Alleged "Fireproof" Buildings Destroyed -Three Persons Fatally Hurt by Jumping for Their Lives-Big Clothing Firms With Many Employes Burn Out -A Great Panie.

Great Fire in Chicago. CHICAGO, Nov. 23 .- Two disastrous fires have occurred here within twenty-four hours in large buildings in the center of the business section, supposed when constructed, to have been practically fireproof. In the first there was a total loss of not less than \$630,-900, while there were many narrow escapes. In the second the loss aggregated at least \$350,000, while six firemen were buried under falling walls and probably killed and three other

persons were probably fatally injured. The first fire started in the Excelsion building, owned by Warre's Shringer, about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and destroyed it and the adjoining eight story building in less than an hour. Thirteen valuable manufacturing plants in the two buildings were destroyed and hundreds of men and women employed in the factories had

narrow escapes. The second fire broke out this morning in the seven story terra cotta Ex-change building at Nos. 276 to 278 Market street extending in an "L" to Van Buren street. The first and second floors were occupied by Stein & Beirs, clothing; the third and fourth by Henry Newman, clothing; fifth, Amazon Clothing Company; sixth, Fallows & Co., collars and cuffs; sev-enth, Townsend & Gale, clothing and dry goods and the National Thread Company. Each of the firms employed women and as soon as the presence of the fire was made known all were thrown into a state of great excitement. Panic reigned everywhere and before some of the girls could be re-strained they had climbed out of the windows and jumped. One of the first to appear at a third story window was Neille Turner. She screamed for help and some one on the ground shouted for her to jump. She did not do this, nowever, but left the window. A mo-ment later she appeared at another, near a fire escape, and climed upon the sill. She got on the fire escape and began to descend. Officer Flaherty was also on the escape between the first and second story, and when he saw the girl above him he started up to aid her. He was too late. She suddenly lost her balance and fell headlong to the street. Flaherty tried to catch her, but could not reach her. She was picked up almost un-conscious and carried into a drug store, and stimulants were adminisstore, and stimulants were adminis-tered, but she did not revive. She was internally injured and will die. Kittie Landgraf jumped from a fourth story window with Harry Neil, 17 years old, and both were internally injured and may die.

The fire seemed to have broken

loose on several floors of the big build-ing at the same instant, so rapidly did

it spread. The fire started on the fourth floor it is thought, in rooms occupied by Stein & Biers. Thirty girls were employed there and all made frantic efforts to escape. Among the first to come to their aid was "Joe," the janiwould remain quiet and composed they would all get out safely. He led as many of them as he could induce to accompany him to the main stairway and they reached the street without injury.

The escape of Olga Kellar is regarded as marvelous. When the room where she was working began to fill with smoke she ran to one of the windows overlooking Van Buren street and climbed out on the ledge, clinging with one hand to the narrow strip of wood on the cutside of the sash. saw a few feet below her the ladder on which two firemen stood, and she prepared to jump, but was restrained until Captain Hermanson had almost reached her. Then she released her hold on the window siding, having been overcome by the smoke. Her-manson braced himself and seized the girl with his right arm. He narrowly scaped falling. From hundreds of throats cheers were heard as he descended the ladder with his human

The loss on the building and to the tenants is estimated at from \$350,000 to \$400,000. The building was valued at \$120,000.

A few minutes before 1 o'clock the second and third floors fell, carrying with them the first. On the latter six members of engine company No. 2 were working. They were Captain were working. They were Captain

Louis Feine, his licutenant and four
linemen. All were buried in the debris in the basement, where the three
floors fell, and, it is believed, all were

DEBS FREE ONCE MORE.

The A. R. U. Leader's Jail Term Ended -Demonstrations In His Honor.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.-Eugene V. Debs became a free man again at 12 o'clock last night, his term of six months' imprisonment in the Woodstock jail having come to an end while he was asleep in his cell. A party of 300 admirers and friends left for Woodstock this afternoon to meet Debs and escort

A delegation of the Trades Assem bly of Cincinnati arrived over the Big Four and another from the A. R. U. of Cleveland over the Nickel Plate this morning to take part in the meeting, which will be held in Battery D in the evening.

Facts and Figures From the Annual report of Superintendent Brooks.

WASHINGTON, NOV. 23.-N. Brooks, superintendent of foreign mails, has made his annual report to the second assistant postmaster eral. The report shows that there were dispatched during the year \$93,017 pounds of letters and \$,938,391 pounds of other articles, a decrease from the year before of \$1,031 pounds of letters and an increase of 10,643 pounds of other articles. The estimates for the foreign mail service for the year ending June 30, 1897, aggregate \$2,030,000.

CONTESTS WARMING UP. SILVER MEN AROUSED

House at Work.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The canvass for the principal offices at the disposal of the next House of Representatives is becoming more animated. The elective offices are those of clerk, with a salary of \$5,000; sergeant-at-arms, \$4,500; doorkeeper, \$3,500; postmaster, \$2,500, and chaplain, \$000. There are from two to seven candidates for each of these places, the highest being in the race for chaplain.

The majority of candidates for the principle places have opened head-quarters in the Ebbitt house and Willard's hotel, and their respective rooms are constantly thronged, though com-House have arrived, the visitors being composed largely of those who hope to

secure appointive positions.

The patronage of the house consists, outside of clerks to committees and clerks to members, of 195 places, the average of the salaries pald being \$1,125. All the places except those named are filled by appointment.

A \$620,000 BLAZE.

Thirteen Chicago Manufacturing Concerns

Wiped Out by the Fire King. CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—The Excelsion building, at Canal and Jackson streets, and an eight story brick structure immediately adjoining it, at 171 and 173 South canal street, were completely destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. Not less than thirteen valuable manufacturing plants located in the two buildings were lost, including the Shober-Carqueville Lithographing company, the Charles Emerica Feather company and the large establishment of Strauss, Eisendrath & Drom. The total loss is not less than \$620,000.

The fire was a hard one to subdue and attended with no little danger. The escape of several hundred girls from the Strauss, Eisendrath & Drom factory was made possible only by coolness and decision. A number of the girls suffered from fright and sustained slight bruises. Before the fight with the fire was ended Fire Chief Sweeney had exhausted the regular calls for engines and had to specially summon twenty more.

Shot His Father.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Nov. 2 .- Brigham F. Jeffries died yesterday at his home near Providence, Mo., from a wound received by a shotgun in the hands of received by a shotgun in the hands of his 18-year-old son, Joseph Jeffries, Wednesday the father and son quarreled and the tragedy is believed to have been the result of this trouble, though the son declares that the shot which killed his parent was fired sceidentally, and his brother, who was in the dining room of the Jeffries house, where the accident took place, corroborates this statement. His sister, however, who was also present says however, who was also present says the shot was fired with murderous intent.

An Innocent Negro Lynched. BRYAN, Tex., Nov. 23.-Rev. J. E. Horne of Madison county brought news of the lynching of a negro in a remote part of that county last Tuesday night. He was accused of riding a horse over a little white girl in the road, inflicting serious injuries upon her. Later developments go to show that the mob got hold of the wrong negro and the guilty one has made his

Hill Leases a Dwelling.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—The Times-Herald correspondent telegraphs that Senator David B. Hill of New York has leased a large house on I street, in the most fashionable quarter of Washington, and expects to take possession soon after the meeting of Congress He is either going to be married or is going to avoid the discomforts of hotel life in the capital.

Kansas Boy Counterfeiters Caught. PERRY, Okla., Nov. 23. - Henry Rush and Phil Gransbury, two boys from Emporia, Kan., were arrested here this morning for passing counterfeit money. There were half a dozen all under 20 years in the band, but four Considerable spurious coin was found, but they claimed that they did not know where it came from.

Missouri Elopers Appeal to Court. LAWRENCE, Kan., Nov. 23. - Hebeas corpus papers were filed this afteanoon in the Douglas county court for the releas of Fred Chism, the colored man held here for the Benton county, Mo., authorities, and Rose Thouvenal, the white girl who accompanied him. Chism will fight requisition papers.

Iowa Coal Miners Go It Alone OTTUMWA, Iowa, Nov. 23. - The proseedings of the coal miners' convention here took an unexpected turn yesterday and Mine Workers of Amerca, District No. 13, broke away from the national organization and re-organized the entire State under the name of lowa Mine Workers' Protective Association, leaving out of the district the Missouri miners formerly attached.

Supreme Beach Vacancy.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.-President Cleveland is now said to be hesitating between Judge Rufus Peckham and Judge D. Cady Herrick for the supreme court vacancy.

Ex-Priest Wagner Acquitted. Sr. Joseph. Mo., Nov. 23. - Dominick Wagner, the ex-priest, was acquitted of the charge of embezzling funds from the church of which he was formerly pastor. He will next be tried for ab-

duction and rape.

NEWS IN BRIEF. Wm. O. Rockefeller, jr., and Misa Elsie Stillman were married at New

Two negro women were murdered and mutilated with an ax near Russelville, Ark.

It is hinted that Librarian Spofford ill not have his offenses condoned by the President. The Noel flouring mills, the largest in the South, have been ordered sold at

Fuce ver's sale. An effort is to be made to have Congress economize on expenses of con-

All of the Aspirants for Places in the BEING STIRRED BY CARLISLE'S SPEECH.

> Senator Duboise Voices Plaus of the Free Coinage Men-Secretary Carliste's New York Chamber of Commerce Talk Critlelsed-Will Resist the Retiring of Greenbacks and Raise the Duty on

> > They're Vull of Fight.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.-Secretary Carlisle's New York Chamber of Commerce speech has elicited responsive defiance from the silver men of the senate. They are emphatic in asserting that the greenbacks cannot be retired. Their program, however, goes much further than merely blocking the way to the accomplishment of the

administration's plans.

"We are determined," said Senator
Dubois of Idaho, "to provide for the
revenues by placing a duty on wool. In doing this we not only relieve the treasury, but we do an act of justice to every sheep raiser in the country and remove the cloud of bankruptcy from the great ranches of the West. Senator Sherman will have to support the proposition, for his State is vitally concerned. This wool bill will go to the President, and, of course, he will veto it. Then the Republican Con-gress, having done its duty in the premises, can afford to let him find his way out of his difficulty as best he can. He will issue more bonds and that will revive the whole silver question again. Secretary Carlisle is right when he says the question of free and unlimited coinage of silver is not dead. He will find, if he only waits long enough, that the National convention of his own party will adopt a free coinage platform next spring.

SHERMAN ON PLATT

The Ohio Senator Talks Freely About the New York Boss.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22 .- In an interview here yesterday Senator Sherman talked freely about different public topics. Among other things he said:

"I would like to read Mr. Plat's answer to what I stated concerning the national convention of 1888," he said, in reply to a question. "The fact is, I desire to know just what his ex-planation would be. It would be interesting to me. Personally, I have nothing against him, and what I stated in my book was without malice. and merely introduced as a matter of history. I felt that in the history I should tell things as they were, and in

a dispassionate way."

The Senator stated that he had met ex-President Harrison and Warner Miller and had had pleasant chats with them. He added that Mr. Miller came to his room and they talked over many of the incidents of the convention of 1858. Mr. Miller's recollection of events tallied with the Senator's.

'The New York delegation," added the Senator, "had a banquet on the Saturday before the convention of 1888, and after Senator Miller bad made a speech, they all agreed to support me. I received a telegram to that effect. Sunday intervened and in the meantime Elkins and other friends of Harrison got Mr. Platt to agree to vote for him on the first ballot Monday. The result is known. I have no charges to make against ex-President Harrison and our relations promises his friends might have made. he aid not sanction, because he absolutely refused to appoint Mr. Platt secretary of the treasury. Promises may have been made in regard to Federal patronage in this State and that I do not criticise. Mr. Platt's men, I believe, received prominence, notably the col-lectorship. The acme of Mr. Platt's ambition seems to be to hold the portfolio of the secretary of the treasury.'

INTERNAL REVENUE.

The Receipts From Various Resource During the Last Fiscal Year.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The annual report of the commissioner of internal revenue, issued, to-day, shows receipts from different resources during the last fiscal year as follows: From spirits, \$79,862,627, decrease for the ear \$5,396,624; tobacco, \$29,704,907, ncrease, \$1,087,009; fermented liquors, \$31,640,617; increase, \$225,829; income tax, \$77,139; oleomargarine, \$1,409,211, decrease. \$314,268; miscellaneous, \$551,-583, increase, \$390,554. The total receipts from all sources were \$143,246,-077, a decrease of \$3,922,371. The total cost of collecting the revenue during the year was \$4,127,601, a per-centage as compared to revenue of 2.88 per cent as against 2.70 for the pre-

During the year 3,809 violations of the internal revenue laws were reported by revenue agents, 789 persons arrested and property valued at \$340,-905 reported for seizure and \$139,650 for assessment for unpaid taxes and penalties. During the same period 1,727 stills were seized and 147 removed, \$71 persons arrested, one offi-cer killed and three others wounded.

Commissioner Miller estimates that the revenues for the present fiscal year will aggregate \$155,000,000.

San Francisco's Hooming Committee. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 22 .- The committee which will present the claims of San Francisco for the national Republican convention has been named and will soon start to Washington on its mission. It was selected as follows: General R. F. Frederick, George A. Kuight, A. C. Booth, all of San Fran-cisco, and N. P. Chipman, Red Bluff, and H. Z. Osborn, Los Angeles, and M. H. De Young.

Another Tennessee Negro Lyuched. KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 22.-Charles flurd, a young negro, who murdered Jasper D. Kelley, a young white man, ten days ago, was taken from the jail at Wartburg. Morgan county, and lynched at midnight last night by a mob of 200 masked men

Militia Sturea Short.

Torena. Kan., Nov. 22. - Adjutant General Fox, who has just completed an inventory of the military stores of the state, finds that it is indebted over \$7,000 to the national government for equipment and clothing which cannot be accounted for. SLAIN BY THE SPANISH.

Women and Infants in Arms Cruelly Pat

to Death. TAMPA, Fla., Nov. 22.-Colonel Fernando Figuredo, the Cuban leader of this city, has received a letter from Havanah giving details of atrocities committed by Spaniards in Matanzas province. Cololel Melino, who commanded a Spanish regiment, recently encountered the advance guard of Gomez's army in Matanzas and was defeated. While soldiers under Melino were in retreat they met a group of women and children near a little town called Cayopino. As the soldiers passed one of the women made a sneering remork about the Spaniards. remark was overheard by the soldiers and so enraged them that they fell upon the women and children and butchered every one of them. There were ten women and about a dozen children in the group.

The letter says that the Spaniards, after shooting down their victims, stabbed them with bayonets, inflicting

the most horrible wounds. One baby was killed at its mother's breast, and the bullet that passed through the infant also killed the mother. Colonel Melino made no report of the butch-ery, but two of the women murdered were wives of Spaniards engaged in the sawmill business in Mantanzas. When the husbands learned how their loved ones had been butchered they wrote to Captain General Campos, in forming him of the affair and demand-ing that Colonel Melino be punished. It is said that Campos has ordered that Melino be court martialed and it is thought the butcher will be sentenced to death, as the massacre is condemned as bitterly by Spaniards as by Cubans.

CHAIRMAN MAFFITT ACTS.

The Old Missouri Democratic State Committee Called Together.

St. Louis. Mo., Nov. 22.—Chairman Maffitt of the Democratic state central committee said yesterday afternoon: "I have invited the members of the old committee of fourteen to meet me in my office next Friday, when I will ask their advice as to whether or not I shall recognize the Pertle Springs additions to our official committee. The majority of eight will settle the question, and before we take a vote I shall submit to the committee the various peti-tions sent to me recently. Should we decide to ignore the new members they can do what they please, and the members of the old committee will settle among themselves when it is advisable to decide upon a convention date. I am called an obstructionist, but my present action ought to con-vince everybody that I am anxious to bring this whole business to an imme diate issue. I want it settled at once so that we can all know just exactly where we stand."

Missouri Odd Fellows. LIBERTY. Mo., Nov. 22.-The Odd Fellows' Grand encampment of Missouri elected officers yesterday as follows: S. W. Hoover of Harrison-ville, grand patriarch; J. W. Black of St. Louis, grand high priest; J. G. Adkins of Kansas City, grand senior warden; R. M. Abererombie of St. Joseph, grand junior warden; E. M. Sloan of St. Louis, grand scribe; E. Wilkerson of St. Louis, grand treasurer; Henry of St. Louis, grand treasurer; Henry Cadle of Bethany, grand representa-tive; C. A. Conrads of Trenton, grand marshal; L. L. L. Allen of Pierce City, grand inside sentinel; M. E. Craft, of

Creek Leaders Impeached. GUTHRIE, Okla., Nov. 22 .- At Ock-

St. Louis, grand outside se

mulgee, the Creek capital, impeachment proceedings were begun yesterday against Principal Chief Perryman. To-morrow is set for beginning impeachment proceedings against Tribal Auditor W. A. Palmer. Treasurer S. Grayson was impeached last winter for refusing to pay out all of the money received from the general government as ordered by the council.

Raised Bank Bills at Atchison. Atchison, Kan., Nev. 22.—One dollar bills raised to ten have appeared here in considerable numbers. ers say that they are the best raised bills they have ever seen. It is believed that the counterfeiter is op ating in this section, as similar bills have appeared at Leavenworth.

Found Murdered in Her Room. CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—The dead body of Anna Anderson was found to-day in her room at 18 Clark street. From marks on the neck and the presence of a rope hanging from the gas jet, it is thought she was murdered. E. Moe, who has been living with the woman, was arrested.

An Army Officer's Brenk. DENVER, Col., Nov. 22.-Lieutenant

L. M. Koehler of the Ninth cavalry was sent from Fort Duchesne to round up the Indian hunters and return them to the reservation in Utah. Now Deputy Game Warden White reports that he found the army officer and a party of soldiers had three bucks, two does and two fawns in their possession. He attempted to arrest the officer, but Koehler showed an order from the commander of the post and stated that when he was wanted the civil authorities would know where to find him. Adjutant General Ward says that if Lieutenant Koehler broke the laws of the state he will be tried court martial after the state is through

Secretary Morton on a Trip WASHINGTON, Nov. 22 .- Secretary Morton left for the West to-day, expecting to be absent about two weeks. His trip is one of recreation, and most of the time will be spent in Chicago,

NEWS IN BRIEF.

B. F. Jeffres, living near Provi-dence, Mo., was toot dead by his son. Senator Peffer is urging a Populist national convention, to be held in

It is believed that the Wichita Roservation will soon be opened to settlement. President Cleveland is said to be

working steedily on his message to Congress. The total assessment of Texas' real and personal property for 1893 is 139,983,794.

THE STAY-AT-HOME VOTE.

Statistics of Interest Compiled by an Expert -- A Precedent for Next Year.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.-The interpretation of election statistics has Something About Morphine, Sulphur, been developed into an interesting specialty by Frederick C. Waite, & statistician expert in the Department of Agriculture, who last night read to the National Statistical Association his fourth annual paper on the subject. He said: "Another tidal wave of disapproval has been recorded at the polls Of the three great parties in the field two have received a very much smaller percentage of the total vote than in former years; while the third, the stay-at-home party, has made wonderful gains. For instance, in Pennsylvania the vote of the Demo-crats has fallen to 282,481 from 446,533 in 1888, that of the Republicans to 456,745 from 526,081 in 1885, while the vote of the stay-at-home party has increased to 610,000 from only 70,000 in 1888. In estimating the total voteforeigners with first papers, criminals, paupers. etc., have been deducted from the male taxables, 21

years or over. "In New York the stay-at-home vote has increased from 75,000 in 1888 to 185,000 in 1892, 425,000 in 1894, and 510,000 this year. Even in Kentucky it has increased from 55,000 in 1888 to 100,000 this year. In Massachusetts it has increased from 80,000 in 1888 to 100,000 in 1892 and 230,000 this year. In Ohio from 40,000 in 1888 to 115,000 in 1892 and to 180,000 this year. increase in the stay-at-home vote has been scarcely less marked in other

"As the election is the keyboard by which the citizens of a continent express and record their wishes-their nopes and their discontents—we must not expect to be able to comprehend the intricacy of its workings, except as we analyze the returns in the light of a half century or so of election statistics. Turning to my statistical chart, Comparing the political complexion of American elections, you see, that during the last twenty years, and also the twenty years ending with the breaking up of the Whig party, the Democrats car-ried every alternate presidential elec-tion, and yet were always defeated at the intervening presidential election. In other words, to the Democrats 1836 and 1876 brought victories at the polls; 1840 and 1880, defeats: 1844 and 1884, victories; 1848 and 1888, defeats; 1852 and 1892, victories. In explanation of these phenomena I may say the forces which in presidential elections result in the defeat of the party in power are

"First-The dissatisfaction with the "First—The dissatisfaction with the party in power among the members of the party out of power is so great that they feel it to be their sacred duty to 'turn the rascals out.' On the other hand, the adherents of the party in power are constantly being disappointed. They feel that they have not received anything like the care and pointed. They feel that they have not received anything like the care and recognition which was promised.

Second-There is an inherent ebb and flow of enthusiasm among the adherents of a political party. Naturally the number of years from flood tide to flood tide of enthusiasm coincides with the periodicity of the cause which once in eight years falls in with it, and once in eight years falls in with it and carries it to the maximum height namely, storm of indignation against the high handed partisan misrule of their opponents."

A Knock-Out for Butterine

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 21.-There will be no more Silver Churn and Jerbutterine after the 1st of January next. A recent ruling of the Treasury department, which has just been received at the packing houses, practically knocks the word butterine out of the English language and declares that any brand that suggests a cow, a churn or a dairy shall not be used on the packing house substitute for butter. Hereafter, then, the packing house substitute for butter must be known only as oleomargarine, its original appellation, and in Missouri, moreover, it must be white, without any kind of coloring, for the Missouri farmer attended to that in the Legislature last winter.

Held Up By Female Footpads. WARRENSAURG, Mo., Nov. 21,-William Tracey, a farmer, of Robins, was held up in the business part of Warrensburg last night by two colored women and relieved of \$170 cash. Tracey was intoxicated and the wo-men had no trouble in taking the money from his inside pocket.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS Quotations From New York, Chicago, St. Louis Omaha and Elsewhere

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Woman's Wit.

TOLD BY A SOCIETY GIRL.

Molasses and Other Things. From the Evening News, Newark, N. . Among the popular society leade TEast Orange, N. J., Emma L. Stoll, arming young maiden, stands in the foremost rank. She is of a lovable disposition and the light of the social set in which she moves. For two years she has been a sick girl from in-

She is of a lovable disposition and the light of the social set in which she moves. For two years she has been a sick girl from intermit troubles peculiar to women, and having recently recovered, has given our reporter the following interesting account: "Instead of improving under the care of my physician I became worse. For five weeks I was unable to get out of bed and about six o'clock each morning I suffered horribly. My lips were sore and lacerated from the marks of my teeth, for in my efforts to keep from screaming I sunk my teeth deep into my lips. At such times I rolled and tossed until the bed shook like an aspen leaf and it finally got so serious that the doctor—I won't tell you his name—gave me some morphine pills to take. The very thought of them now makes me shiver. These morphine pills simply put me to sleep for awhile and when I became conscious again my agony was renewed.

"The pain in my stomach and back was more than I could stand. 'Your blood is poor,' said the doctor, 'take sulphur and molasses,' and I did until it was a great wonder that I was not a molasses cake. It was time wasted in taking it because I was not benefited in the least; my suffering continued, but by a mighty effort after being in bed so long. I got up. Oh, but I was a sad sight then. From 112 pounds I had fallen to ninety; my checks were pule and sunkon and I imped; yes, actually hobbled from the extreme pain in my side. Then I read of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and the testimonials in the News inspired me with hope. I got the pills and took them. Before many days I began to improve and before I had finished one box I felt as if I could go out and walk for miles. I soon stopped limping and through the Pink Pills I soon bid goodbye to my head aches while the pain in my stomach and back slowly but surely succumbed to the influence of these pills that seem to be able to persuade all pain to leave one's body. Now I am as I used to be; well and strong lighthearted and merry but never without the pills. See I have g

FASHION'S FANCIES.

A quaint little costume for a child of four years is made of white cashmere. The skirt is plain, save for three bands of satin ribbon. The waist is closefitting, and a yoke is outlined by ribbon bands matching the skirt. From shoulder to elbows the sleeves are trimmed with the ribbon. Over the sleeve tops and across the front and back is set a very deep fall of openwork embroidery or Irish point lace. A bow of ribbon on either shoulder and a ribbon sash are worn with it.

A child of five years has a dress with skirt made of cambric elaborately embroidered. The waist is gathered into a yoke and belt, the sleeves are full puffs to the elbows with wide ruffles of embroidery below An Eton jacket of velvet and a very wide velvet sash appropriate and dressy finish.

A dainty dress for a doll has a velvet petticoat and silk skirt with an embroidered edge. The waist of silk is close-fitting, and an Eton jacket of velvet is worn with it. The sleeves are large and have close bands at the wrists. A sailor hat with a wing is set on over the yellow curls.

A bonnet for a little girl is made with the crown of solid embroidery. The brim is of openwork embroidery and lace, and is slightly plaited over the top and falls almost straight down either side of the front. Ribbon strings are tied in a bow under the chin.

A hat for a tiny girl is made of plaitings of taffeta set one over another to form a brim. The crown has an upright trimming of the plaiting and there are very large bows on either side.

A dress for a tiny girl is made of crepon in accordion plaits from the yoke to the feet. The sleeves are very large puffs from shoulders to elbows, with fitted bands and a ruffle of embroidery below. A collar of embroidery extends far out over the sleeves and is finished at the neck with a ruching of plaited ribbon.

A dress suit for a small boy is made of velvet. The knee trousers and coat are of this material. The vest is of white satin or silk, and there are emproidered turned-over collar and cuffs of fine cambric.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

Wear a clean apron while ironing or ed-making. To clean bamboo furniture use a rush dipped in salt water.

The eyes should be bathed every night in cold water just before retiring, and they will do better work the following

When very tired lie on the back, a!owing every muscle to relax, letting the hands go any way they will, and ceep the eyes closed.

Oil stains may be removed from wall aper by applying for four hours pipe lay, powdered and mixed with water to the thickness of cream.

If you have to sew all day, change your seat occasionally, and so obtain est. Bathing the face and hands will leo stimulate and refresh.

For stains in matting from grease, et the spot with alcohol, then rub on chite castile soap. Let this dry in a ake and then wash off with warm salt

Where it is desirable to see the tongue of a very small child the object may be accomplished by touching the upper lip with a bit of sweet oil, watch will cause the child to protrude its