NEBRASKA PNEILL

The medals to be awarded at the Olympic games in London are now being exhibited in the Royal academy. The artist is a talented young Australian, Bertram Mackennal. They are said and appear from photographs to be finely imagined and executed. The reverse of the prize medal shows St. George riding down the dragon, with an angel looking on; that of the commemorative medal, as winged Fame, erect, with a palm in the right hand and a trumpet in the left. The reverses are to be used this year alone. The obverses, it is said, have been adopted for use at future Olympic meetings. The obverse of the prize medal shows an athlete being crowned by two female figures; that of the commemorative medal a victor returning home in a four-horse charlot.

The finest songster among our Scottish warblers is undoubedly the black-cap. I am afraid I cannot describe its song. It has to be heard to be truly appreciated. Once heard, it is never forgotten—the rare sweetness, the pure quality of the song. I cannot compare the blackcap's song with that of the nightingale, for, unfortunately, I have never heard the song of that bird. I could never be in England at the proper time. But I have often heard our lark, and its song is bolder, louder, more overwhelming in its grand outpouring of melody. But for sweetness nothing has ever thrilled me like the song of the blackcap, says a writer in The Scotchman.

Returns received by the United States geological survey for iron ore produced in the year 1907, while not complete, indicate that the total production for the year will fall between 52,000,000 and 54,000,000 long tons. The total production of 1906 was 47,749,728 long tons. The Lake Superior district shows an increase of about 15 per cent; the southern district an increase of only 4 per cent and the northern and northeastern districts 8 per cent. The western district figures, while incomplete, appear to show little or no gain over 1906. The amount of iron ore in stock at the close of the year was said to be the largest in the history of the iron trade. Returns received by the United States

Professor A. Herschel, in the Quarterly Journal of the Royal Meteorological society for October last, describes the extraordinary effects produced by lightning in the midst of an open moor in Northumberland. A hole four or five feet in diameter was made in the flat, peaty ground, and from this half a dozen furrows extended on all sides. Pieces of turf were thrown in various directions, one three feet in diameter and a foot thick having fallen 78 feet from the hole. Investigation showed that in addition to the effects visible on the surface, small holes had been bored in the earth radiating from the large excavation.

In 1905 the exports of polished diamonds from the Netherlands to the United States amounted to \$9,197,843; in 1906 the exports were \$11,633,352. The year 1907 opened auspiciously, but in the month of July the American buyers began to reduce their purchases, and as the financial crisis became more acute the orders from came more acute the orders from America ceased entirely, and from the middle of August up to the end of the year the entire shipment of diamonds did not exceed \$75,000, and the total exports for the year amounted to only \$7,452,604, as against \$11,633,352 for the calendar year 1996.

On one occasion when Timothy Nichoison who has recently retired from charity work at the age of 80 years, was heading the prosecution of lilegal liquer selling in Richmond, Ind., the defendant was put on the witness stand and was asked, among other questions, if he was acquainted with Mr. Nicholson. Answering in the affirmative, he was asked what kind of man Nicholson was. He said he was "a pretty good man, taking him altogether, and he would be a first-class fellow if he would only leave liquor alone."

Of 33,387 boys and girls enrolled in Greater New York's 19 high schools in the school year 1906-7, only 1,713 graduated and 403 received certificates of having completed commercial or technical courses. During the same year, 6,708 pupils left the first year-high school classes, or 46 per cent of all those entering. In other words, almost half of those entering the high school drop out during the first year and a good many more than half during the first two years.

England is interested in a discussion England is interested in a discussion over a suggested censorship of novels. Prominent writers insist that the danger is impending. Certain English ladies who make a specialty of producing erotic fiction are pointed out as the chief offenders against good taste and good morals. Responsibility for the possible censorship is laid at their door. In England an official censor may be appointed to exercise his functions in the same way as the censor of plays.

Bohemia has ceased to exist in the Paris Latin quarter, according to Alfred Capus, the playwright, who may be regarded as an authority on the point. In a lecture delivered on behalf of the "Maison d'Etudiants," which is to be the headquarters of the General Association of Paris Students, he remarked: "We must not be afraid to acknowledge that our students are no longer Bohemians."

The recent municipal elections in Parls were remarkable not only for the candidature of Mile. Laloe, who was soundly beaten, but for the first recorded candidature of a domestic servant. The liveried class is supposed to take on the political color of its surroundings and to be ultra-conservative as a rule, but this candidate stood as a republican socialist, and he is said to have been strongly supported by his kind.

The severest criticism of the stupidity and inefficiency of the parliaments of the world is, in M. Marcel Prevost's opinion, the almost universal indifference of women on the subject of voting. "Neither the representative nor the voter," says this expert in feminine psychology, "excites their envy. They do not even think about the vote, and if men offer it as a gift they pay no attention, burst out laughing or refuse point blank."

F. W. Fitzpatrick, consulting architect of the International Society of Building Commissioners, says the fire loss in the United States every year is \$100,000,000 greater than the amount spent in new construction. In this estimate is included the money paid annually for insurance and the cost of Schling fire.

Visitors at a Paris hotel were disagreeably surprised one morning to find that the boots they had left outside their doors had been stolen by a burglar. Only one pair was left, on which was a paper with the words, "Not good enough for me"

# STIRRING SCENES MARK NOMINATION OF TAFT

Vote on First Ballot Is 102, One Vote Short of His Managers' Claim.

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UNANIMOUS

FIRST AND ONLY BALLOT FOR PRESIDENT.

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Delaware
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Georgia
Idaho

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New Mexico
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Porto Rico

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ON VICE PRESIDENT.

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OFFICIAL BALLOT

 California
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 Colorado
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 Connecticut
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 Delaware
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 Florida
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 Georgia
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 Idaho
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 Indiana
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 Kansas
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 Kentucky
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 Louisiana
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Rhode Island
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South Dakota
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Utah

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 Utah
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 Vermont
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 Washington
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 West Virginia
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Wisconsin cast 10 votes for Governor Sheldon, of Nebraska, for vice president, and West Virginia give one vote to Charles Warren Fairbanks. One Wisconsin delegate falled to vote.

A great shout went up as Chairman Lodge concluded his announcement and with one accord the cohorts of Cannon, Knox. Hughes and the other heroes

joined in a common tribute for the can-

Made Unanimous.

didate of the party.

e. States. Alabama Arkansas California

Pennsylvania cast three votes for Roosevelt.

General Stewart L. Woodford, Hughes' Booster, Presents the Motion-Outpouring of Enthusiasm.

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\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Chicago, June 22.—For president of the United States, William H. Taft, of

the United States, William H. Taft, of Ohio.

Taft on the first ballot: Taft by 702 votes; Taft by the unimous choice of the convention.

Such is the result of the culminating day of the republican national convention of 1908, effected amid scenes of tumultuous enthusiasm, and after a nerve racking continuous session lasting nearly eight hours.

The picture within the walls of the amphitheater as the presidential candidate was named was truly grandiose in its magnitude. In front, to the right and left, below and above, the billowing sea of humanity, restless after hours of waiting, and stirred from one emotion to another, was in a fever of expectancy for the culminating vote.

The favorite sons of other states had been named except Knox and LaFollette, and now on the roll call came Ohio. As the Buckeye state was reached the tall, gaunt form of Theodore E. Burton advanced to the platform to nominate Ohio's candidate. He spoke fervently with the singing voice of an evangelist, which went ringing through the great building.

Ohio Starts Things.

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The close of his speech of nomination was the signal for loosing the long pent up feeling of the Taft legions. Instantly the Ohio delegates were on their feet, other Taft states following, while the convention hosts in gallery and on the floor broke into mad demonstration.

"Taft, Taft—W. H. Taft," came in a roar from the Ohioans. Megaphones seemed to spring from concealed places and swell the Taft tumult into thunder. A huge blue silk banner bearing the familiar features of the statesman-secretary was swung before the delegates, awakening a fresh whirlwind of enthusiasm.

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All semblance of order had been abandoned, and the delegates' arena was a maelstrom of gesticulating men, the guidons of the states were snatched up by the Taft enthusiasts or borne under by the storm of disorder. The band was inaudible—a mere whisper above the deafening volume of sound. For 10, 15, 20 minutes this uproar continued. It was a repetition of the scene of Wednesday when the name of Roosevelt broke the convention into a frenzy, repeated in intensity and almost in duration. But there is a limit to the physical resources of throat and lung, and at last the tired voices died down to a hoarse shout and then subsided.

This lull now gave the opportunity

organ. California's tribute to Tart was brief and fervid.

Now there was another lull in the Taft movement, while the remaining candidates were placed in nomination. It was late in the afternoon before the convention, now literally sweltering in the intense heat and weary after nearly seven hours of the session, reached the end of the flood of eloquence and the decks were at last cleared for the culmination. But no, just as the last swell of oratory, the seconding speech for LaFollette, had died away like a cyclone from a clear sky burst a La-Follette demonstration which swept the convention from its very bearings. convention from its very bearings.

LaFollette, Then Roosevelt. LaFollette, Then Roosevelt.

It was the same deafening wave of sound that had greeted Roosevelt and Taft a little while before, intense and maddening, and with the vital ring of genuine enthusiasm. It seemed as though Wisconsin had suddenly peopled every foot of the galleries. The delegates sat calm and waiting, except the frantic Wisconsins, but the convention for the time being was in the possession of the gallery.

"Alabama, Arkansas"—but his voice was swallowed up in the mad uproar. Gradually, however, the curiosity of the multitude conquered their enthusiasm and they lapsed into silence to hear the result of the roll call.

A hush of expectation hung over the assembly as the call proceeded. Hasty summaries showed that Taft was far in advance. When New York was reached the Taft column totaled 427. Ohio carried the Taft total to 511, twenty more than enough to nominate. Still the call went on till the final result was announced by Chairman Lodge: "For Theodore Roosevelt, 3 votes; for Joseph B. Foraker, of Ohio, 16 votes; for Charles W. Fairbanks, of Indiana, 40 votes; for Joseph G. Cannon, of Ilinois, 61 votes; for Robert Lafollette, of Wisconsin, 25 votes; for Charles E. Hughes, of New York, 63 votes; for Philander C. Knox, of Pennsylvania, 68 votes, and for William H. Taft, of Ohio, 702 votes."

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Now a singular transformation oc-curred. Gradually the whirlwind veered from LaFollette to Roosevelt. A banner bearing the Roosevelt portrait and waved from the gallery was the signal for the change, but in the con-fused babel of voices there was no dis-tinguishing where the LaFollette cheers ended and those for Roosevelt began.

Roll Call Starts

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A ballot was taken to nominate a man whose name had not been presented to the convention. The votes were being counted for Taft while the people were shouting for Roosevelt. The delegates, however, cast their votes uninfluenced by the clamor of the crowd. More than this, the first states on the call, Alabama and Arkansas, had been relied upon by the Roosevelt enthusiasm to start the stampede for Roosevelt, but they held by their instructions while the stampede for structions while the stampede shout them.

The secretary was powerless to make his call of the states heard above the deafening clamor. Seizing a megaphone he shouted the roll of states:

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An officer, quite covered with university diplomas, was recently sent to Morocco. On arrival he found his colleagues of the staff and with his hand at his cap presented himself as "Cap-tain X, doctor of letters." A young of-ficer stepping out from the group salut-

# MIMIC WAR COSTS THREE MEN'S LIVES

'Flareback' on Six-Inch Gun Is Believed to Have Caused Accident.

New York, June 23 .- Two more deaths in the hospital at Fort Wadsworth brought the casualties or the mimic war to three. The dead are:

JOHN WELCH. GEORGE HARVEY. JAMES M'DOWELL.

All were members of the Ninth regiment of the New York National guard.
The explosion and death of the volunteer artillerymen did not halt the war game. Two futile attempts were made by the hypothetical battleship fleet to pass the batteries.

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The three men were members of a crew operating a six-inch gun in Battery Dix at Fort Wadsworth, on the Staten island side of the narrows. Last night when the "hostile" fleet came up the lower bay endeavoring to get past the fort at the narrows the watchers discovered them and hot firing ensued. It is believed the accid-nt was due to what is known as a "flareback." Harvey was swabbing the gun and Welsh and McDowell were standing near the breech when a new charge of powder placed in the gun was exploded by sparks left from the previous charge.

### COUNTY OFFICERS MUST CUT OUT TRIMMINGS

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Nominate Sherman.

The New York delegation marched into the hall bearing banners of Repre-

sentative Sherman, preceded by a band. Their entry aroused considerable enthu-

siasm.

On the call of the roll of states for the vice presidential nomination, Delaware yielded to New York, and Timothy Woodruff took the platform to

The point was made by Mr. Woodruff that no republican ticket had ever been defeated when a New York man was on it, except once, and that was when

the opposing party was bright enough to put a New York man at the head of its ticket.

The remark evoked much laughter

"On behalf of a united delegation of the pivotal state in the union—for as New York goes so goes the nation—I present to you the name of Congress— man James S. Sherman."

Cheer Cannon. When Speaker Cannon arose to sec ond the nomination of Sherman he was given what was really one of the most enthusiastic receptions accorded to any

man during the convention.

"I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of the Lord than to dwell in the tents of wickedness," he began.

Cheers and laughter greeted the re-

Cannon declared the platform adopt-

Guild, of Massachusetts.
Charles E. Osborne, of Michigan, seconded Guild.
Thomas McCarter, of New Jersey, nominated Franklin Murphy, former governor of New Jersey.
Nominations then were closed and the roll was called with the result as pre-

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Made Unanimous.

Senator Crane, of Massachusetts, moved that Sherman's nomination be

made unanimous.

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The motion prevailed, and Sherman was declared nominated unanimously.

Senator Warner, of Missouri, was named as chairman of the committee

to notify the presidential nominee, and Senator Burrows, of Michigan, the vice

nominate Sherman. New Yorkers Win.

Norfolk, Neb., June 23 .- Judge Welch, in the district court of Knox county, has made an important decision, which, if affirmed by the supreme court, will knock out the so-called "trimmings" of county officials.

county officials.

The case came up through objection being made to the Knox county commissioners allowing a claim of \$21.84 filed by the county attorney for expenses incurred while traveling through the county, such as railroad fare, livery, hotel and telephone bills, etc.

Judge Welch ruled that the claim was not a legal one, and that any agreement with the board whereby they would allow such expenses was in contravention of the statutes.

## -----DANCING TEACHERS SHOULD EMIGRATE

Wayne, Neb., June 23.—County Superintendent Littell has reaffirmed his position on the question of teachers dancing during the school year. He says: "A few of our teachers holding the most responsible positions will experience some embarrassment when the matter of renewal of their certificates comes before me, owing to their apparent forgetfulness. My advice to those who must dance several nights during the week is to seek refuge in a nearby county in which the county superintendent said, 'I love to dance too well myself to make such a ruling.'"

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mark.

Cannon declared the platform adopted by the convention was true to the hopes, aspirations and principles of the country. Next he paid tribute to Taft, as the nominee of the party, saying of him that he was a broad, cultured, judicial minded, executive official who had answered every draft made upon him with unfailing zeal and fidelity to public service.

"I say without mental reservation," said Mr. Cannon, "that William H. Taft is my candidate." Again he was compelled to pause until yells of delight from the delegates had died away. He then entered upon an earnest eulogy of Sherman, sketching his services to the country as a whole and describing him as a man evidently qualified to act as vice president. "If ever a contingency should arise, which God forbid, that he should be called upon to supplant the president, there's no man I could trust more to fulfill all the duties of that high offce than Sherman." He closed, predicting glorious triumph for Taft and Sherman. CONTINUES AT WINSIDE Wayne, Neb., June 23.—Attorneys for the Anti-Saloon league are trying to secure a writ of mandamus against the viliage board of Winside to compel them to close up the two saloons in that place. The matter is being heard by Judge Welch in the district dicting glorious triumph for Taft and Sherman. Sherman.

Governor Wilson, of Kentucky, seconded Sherman.

Senator Lodge nominated Curtis Guild, of Massachusetts. court today.

ALLEN NEWSPAPER CHANGES OWNERS

Allen, Neb., June 23.—A deal has been made whereby the Allen News passes from the ownership of E. E. Shackelford to the hands of Professor Q. H. Stevens, of Ponca, who will take possession of the business July 1.

BURLINGTON MORTGAGE FILED IN NEBRASKA

Pierce, Neb., June 23.—A mortgage of \$300,000,000 was recorded in the county \$300,000,000 was recorded in the county clerk's office this week. It was made by the C. B. & Q. rallroad and covvers it: railroad property in Pierce county. The mortgage consisted of 18,000 words, 19 pages of solid typewritten matter, and the filing fee was \$18.75. It is held by the Central Trust company of New York.

## presidential nominee. The usual motions of acknowledgment to the officers of the convention and to the city of Chicago were passed. The convention adjourned sine die at ALLEGED DYNAMITER ACQUITTED BY JURY

Butte, Mont., June 23.-Louis Ferris, was acquitted last night of the charge of murder for the alleged dynamiting

of murder for the alleged dynamiting of the Overland Burlington train near this city May 1, last, the jury deliberating scarcely an hour.

Ferris, who is a youth of 23, confessed to dynamiting the train, but the defense alleged that the confession had been wrung from Ferris by third degree methods. Ferris' mother and sister testified that they heard the officers promise the prisoner a job of driving a team, a new suit of clothes, freedom and other things if he would acknowledge the dynamiting of the train. The defense insisted that a bad rail, not dynamite, had caused the wrecking of the train, introducing a number of witnesses to bear out the contention.

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Ferris was tried for the murder of Engineer Busey, who was killed in the wreck. Two other murder charges yet remain against Ferris.

graft prosecutions, urges the prosecu-tor to "keep up the fight" and to treat all falsehoods flung at them with en-tire disregard.

# UNITED WORKMEN CAN'T PAY MONEY TO GRAND LODGE

Nebraska Lodge Enjoined From Turning Over \$100,000 to the Supreme Body.

Lincoln, Neb., June 22.—Judge Paulat Grand Island has ruled that the officers of the Nebraska grand lodge of the A. O. U. W. must not pay to the supreme lodge of the order the \$190,000 that they have about consented to turn over in payment of a supposed debt of this jurisdiction to the national one.

The order has several jurisdictions, and Nebraska has for a number of years maintained one separate from the supreme lodge in the matter of paying assessments. In recent years, however, the Nebraska members have consented to help out the supreme lodge on several occasions, at one time paying over \$59,000 to enable it to pay losses. The Nebraska jurisdiction being a younger one has had fewer assessments, while the supreme jurisdiction has been hitting their members pretty hard. Several big fights in the order have occurred in Nebraska, the members being divided over whether to go it alone or still remain in affiliation with the supreme body.

The supreme lodge insisted some-

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The supreme lodge insisted some months ago that there was due from the Nebraska jurisdiction \$163,000, and the Nebraska jurisdiction \$163,000, and the grand lodge agreed to pay it. Uprose a storm of protest from Nebraska members, as this would almost wipe out their reserve fund. Action was begun in court, but before an injunction could be served \$63,000 had been paid over. The other \$100,000 is saved, by order of the court, to the Nebraska members.

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TWO YEAR SENTENCE
O'Neill, Neb., June 22.—W. J. Ryan,
alias A. E. McWade, who passed
forged checks on local Knights of
Columbus after making a showing
that he was a member of the order,
about two weeks ago, and who was
captured in South Dakota and returned to O'Neill a week ago, entered
a plea of guilty at a special session
of the district court yesterday and
was sentenced to the penitentiary for
a term of two years.

SMALLPOX EPIDEMIC

IN WAYNE COUNTY Wayne, Neb., June 22.—An epidemic of smallpox prevails in rural Wayne county and it is keeping the officers on the jump tacking up quarantine

### WOMAN CONQUERS AN ANGRY TIGER

comes before me, owing to their apparent forgetfulness. My advice to those who must dance several nights during the week is to seek refuge in a nearby county in which the county superintendent said. T love to dance too well myself to make such a ruling."

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PIECE OF MEAT

Lincoln, Neb., June 23.—Edward Healey, an old soldier, in Lincoln on a furlough, choked to death while eating a piece of meat in the Savoy cafe. Healey said he had been on state rations so long that he guessed he would have a good square meal now. He ordered a rare steak, some potatoes and coffee, but had scarcely begun to eat when he fell sick. He was carried into another room, but died within a few minutes. A post mortem examination disclosed that a piece of meat had lodged in his windpipe, strangling him so that it caused retching, and the matter ejected from the stomach filled lungs and throat to suffocation. It was pronounced a rare case by the doctors.

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Los Angeles, Cal., June 23.—He man Gerson, head animal keeper in the East Lake park zoo. was seized by both arms of flesh from the start park zoo. was seized by both arms of flesh from the elbows down, and almost pulled his arms from the sockets. His wife came to the rescue and by jamming the beast in the eyes and breast with a pitchfork pried its teeth and claws open. As the tiger's jaws closed on Gerson's arm the keeper, who was holding a small hose, turned the nozzle in the animal's face. The tiger placed a huge paw on Gerson's other arm, and the keeper began to call for his wife, who was in the Gerson residence near the zoo. Theroacted the tiger had created a pandemonium among the animals, and assume a good square meal now. He ordered a rare steak, some potatoes and coffee, but had scarcely begun to eat when he fell sick. He was carried into another room, but died within a few mortem examination disclosed that a piece of meat had lodged in his windplee, strangling him so that it caused retching, and the flag of the flag of the flag of the flag of the flag

# "AGUMYA SIDDHANT SABHA" IS BUNCOED

Parliament of Wisdom Didn't Learn All the Little Brown God Could Teach.

New Yory, June 22.—Sri Agumya. Guru Paramhamsa, halt god, half man, dread tiger of mahatma of India, had among his students when he came to teach in New York last summer, the wisdom of ancients, Paul Morton, exsecretary of the navy and now president of Equitable Life Assurance society, and Mrs. Morton; Wm. C. Lane, president of the Standard Trust company and director in the Erie and many other railroads; Mme. Emma. Eames, John W. Fletcher, palmist, and Louis H. Backman, professional masseur, who thumped the ribs of many of the "400."

of the "400."

From the papers in the case to be tried in the city court next Monday, pieced out with information from complainant's lawyer, Edwin F. Stern, it appears that Backman paid the expenses of the celebrated Indian ascetic. penses of the celebrated Indian ascetic to America and cared for him until the aforementioned financiers of Wall street banded themselves together as the "Agumya Siddhant Sabha"—in English, "parliament of wisdom"—and each contributed something to main-tain the brown savant in the brown-stone house at 30 West Eighty-secondi

## SIX INJURED AND

\$50,000 FIRE LOSS Chicago, June 22.—Six firemen were injured and a property loss of \$50,000 caused today in a fire, which partially destroyed the building occupied by the Commercial Cabinet company and the American Industrial company.

New York, June 22.—Five indictments were handed to Supreme Justice Goff to-day by the special grand jury investigating the American Ice company. Several bench warrants were issued... The names were not made public,

ROOSEVELT URGES
GRAFT PROSECUTOR
TO CONTINUE WORK

San Francisco, June 23.—The Call today prints a letter dated June 8, at the White House, from President Roosevelt, to Rudolph Spreckles, in which he comments upon the local graft prosecutions, urges the prosecutions.

Pittsburg has seven more national banks than Boston, but their total capitalization is \$33,000,000 less.

Keep the poultry house clean. The warm weather is not conducive to sweet smelling quarters where the droppings are allowed to accumulate.

Use plenty of whitewash. Keep a much as 154 grains of boracic acid in a single pound of meat imported from America.

A Woman in the Chicken Yard.

By Julia Adams Poweil.

One ounce of carbolic acid, one gallon of kerosene, mixed and sprayed into the crevices, nest boxes, roof of poultry house and allowed to fall as a mist on to the roosting poultry, makes an inexpensive and good remedy for lice and mites.

Thoroughbred stock is the most profitable. They do not eat any more than the mixed fowls and the first cost of eggs or of breeders is soon made up from the sale of eggs for sittings. And let your sittings be of the best. Select the eggs carefully and so gain a reputation for prime stock. Never sell for this purpose ill shaped eggs. Either send them to market or use them in your family.

ed the newcomer and said, coolly; "Lieutefiant Z, with a certificate of primary studies."