Meeting Between Generals Buller and Christian at Laing's Nek.

BRIFISH HAVE EVACUATED UTRECHT

General Botha, Commanding the Boers, Withdrew From Pretoria in Good Order With View of Joining President Kruger-Transvaal Forces Still Intact.

LONDON, June 7.-A special dispatch from Lourenzo Marquez, dated Tuesday, June 5, says:

"Generals Buller and Christian both met at Laing's Nek at Buller's request, when a three days' armistice was agreed upon.'

The dispatch adds that the British have evacuated Utrecht.

Until the situattion in the neighborhood of Pretoria is enlightened the officials here, as well as others, will find difficulty in prognosticating Lord Roberts' immediate program.

It appears evident that the Boer commander-in-chief, General Botha, with all his guns, withdrew in good order, probably along the Delagoa Bay railroad, with the view of joining President Kruger. So the Transvaal forces remain practically intact, with Presidents Kruger and Steyn and General Botha and Secretary of State Reitz all safe and in a position to continue the direction of affairs. The more optimistic see in the fact that President Kruger's wife and General Botha's wife were left at Pretoria an indication that the president does not count on a long resistance. In any case, it will probably take Lord Roberts at least a week to organize a campaign of pursuit.

that the next important news will come from General Buller's direction; plenty of time has elapsed to complete the turning movement at Laing's Nek.

CAVALRY SEEKING TO CHECK BOTHA

Boers at Lydenburg in Position With Strong Natural Defenses.

LONDON, June 7.-Military operations in South Africa are apparently at a standstill. For a day or two the tired troops are resting and Lord Roberts is filling the magazines and warehouses, at his new headquarters, Pretoria, preparatory to a long chase after the flying Boers in the direction of Lydenburg. His cavalry are probably seeking to check Commandant Botha.

Some dispatches were sent while the fight was going on outside of Pretoria. One says: "Toward the end of the day when the British guns were shelling the northern forts, a number of the projectiles burst, damaging the suburbs. All day armed burghers have been leaving Pretoria, going east. The greater part of the railway rolling of the republican national convention. stock has been removed.

HOT FIGHT WITH THE BOXERS.

Many Are Reported to Have Been Killed on Both Sines

SHANGHAI, June 7.-Alarming reports here of the hurried completion of the mobilization of the Japanese fleet.

PEKIN, June 7.-The situation is growing steadily worse. Events move with such rapidity and affairs, owing to the excitement of the natives, are so critical that the foreign ministers held frequent meetings. They feel the need of a free hand for energetic action, without a reference to the home government.

SHANGHAI, June 7.—The soldiers dispatched to attack the Boxers have fought an engagement quite close to Pekin. Many were killed on both sides.

WILL GUARD AMERICAN LIVES.

Government at Washington Alert to the Alarming Situation in China.

WASHINGTON, June 7 .- The friends of the American missionaries in the disturbed zone in China are becoming alarmed and the State department is beginning to feel the pressure of their efforts to adopt an agressive policy. Inquiries were made as to the reason for the seeming passive attitude of the United States naval forces in Chinese waters.

The department answered that Minister Conger being on the scene was better prepared than any one here to adopt relief for which he had received the sanction of the department in the shape of a general authorizaiton to protect American interests.

Fought for Thirteen Days.

CARCAS, Venezuela, June 7 .- A dispatch from Cucuta, department of Santander, Venezuela, says that after thirteen days of fighting the Colombian revolutionists have routed the government forces near Bucaramangara, capturing a number of prisoners, including General Penasolana.

Seven Persons Struck Dead.

PARIS, June 7 .- Heavy thunderstorms in the central part of France have done considerable damage to stock, crops, etc. There have been several deaths from lightning and large tracts around Thiers are inundated. Seven persons have been drowned, traffic on the railroad has been interrupted and 1,000,000 francs damage has been done at Thiers itself.

Coalition Ministry in Japan. LONDON, June 7.-Advices received from Japan say the cabinet presided over by Marquis Yamagata has resigned and the emperor invited the minister of finance, Count Matsukaka Masayoshi, to form a new cabinet, but

he declined and Marquis Ito is now en-

deavoring to form a coalition ministry.

Poisoned by Ice Cream.

SUMMIT, Ga., June 7.-Twelve persons at the home of George E. McGarr were poisoned by eating ice cream. Mr. McGarr is dead and the doctors fear that nine others will die.

MONEY FOR BIG FAIR.

United States Contributes \$5,000,000 to Ald St. Louis Exposition.

WASHINGTON, June 6.-The house has agreed to the senate amendment to the sundry civil bill appropriating \$5,-000,000 for the Louisiana Purchase exposition at St. Louis. There was not a word of debate on concurrence in the amendment. It was after 6 o'clock when the matter came up and owing to the lateness of the hour and the overwhelming majority in favor of the fair, its opponents did not even make a show of opposition. They contented themselves with calling for a roll call, which resulted 127 ayes to 75 nays in

favor of the appropriation. The house also agreed to the senate item for the Mississippi river with an amendment reducing the appropriation to \$2,250,000 and adding a provision for the preparation of a comparative report on the levee system by the Mississippi river commission. With these exceptions the items of the sundry civil bill still in dispute, after the adoption of the partial conference report, were sent back to conference. The disputed items of the District of Columbia appropriation bill were agreed to and the bill went to the president, leaing only four appropriation bills still in dispute between the two houses.

TURN TABLES ON ROBBERS.

Colorado Shopmen Pursue, Kill One and Capture the Other.

STERLING, Colo., June 6.-The sheep camp of King & Southgate, three miles northeast of here, was robbed by two men, who bound and gagged the proprietors and their two employes. After the robbers left the sheepmen released tnemselves and aided by a neighbor overhauled the robbers, killing one and bacty wound-ing and capturing the other. The latter said their names were William Harris and William Read and that they were from Tennessee. James Lynch, The miltary authorities anticipate, one of the pursuers, was painfully wounded in the hip.

OFFICIAL ENTRY HAS TAKEN PLACE

Overwhelming Numbers Compel Boers to Abandon Pretoria.

LONDON, June 6.-The War office has issued the following dispatch from

Lord Roberts: PRETORIA, June 5.-11:45 a. m.-We are now in possession of Pretoria. The official entry will be made this

afternoon at 2 o'clock.' LONDON, June 5.-It was announced verbally at the War office this afternoon that Lord Roberts entered Pretoria at 2 o'clock, South African time.

ARRANGE FOR BIG PARADE.

Red Fire and Big Demonstration to Usher

in National Convention. PHILADELPHIA, June 6.-Arrangements are nearly completed for the parade of clubs on Monday night, June 18, the night previous to the opening Grand Marshal General Louis Wagner states anat fully 25,000 men will be in line, and as regards red fire and other usual attachments of a big parade in a presidential year, this will be the most brilliant spectacle in political history.

New York Democrats Meet.

NEW YORK, June 6.-If the proceedings of the state convention today were as harmoniously conducted as was the meeting of the state committee last night the program laid out by the leaders will slide off very easilv. The committee was in session but a few minutes. Ex-Senator David B. Hill moved that John T. Norton of Troy be named as temporary chairman of the convention, and it was so decided without a dissenting voice. It is reported that the platform will be as radical as the most ardent admirer of W. J. Bryan can wish. The Chicago platform will be nearly or wholly indorsed.

Fatal Feud in Texas Town.

HOUSTON, Tex., June 6.-At St. Augustine a pitched battle between the Wall faction on one side and the Brocks on the other resulted in the death of Felix G. Sidney and Noel Roberts, three brothers. The latter was sheriff of San Augustine county. The feud grew out of politics and

has been brewing for some years. A few weeks ago Ned Wall, the sheriff, was shot and killed by King Borden at San Augustine. Borden fled, but afterward surrendered and was admitted to bail. Noel Roberts was appointed sheriff. Last Saturday Eugene Wall, brother of the dead sheriff, shot to death Ben Brocks, a kinsman of Bor-

To Force a Confession. MOBILE, La., June 6.-A mob at Mississippi City has taken a negro named Askew, suspected of outraging and murdering Miss Winterstein late Saturday night, from jail and have gone with him to the woods. The mob's intention is to make the negro

Two Fatalities at a Fire. FOXBORO, Mass., June 6.-The town hall, which, besides the town offices, contained the high, grammar and three intermediate schools of the town. burned today. One man was killed and three others were injured, one of

confess.

whom will probably die. Mardered in His Doorway.

LAURELVILLE, O., June 6 .- John Shauk, a farmer of Buena Vista, was murdered at his own doorway, his head having been split with an axe. Jacob Stump, aged sixty-five, brother-in-law of the murdered man, has been arrested on suspicion.

Drowned During Baptism.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 6 .- Within

less than three minutes after having received the sacrament of baptism and the benediction of his pastor, James Phillip was drowned in the waters in which he had been baptized in the presence of helpless and horrified brethren of his congregation and other spectators. Phillips, after the final benediction, had gone aboard the

rendered was drowned.

Body of Boy Recovered. NEBRASKA CITY, June 11 .- The steamer Wichita to put on dry clothbody of Floyd Meredith, the 12-yearing. He stepped abroad the steamer old son of Richard Meredith, who was when he was overcome with religious drowned in the Missouri river two fervor, fell backward over the side of weeks ago, has been found near Nethe boat and before assistance could be maha City.

TECUMSEH MAN MISSING.

Mind Becomes Unbalanced Over Illness of Wife.

MOORES KILLED

Wife of Omaha Mayor Dies From Injuries

Received in a Runaway.

RETURNING FROM RIVERVIEW PARK

Wild Team on South Tenth Street Col-

lides With the Carriage and in the

Rush That Follows, Her Skull is Frac-

OMAHA, Neb., June 11.-Mrs. Kate

E. Moores, wife of Frank E. Moores,

mayor of Omaha, died at her home at

8:55 p. m. Saturday, the result of a ter-

rible runaway accident, which occurred

She had attended a picnic given by

her daughter's Sunday school class at

Riverview park and was returning

home in her own carriage, accom-

panied by Mrs. T. J. Mackay, wife of

the rector of All Saints' church, and lit-

tle daughter. When near St. Joseph's

hospital, on South Tenth street, the

horses became frightened at a runaway

team attached to Dr. Porter's buggy,

which crashed into the carriage occu-

pled by the two women. In an instant

the flery horses were beyond control

of the coachman and dashed down the

street at a terrific pace. Mrs. Moores,

weak and nervous from fright, at-

tempted to alight from the carriage.

but fell to the pavement, striking the

back of her head on the curbstone. The

skull was badly fractured at the base

animals galloped on down Tenth

street, barely escaping serious mishap

a number of times, until Mason street

was reached. Here the horses ran into

a wagon, throwing them from their

feet and stopping the mad flight. Mrs.

Mackay had clasped her little Gaughter

tightly to her breast and remained in

the carriage until the final collision,

when they were thrown on the horses

with the coachman, but fortunately all

escaped serious injury. The carriage

was wrecked and the horses came out

After a preliminary examination and

in an ambulance to her home at 617

South Eighteenth street. In the mean-

time the son and daughters had ar-

rived, but it was nearly an hour before

the mayor could be found, as he had

been entertaining Envoy Wessels on

behalf of the city. The mayor was

finally notified and hurried at once to

Surrounded by her family, Mrs.

Moores passed away, never having re-

HEAVY STORM IN BROWN COUNTY

Wind and Sand Do Much Damage in and

Around Ainsworth.

southeast Saturday night, doing great

sheds, fences, leveling buildings and

creating a panic among the people.

The coping along the north side of

its place and fell to the sidewalk, one

of our townsmen narrowly escaping

burial under the mass of brick. A

panic in the large crowd in attendance

at the graduating exercises of the high

school was only averted by the pres-

ence of mind of Principal Giffin and a

Fremont School Damaged.

which caused the conflagratiton.

Quarantine is Lifted.

city's board of health has been en-

abled to report the entire eradication

of smallpox and the lifting of the

quarantine regulations, even from the

little building occupied by the inmate

of the home who died from that dis-

City May Build a Lighting Plant.

GRAND ISLAND, June 11.-At

the meeting of the city council the

committee on lights presented a re-

port recommending that Grand Island

establish an electric light plant for

thirty arc lights and enough incandes-

cents to provide the city hall and wa-

terworks station with light. It is ex-

pected that a levy of five mills for the

Explosion at Cambridge.

of a gas machine in the basement of a

general merchandise store at Cam-

bridge seriously injured Charles Webb.

Fred John and Albert Hill, besides

destroying considerable glassware and

crockery. The cause of the explosion

is not exactly known. The whole

building was shaken up and the dam-

age is considerable. The injured men

Boy Recovers.

ALBION, Neb., June 11.- Ray Wat-

son, the young man who was seriously

injured here several weeks ago by

being dragged with a rope fastened to

his body by a cow, is slowly recovering

from the internal injuries received. He

is able to walk and take nourishment.

will probably all recover.

MAXWELL, June 11.-An explosion

purpose will be made for next year.

GRAND ISLAND, June 11 .- The

with only a few scratches.

his wife's side.

few others.

gained consciousness.

After Mrs. Moores fell the frightened

three hours before.

of the brain.

TECUMSEH, Neb., June 9.-Clinton Gillespie of Tecumseh has disappeared and he cannot be located anywhere, and Mrs. Gillespie, his wife, died Wednesday afternoon. The circumstances are very interesting. Mr. Gillespie, a young man, was employed with a section gang on the railroad. Recently his wife was taken sick, and the young husband was in the habit of working all day and sitting up half of the night with the sick woman. The neighbors say that he was especially devoted and attentive. His wife's illness seemed to weigh heavily upon his mind, and friends of the family and Section Foreman Davey say he had acted rather queer of late. Tuesday night he came home from his work as usual, but instead of offering to stay with Mrs. Gillespie after supper, changed his clothes and taking his razor gave it a good honing, put it in his pocket, took some papers out of his trunk and attempted to burn them, and without a word to anyone left the house and has not been seen since. The papers that he attempted to burn were his marriage certificate and some letters of recommendation from former employers. Sheriff Strong at once instituted a search for the man, but up to this time has not been able to find any clue of his whereabouts. In all probability he is mentally unbalanced. Mrs. Gillespie was very much surprised at the strange actions of her erstwhile very much devoted husband. She died this afternoon, her last desire being that she might be able to see him once more before death.

Proposition to Complete Ditch. GERING, Neb., June 9.—The parties who have had in hand the construction of the Farmers' canal on the north side of the river in Scotts Bluff and Cheyenne counties have made a proposition to the directors of the Gering Irrigation district looking to the completion of the work on the latter project. While the work of building the Gering ditch is perhaps two-thirds done, yet the work remaining incompleted is of a character that seems to be beyond the reach of the inhabitants of the territory to be watered, treatment by the physicians at the as it will require the expenditure of drug store Mrs. Moores was removed large sums of money from now on. T

C. Henry, the well known Colorado constructor, is the principal one of the syndicate which proposes to do the work and incidental to their proposition to build the canal they want a certain amount of land, which they propose to colonize with farmers at once. It is stated that they have never failed to carry through a project heretofore and their offer will no doubt be accepted.

Thieves Caught in a Boat.

BROWNVILLE, Neb., June 9 .- The two men and one woman, who broke into a house in Nebraska City, steal-AINSWORTH, Neb., June 11.—The ing a lot of goods, and who then stole heaviest wind and sandstorm that ever a couple of skiffs, tried to run by this visited this section came from the point in the boats they had stolen. A telephone message informed Marshal Dick Swan of the theft, and he kept damage to crops, tearing cown cattle a watch on the river. Yesterday a suspicious looking men was seen to drop down the river in a skiff. Swan was notified and he at once made chase. the brick bank building was torn from After a hard run he was arrested. He proved to be one of the men. From him Swan learned that the other man and woman were on the road and he assisted by Ferryman Lemans and the prisoner, made his way to a point about five miles up the river, where the capture was made. The three are now lodged in jail.

Sister Josepha Goes Up.

FREMONT, Neb., June 11 .- Friday COLUMBUS, Neb., June 9 .- Sister night about 6 o'clock fire broke out in Superior Josepha of St. Francis acathe East school building. The alarm demy at this place has been appointed was turned in, but owing to a misunderstanding the fire company made a provincial superioress for the United run down to the hemp factory. When they returned to the East school it was States of the Order of the Franciscan Sisters of Perpetual Adoration. Her found that fire had procured quite a residence will be at Lafayette, Ind., at the provincial house, where she will hold on the building. Before it could go the latter part of the month to asbe gotten under control the entire roof sume her new duties. This promoand all the upper story were destroyed. tion places Sister Josepha at the head The flames probably originated from a defective flue. As it was the last day of the Franciscan order in this counof school, it was supposed that the jantry. She has been at the head of the itor in cleaning up about the building academy here for eighteen years, comset fire to the rubbish in the furnace, ing here as sister superior at the time the institution was founded.

Too Great a Commission.

MADISON, Neb., June 9 .- Ex-County Clerk Wilde of Norfolk will have to make an explanation to the county commissioners about a matter of \$500. The state county treasurer examiner completed the work of checking up the office and says he found that he had wrongfully increased his fees by \$500. The law allows an annual percentage on the first \$3,000 and next \$2,000 of 10 and 4 per cent, respectively, but Mr. Wilde, it is charged, appropriated a semi-annual commission.

Accused of Horse Stealing.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 9 .-Sheriff Taylor returned last night from Kansas City with W. A. Partridge, accused of stealing a horse and buggy. Partridge secured the services of an attorney from Kansas City and refuses to talk. His preliminary trial will take place tomorrow.

Died From Injuries. COLUMBUS, Neb., June 9 .- Valentine Strampek, who fell from a load of flour Saturday, his team stopping with a wheel on his breast, crushing four ribs, died Monday evening at St. 'Mary's hospital and was buried yesterday in the Catholic cemetery at

For Abetting Arson.

BEATRICE, Neb., June 9 .- John Lutz of Cortland, charged with causing and procuring one Dick Oitmans to commit arson, was arraigned in county court and bound over to the district court in \$500 bond, which he gave for his appearance.

Vote Bonds for Schoolhouse.

WAYNE, Neb., June 9 .- A light vote was polled at the election held for the purpose of voting \$12,500 bonds for building an addition to the school building. The proposition carried by a vote of 113 for to 23 against.

Acting Chanceller Bessey Shows Prosperous Condition of the Institution.

ROSTER LARGER TNAN EVER BEFORE

Class Day Dramatics Starts the Dizzy Whirl of Commencement-Alumni Soelety is Formed-Departments Make Splendid Showing-News from Other

LINCOLN, Neb., June 7.-The board of regents of the state university met yesterday afternoon. The time was entirely taken up by the report of Acting Chancellor C. E. Bessey.

The chancellor's report opened with a statement calling attention to the prosperous condition co the university at the present time. The total registration of students for the present year is 2,205, which much exceens the registration of any previous year. year the registration was 1,946. There are in the university 1,229 men and 976 women. The present freshman class numbers more than 300, sophomores, more than 250; juniors, 166; seniors, 132. The report includes abstracts of the report of the deans of the several colleges, showing a prosperous condition in each college. The college of law, for example, shows an increase in enrollment from 118 a year ago to 161 at the present time. In the graduate ychool, attention is called to the fact that forty-five colleges sent representatives to the university for advanced work. Four of these are in New England, three in the Middle Atlantic states, fourteen in the east central states, twenty-one in the west central states, while three are European.

Some changes in the titles of departments are recommended in order that the work done in them should be more nearly expressed by their titles.

The resignations of Dr. Ellwood, instructor in sociology; Dr. Peterson, instructor in German, and Mr. Hunter, assistant entomologist, are reported, these gentleman all having withdrawn in order to accept positions with better salaries or for purposes of additional study.

A number of items of routine business needing attention at the present time are referred to in the report, and recommendations are made as to the time and place of the inauguration of Chancellor Andrews.

Work on Plattsmouth Bluff.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., June 7 .- A large force of men and a steam shovel commenced the work today of removing about 200,000 cubic feet of earth from the large bluff on this side of the river to fill in under the trestlework of the Burlington road on the east side of the river. A water tank has been erected and a steam engine placed on the river bank to pump the water for use. Three sidetracks have been laid and two semaphores placed in working order and an operator placed in charge of the new office. Barracks have also been erected near by for the accommodation of the men employed. William Stoddard of St. Paul, Minn., and Roadmaster O'Donnell are here today and have completed all details for the work, which will require about two months' time.

Accidents at Stanton.

STANTON, Neb., June 7.-Tuesday evening about 6 o'clock A. B. Titus, a farmer living five miles southeast of here, was thrown from his wagon by a fractious team and dragged several rods, falling into the Maskentine creek. His jaw was broken and he was internally injured, causing concussion of the brain. His recovery at this writing is doubtful.

As John Peters, a prominent farmer living nine miles northeast of this place, was driving home about 10 o'clock Tuesday his team became frightened and ran off a grade, throwing him out of the wagon and break ing his sternum bone and several ribs. He will probably recover unless some complication sets in.

Cutting Affair in Superior.

SUPERIOR, Neb., June 7.-James Terry, sr., his daughter-in-law. Edna Terry, James Charleton and his wife engaged in a quarrel late Saturday night, during which knives were freely used. The Terry woman was stabbed three times in the region of the heart and is badly though not ratally wounded. Terry had his scalp cut open and Charleton was cut once in the hip. Terry has been placed under arrest, the testimony indicating that he is responsible for the trouble.

Blaze in Waste Hemp.

FREMONT, Neb., June 7 .- The fire department was called out Tuesday morning by a big blaze in some waste hemp piled up south of the mill. It was piled up from five to ten feet high and covered an acre of land, making an exceedingly hot fire. The department had hard work to keep it from spreading to the hemp stacked near by. No damage was done. In fact, the hemp company was glad to have it out of the way. It made one of the hottest fires ever seen here and has been burning all day.

Fire at Jolley.

JOLLEY, June 6.-The City restanrant and hotel, owned by G. W. Reaves, and operated by George Ulrich, burned to the ground. Nothing saved; loss covered by insurance.

W. L. Stark Renominated.

CRETE, Neb., June 7 .- The democratic, populist and free silver republican congressional conventions were all organized with the following officers: George P. Marvine of Gage, chairman, and George E. Dean of Saline, secretary of democratic convention; E. O. Ketzinger of Gage, chairman, and Fred A. Allen of Butler, secretary of populist convention; General Delevan Bates of Gage, chairman, F. J. Briss of Thayer, secretary of the free silver republican convention. W. L. Stark was unanimously nominated of the Evanston jail and defied the efby each convention.

THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Quotations From New York, Chicago, South Omaha and Elsewhere.

South Omaha and Elsewhere.

SOUTH OMAHA.

UNION STOCK YARDS, SOUTH OMAHA, June 11.—Cattle—Receipts were only moderate, 87 loads, 1,877 head, the general character of the offerings much the same as on Saturday. The market was just about steady on fat cattle, strong on choice grades. Cows and heifers sold perhaps a shade better, but there were only a few loads on sale. Veal calves, bulls, stags, etc., ruled fully steady. The stocker and feeder trade was quiet and unchanged. Choice 1,400 to 1,600-lb. beeves, \$4.90/35.60; fair to good 1,000 to 1,250-lb. steers, \$4.70/4.85; poor to fair steers, \$4.40/4.70; good to choice cows and heifers, \$4.50/4.70; good to choice cows and heifers, \$4.50/4.70; fair to good cows and heifers, \$4.50/4.70; fair to good stockers and feeders, \$4.50/3.10; fair to good stockers and feeders,

Sheep—The supply was insignificant and the quality of the offerings indifferent. There was a good demand from all the local packers and the market was quotably fully steady. Wooled lambs. \$6.75@7.25; clipped lambs. \$5.69@6.10; clipped yearlings. \$5.25@5.75; clipped wethers, \$4.75@5.35; clipped ewes, \$4.50@4.75.

CHICAGO,
CHICAGO, June 11—Cattle—Receipts,
100 head; nominally steady; good to
prime steers, \$5.10@5.25; poor to medium,
\$4.50@5.00; selected feeders, weak, \$4.70@5.00; mixed stockers, \$3.75@4.25; cows, \$3.00
@4.60; heifers, \$3.15@5.60; canners, \$2.25@
3.00; bulls, \$3.00@4.40, calves, \$5.00@7.00;
Texas fed steers, \$4.50@5.25; Texas grass
steers, \$3.75@4.40; Texas bulls, \$3.20@3.70,
Hogs—Receipts, 19.000 head; estimated
Monday, 36.000 head; left over, 1.900 head;
closed steady; tops, \$5.25; mixed and
butcher, \$5.05@5.25; good to choice, \$5.15@
5.25; rough heavy, \$5.00@5.10; light, \$5.00@
5.22½; bulk of sales, \$5.15@5.20.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2.000 head;
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Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,000 head; sheep and lambs, steady; good to choice wethers, \$4.80@5.40; fair to choice mixed. \$4.00@5.00; western sheep. \$4.00@5.30; yearlings. \$5.25@5.80; native lambs, \$5.00@6.60; western lambs, \$6.00@6.60; Colorado lambs, \$6.75@7.10; spring lambs, \$5.00@7.50. Receipts this week: Cattle, 43,400 head; hogs, 169,500 head; sheep, 56.800 head. Last week: Cattle, 43,400 head; hogs, 168,500 head; sheep, 56,800 head.

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KANSAS CITY. June 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 14 head; no market; receipts for week, 22,000 head; light supply strengthened values and prices ranged from steady for plain grades to 5@15c higher for choice; heavy native steers brought \$4.70@5.40; stockers and feeders, \$3.75 5.05; butcher cowe and heirers, \$3.30@5.00; canners, \$2.75@3.25; ted westerns, \$3.90@5.00; Texans, \$3.85@4.80.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,800 head; market was strong to 2½c higher; heavy, \$5.00@5.10; mixed, \$4.95@5.05; light, \$4.85@5.00; pigs, \$4.70@4.90; receipts for week, 85,000 head; prices advanced about 10c on week.

Sheep and Lambs—No market today; receipts for week, 16,000 head; light supply strengthened values, prices ruling 5@15c higher; good choice stades received most strength; spring lambs brought \$1.75@7.25; clipped yearlings, \$5.50@6.00; clipped most strength; spring lambs brought \$1.75

67.25; clipped yearlings, \$5.50@6.09; clipped muttons, \$5.00@5.65; Texas ewes and wethers, \$4.10@4.40; Arizona wethers and feeders, \$4.00@4.25; culls, \$2.50@3.00.

NEW YORK, June 11.—Beeves—Receipts, 953 head, all for slaughterers; feeding, steady; cables, steady; exports, 750 cattle, 75 sheep and 7,354 quarters of

Calves-Receipts, none; no trading; Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5,765 head; sheep and good yearlings, steady; lambs, 15@25c lower; good demand at the decline; sheep, \$3.50@5.00; yearlings, \$5.00@6.50; lambs, \$5.50@8.25, mainly \$7.00@8.25; culls, \$4.874.66.00 minally fir Hogs-Receipts, 2,811 head; no sales; market steady.

GOLDEN HARVEST HAS BEGUN.

500,000 Persons Visited Paris Exposition

During the Last Week. PARIS, June 11 .- The golden harvest of the exposition has at last begun. Twice this week the number of visitors exceeded half a million, which surpasses the figures of the 1889 exposition at a similar period. It is estimated that over 8,000,000 persons have now passed the turnstiles. The greatest difficulty is now experienced in getting from the grounds at night, the street cars and omnibus facilities being utterly inadequate to cope with the immense crowds, and the capmen are having high times, demanding and getting fancy prices for short trips home. It is nothing unusual for them to ask \$2 for a trip for which the legal fare is 30 cents.

The electrical arrangements at the Chateau D'Eau have been repaired and the illuminations during the evening are now very brilliant and effective. The American pavilion was closed for four days this week for the improvement of its internal decoration. A large piece of statuary representing three wild bronchos forms a very striking centerpiece, and about it are palms and flowers and a circular sofa. The walls have been repainted a softer color, relieving the former glare of white, and a number of paintings have been hung. Further improvements are contemplated.

Pirates Abandon Launch.

HONG KONG, June 11.-The steam launch owned by Chinese merchants here, which was attacked June 7 by pirates in an armed junk off Cape Sutman, eight miles from Hong Kong, returned today. The pirates secured about \$600 on board and used the launch to catch three other craft, which they looted. They then abandoned the launch to the crew.

Has a Cure for Leprosy.

PARIS. June 11 .- Prof. Mechnikoff of the Pasteur institute, who recently startled the world with his experiments toward a long life elixir, believes he has found a serum against leprosy. Several celebrated physicians absolutely support his claim and some American physicians are here investigating with a view to using the remedy among the infected populations of Hawaii and the Philippines.

Long Sentence for Murder. CHEYENNE, June 11 .- At Rawlins

George Downing, convicted of murdering Deputy Sheriff Scott at Baggs. Wyo., in 1893, was given a sentence of twenty years in the penitentiary. The jury in the case of John Foley, who killed Martin O'Connors in a saloon at Kemerer last winter, has been out since Thursday. Late tonight nine jurymen were for conviction. Foley is the man who recently took possession