DEWET GETS AWAY.

McOne Word Received From Threatened Capital in Twenty-Four Hours.

PIKIN IS NOW CUT OFF

BRERS ENTRENCHED OUTSIDE CITY

Gas Are Trained on American Mission ad British Legation-Over 2,000 Rusim Cavalry at Taku-Minister Conger Esported to Have Asked for Large Simber of Marines.

3NDON, June 14 .- 5:05 a. m .- Peis appears to be completely isolated. No of the morning papers or news agacies have a word from there dire today. The latest message re--celed in London is the one announcing that the Chinese are entrenching omide the capital.

ONDON, June 14 .- 4:20 a. m.- The Chaese are entrenching outside of Pelig to oppose the advance of the inenational column. A dispatch from 23

he British legations.

nfantry with artillery have landed at aku.

'The Shanghai correspondents report hat United States Minister Conger, y courier, asks for 2,000 United States riops.

The question of provisioning the reof force is already difficult and it is apdicted at Shanghai that it will becine acute.

The leading members of the reform | Carthagena and Bogoto, giving detaus arty, representing fifteen out of eigh- of the revolution on in Colombia. The em provinces, are at Shanghai. A complete overthrow of the rebels in ipatch to the Daily Mail, dated yes- Santander has been confirmed, in eday, says they are sending a peti- which place, after a severely contestit to the United States, Great Brit- ed battle, lasting twenty-one days, the air and Japan, praying those powers government forces remained complete to take joint action against any at- masters of the field. The casualties eapt on the part of the other powers were 1,800 dead, belonging to the enopartition the empire, and they im- emy, 2,000 wounded and 1,800 prisonplace the powers thus addressed to ers of war, besides implements of war rescue the emperor.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg says from the enemy. the ships of the Russian Pacific squadproceed with all haste to Chinese Waters.

Boxers on Monday.

It says that about thirty-five Chinese were killed.

Failure of Lord Roberts to Mention Prisoners Causes Some Comment. LONDON, June 14 .- 3:50 a. m .- The dispatch from Lord Roberts clearing up the situation at Pretoria and among

the communications stands alone. Military observers, noting that no mention is made of prisoners, assume that General Dewet got away with his

forces practically intact. General Buller entered Volkshurst Wednesday, passed through Charleston and encamped near Laing's Nek. 'Ine tunnel was not much damaged. Both ends were blown up, but the engineers think that repairs can be effected in about four days. The advance troops of General Buller saw the Boer rear guard four miles distant yesterday. It

was estimated that 8,000 Boers were withdrawing. The townspeople at Ermelo counted fifteen guns. Three hundred Free Staters released from guarding Van Renan's pass have gone to join President Steyn's forces in the eastern part of Orange River colony. General Bundle has sent notice to the Free Staters that unless they surrender by June 15 their farms and other possessions will be confis-

cated. President Kruger, according to a Tim Tsin, dated Tuesday, June 12, dispatch from Lourenzo Marquez, keeps a locomotive with steam up attached I learn that the Chinese have guns | to the car in which he concentrates the rained on the American mission and executive offices of the government and that he intends to leave Macha-"Two thonsand Russian cavalry and dorp soon and establish the government at Neil Spruit, in the mountains, a fine defensive region.

GREAT BATTLE IN COLOMBIA.

Lasts for 21 Days, Ending With 1,800 Dead and 2,000 Wounded.

NEW YORK, June 14 .- Official advices were received in this city from in large quantities, which were taken

Among the prisoners taken were ron on the active list, as well as those General Vasayas 'Iomas, a prominent at Viadivostock, have been ordered to rebel leader, who was put aboard the steamer Alice and is now on his way to the prison at Poca Chica, on an is-The foreign office confirms the re- land in the bay of Carthagena. The port of an engagement between troops revolutionist general Avelina Rosas, of the international column and the was captured at Cartago and the rebellion seems to be virtually at an end.

Lourenzo Marquez Sends Reports of Great Boer Successes. ONLY ONE HAS ANY FOUNDATION

RUMORS FROM AFRICA

Buller Appears to Be Making Substantial Progress in Natal-Cabinet Crisis at Capetown Continues-De Wet Enroute

to Johannesburg.

LONDON, June 13 .- A plentiful crop of reports has been filtering through Lourenzo Marquez. According to these General De Wet, with 13,000 burghers, is marching on Johanesburg, the Boers have retaken Bloemfontein, where President Steyn again occupies the presidency. The British have sus-

tained a severe defeat at Elandsfontein and have also lost 750 killed and wounded and 150 prisoners in a fight at Vredefort. Nothing from any other source lends color to these stories, with the exception of the last, which is probably the Boer version of the disaster to the militia battalion of the

Derbyshire regiment at Roodeval. In regard to President Steyn being at Bloemfontein, a dispatch from Maseru, Basutoland, dated Monday, June 11. says President Steyn was then at Vrede, 200 miles from Bloemfontein. General Buller seems to be making substantial progress and ought soon to possess the railroad at Charleston (in the northern extremity of Natal),

whence, presumably, he will advance on Heidelberg and effect a junction with Lord Roberts. A dispatch from Lichtenburg, dated

mounted policemen, with a Maxim gun, have surrendered to General Hunter. A probable explanation of the reports that a British force is moving through Swaziland comes in a dispatch from Port Elizabeth, dated June 11, announcing the return there of the British cruiser Doris from Kosi Bay,

whaleboats with the object of landing an armed force, presumably part of a tion and the force was not landed.

Sauer, commissioner of public works.

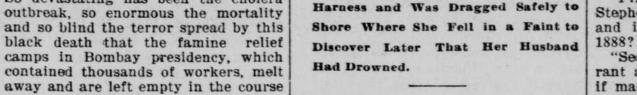
Hardly Shown. LONDON, June 13 .- The viceroy of George Neithammer Perishes While Try-India, Lori Curzon of Kedleston, has ng to Ford the Stream. cabled to the secretary of state for

India, Lord George Hamilton, announcing that the famine in India PROBABLY SANK IN QUICKSAND grows worse.

It would be rash to assume from the almost stationary relief figures that the corner will soon be turned. Mrs. Neithammer Clang to the Horse's So devastating has been the cholera outbreak, so enormous the mortality and so blind the terror spread by this

HORRORS ON THE INCREASE.

Work of Relief in Famine-Stricken India



of a couple of days. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 18 .-Starving though they be, the peo-While crossing a ford in the Platte rivple prefer to fly to their own homes er Saturday morning the horse driven and to die in quiet than to remain by Mr. and Mrs. George Niethammer in the famine relief camps, where the got off the ford and into a deep pool. cholera is striking down a hundred Mr. and Mrs. Niethammer were thrown workers daily.

from the wagon by the box floating Terrible stories come here from Doaway from the gearing. Mrs. Niehad. There the famine is at its worst thammer grabbed a piece of the horse's and now cholera has arrived to comharness and was dragged by the horse plete the work. An eye witness says: "As we walked through these quiet to the shore. This being some little distance and she having to struggle in streets we saw deserted homes and dead bodies. One of the bravest acts | keeping above water exhausted her and osition of fact in this case by a prewitnessed was a little girl about 7, at | she fell in a faint just after the horse | ponderance of the evidence, and from tempting to care for two little brothers | reached the shore.

after the mother had given up all The last she saw of her husband hope and lain down near them to die. he was standing about in midriver. She was feeding a fire which burned When she recovered consciousness she beneath a proken pot in which simcould find no trace of him. She was mered the almost rotten feet and bones on the island shore of the stream and of some dead animal. The scene canno one else lives on the Island. She not be painted too black. No acshouted as long as she could in the dicount we have ever read of any famine rection of the nearest neighbor on the would picture the state of affairs at mainland and after some time attracted the attention of Miss Faudorf, who The Standard's correspondent says gave the alarm. As quite a few hours

the mortality estimates are inaccurate had passed before efforts could be set afoot to find the remains it is doubtful if they will be recovered.

> Mrs. Niethammer believes that her husband attempted to walk to the

DROWNS IN THE PLATTE

shore and ventured on quicksand or meets with public approval. stepped into one of the numerous holes. Twenty Days Must Elapse After Last He could not swim. Niethammer is 64 years of age and leaves a second wife and six children from his former mar-SAN FRANCISCO, June 13 .- The

Board of Health has decided to raise riage, three in Germany and three in New York. the quarantine of Chinatown twenty

New Nebraska Lawyers.

If another case is found, however, the LINCOLN, Neb., June 18 .- The suquarantine will not be lifted until preme court examining commission has twenty days from the date of such reported favorably on the following candidates for admission to the bar: Wing Tie, a Chinese undertaker do-Charles E. Adams, Jr., Superior; H. D. ing business on Sacramento street, Landis, Milford; Charles L. Fritscher, under the Chinatown morgue, had Omaha: Sidney H. Davis, Beatrice; three coffins shipped to himself and in so doing incurred the displeasure of John D. Wear, Omaha; Alvin H. Johnseveral hundred of his Chinese breth- son, Walter M. Crow, Fremont; Joseph ren. They demanded to know what D. Morse, Milford; George F. Rose,

Crane Once More at Home. WAKEFIELD, Neb., June 14-Frank



DECIDES FOR YOUNG MILES.

aire at Falls City.

sion in the Miles will case. The opin-

ion covered twenty typewritten pages

and considered the law and the evi-

dence as they relate to the following

"First-Was there a will made by

"Second-Does the evidence war-

"Third-If not, will it be presumed

Stephen B. Miles in 1897, at St. Louis,

and if so did it revoke the will of

rant a finding that said will of 1897.

if made, was suppressed or destroyed

that it was destroyed by Stephen B.

Miles, deceased, in his lifetime, and

if so does the destruction of the St.

Louis will by the testator revive the

The judge ended his opinion in the

"In conclusion I would say that

after a careful consideration of all

the evidence I do not find that the

plaintiff has sustained the main prop-

all the foregoing reasons I therefore

find in favor of Joseph H. Miles and

his co-defendant and against plaintiff

and Samuel A. Miles, defendant, upon

Joseph H. Miles, by this decision,

General Webster of Omaha, Judge

Broady of Lincoln, I. Ringolsky of

Kansas City and Reavis & Reavis,

the attorneys for the opposition, gave

notice of an appeal, and the bond was

Colonel Gillespie, Edwin Falloon and

Judge Martin, attorneys for Josph H.

Miles, rejoice at the success of their

client and the judgment of the court

Caught in a Hay Rake.

TECUMSEH, Neb., June 15 .- Wil-

liam Buehler, the fourteen-year-old

son of Chris. Buehler, a Johnson coun-

ty farmer, is suffering from the effects

of a runaway accident, but considers

himself fortunate in getting out of it

with his life. He was riding on a

hay rake. He was rolled and dragged

for several yards by the big iron teeth

of the implement, when one of the

wheels struck a tree and the horse was

stopped. As it is, he is not badly in-

jured, suffering only a few painful

Dies at Age of Ninety-One.

Strive to Adjust Assessments.

Nebraska Soldier in Manila.

Word has been received in this city

Burglars at Battle Creek.

BATTLE CREEK, Neb., June 15 .-

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., June 15 .-

SEWARD, Neb., June 15 .- The

PAWNEE CITY, Neb., June 15 .-

lacerations of the flesh of the body.

takes more than \$1,000,000 of his

propositions:

by Joseph H. Miles?

following language:

the issues joined."

father's estate.

fixed at \$10,000.

will of 1888?"

Fresident of Adams County Bank at Hast-Thompson of Grand Island was present in the district court this morning ings is the Victim. and handed in his long delayed deci-

PAYS \$13,600 FOR HIS EXPERIENCE

Smooth "Family Relative" Works the Old Game on the Crafty Banker - Livery Stable at Lincoln Burns-One Hundred Papillion Farmers After Horse Thieves.

HASTINGS, Neb., June 13 .- It has been given out on good autnority that William Kerr, president of the Adams County bank, went to an attorney and confessed that he had been buncoed out of \$13,600 last week by buying a gold brick from an oily tongved individual who presented himself as an old friend of the Kerr family, and to prove his assertions he gave out much of the family history. Mr. Kerr asked his attorney's advice in the matter. The story related how Mr. Kerr had been induced to go out to a cave near Leavenworth, where an Indian conducted the two to a secret passage which led into a place where the gold brick was kept and how the smooth stranger told of Mr. Kerr's distant cousin being a rightful owner to a large interest in the mine. Mr. Kerr also told of the amount of gold he had taken out of the brick with a small gimlet, and after having it assayed he drew on his bank for \$13,600. He returned to Leavenworth, but soon went out to the cave again and made the exchange, with the understanding that he was to have an interest of one-third in the mine. Mr. Kerr waited in vain for the stranger and the papers, but nothing showed up but the gold brick. After having heard the entire story the attorney advised Mr. Kerr to keep still and say nothing.

PROMOTERS MEAN BUSINESS.

Incorporators of Dakota, Nebraska & Southern Railroad Are Optimistic.

OMAHA, Neb., June 13 .- Affairs of the newly incorporated Dakota, Nebraska & Southern railroad, which proposes to run an air line from Aberdeen, S. D., to Grand Island, Neb., are progressing in an entirely satisfactory manner. John H. Bowman, one of the incorporators and promoters of the enterprise, is most optimistic in his consideration of the outlook for the new company.

"I believe," said Mr. Bowman, "that it can safely be asserted that we will begin grading operations for our new line within sixty days. The proposed route is about 600 miles in length. We have surveyors in the field at this time completing our engineering work. We have practically three rights of way available and will not be at the mercy of any hold-up disposition on the part of settlers of the territory through which our road will pass, even should any be manifested. "Our articles of incorporation provide for a route through the countles of Hall, Merrick, Nance, Boone, Greeley, Wheeler, Holt and Boyd in Neheld from her late residence. Mrs. braska. Capital will be furnished entirely by eastern investors. We expect. that the road will cost ready for operation between \$10,000,000 and \$15,000,-000.

TIME TO LIFT QUARANTINE.

Case of Plague is Reported.

days from the verification of the last

case of plague, which was on June 2.

Dohad.

as unnumbered dead bodies are polluting the streams and spreading con-June 11, says sixty Johannesburg tagion.

discovery.

submission.

whither it had taken a number of

plan to penetrate into Swaziland. The Boers, however, got wind of the expedi-According to a Capetown dispatch

the cabinet crisis continues. It is added that should Premier Schreiner secede from the bund, as he threatens, his action would place the bund in the minority in the assembly. Mr. Schreiner has accepted the resignation of J. X. Merriman, treasurer, and J. W.

JAPAN FOR CO-OPERATION.

Not Likely to Do Anything to Displease the Powers.

the reports that Japan is about to de- iffs present. The day was spent in clare war on China, it was learned hearing speeches and papers on methby a representative of the Associated ods of identifying and caring for Press at the Japanese embassy today criminals. that the attitude of Japan in the Chimese crisis is to co-operate loyally with the European powers. In the exist- to win. In the absence of President ing situation Japan would not be will- J. W. McPherson of Marshalltown, Ia., ing to see any single power take the Vice President W. S. Seavey of Denver lead.

The murder of the chancellor of the Japanese legation at Pekin is regarded as likely to lead to serious complications, but no decision has been reached by Japan as to what political measures will be necessary to meet the situation.

Relative to the reports that the Japfor the recognition of a Japanese aphere of influence to include the provhees of Che Kiang. Fo Kein and with his weapon and prevented any Fiang SI, it is pointed out that Japan assistance being given her, keeping has already obtained a promise that everybody at bay until she died. After the province of Fo Kein should not be the tragedy Clark disappeared and it alenated, while Kiang Si, situated at | was reported that he had afterward the mouth of the Yank Tse river, is in killed himself, but a telephone mesthe British sphere. Japan is not like- | sage just received states that he is at y > take a step which might be dis- | large in the woods in the vicinity of useful to Great Britain, whose in- his home, treas in China are similar to those of JATIE !

Chaity is their theme.

uportant Subjects.

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Sent.

CHICAGA June 14 .- "The Probother papers re was one by Mrs. S. literary purposes." Piske of Denve Colo., on "Progress in Jewish Charle" The report of the committee on niform records was then taken up at discussed. The conference will co-jude this evening report of the comattee on resolutions

Va., delivered an addess before adjournment strongly Gouncing the practice of giving summous charity their employ their request for an eightballs, banquets, fair bairs and sim- hour working day. Har entertainments. A criticised rich people who "join in tarity work with a view of gratifyingtheir own vanity in seeking to be knon as lenders in philanthropic work."

Director Devoe Hurt.

Sheriffs Meet to Confer. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., June 14 .---The Interstate Sheriffs' association,

representing Colorado, Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, North and South Dakota, Wisconsin and Wyoming, began its ninth an-LONDON, June 14 .- In regard to nual session here today, with 150 sher-

> Several states are after the next convention, but Missouri seems likely presided.

Forced to Swallow Poison.

SOUTH M'ALESTER, I. T., June 14. -Myron Clark, who couducts a dairy ation to annul or break or cancel his near the mining camp of Haleyville, becoming suddenly insane, drove his children away from the house and then deliberately prepared a dose of anese minister at Pekin is pressing strychnine and forced his wife at the other manner soliciting or asking them point of a revolver to swallow the poison. He stood over the writhing body appended to the bill.

Not in Privileged Class.

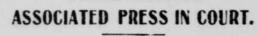
NEW YORK. June 14 .-- Under a decision announced by the board of classification of the United States general Jawish Acciation Discusses Phases of appraisers hospitals are not entitled to import surgical instruments free of duty. Paragraph 368 of the present tariff admits to free entry philosophical lems of Jeigh Charitles in Small and scientific apparatus, utensils, in-Cities," by R. Dr. I. Calisch of Rich- struments and preparations which are mond. Va., whe first paper read , imported not to sell, but for an instiat today's sesin of the national con- tution established "solely for religious, ference of Jeth Charities. Among philosophical, educational, scientific or

Miners Get Shorter Day.

BUTTE, Mont., June 14 .-- Miners' union day was celebrated today and was | he had but one arm. It is said Benwith the elastion officers and the the most memorable in the uncercises in the troubles. the most memorable in the history of | nett lost his mind brooding over labor opera house following the procession Rabbi Edward Calin of Richmond, Clark and F. August Heinz, the latter 1889, was sent to prison and afterthe head of the Montana Ore Purchaslum.

Crashed Down to Death.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., June 14 .- Six men were killed and another fatally | injured on a logging railroad a. Cammal, about thirty-six miles from this CHEYENNE, Wyo., June 14 - Direc- place. A train jumped the track in tor W. S. Devoe of the bureau (ani- some unaccountable manner and mal industry of the department ag- plunged down a 300-foot embankment. riculture, who arrived at Cody Cit, in Both fireman and engineer were inthe Bis Horn basin, last week, to mke stantly killed, as also were four Italsome investigations, was thrown from ian laborers. The cars and engine were his horse yesterday and seriously h- smashed to kindung. The county corjured, sustaining had cuts on the heat oner and an undertaker left this city



Temporary Injunction Issued on Com-

plaint of Inter Ocean. CHICAGO, June 13 .- Judge Gibbons issued today a temporary injunction on the complaint of the Inter-Ocean Publishing company restraining "The Associated Press of New York" from doing busines sunder the name of "The Associated Press."

The temporary injunction restrains the defendants from "doing business under the name of the Associated Press and from interfering with or at-

tempting in any manner to injure or destroy the business of the Associated Press of Illinois and from interfering with the business thereof or endeavoring to cause any party, firm or corpor-

or its contract with the Associated Press of Illinois and from sending out any circular to the members of the Associated Press of Illinois or in any to join and become members of the Associated Press, incorporated under the laws of the state of New York." A prayer asking that the temporary restraining order be made perpetual is

Lunatic Attempts Murder.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 13 .- An escaped lunatic attempted to take the life of Fremont Alford, criminal judge of this (Marion) county, and Prosecu-

tor Edwin B. Pugh. The would-be assassin was George W. Bennett, who escaped from the state hospital for the insane Saturday. Bennett entered the court room shortly after court convened and attracted the court by his incoherent talk. Judge Alford started to the telephone when Bennett sprang at him with a leveled revolver. Judge Alford ran into his room

with the maniac after him. Prosecutor Pugh went to the rescue and Bennett turned on him. A policeman appeared just in time to catch the fall of the revolver hammer on his thumb and save Pugh. It took four men to overpower Bennett, although

He killed two men at Lafayette in

wards transferred to the insane asy-

Important Capture Made. WASHINGTON, June 13 .- General MacArthur at Manila has cabled the War department as follows: "Report capture of Generals Hizon,

near Mexico, and Cavestany, at Alcala. both important, latter very important leader of guerrillas in Pangasinan province (Luzon). MacArthur." General Corbin ataches considerable importance to these captures. In his nature of surrenders than captures

had died, and not being able to ex- | Herbert L. Standeven, Omaha; George plain to their satisfaction he was A. Ahern, Lincoln; Frank A. Berry, mobbed. The front of his shop was | Carroll; Thomas E. Munson, Hastings; battered in with stones and clubs and Nathan O. Talbot, Omaha; Theodore F. he was chased to hiding. It then re- Vandorn, Omaha; Isaac H. Seabury, has returned to stay and will make quired the efforts of a strong force of Plainview; Arthur G. Wray, York; police to club the riotous Chinese into | Harry C. Maynard, Fremont; Henry "There are about 14,000 people in

panies' officers last night. "Of this number at least 4,000 are penniless and without food, except what is sup-

plied by the merchants and the Six Companies." Many of the Chinese merchants at a meeting held during the week de-

cided to pay no bills or rent during the blockade. ALL LINES RUNNING AT LAST.

Police Guard in Some Instances Dispensed

With. ST. LOUIS, June 13.-All the divisions and lines of the St. Louis Transit company are once again in operation, but only a portion of its cars are running. The experiment of sending out cars over some of the lines without

torily yesterday, that plan was carried out today on several additional divisions. Owing to the mayor's proclama-

tion there was comparatively little trouble today, the injunction forbidding the use of firearms or explosives and warning those having no business on the streets to keep off having a good effect.

Both the strikers and authorities are preparing statements and making up lists of witnesses to be heard at the coroner's inquiry, which will settle the responsibility for Sunday's killings. The inquest over the remains of Fred accidentally shot Sunday by a deputy | have returned a fair assessment.

sheriff, was to have been held today, but was postponed. Tomorrow the coroner will summon a jury to inquire into the death of C. Edward Thomas, the striking street car conductor killed in front of the posse barracks at Washington avenue Sunday evening.

VICTORIA, B. C., June 13 .- The steamer Queen Adelaide, from the Orient, brings a story that six weeks ago Japan and Russia were close to war over the land of a Japanese

by Russia at Masampo. War was said to have been averted by the refusal of Great Britain to act with Japan. Advices from Shanghai tell of the murder of the Chinese general, Yang Loh, while parleying with Boxers near Ting Fu.

German Meat Inspection Bill.

BERLIN, June 13-The meat inspection bill has not yet passed the Bunopinion they are more nearly in the desrath. United States Ambassador White says the date when the bill is and indicate that the principal leaders | to take effect has not been fixed, but of the insurrection are abandoning the he feels that the United States has last week. The case of remonstrance cause and are coming into Manila to been given a reasonable time for ad- against the saloon in Grafton was de-

President Has Callers.

ident had quite a number of promi-

nent callers today before the cabinet

meeting. They included Senator Han-

na, chairman of the republican na-

tional committee: Senator Allison of

Iowa, Senator Fairbanks of Indiana,

Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania and

to the Philadelphia convention. Sen-

Credit Men's Convention.

MILWAUKEE, June 13 .- The fifth

annual convention of the National As-

sociation of Credit Men opened a three

days' session with 260 delegates in at-

tendance. Addresses of welcome were

delivered by Governor Edward Sco-

field and Mayor David S. Rose for the

state and city, and by Horace M. Bat-

President John Field of Philadelphia

WASHINGTON, June 13 .- The pres-

justment to the new conditions

use he had for coffins when no one Fullerton; George C. DeTemple, Biair; Crane of this place, whose mysterious disappearance for ten years and reappearance this spring when generally supposed by his old acquaintances to be dead aroused widespread interest, his home with his family one mile south of town on his fine farm. Mr. Mencke, Blair; Ray J. Abbott, Crete; Crane is looking well. The reasons J. Edgar Jones, Hastings. Bernard P. for his long continued absence are not Chinatown," said one of the Six Com- Duffy of Columbus was admitted from known by the public. the bar of Illinois. Arthur G. Wray of

York, not being of age, will not be admitted until next year. The funeral of Mrs. Mary Wright was

Strange Insect in Grain.

BRADSHAW, Neb., June 18 .- A very | Wright was one of the oldest resistrange little green insect has made its dents, and by her kindly deeds had appearance in the wheat fields in this surrounded herself with hosts of friends. She was born near Belfast, vicinity. It seems to have bred or Ireland, and was almost ninety-one hatched in the heads of the grain and years old. It is said there is a large is generally found just at the base of sum of money in Ireland awaiting to the berry or close in between the berry be distributed among her ten chiland stem. While these little insects are very numerous, they do not appear | dren.

to be doing any harm at present, but many of the farmers are somewhat apprehensive in regard to the damage they may do when once developed. They are total strangers to the far-

raised the assessment on personal prop- for taxation. erty in West Point precinct 24 per cent,

per cent and Bancroft 20 per cent. This action was deemed necessary from the fact that West Point's most wealthy announcing the death of Hiram G. Rocitizens are believed by the board to bine, company H, Thirty-ninth infanbe confirmed tax shirkers. While this try, at Manila, caused by disease. Mr. action will doubtless force this class | Robine formerly resided here and ento pay their proper proportion of taxes, listed at Fort Crook. His brother, Boehn, the aged onlooker, who was it will be hard on those merchants who Clarence Robine, resides here.

Elevator Breaks an Arm.

George Zimmerman's general store UTICA, Neb., June 18.-About 2 was entered last night and about \$150 o'clock Friday afternoon E. L. worth of his best shoes stolen. The Hurlbut had the misfortune to catch burglars unlocked the front door. his left arm in the elevator shaft, There is no clew to the identity of breaking it in two places and pushing the robbers, though it is believed they it out of its socket at the shoulder were home parties. and bruising his whole side. The pres-Summer School Opens.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 15 .--The Grand Island college has opened a severe one owing to the bruises be- its summer school for teachers with a very good attendance. Only morning sessions will be held. All branches required in a first grade certificates

Teachers's Institute at Auburn.

AUBURN, Neb., June 15 .- The Nemaha County Teachers' association is Mutual for \$500 and the loss will be a in session this week and much interest is manifest by the teachers, the enrollment at the beginning being sixty-three.

could not distinguish either of his as-

Dr. George Found Guilty.

will be taught.

Firecrackers Prohibited. BEATRICE, Neb., June 15 .- The city council has passed an ordinance rohibiting the sale or firing of fire-

Fire at Lincoln.

LINCOLN, Neb., June 13 .- Fire destroyed a livery stable and a two-story brick structure owned by Frank Rawlings at 124 South Thirteenth street in the heart of the business section of the city. The total loss will probably amount to \$3,000, none of which is covered by insurance. The flames raged furiously in the livery stable building and almost spread to the large department store of Miller & Paine across the alley. Several frame dwellings on N street were burned slightly. All horses were safely removed from the stable.

Fruit Tree Insects.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., June 13 .- Several fine orchards in the western part of Pawnee county are in danger of being totally destroyed by an insect that is playing havoc with the fruit and foliage. Whole orchards have been damaged in a few days after the insect makes its appearance. The insect begins with the foliage at the ends of the limbs and soon the foliage turns brown and the trees look dead.

Appoint Dew for West Petat.

TECUMSEH, Neb., June 13,-Senator John M. Thurston wired Hon. John S. Dew of this city that he had appointed the latter's son, Roderick Dew, to a cadetship at West Point. The message came from Washington. Dew is a young man of good mental and physical makeup and will make the best of his opportunity.

Loses His Liquor Stock.

DAKOTA CITY, June 13 .- John Peyson of Sioux City was arrested by City Marshal Luther Sunday for selling whisky without license. He gave bond for hearing Thursday. Whisky and beer were found at his place and confiscated.

Accused of Cattle Stealing.

BENKELMAN, Neb., June 13 .---Sheriff Richards has arrested Robert Gustin for cattle rustling in Cheyenne

county, Kansas. Other parties are under arrest at St. Francis, Kan., implicated in the same deal. Gustin will go

ence of mind of Marion Nelson, who happened to be in the elevator at the time, in turning off the engine saved his life. The accident is quite ing so close to his heart. Lightning Destroys Residence.

OSCEOLA, Neb., June 18 .- The residence of J. N. Hurd, about eight miles from town, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. The building was insured in the Polk county thousand.

Decide in Saloon's Favor.

GENEVA, Neb., June 18 .- A special session of the district court convened

England Refuses Support.

trader, whose removal was requested

police guards having worked satisfac- mers.

Raise Tax Assessment.

County Board of Equalization is in ession, trying to adjust assessments. There seems to be considerable difficulty in getting the well-to-do people to list their property for taxation. Some of them are able to make a WEST POINT, Neb., June 18 .- The \$4,000 or \$5,000 loan without any dif-County Board of Equalization met and | ficulty, but can only find about \$2,000

at the same time lowering Wisner 10

and face. His injuries are not fatal. at midnight for the scene.

cars.

Fire Results Fatally.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., June 14 .- The ranch house of Milt Benedict near Ishawood, Big Horn county, burned Tuesday, and the little 2-year-old daughter Austrian exhibits of locomotives and of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jones, perished in the flames. Another child was rescued but may not recover. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Mrs. Gladstone is Dying.

LONDON, June 14 .- It was an- inch and a quarter of rain. The storm nounced last evening that Mrs. W. E. | was quite general over this section, Gladstone was not expected to live and will greatly benefit pastures and through the night.

Investigate Death.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 14 .- The inquest over the two striking street car ing the riot Sunday evening is in progress. A large number of witpesses will be examined.

John Goettling, a union man, died this morning as a result of a bullet fired from a Transit car during the riot June 7. This is the eleventh other weapon. Tonight Dowdell's condeath directly due to the strike. All but two of the Transit company's lines will be run tonight. death is expected before

Firebugs at Exposition. PARIS June 14 .- 4:30 a.m.-A small the broke out yesterday in the Vinceanes section of the exposition, burning the floor between the German and

Drouth is Broken.

HURON, S. D., June 14 .- The severest drouth period this country has had in nine years has been oroken by an crops. Nome.

His Victim May Die.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., June 14 .- Joseph Koetzle of the firm of Koetzle & men killed by the sheriff's posse dur. Schopff, saloon men of this city, was arrested about 11 o'clock with the probability of having a charge of manslaughter preferred against him. About a week ago it was alleged he forcibly ejected William Dowdell, a wealthy retired farmer, who lives here, from his

saloon, and is said to have struck him

accept American supremacy FEAR THE STEAMER IS LOST.

Consider Effort to Push Through Ice to Nome a Foolhardy One. SEATTLE, June 13 .- According to letters just received from Bering sea the Alpha returned from its second voyage to Dutch harbor May 9, but the reports of it having gotten through

the ice are not believed, for the reason that the schooner Annie returned to Unalaska on May 18, nine days after | Thomas K. Lowry of Minneapolis, one the Alpha sailed, with the news that of the delegates at-large from his state ice was met with 30 miles north. It is hardly likely that a clear break ator Hanna goes to Philadelphia today could be found, extending as far as | to attend the first meeting of the sub-

Serious fears of the Alpha's safety are expressed at Unalaska and Dutch harbor. The intrepid captain announced that he would be the first at

Nome if he had to haul his vessel on the ice. Consequently those who are still waiting for the ice to go think that it is likely the vessel is in the ice pack, which would surely occur, it is asserted, if the captain tried to push through one of the lanes of clear water which are always found in the tin for the Milwaukee association ... Bering sea floes. These, while at times open as far as the eve can penetrate. are continually closing together, and any vessel unlucky enough to get

delivered his annual address, in which he said the association had sho markable growth in the la

committee.

cided in favor of the saloon.

Honor Memory of Harsha.

TECUMSEH, Neb., June 18 .- Services in honor of the memory of Rev. Dr. W. W. Harsha, who was pastor of the Tecumseh Presbyterian church for several years, were held at that church yesterday morning. His contemporar- the Second ward, was held up by two ies during his ministerial work here have been invited to be present and idence on Oak street. One of the robbers drew a revolver on young Miller. assist in the services and will probably They secured about \$15.50 in change respond. Dr. J. J. Lampe of the Omaha Theological seminary, who has been so and escaped in the darkness. There closely associated with the deceased is no clue to the marauders, as the darkness was so intense that Miller reverend gentleman, has agreed to make a few remarks. sailants.

Nebraska Firm Bankrupt.

HASTINGS, Neb., June 18.-The firm TABLE ROCK, Neb., June 15 .- The Kearney, went into voluntary bankjury in the case of the State of Neruptcy. The indebtedness amounts to braska against Dr. P. S. George of \$40,000 and the stock is estimated from Lincoln, for practicing medicine with-\$8,000 to \$10,000. Among the creditors out the necessary qualification. are Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., \$3,600; brought in a verdict of guilty in the John V. Farwell, \$5,000; Edson, Keith district court at Pawnee City and he was sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and & Co., \$4,000; Guthman-Carpenter Filling company, \$2,100, all of Chicago: costs of suit and remain in the hands Wortheimer Shoe company of St. of the sheriff till fine and costs were Louis, \$1,900; Richard Roberts' compaid. Sentence was suspended, howpany of St. Joseph, \$1,900, and other ever, for the present, on condition amounts from \$25 to \$1,500. C. G. Lane that he cease to practice medicine in has been appointed receiver. this locality.

to Kansas without a requisition. crackers within the city limits.

Ashland Youth Robbed.

Jury Disagrees. PERU, Neb., June 13 .- The jury in the case of Miss McGrew of Auburn, ASHLAND, Neb., June 15 .- While who sued Peru for \$5,000 damages for returning home about 10 o'clock Tuesinjuries sustained on account of a deday night Ira Miller, the 18-year-old fective sidewalk, failed to agree. This son of Councilman John N. Miller of is the fourth time the case has been in footpads near E. A. Wiggenhorn's rescourt.

Liquor Famine.

GRAFTON, Neb., June 13 .- A protracted liquor famine threatens Grafton, as the only saloon here is closed, pending a decision of the district court on a remonstrance filed.

Slander Case Settled.

FREMONT, Neb., June 13 .- In the district court the jury in the case of Collins against Smith, which was an action for slander, brought in a verdict for the defendant. Collins alleged that his reputation had been gamaged to the amount of \$1,000 by a letter written him by Smith accusing him of taking some hay belonging to a man for whom Smith was agent. Smith introduced two witnesses who swore that they saw Collins hauling hay from the premises and the jary came to the conclusion that Smith had good reasons for writing the letter.