan, Mo., where he was engaged in the practice six years, and was for a while probate judge.

Hog Chelers, in Mortwestern Kansas.

OBERRIN, Kan., April 16.—Hog cholera has made its appearance in the cra has made its era has made its appearance in the pens of several stockmen in and about Oberlin and many hogs have died. Great care is being exercised to pre-

A Bold Denver Robber Caught. SACRAMENTO, Cal., April 14.-James Collins, now in jail here, acknowledges that he is "Cuckoo" Collins, wanted by the police of Denver for the robbery of the jewelry store of Gottesleben & Sons, March 9, 1896, of a tray containing \$10,000 worth of diamonds.

Two Stores Involved in Fallure ATCHISON, Kan., April 14.-W. L. Saudiers, operating general stores at-Frankfort, Kan., and Falls City, Neb., has failed. The assets and liabilities-are not given, but are believed to be

Serious St. Louis Fire.

Sr. Louis, Mo., April 14.--The five-story building at Main street and Park avenue, occupied by the St. Louis Re-frigerator and Wooden Gutter Manufacturing Company, was destroyed by fire this forenoon. An estimate of the loss puts it at \$60,000. Two firemen and a boy were injured by falling walls, but not fatally hurt.

Wanamaker Doesn't Want It. PHILADELPHIA, April 14.-John Wanamaker has declined to be a candidate for state treasurer of Pennsylvania.

CHANDLER'S SCHEME.

The Senator Proposes to Take Possession of the Armor Plate Factories.

WASHINGTON, April 14. - Senator Chandler of New Hampshire said last night that he would introduce twobills directing the government authorities to take possession of the great armor plate factories of Carnegie, Phipps & Co., limited, at Homestead, Pa, and of the Bethlehem Steel company at Bethlehem, Pa., and operate them with government forces until all the armor plate needed to equip the new battleships should have been com-

Negotiations With the Indians. Washington, April 14. — The announcement that T. B. Cabannis, one of the members of the Dawes commission, had resigned, that another vacaucy was soen to be created, and that Dennis Flynn, the ex-delegate from Oklahoma, and Thomas Needles of Oklahoma, and Thomas Needles of Illinois were to be appointed to the vacancies, have unsettled the negotiations between the commission and the Indians. Telegrams are being received here urging upon the administration the retention of General Frank Armstrong on the commission as necessary to effect the conciliation of the Indians.

Four Men Injured by Dynamite DEADWOOD, S. D., April 11.- Carelessness in handling dynamite resulted in an accident in the Holy Terror mine by which four miners-James Hopkins, John Hidland, Sherman Dunning and Joseph Everly—were danger-ously hurt, the last two named fatally.

Accidentally Shot Bimself.

TRENTON, Mo., April 14.-Baker Smith, while out hunting, accidentally killed himself with a shotgun. He was riding in a cart, when he struck a stump, discharging the gun, the entire charge passing through his heart. He was married and had two children.

IOWA PATENT OFFICE REPORT.

DES MOINES, April 10.—The venerable Geo. Schramm, of Des Moines, has been granted a copyright for his "New Versification of the Immortal German National Hymn, 'The Watch on the

J. W. Billings, of Grinnell, Iowa, has been allowed a patent for a toy gun in which the barrel is adjustably connected with the breech in such a manner that a wafer cap can be inserted in the breech chamber and exploded

squirrels from high trees, etc.

J. A. M. Tyler, of Lexington, Neb., has been allowed a patent for an improved mechanism for raising and

A patent has been allowed to L.
Fleishman, of Des Moines, for a nutlock consisting of a nut that has an angular bore and a circular screw thread of larger diameter at one end of the angular bore in combination with a bolt having an angular portion and a second nut having an internal screw to engage the internal screw in the angular bore of the first mentioned

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