# Plattsmouth Journal.

C. W. SHERMAN, Publisher.

PLATTSMOUTH. : NEBRASKA

# The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

#### CONGRESSIONAL-Regular Session

On the 24th the senate was not in session .... In the house roll call fellowed roll call, the opponents of the seigniorage bill throwing aside all pretense of not filibustering and boldly injecting motions to take a recess and to adjourn in order to prevent a vote on Mr Bland's motion. Finally Mr. Bland said: "It is quite evident that the bondholders have control over this country and I, therefore, move that the house

adjourn." The motion prevailed. In the senate on the 26th the committee on Ioreign relations presented the report of its investigation of Hawaiian affairs. The report emphatically against monarchism; supports Minister Stevens' recognition of the provisional government, but disavows the protectorate: favors annexation without making any direct recommendation; condemns Queen Lilliuokalani and finds that she was the aggressor in the revolution that secured her over throw .... In the house Mr. Bland, being unable to secure a quorum on the seigniorage bill, concluded to allow the debate on the bill to pro-

cend for another day. A LARGE number of petitions were presented in the senate on the 27th protesting against a reduction of the existing duties on wool and various other features of the tariff bill. A bill was introduced for the establishment of a national university....In the house resolutions were presented to investigate the action of several United States judges who have issued injunctions in railroad cases. A bill was introduced to amend the revised statutes so as to permit, in civil cases, the verdict of threefourths of the jurors constituting the jury to stand as the verdict of the jury. The silver seignlorage bill was further discussed.

ON the 28th ult. the senate held a two hours' session, the whole of which was given to a speech by Senator Frye in opposition to the president's Hawaiian policy.... in the house the deadlock on the seigniorage bill was broken after two weeks of filibusiering, but upon a question for a special order to discharge the committee of the whole from further con sideration of the bill the quorum disappeared

and no action could be taken. On the 1st a resolution was introduced in the tenate providing for the establishment of a tariff commission of nine to regulate the tariff abroad. A bill was introduced for the erection of a statue at the treasury department to Gen. F. E Spinner. The house bill providing for urgent deficiencies was passed ... In the house the long struggle over the Bland bill for the coinage of the silver seigniorage and the silver bullion in the treasury was ended by the passage of the bill by a vote of 187 to 130.

#### DOMESTIC.

A HOUSE was burned near Murfreesborough, Ark., and John Wert, a farmer, and his wife and five children all perished in the flames.

An earthquake shock at Arcadia, Neb., jarred windows like heavy thunder and shook plastering from ceilings. RUDOLPH J. PESCHMAN was sentenced to the penitentiary for life for the murder of Mrs. Schrums at Milwaukee.

THE Waco (Tex.) Electric Railway & Light company was placed in the hands of a receiver with assets of \$300,. 000 and liabilities of \$200,000.

THE stock barn of George Schambs, th of Mansfield, O., by fire with a number of fine trotting horses, including the famous stallion "Old Crow."

THE Golden Rule bazaar and contents were destroyed by fire at San Francisco, the loss being \$230,000.

REV. A. J. WARNER called a convention of negroes at Birmingham, Ala. for March 21, the object being to discuss the general immigration of the race to Africa.

W. N. WHITE, a prominent contractor at Seattle, Wash., fatally shot James S. Holt and then kitled himself. White charged Holt with too intimate an ac-

quaintance with his wife. CARRIE COPPER, Jennie Keiks and Katie Betscheider, school children, broke through the ice on the canal at Massillon, O., and were drowned.

In a decision Judge Grosscup, of Chicago, says the interstate commerce law is inoperative and of no value, for the reason that it will be impossible to convict anyone of violating any of its provisions.

MATTHEW JOHNSON (colored) was electrocuted at Sing Sing, N. Y., for the murder of Emil Kuckelhorn, December 9, 1892.

JOSEPH DICK, a full-blooded Creek Indian, was shot to death near Eufala, L T., for the murder of another Indian named Grey.

ERASTUS WIMAN appeared in court in New York and pleaded not guilty to the indictments against him for forgery. He is under \$25,000 bail.

JOHN Y. McKANE, of Gravesend, N. Y., convicted of political crimes, must go to Sing Sing prison, Justice Cullen's decision being ayerse to the ex-boss in every particular.

CORNELL trustees at Ithaca, N. Y., have voted \$500 to be used in finding the students responsible for the recent fatal hazing.

JOHN W. FANCHER, who disappeared from Columbus, O., twenty-four years ago, has been found in Colorado.

THOMAS DOUGLASS, aged 18 years, who killed Officer John Cowlett at Sherman, Ala., while he was levying on a cow belonging to his mother, was hanged by a mob and his body riddled with bullets.

CHARLES CLARK, a farmer near Middlepoint, O., was cut to pieces with his own ax by Samuel Seitz.

THE condition of 15,000 miners in Ohio was said to be deplorable, and un less something was done to relieve their distress and suffering the result would be fearful.

An incerdiary fire in Boston partly destroyed the building owned by the Boston Real Estate company. Loss, \$1.00,000.

THE Missouri supreme court has sustained the law making it a felony for a bank officer to receive deposits when

the bank is failing. GEORGE CUSTER was instantly killed and William Rose, Charles Carson and Andrew Onn were fatally injured by

an explosion of gas near Philadelpaia. THE wife of David Rosenberger, of Kittaning, Pa., gave birth to five chil-

were all doing well. Officials of Chicago railway lines have decided to pay no further atten- who forced the assistant cashier to tion to the interstate commerce law. | open the safe.

JUDGE WILLIS, of St. Paul, decided that newspapers taking sides in a case on trial was contempt of court. JUDGE GILLETT, of Lake county, Ind.,

securing a stay having falled.

instructed the grand jury to root out the Roby race track crowd. MACK WRIGHT, a prominent farmer,

JOHN Y. McKANE, convicted at

Gravesend, N. Y., of political frauds

was taken to Sing Sing to serve his

sentence of six years, all attempts at'

and two young companions perished in a snowstorm near Jackson, Tenn. THE report from Georgetown, Col, that citizens of that place were signing a petition in favor of the silver states

seceding and joining Mexico proves to have been a canard. THE Peace Association of Friends in America was organized at Richmond,

Ind., the object being to promote peace and to settle difficulties between individuals, labor and capital and nations by arbitration. THE bill providing for the consolida-

tion of New York with Brooklyn and its suburbs has been signed by Gov. AT Linden, Mich., a platform col-

lapsed and twenty-five or thirty persons were more or less injured.

WILLIAM E. BURR, cashier of the St. Louis national bank at St. Louis, was arrested on a charge of embezzling

WILLIAN RYAN, a potter, 25 years old, shot his wife Christiana at Trenton, N. J., and then fired a bullet into his brain and died instantly. No cause was known.

JOSEPH DONJAN, of Baltimore, who threatened Vice President Stevenson by mail, was sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment. NEARLY all the remaining world's

fair employes were discharged, a total of about 600. Work was nearly finished. THE resolution for a woman suffrage

amendment to the lowa constitution was defeated in the state senate by 26

Eighteen fishermen who lived at Gloucester, Mass., were lost in an eastern coast storm. They were members days. He was 67 years old. of the crews of the Henrietta and Reso-

THE Columbian Fire Insurance company of America filed a deed of assignment at Louisville, Ky., with liabilities of \$125,000.

BURGLARS killed Township Treasurer Henry Gelerman's wife, seriously wounded him and secured \$700 near

Exeter, Mich. PITCHER MCNABB, of last year's Baltimore baseball team, shot and fatally wounded Mrs. R. E. Rockwell and then

killed himself in a hotel at Pittsburgh, Pa. THE National Baseball league season

will open April 19. A BLOODY riot occurred in the Kanawha coal region at Eagle, W. Va., in which at least one man was killed, three fatally injured and many others hurt. Troops were ordered to the scene.

JESSE HICKMAN, a farmer near Glasgow, Ala., cut down a tree near his home and in falling it struck his two daughters and killed them. GIFTS amounting to more than \$300,-

000 were received by trustees of the

Western Reserve university near Cleveland, O. RESIDENTS of Benton Harbor, Mich., were startled by a rumbling noise and

a shaking of the ground which lasted a minute. AT Emporia, Kan., Mary C. Davis was divorced from her husband, John Davis. This was the fifth time one or the other of these two had sued for di-

vorce, and each time the divorce had been annulled by a remarriage. THE public debt statement issued on the 1st showed that the debt increased \$40,064,215 during the month of February. The cash balance in the treasury was \$787.075,884. The total debt, less the cash balance in the treasury,

amounts to \$1,007,356,015. CHARLES SALYARDS was hanged at Carlisle, Pa., for the murder of Police-

man George E. Martin. HENRY BAKER and William Thompson, negro burglars, killed Mrs. Moore Baker and her child at Franklin Park, N. J., and were themselves killed by Moore Baker after a desperate fight. COLBY BROS.' livery barn at Fort

Dodge, Ia, with contents, was destroyed by fire and twenty-eight head of horses were roasted alive. Notices were posted by white caps commanding all negroes to leave Pike

county, Ala., by March 10 under penalty of lynching. MEMBERS of the Protestant societies would ask the courts for an order en-

joining Catholic nuns from teaching in the public schools of Pittsburgh, Pa.

WHITE CAPS took Wesley Thomas and his wife, aged negroes, from their beds at Brantley, Ala., and whipped them so severely that their lives were despaired of.

JOHN CARBERRY died at Newark, N. J., of hiccoughs. It was thirteen weeks ago that the disease attacked him. HENRY's opera house and other build-

ings were burned at North Baltimore. O., the loss being \$100,000. FRANK RIPPY and Charles Dawson were killed by an explosion in a planing

mill at Warsaw, Ind., and two other men were fatally injured. Z. T. WHITE was fined \$500 for aiding

in the hanging in effigy of Secretary Morton at Nebraska City. MISS ELLA MAY DICKEBSON, aged 24,

and Aunt Betsy Davis, aged 107 years, were fatally burned in the poor house at Muncie, Ind., their clothes taking fire from a grate. A VERDICT of \$5,000 against the de-

fendant was given at Indianapolis in the first case tried under the coemployes' liability law. NINE eloping Kentucky couples

crossed the river to Jeffersonville, Ind., and were married. THE Commercial bank of Milwaukse resumed business after having been in

the hands of an assignee for seven months. JAMES J. CORBETT, the prize fighter. was found not guilty of violating the

dren, three girls and two boys. They law by a jury at Jacksonville, Fla. THE Dexter (Mich.) savings bank was robbed of \$8,000 by two masked men.

ANDERSON CARTER and Bud Montgomery, in jail at Mountain Home, Ark., for murdering Hunter Wilson on December 18 last, were riddled with bullets by a mob that overpowered the

guards. SIX THOUSAND miners quit work in Jackson county, O., because the operators wished to reduce wages to fifty cents a ton.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL. NORMAN L. MUNRO, the publisher, died at a hotel in New York from a surgical operation. He was 57 years old

and worth over \$2,000,000. STRELE MACKAYE, the noted playwright, aged 58, died on a train near La Junta, Col., while on his way to San Francisco from Chicago.

H. B. STRAITT, who for twelve years represented Minnesota in the lower house of representatives at Washington, died in a Mexican Central train at El Paso, Tex.

HARRISON L. PLUMMER, the portrait painter, known throughout this country and Europe, died at his home in Haverhill, Mass., aged 80 years. THE populists propose making Kan-

sas the fighting ground this year, where their batteries will be concentrated. PROF. CARL WILHELM KNUDSON, the astronomer, died at South Norwalk,

Conn. He was born in 1818. CARL JONAS, lieutenant governor of Wisconsin, was appointed consul general at St. Petersburg by the president. REV. DR. R. W. PATTERSON, a Presbyterian minister, well known throughout the northwest, died at his home in

Evanston, Ill., aged 80 years.

JACOB C. HORN, who was present at the Fort Dearborn massacre, and in the Black Hawk, Mexican and civil wars, died at Winniecanne, Wis.

EX-JUDGE J. W. McDILL, of the interstate commerce commission, died at his home in Creston, Ia., of typhoid fever, aged 60 years.

MRS. SARAH GALLOWAY (colored) died near Alton, Ill., aged 110 years. JOHN C. DOWNEY, ex-governor of California, died at Los Angeles of pneumonia after an illness of only three

FOREIGN.

SENOR GUZMAN, the Nicaraguan minister at Washington, received news that his country's war with Honduras was at an end.

TWENTY-FIVE men were killed and ten were seriously injured by a boiler explosion in an iron mill at Alexander-

owsk, Russia. Bellamy & Co.'s granaries in London were destroyed by fire, the loss being \$300,000.

MOTHER MANDELBAUM, of New York, notorious the country over as a shoplifter, died at Hamilton, Ont., of a complication of diseases. A THOUSAND unemployed men sang

revolutionary songs in Vienna. The police charged and dispersed the mob. MRS. ALLEN FRANCIS, formerly of Illinois, died at Victoria, B. C. She in-

he married. Russians and Germans were reported to have fought a battle on the frontier in which several were killed.

Rumons of the retirement of Mr. Gladstone from office were being renewed and were agitating the English. MME JANET MONACH PATEY, a distinguished contralto singer, died at Wrenching the ax from the head of Sheffield, England, at the close of a

In a fight between a band of brigands and the police of the town of Iztlahuaca, Mexico, eight of the former and two of the latter were killed.

THE Brazilian elections resulted in the choice of Senor Prudente de Moraes as President Peixoto's successor.

LATER. THERE was no session of the United States senate on the 2d. In the house the fortifications bill (\$3,000,000) was passed. The pension bill was taken up and general debate consumed the remainder of the day. The aggregate of this bill is nearly \$152,000,000. Ex. Speaker Grow, the newly elected congressman at large from Pennsylvania was sworn in. At the evening session private pension bills were considered. GEN. JUBAL A. EARLY died at Lynch-

burg, Va., the result of a fall. He was born in Virginia November 13, 1816. There were 264 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 2d, against 288 the week previous and 206 in the corresponding

time in 1893. Ar Victoria, B. C., Green Worlock's bank closed with liabilities of \$400,000. Two MEN were instantly killed, two fatally burned and five others dangerously hurt in an explosion in a coal

mine near Leeds, Mo. WATERMAN & KATZ, bankers at Port Townsend, Wash., failed for \$120,000. More troops were ordered to the mines near Charleston, W. Va. The miners threatened to burn the coal company property and martial law had been declared.

THE World's W. C. T. U. is preparing a temperance petition to be presented to all the rulers on earth.

Two MEMBERS of an American hunting party were killed by wild beasts in the Sierra Madre mountains in Mexico. DAVE JOHNSON and Mansfield Wasnington (colored) were hanged at Baton Rouge, La., for murdering Prof. Emile

Van Hofe and Michael Kane. THE Colorado legislature adjourned sine die. DUBING a quarrel near Eugene, Ore., Albert Moss fatally shot David Cole man and his two daughters and then

blew out his own brains. LON TYE, a Harlan county (Ky.) negro, was reported to have been skinned alive by a mob and then roasted for

kidnaping a white girl. GEN. MILES said at Boston that there was not a harbor in this country in proper condition to resist a hostile modern fleet.

a "combine," alleging as the business is now conducted there is no profit. THE exchanges at the leading clearing houses in the United States during the week ended on the 2d aggregated \$838,528,166, against \$691,491,780 the previous week. The decrease, compared with the corresponding week in 1893,

## FOUR KILLED.

Terrible Tragedy Enacted in a New Jersey Home.

Two Burglars Murder a Mother and Her Babe-Both Brutes Killed by the Husband After a Most Desperate Struggle.

MET A RLOODY FATE. NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., March 3 .-Wednesday night two negroes named Henry Baker and William Thompson entered the residence of Moore Baker at Franklin Park, 6 miles west of this place, for the purpose of robbery. Upon being discovered by Mrs. Baker, who was up with a sick child, the robbers killed both her and the child. Mr. Baker then shot one the negroes dead and killed the other with an ax. Mr. Baker was reported to have had a large sum of money in the house. The burglars effected an entrance to the house about midnight through the cellar door in the rear and went through the kitchen up the rear stairs to the

second floor. Mr. Baker, his wife and child slept in the front room. Mrs. Baker was up attending to the child, and hearing footsteps on the stairs she opened the door and saw Thompson, who carried an ax in his hand. He rushed at her with an oath and buried the blade in her skull, scattering the woman's brains over the walls of the room. Thompson then ran to the bed and struck the baby with the ax, killing it

instantly. Mr. Baker was horror-stricken at the sight of Thompson's crime, and with a cry of frenzy leaped at the slayer of his wife and babe. The black butcher turned with uplifted ax from his bloody work, and aimed a blow at Baker, but his aim was bad and the point of the ax buried itself in the floor. Then followed an unequal battle between the two, the second negro appearing confident of his confederate's success or dazed at the spectacle before him and not interfering. Baker, crazed with the horror of the crimes he had been unable to prevent, attacked the negro Thompson with the ferocity of a tiger. He tried to secure the ax, but Thompson was too quick, and they both laid hold of it at the same instant. Both strained for the possession of the weapon and in their fury they rolled and tumbled about in the rivers of blood that ran from the body of the murdered wife and that of the

baby, which had fallen to the floor. The contest was about equal for a time. The hands of both men were lacerated into shreds by the sharp point of the ax Finally Baker tripped his opponent, and as the negro fell the ax struck Baker in the face. The blood from the wound almost blinded Baker, but he brushed it aside and, raising the ax, brought it down upon the head of the negro, who was troduced Abraham Lincoln to the girl attempting to rise. The blow was a true one, for the keen blade of the weapon crashed into the head of the negro almost at the center of the crown and tore the skull asunder down to the bridge of the nose. Thompson dropped like a shot, his

blood mingling with that of his victhe negro brute Baker made a dash for the other negro, who had started to run away. Baker followed him in close pursuit, leaving a trail of blood behind. As the negro reached the rear door of the kitchen, in seeking to escape, Baker caught up a shotgun from a rack, and, pausing an instant in the doorway, took deliberate aim at the fugitive and fired both barrels. As he recoiled from the shock of the gun he saw the negro spring into the air and then fall face down-

ward. How Baker managed to return to the room where the murders and retribution occurred he does not remember. but his neighbors, who were aroused by the report of the gun, found him clinging to the chair when they rushed over to learn the cause of the disturbance. Baker could not add anything to the story told by the horrible scene they gazed upon. Some of his neighbors took him to his own room and dressed his wounds, which may yet prove fatal, while others made an examination of the bodies in the front room. All three, mother, child and murderer, were dead, their bodies frightfully mangled and indistinguishable in color by reason of the deep dye that covered every part of them. The body of the negro, Henry Baker, was found in the spot where the bullets from Moore Baker's gun had overtaken him. The burglar was not dead, and the neighbors were unanimously in favor of lynching him, but before they could

carry out their plans he died. The coroner took charge of the bodies and held an inquest. The jury found that the negroes had killed Mrs. Baker and her child Gertrude, and returned a verdict of justifiable homicide in the case of the killing of the negroes by

Insane Man Kills His Wife. LIMA, O., March 3.-Edward Froid-Point Pleasant and secured a club, and after telling his family that he had been commanded by God to kill them, attacked his wife. He had beaten her to death when neighbors, who had been notified of his insanity by the

and after a struggle succeeded in over-

Landed in SingSing. Sing Sing, N. Y., March 3 .- Officers arrived at the prison at 3:12 o'clock p. m. Thursday, having in charge John Y. McKane, the Gravesend politician, who had been sentenced to serve a six-years

powering him.

GRAPE growers of Ohio have formed term for election frauds. After the usual formalities McKane was given a convict's suit, which he put on himself. No cell was assigned him. He will for the present be in what are known as the idle ranks. McKaue went through all this ordeal with firmness and showed no signs of depres-sion. He will be released in four years

and three months if his conduct is

#### ROBBED A BANK.

Masked Thieves Secure Over \$3,000 at Dexter, Mich.

DEXTER, Mich., March 3 .- O. C. Gregory, assistant cashier of the Dexter savings bank, was sandbagged and the vault robbed of \$3,200 at 7:10 o'clock Thursday morning. The bank stands facing the principal street in the heart of the town. At a few minutes to 8 ex-Representative Newkirk, the cashier, entered the bank. Not seeing Gregory he supposed he had stepped out before opening for business. A moment later, noticing the vault doors partly open, he went to investigate, and found Gregory lying inside in an unconscious condition. Money was scattered loosely about the vault. Newkirk immediately gave the alarm. It was some time after assistance was called before Gregory was restored to consciousness, and then he was in a nervovs condition. He told the following story:

"I reached the bank at 7 o'clock as usual and began sweeping out and preparing things for business. I had emptied the ash pan in the back yard and was returning through the rear door when the front door opened and two masked men with revolvers appeared. They called to me to make no outcry or they would shoot, and when they reached me I was ordered to open the vault The vault lock is a time one and ran out at 7 o'clock, and the thieves evidently knew that the time had expired. They threatened to shoot if I did not open the lock and I did it. Just as the bolts were sprung one of the men hit me over the head and I lost consciousness.'

Gregory could not give any description of his assailants. He says he was taken completely by surprise and as his back, after the first moment of meeting, was turned to the burglars, he had no chance to note any peculiarities about the dress or person of his assailants. Gregory is a young man of model habits, and is ambitious and a hard worker. No suspicion attaches to

Cashier Newkirk says it looked as if the men had been frightened away before securing all the funds. There was fully \$5,000 in currency in the vault and of this \$1,800 was dropped on the floor. It was not the dropping of a single package, for both coin and bills were scattered all over the floor. The time lock was fixed to run out at 7 because the bank opens soon after that

There is not the slightest clew. No one was seen either entering or leaving the bank. Exit was made by way of the back door. Careful inquiry fails to reveal trace of strangers having either entered or left the town for several days. The robbers probably escaped through the alley on to a back street and then into the country. Mr. Gregory is not seriously hurt, being about town with a badly bruised and swollen head. The local officers are at work and will be reinforced by detectives from other cities. The Dexter savings bank is practically a new institution, having been recently organized with a capital of \$20,000.

### STRIKERS DISPERSED.

Soldiers Guarding the Mines in West Virginia. CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 3 .- With six seriously wounded and one dead as the result of the riot at the Eagle mines Wednesday night there has been much excitement, but no further bloodshed. The sheriff of Fayette county was promptly on hand with a very large posse before the seven companies of state troops arrived. The strikers rallied 1,500 men from Mont- people. gomery and Handley during the day and were determined to rout Wyant's men from their mountain intrenchments. They apparently dispersed on the display of troops, and Sheriff Fleming said he could control the situation with

Gov. McCorkle, thinking the trouble over, contemplated removing the troops and this word soon reached the men, who have their allies at the state capital. It was at once seen that the demonstrations were simply suspended in anticipation of the temporary presence

of the troops. At 3:30 p. m. Gov. McCorkle received a telegram from the sheriff and military officers in the command of the troops at Eagle declaring that there was likely to be a conflict between the civil and military authorities, and asking that martial law be declared. At 4 o'clock another dispatch was received from Gen. Wood that over 1,000 strikers had congregated at Montgomery and were determined to do serious damage. At the same time a dispatch was received from J. M. Gill, division superintendent of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway, asking the governor to rescind the order to remove two of the military companies, as serious trouble was threatened. Accordingly the governor countermanded his order and the three companies will remain till this (Friday) afternoon, if not longer. The governor also sent Col. R. S. Carr of his staff to the scene with instructions to declare

martial law if necessary.

Corbett Not Guilty. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 3,-At 3:51 o'clock Thursday afternoon the jury in the case against James J. Corbett charged with violating the laws of Florida by engaging in a prize fight, retired to make up a verdict. At 4:07 o'clock, or sixteen minutes later, reux became insane over religion at the jury returned a verdict finding the defendant not guilty. Charlie Mitchell was present when the verdict was announced, and he leaned over and grasped Corbett by the hand and whispered congratulations. Mitchell, of course, considered the verdict in the little children, appeared on the scene light of a practical acquittal for himself, as a case against him of a similar

#### nature is pending. SETTLED FOR \$15,000.

Victims of the Grand Trunk Wreck Receive Money from the Corporation. BATTLE CREEK, Mich., March 3.-J. Harvey Smith, wife and daughter Belle, the last victims of the Chicago & Grand Trunk wreck October 20 last, left here Wednesday for their home in Fort Plaine, N. Y. They have been in the hospital here ever since. Their son Frank was killed in the wreck. The Grand Trunk company settled with the family and gave them a check for \$15,-000, in full of all damages, including the death of the son.

#### LYNCHED.

Two Murderers Meet Death at the Hands of a Mob.

Shot Down in Their Cells in an Arkansas Jail-One of Their Pals Spared-The Story of Their Cold-Blooded Crime.

VICTIMS OF POPULAR FURY.

WEST PLAINS, Mo., March 1 .- Mone day night, about 11:30 several hundred men, supposed to be inhabitants of Ozark county, Mo., Fulton and Baxter counties, Ark., assembled at Mountain Home, Ark., for the purpose of lynching Anderson Carter and Bud Montgomery, alias Jasper Newton. The mob overpowered the jailer and guards, took their guns and demanded their keys. K. C. Smith, representative of Baxter county. made a half-hour speech and begged that the law be allowed to take its course. The men listened in sullen silence to his talk and that of others and then went about their work of vengeance. They unlocked the doors and proceeding to the cells occupied by the murderers fired volley after volley at the helpless men who vainly begged for mercy. After about twenty shots the firing ceased. Carter was dead, but Newton was found to be alive and he asked for water. This was given him, and then, the mob riddled his body with bullets.

Both died protesting their innocence, and only asked that they might be released from their shackles. According to a previous agreement the life of Bart Carter, one of the trio who confessed, spared, and it is thought he will be given a life sentence in the penitentiary. He was forced to do what he did by his father, Anderson, Carter. He told where the money was, and went with a posse and recovered \$1,100 of it. Bart Carter says Anderson, Carter did the planning and Newton

the killing. The crime for which they were held was the killing of Hunter Wilson in Baxter county, Ark., December 18. While Wilson was sitting with his wife by the fire the men entered the house, killed him instantly, very nearly killed his wife, robbed the house of \$1,100, and after heaping coals of fire upon Wilson's body made their escape. Mrs. Wilson crawled to a neighbor's and gave the alarm. William McAninch was arrested for the crime, but had been released a few days ago. The crime was a cold-blooded one. The Carters had the reputation of having killed a man in Texas county, and Newton, whose real name was Montgomery, was wanted in Clay county for a crime committed fifteen years ago.

## FOR ONE BIG CITY.

The Bill to Unite New York and Brooklyn Passed. ALBANY, N. Y., March 1 .- The Greater New York bill has passed the senate by a vote of 28 to 2. The proposition to provide equal taxation on Mr. Butts' Greater New York bill had been defeated by 18 to 7 previously. The bill which now goes to the governor, simply provides that the question of consolidating into one municipality the places about New York harbor shall be submitted next fall to a vote of the

The friends of the project to annex all the territory for 25 miles from the New York city hall were spurred on four years ago by the fact that Chicago had as large a bona fide population as New York, and a commission was appointed by the legislature to inquire into the expediency of consolidating the city of New York and the various municipalities and towns in the state of New York composing what the New Yorkers were pleased to term its suburbs-Brooklyn, for instance, with a population of 1,100,000. After much discussion for and against the project the commission prepared a charter for the incorporations of the consolidated cities. This charter provided for the consolidation of the fol-

lowing towns and counties: The city of New York, the county of Kings (in which Brooklyn is situated), the town of West Chester and portions of the towns of Pelham and East Chester, Long Island City, the towns of Newtown, Flushing, Jamaica, Hemsted and Rockaway.

The commission in a report last

month figured out that the Greater New York would have a population of 3,000,000 and a total erea of \$17.77 square miles. The population of New York was put at 1,801,739, which is in excess of the census of 1890. Brooklyn and the towns in Kings county that will be taken into the new town by the bill just passed, are eredited with a population of 995,276. The towns in West Chester and Richmond counties, which take in Staten Island, furnish the other 300,000, which would give the new city a population of 3,000,000. There is nodoubt of the bill becoming a law as the governor has expressed himself in favor of it. Illinois Farmers Moving to Iowa.

MINONE, Ill., March 1 .- An emigrant train was made up in the Illinois Central yards here Tuesday consisting of twenty-nine cars. There were five additional cars sent out on a regular train. Those leaving are mostly Germans bound for Iowa and Nebraska, coming from Woodford, Flanagan, Pontiac, Dana, Benson, Roanoke and this place. This takes not less than 200, people from these places.

Big Land Owner Fails. CHESTER, Pa., March t.-Hon, John

Broomall, ex-judge of Delaware county, and one of the wealthiest land-owners in the county, has made an assignment to Henry C. Howard and William B. Broomall. The amount of liabilities is not known, but Mr. Broomall feels certain the assets will be \$200,000 in excess of all claims. The failure is due to general business depression.

Baseball for 1894.

NEW YORK, March 1 .- The National Baseball league managers at their meeting here Tuesday adopted a schedule of dates. The season opens April 19,