Summary of the Daily News. WASHINGTON NOTES.

CAPTAIN ARMES threatens to bring suit against General Schofield, who, as Acting Secretary of War, issued the order convening the board to examine into his mental state.

STATISTICIAN DODGE, of the Agricultural Department, denounces as false the statement of a discharged employe that certain parties have access to the official erop reports before publication so that they can operate to advantage in the grain markets.

SECRETARY TRACY has decided the question of two 3,000 ton cruisers, authorised by the last Congress. They will be built by the Norfolk and Brooklyn yards. SECRETARY NOBLE has ordered the taking of careful measures to protect the ruins of the cliff dwellers recently found in Colorado.

THE fourth annual convention of the National Medical Association convened in Washington on the 18th.

TUY GROOK YING, the new Chinese Ambassador to the United States, has arrived from China with a large delegation of dignitaries.

Mr. Dongs, of the Agricultural Department, reports great improvement in the so-called Bad Lands for agricultural pur-

PRESIDENT HARRISON has commuted the sentence of Dr. Burke Priddy, of Chattanooga, Tenn., of two years for violating the pension laws to one year.

THE Senate Committee on Irrigation heard testimony at Cheyenne, Wyo., on the 18th from the Territorial engineer and one member of the Constitutional convention from each county. The committee then disbanded and the members left for their homes.

A CABLE dispatch has been received at the Department of State from Consul Allen, at Kingston, Jamaica, saying that g riot occurred at Navassa, an island in the Caribbean sea, in which a number of Americans were killed. A British war ship had left Jamaica to protect the remaining Americans.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TICHENOR, of the Treasury Department, was seriously ill at his residence in Washington and was said to be threatened with pneumonia.

THE naval court of inquiry in Washington into the charges of inhuman punishment inflicted by Captain Pope on ex-Marine Harvey, have completely exonerated the Captain.

THE Secretary of War has determined to remove from Fort Meade, Dak, all but one company of the troops to Northwestern Montana. This virtually amounts to the abolition of the fort, which was one souri.

THE annual session of the American Prehistoric Society convened at Washington on the 2)th with thirty delegates present. Scientific papers were read by Dr. Huber, of New York; Dr. Earle, of Chicago, and Dr. Crille, of New York.

## THE EAST.

In attempting to jump on a huge crank in Rupert's brewery, New York City, the other night Charles Friese, assistant engineer, missed his footing, feil and was mashed into a jelly.

THE stockholders of the great Thomas Iron Company of Pennsylvania have refused \$3,500,000 offered for the property by a British syndicate.

AT Tioga Junction, Pa., the engineer of the Elmira train south lost control of his engine, owing to a slippery track, and crashed into one of the heavy Jumbo engines. Both engines and seven cars were wrecked and two persons were killed and over twenty injured. After the collision

the wreckage took fire. THE Nicely brothers, confined in Tail at Somerset, Pa., under sentence of death for the murder of Farmer Umberger, overpowered the sheriff and shot a deputy recently and escaped. They were subsequently recaptured. The deputy was seriously wounded.

An extraordinary story comes from Norwark, Conn., where a six-year old child had been sentenced by a justice of the peace to fifteen years in the State reform school, until he shall be of age. Owing to the indignation which has been aroused it is not likely to be carried

THE prosecution in the case of Henry 8. Ives unexpectedly rested its case at New York on the 18th. Lawyer Brooke asked for the discharge of Ives, but the court decided that the case should go to the jury and the trial proceeded. MRS. ELIZABETH S. MCCLELLAR, WIGOW

of Dr. George McClelian and mother of General George B. McCletlan and Dr. John H. B. McClellan, the distinguished surgeon, died at Drifton, Pa., on the 18th. She was ninety years of age.

THE John Crouse memorial college for women, connected with the Syracuse University, New York, has been dedicated. It cost \$500.000.

THE second trial of General Lester R. Faulkner, charged with wrecking the National Bank of Danville, N. Y., was begun in the United States District Court

at Buffalo, N. Y., on the 19th. THE Boston Globe has offered \$1,000 to the Bostof base-ball club if they win the

pennant this year. J. B. BARNABY, of Providence, R. L. a. well known clothing merchant, with stores in many Western cities, died recently.

BANKER LOUIS STRAUSS, of 15 William street, New York, has assigned and absconded. Liabilities about \$250,000. MRS. ROBERT RAY HAMILTON WAS COD-

victed at May's Landing, N. J , on the 19 h of the attempted murder of her nurse. Mary Donnelly, and given two years' im-

THE Pennsylvania Board of Pardons has refused to release the notorious Dr. Cox, of New Jersey, convicted of malpractice.

Two miners were crushed to death in a colliery at Mount Carmel, Pa., the other day under a fall of rock.

REPUBLICAN primaries were held in New York on the 20th to choose delegates to the State convention. They were mostly uneventful, but in the famous Eighth As-sembly district the expelled O'Brien men caused some disturbance by attempts to vote and some anti-O'Brien men were assau lted as they went to the polling place. MR. AND MRS. JOHN F. SNOW, of Ban Francisco, celebrated their golden wedding in Burlington, Mass., recently,

TALL OF A SECURITION OF SHIP OF SHIP

traveling from the Pacific coast for the

THE WEST. Two girls, agod seventeen, were killed in Sunday school at Columbia City, Ind.,

recently by a stroke of lightning. A SHOCKING and fatal prize fight occurred at Daly Bros.' saloon, St. Louis, the other night. Thomas E. Jackson, aged eighteen, fought Ed Abearn, the local champion. After eleven bloody rounds Jackson fell fainting and expired a few hours later. The "bloods" who had "chipped in" to make up a purse for the affair sneaked off and left the dying youth to bis fate.

HEAVY frosts were reported in the Northwest on the nights of the 17th and

HARVEY GURLEY, who was undoubtedly connected with his wife in the abduction of little Annie Redmond, of Chicago, will spend three years making shoes in the State prison at Waupun, Wis.

F. W. HABEL, a painter, claiming Abilene, Kan., as his home, shot and killed Jimmy McDonald, a waiter in the Mascot saloon at Dallas, Tex., the other morning. Habel and the waiter engaged in a dispute over the price of a bottle of beer.

JOHN LESTER, a young man of Chicago was convicted in Duluth, Minn., of grand larceny. He is a son of the millionaire of Chicago, who is the largest glue and tallow maker in the country.

FREDERICK SCHROEDER. member of good family near New Bremen, O., bas been arrested for counterfeiting and the outfit used by him has been captured.

THE glass packers of the Ohio valley have struck for Pittsburgh wages and the Flint Glass Workers Union has decided to support them. THE steam yacht Leo was recently lost

in Lake Erie. She sailed from Lorain, twenty miles west of Cleveland, O., and the nine persons on board were drowned. They were all business men of Lorain. IT was estimated that between 15,000 and 20,000 Odd Fellows paraded at Co-

lumbus, O., on the 18th. COLONEL GEORGE FLOURNOY, a noted Confederate officer and once Attorney-General of Texas, died in San Francisco

on the 18th. ARRESTS have been made at Spokane Falls, Wash., of two or three city officials charged with embezzling moneys and stealing supplies sent for the relief of sufferers by the recent fire.

A RECENT number of the Chicago Even-

ing Mail contained a long statement that the defense in the Cronin case would be able to prove that Dr. Cronin was murdered by order of the British Government Iowa Democrats met at Sieux City on the 18th and nominated Horace Boies, of Waterloo, for Governor; & L. Bestow, of Chariton, for Lieutenant-Governor; W. H. Brannon, of Muscatine, for Supreme Judge; Thomas Irish, of Dubuque, for Superintendent of Instruction, and David Morgan, of Powes-

the resolutions adopted was one calling for the World's Fair at Chicago. By the turning of Mrs. Beacon's frame cottage in Los Angeles, Cal., the other day three small children were burned to

chick, for Railroad Commissioner. Among

death. Tax burning of Kingsnorth & Buxton's livery stable at Sioux City, Iowa, caused Northwest Central railway of Manitoba a loss of \$18,000. Sixty-eight horses were burned.

THREE miners have found near Dubuque, lowa, a cave full of native galena almost

MARSHALL FIELD has followed the example of George M. Pullman and subscribed \$100,000 to the Chicago World's

Fair guarantee fund. MRS. CHARLES LAPAGE wife of a wealthy stockman, burned to death in her bed at Chouteau City, Mont. The fire was communicated to the bed clothes and before the woman could be rescued she was burned to death. Her husband was in the

East. THE noted suit of Augustus L Ambler against Rodney M. Whipple for infringement of patent, involving \$1,210,000, has been finally thrown out of court in Chicago, under the provisions of the statute of

limitations. BLACKMAN BROTHERS' big saw mill, sash and door factory and lumber yards, Snokomish, Wash., were destroyed by fire the other night, causing \$150,000 loss with no

insurance. A FAST freight train collided with a witching engines on the Lake Shore road at Cleveland, O., recently. Both engines were badly damaged and several cars smashed into bits. Patrick Moore, a sailor

who was stealing a ride, was killed. THE Sovereign Grand Lodge of Udd Fellows will hold its next session at Topeka, Kan.

THE Wyoming Statehood convention has adopted a clause giving women the right to vote.

## THE SOUTH

CONSIDERABLE excitement prevails at Calera, sixty miles porth of Montgomery. Ala., over a threatened collision of races. The trouble grows out of the discovery of an incendiary letter written by a negro which revealed a plot against the whitee

and urged the negroes to insurrection.

An engineer, a brakeman and a fireman were killed by the wreck of a freight train on the Georgia Central near Atlanta recently.

THE National Passenger and Ticket Agents' Association met in Atlanta, Ga., recently.

GOVERNOR FOWLE, of North Carolina, has issued a proclamation ordering officers to take extra precautions to prevent repetitions of the lynching at Morgan-

Fire destroyed buildings valued at \$25,000 in Wilmington, Del., the other day. THE residence of Mrs. Lenbower, at Oakland, Md., was destroyed by fire and her two children, three and six years old,

were burned to death. Mrs. Lenbower was absent at the time. MISS SUSIE CATOR, of Georgetown, and Miss Ella Atwell, of Alexandria, Va., two well known young ladies, were accidentally drowned recently near the latter

place by their carriage being overturned while endeavoring to ford a swollen stream. LOUISIANA officials claim to have dis-

covered huge frauds in State bonds, many canceled certificates having been again put upon the market.

HOX. JESSE K. HYNES, State Commissioner of Insurance and one of the most influential Democrats in Maryland, died declares in favor of Chicago as the place on the 20th. He was born November 17, 1829, in Kent County, Md., and was a vigorous member of the American or Knowof Russia exceeded the expenditures by Nothing party in its day.

An accident occurred on the electric street railway at Mission Ridge, Tenn., recently, and all of the passengers jumped off the car. Mrs. Mary Adams of Casey, Ill., died from injuries received. Seventeen others were injured, none of them

seriously. THE new dry dock at the navy yard at Norfolk, Va., was formally opened on the 19th in the presence of a large gathering. proposed to visit the Mint at Philadelphia. The Yantic was the first vessel to enter with a hundred ounces of silver and de-

### NEBRASKA STATE NEWS.

GENERAL

A square of small buildings at Bean-

harnais, Can., was destroyed by fire the

THE Spanish vessel plying between

Malaga and Tangiers was ransacked by

natives off the Riff coast of Morocco a

few days ago, and the captain, four sail-

ors and one passenger were made prison-

ers. A Spanish war ship was about to

leave Cadiz to rescue the prisoners and

JAPANESE papers place the number of

persons drowned in the floods of August

20, in the citiy of Wayakayamo and in the districts of Minambro, Nishi-Muro

and Picaka at 10,000, and the number of persons receiving relief at 20,424.

CHOLERA has made its appearance in

THE steamship Alberta, which arrived at

Quebec recently from Singapore, landed

at quarantine a passenger suffering from

a severe attack of cholera. After being

thoroughly fumigated the Alberta was al-

THE announcement is made that a

stringent compact has been entered into

between England and Italy on the slavery

SEVERAL persons were fatally injured

at a riot in a meeting of Boulangists at

ADVICES from China state that the

boiler for the launch built for a Chinese

mandarin recently burst in the river at

Shanghai. Twenty persons were killed

or drowned and an equal number more or

Dr. Louis Maas, famed in the old world

and the new as a planist and composer,

died at his home near Boston the other

night of peritonitis. He was born in

THE police within the last few days

have shown an increased activity in dif-

ferent parts of Russia in their pursuit of

suspected Nihilists. The students every

where are objects of suspicion, and twenty

attending the university at Kieff were ar-

THERE are persistent rumors at Belgrade

that ex-King Milan contemplates a coup

d'etat for the purpose of securing the

THE Alton railroad was reported con-

sidering the purchase of the Missouri,

THE recent yacht disaster on Lake Erie,

by which nine lives were lost, was be-

lieved to have been due to an explosion of

A LARGE mass of rock composing the

Quebec suddenly detached itself from the

An excited state of feeling was reported

they will be served in a similar manner.

THE steamer Florence, en route from

Garston on the Mersey, near Liverpool,

to Belfast, foundered recently. Nine of

A BILL has been introduced in the Par-

Business failures (Dun's report) for the

THE United Glass Company, of Syra-

cuse, N. Y., has purchased all the window

United Company will operate these works

Ex-GOVERNOR JOHN P. St. JOHN ad-

dressed the American Temperance Union

at Chickering Hall, New York on the

PROF. GRORGE H. COOK, State Geolo-

gist of New Jersey, is dead. He was born

THE French elections took place on the

22d. As an indication of the future com-

plexion of the General Assembly the fol-

lowing returns were telegraphed: Repub-

licans elected, 158; anti-Republicans, 89;

reballots necessary, 145. The London

Standard said the prevailing impression

in France was that the Government had

been worsted, and that there would be a

bitter contest over the secondary election.

EDWARD G. WOODWELL and Arthur

Taft, young men, were drowned while

THE stables of John Lynch at Philadel-

phia were burned the other night with

their contents. Thirty-five horses were

CLEARING house returns for the week

ended September 21 showed an average

decrease of 6.7 compared with the corre-

sponding week of last year. In New

Business was restricted on the London

Exchange during the week ended Septem-

ber 21. Business was also dull on the

Continental bourses, attributed to the

suspense attending the French elections.

THE United States Express Company has

been robbed of \$20,000, money intended

for the payment of workmen at Hurley,

Wis. The cashier of the local office went

off with friends to a theater and when he

returned the vault had been opened and

WILKIE COLLINS, the novelist, has had a

In a letter to Mayor Grant, of New

Duning the fiscal year 1888 the receipts

THE military prevented the election at

Oklahoma City, Ok., on the 21st, called for the purpose of ousting the present

municipal government. Nine of the lead-

ers were arrested after some lively

charges by the troops.

THE Colorado Mining Exchange will in-

vestigate the constitutionality of the act

restricting the coinage of silver. It is

York, Benator Quey, of Pennsylvania,

serious relapse in his bronchial trouble.

burned to death. Loss, about \$15,000.

York the decrease was 13.1.

the money taken.

30,000,000 roubles.

for the World's Fair in 1892.

on a cruise down the harbor at Stafford.

Seven of her crew were drowned.

hereafter.

night of the 21d

Vt., recently.

in New Jersey in 1817.

her crew were drowned.

lowed to proceed to Montreal.

Chantilly, France, the other day.

other day. Loss, \$35,000.

punish the offenders.

Bagdad.

question.

less injured.

Weisbaden in 1852.

rested on the 18th.

ported as seriously ill.

were killed and injured.

Kansas & Texas.

naphtha.

question.

THE Governor has declared a quarantine against Weld and Logan Counties, Col., where Texas fever is said to exist

CHARLES WHEELER, a Plattsmouth teamster, was recently hauling a load of sand and when near the trestle work on the electric motor line some part of the harness broke. He saw a piece of wire hanging from one of the poles and took hold of it to break off a piece to repair the harness. The wire was the end of a guy wire which happened to be touching the main wire aground. A leak of about 600 volts caused a very serious shock to Wheeler. He could not let go of the wire and cried frantically for help. He finally fell across a timber, which broke the current and allowed his grasp to be released. His hands were badly turned and the muscular contraction was so strong that the muscies of his forearms were torn

loose from the bone. ABout dark the other night as Mrs. William Caldwell, the wife of a respectable farmer living two miles east of Tohise, was returning home from a neighbor's she was set upon by an unknown man, who sprang from the weeds beside the road, knocked her insensible with a sandbag, dragged her some distance from the road, tore off her clothes and attempted to assault her. She recovered sufficiently to get home, but was in a critical condition. Armed parties went in search of the villain with the avowed determination of lynching him.

DURING a late storm at Harrison, Charles Crine and Noran Hester, standing beside a stable door, were stricken and killed by lightning. Noran was the youngest son of George A. Hester. Charles Cline, the other victim, had just driven to the barn to be sheltered from the storm and a moment later was killed. He leaves a wife and a small child. The barn was wholly destroyed.

JOHN DONNEKY, a farm hand, of Howard County, while recently feeding a threshing machine had his arm so badly mutilated by the cylinder that amputation was necessary. This was the third case of the kind in that vicinity.

Regency of Servia. It is said that he asked the Austrian Government for mili-ROBERT WILBERT, a farmer residing near tary support, but his request was refused. Johnstown in Brown County raised this THE King of Portugal, whose health had season 901 bushels of wheat on twenty-six been precarious for some time, was reacres of ground.

A TRACTION engine broke through a bridge about one mile north of Shubert the other afternoon. The engineer, Frank Lohenor, was caught by the arm and held fast while the steam and hot water from a broken pipe rushed into his face and breast causing death before assistance could be rendered. The deceased leaves a wife and child.

head land known as Cape Diamond at H. P. SUTTON, an employe of the Omaha gas work, recently left work and went on main body on the 19th and crashed down a spree, during which he attempted suicide upon the buildings below. Many persons by poisoning. He was pumped out.

THE Supreme Court has rendered a decision forfeiting the franchise of the Nioat Dungannon, County Tyrone, Ireland, brara & Atkinson line of the Chicago, St. on the 19th, between Orangemen and Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad, the Catholics, growing out of the home rule charter for which was granted some eight years ago but on which nothing had been An English syndicate has purchased the done except surveys an a small portion of the grading. and will push it through to the Pacific

taining an imported horse in charge of THE salary of a French curate has been its owner, Mr. Mackay, of St. Louis, restopped by order of M. Thevenet, Minister cently caught fire near Genoa and was of Justice, on the ground that he was entirely consumed. Mr. Mackay was canvassing against the Government. hadly burned before he could break out of Other clericals have been threatened that the car.

As A. J. Snowden, a prominent stock THE freedom of the City of Dublin has dealer of Kearney, was passing through been conferred upon Lady Sandhurst and Right Hon. James Stansfeld. Seward the other night on the B. & M. Railroad, he stopped off to look after some stock which he had in charge, and while so engaged the train started. In an effort to board the train he fell and had his left hand cut off.

A FARMER named Conffal, living east of liament of Holland to impose a duty on David City, committed suicide recently by cutting open the arteries of both arms with a razor. His body was found by the seven days ended September 19 numbered 198, compared with 193 the previous week | rondside twenty-four hours after the deed and 228 the corresponding week of last | was done.

THE steam syrup works at Fairfield are THE British gunboat Lily struck a rock off Point Armor, N. F., recently and sunk. turning out one hundred gallons of syrup per hour, twenty-five men being employed in the mill and ten men and teams being

kept busy hauling cane. G. C. PEANEY, city marshal of Waterloo, Douglas County, and Mrs. John Bell, wife of a well-to-do farmer, recently eloped. glass plants in Illinois, being those at Peaney leaves a wife and several small children in somewhat straitened pecuni-Rock Island, Ottawa and Streator. The ary circum tances, and Mrs. Bell leaves a very comfortable home, a husband and two children, the youngest about eight

years old. THE annual meeting of the Topeka branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will be held in Fremont, October 10 to 14. This branch includes Kansas, Nebrasks, Colorado, Wyoming and Texas, and there will

probably be in attendance one hundred or more delegatés. FAY MINER, of Rock Creek, recently had a four-year-old mule that was suffering from a collar-sore. He applied Frazer's axle grease, and in forty-eight hours the

mule died from blood poisoning. WILL KINNEY, of Elgin, was accidentally shot one day recently while hunting, the charge tearing the flesh from the ribs and carrying away a portion of the shoul-

der blade. He will recover. A BURGLAR relieved Mr. Galantine, of Glenville, Clay County, of \$135 the other night and made good his escape.

CAPTAIN EXOCH, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Humboldt, has become insane. He had been down in Kansas on a visit, and on coming home did not recognize the place or his most intimate friends. He served in the army and for years has been trouble! with an

old bullet wound. DR. W. L. ARMSTRONG, of the Park Hill, Platte County, children's home, has this year with seven boys aged from eight to fifteen years, cultivated 16) acres of land, raising about 3,000 bushels of corn, 800 bushels of oats, ninety bushels of rye and 500 bushels of wheat, besides millet, sorghum and potatoes.

WELL-BORERS working on the Hastings gas well recently struck a deposit of yellow ochre at a depth of 232 feet. The deposit, whatever it may be, is from thirtyfive to forty feet thick, and is practically inexhaustible

An Omaha young lady has been granted ermission to carry a revolver to protect erself from insolent "mashers." Ix an election proclamation recently is-

sued Governor Thayer fixed the Second Congressional election for November with the regular State elections. JOHN BRYANT, who resides three miles north of Elkhorn station, Douglas County,

has just completed a fish pond which

covers nine acres. He intends to stock it

with several varieties of game fish this

L W. CRAMER, of Hastings, can sit under his own fig tree. He has a good sixed tree of that variety in bearing with about three desen figs upon it.

#### FRENCH ELECTIONS.

A Grave Matter of Government Involved

-Conflicting Reports. LONDON, Sept. 21.-The Paris correspondents of the London press describe the interest shown in vesterday's election as the most general ever not ced on any of the kind. The popular feeling in the French capital is that a genuine crisis has been reached. A common remark is that vesterday was the most important for France since the day of Sedan.

The anxiety to obtain returns indicating the result throughout the provinces was very marked, and every scrap of news bulletined at the leading newspaper offices was eagerly scanned by large crowds of people. It is not likely, however, that any facts that may be received will be sufficient to show the result with certainty. For full and safe returns it will probably be necessary to wait another day. The leaders of all factions express the greatest confidence, but the fact is that they are ail hopelessly in the dark as to the probable outcome. The election is conspicuously the expression of the popular will; and in this respect it differs from many previous French elections, which were merely the registration by the people of a result already achieve I by their leaders.

The Paris correspondent of the Daily News comments on the seriousness of the voting in France. He thinks there has been a great relative fall in the power of the Boulangists since January. He predicts that both Bulanger and Naquet will be defeated in the second ballots and that four-fifths of the re-ballots are likely to result in favor of Republicans. All the correspondents of the London newspapers dwell upon the gravity displayed by the electors. The Government left it to the mayors' discretion to declare void and null all votes cast for the condemned Boulangists. The Paris correspondent of the Times comes to the conclusion that on the second ballots the reactionaries and Boulangists combined will be far from having the strength they expected. The Standard's Paris dispatch says the prevailing impression is that the Government is worsted and there will be a severe struggle in the second ballots.

There was a riot at Aringu. A crowd forced the doors of the building occupied by the Boulangist committee, burned the voting papers and set fire to the building. Thence the crowd went to the Boulangist club, broke in the doors, wrecked the furniture and drove out the members.

Reports from Montmartresay that even the defeat of Boulanger is possible, although his supporters are using every means to secure his return. The clergy of Montmartre ordered prayers in his favor. The Boulanger committee was in continuous secret session directing the

The workmen in the Montmartre district deposited their bullots early and departed immediately without exchanging views with their fellow workmen. The demeanor of the electors was quiet and there was no crowding at the polls. After the closing of the urns there was some excitement in various parts of the city, especially on the bourse quarter. Here the d fferent parties paraded the streets, the There was a great uprear at the offices of the Presse, where an announcement of Boulanger's victory in Montmartre was displayed in a transparency. The news was received with mingled cheers and boots by the rival contingents and as a row seemed imminent the police and mounted guards charged upon and dispersed the crowd. Several persons were arrested.

M. Thevenet, Minister of Justice, is elected in the Second district of Lyons. In the other divisions of Lyons a second ballot will be necessary. In all the divisions of Bordeaux second ballots will have to be taken. In the First district of Havre Seigrefred, Republican, defeated March, Boulangist. M. Flourens is elected in Embrun.

It is reported that M. Lockroy and M. Clemenceau are elected. There appears to be no chance of the Conservatives winning a single seat in Paris. Nothing is known of the result in M. Ferry's district. M. Flouquet and M. Lockroy have a good chance of success on the second ballots. Three provincial priests have been sus-

pended from their functions for preaching against the Government. For the thirty-seven uncontested seats the members elected consist of twenty-

eight Royalists, eight Ministerialists and the Boulangist, Lehrisse. The provincial vote seems to have been tentative. The latest totals are: Republicans elected, 158; anti-Republicana, 80; reballots necessary, 145.

Punishment Looming Up. Sr. Louis, Sept. 22 -The principals in the recent prize fight will have to pay dearly for their sport. Charles Daly, Dan Daly, Joseph A. Murphy, sporting editor of a morning paper; William Quiney and a number of others are held as accessories to murder in the second degree, with which Ahearn is charged. The punishment is not less than ten years in the penitentiary for principal and accessories. The moral sentiment of the whole city is thoroughly aroused and the Law and Order League will conduct the prosecu-

Down on Jute Bagging. JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 22 - The bitterness of the farmers of this State against the jute bagging trust seems to be on the increase. Recently a roll of jute bagging belonging to Elijah Burt was taken from his gin and burned. In some counties the alliance has passed resolutions directing the expulsion from the order of any member using jute bagging, members declaring that they would rather wait and take the risk of getting cotton bagging. If this rule is followed to any extent it will keep much of the cotton out of the market until late.

Liquor Sellers Arrested. GUTHRIE, L. T., Sept. 22.-For several ponths the Government had made no effect to prevent the sale of liquor in Guthrie. The liquor smuggiers became emboldened and over a dozen groggeries have been running in full blast during the last month. Yesterday, however, a deputy collector dropped into the city unexpectedly and before night twenty-two men were under arrest for selling liquor. They will be sent to Wichita for trial.

Huntington and His Daughter.

PARIS, Sept. 22.—C. P. Huntington, in an interview, said: "The papers are having an immense amount of trouble trying to settle whether my daughter is or is no engaged to Prince Hatzfeldt. One might imagine that it is something unusual for an American young lady to get married. Once for all I should like to state that I have not broken off any match between my daughter and Prince Hatzfeldt for the reason that no such match ever existed. Labor. The action has not yet been in-the young gentleman has been lavish enough with attentions and there is not purpose.

JESSE WENTWORTH PAYSON, the noted penman, author of the Payson, Dunton & Beribner copybooks, died at Hyde Park, seems Boston, recently, aged seventy-four.

The Pacific express car on the M., K. & the subject will be presented and robbed of \$10,000 at the Director of the Mint for damages, the subject will be presented at the annual meeting of the order to make a bargain—sometimes three, and neither my daughter nor myself know what to think of this Teutonic nobleman. This being refused, suit will be presented at the annual meeting of the order to make a bargain—sometimes three, and neither my daughter nor myself know what to think of this Teutonic nobleman. This being refused, suit will be presented at the annual meeting of the order to make a bargain—sometimes three, and neither my daughter nor myself know what to think of this Teutonic nobleman. This being refused, suit will be presented at the annual meeting of the order to make a bargain—sometimes three, and neither my daughter nor myself know what to think of this Teutonic nobleman. The series is not to be ceined into dollars. This being refused, suit will be presented at the annual meeting of the order to make a bargain—sometimes three, and neither my daughter nor myself know what to think of this Teutonic nobleman. The series is not to be ceined into dollars. This being refused, suit will be presented at the subject will be presented at the subject

# THE PUBLIC DOMAIN.

Items Gleaned From the Report of the ner of the General Land-

Office. WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—The annual report of the Acting Commissioner of the Jeneral Land-office, William H. Stone, has been submitted to the Secretary of the Interior. He refers to the accumulation of business in the office lett over from the former Administration and which was partly due to the increase of local landoffices. The system in force, he says, is not promotive of steady dispatch of business, especially in the case of the board of review created by Commissioner Sparks, which was abolished as a hindrance to the good, safe and quick work of the office.

Commenting on Mr. Sparks' unwarranted suspicions that a system of fraud prevailed and Mr. Sparks' assertion "that the proportion of fraudulent filings to the total number of filings made and relinquished may be estimated in round numbers at 100 per cent.," Mr. Stone says: "This wholesale arraignment of claimants on public domain should not have been made without the most conclusive evidence to sustain it." The report declares that no general misconduct on the part of the Western settlers have been found.

During the year 70,141 agricultural patents were issued, covering 11 791,119 acres of land, an increase of more than 3,000,000 acres over the preceding year. Mineral patents to the number of 913, covering an acreage of 17,196, were issued. There were patented for the benefit of the railroads under the law 425,056 acres, and under the swamp land grants to the States 259,721 acres. State selections un ler the educational grants were approved to the extent of 132,350 acres, and lands to the Indians, patented under various acts, to the amount of 159,390 acres. The total cash receipts of the office from the sales of lands and fees were \$9,370,225, a decrease of more than \$3,000,000 as compared with the previous year During the year surveys were accepted to the amount of 4,544,372 acres, principally in Dakota, Montana and New Mexico.

### DEEP WATER CONVENTION.

Delegates Appointed By the Governor of issouri to the Topeka Convention. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 21 .- Governor Francis has appointed the following delegates to represent Missouri at the Inter-State Deep Harbor convention at Topeka, Kan., October 1: At large, Senators F. M. Cockrell and George G. Vest and Messrs. Warwick Hough and Samuel C. Major; First district, W. H. Hatch, N. M. Shelton, George W. Duleny and George Collins; Second district, C. H. Mansur, Alex. Wallace and J. W. Sebree; Third district, A. M. Warens, El Yates and M. A. Bates; Fourth district, P. P. C. Wilson, Daniel Zook, William J. Summers and Lafayette Dawson; Fifth district, J. C. Tarsney, S. P. Sparks, M. N. L. McClellan and A. W. Rogers; Sixth district John T. Heard, P. B. Price, James Baskin and Thomas Shackelford; Seventh district, R. H. Norton, M. S. Goodman, Theodoric McDearmon and G. G. Daniel; Eighth district, F. G. Neidringhaus, John L Martin, William Drake and J. F. McKeighan; Ninth district, Nathan Frank, Patrick Degnan, John D. Finney and R. H. Kern; Tenth district, William Kinzey. Jack P. Richardson, William J. Lomp, Carl Daenzer; Eleventh district, R. P. Bland, H. Clay Ewing, James Moore and John Farrell; Twelfth district, W. J. Stone, J. Ladue, Noah Given and B. J. Thurman; Thirteenth district, William Wade, S. W. Hendlee, O. H. Travers and E. C. O'Day: Fourteenth district, J. P. Walker, Joseph J. Russell, J. N. Phillips and D. J. Allen.

## A REUNION MARRED.

Serious Aceldent to a Party of Visitors at the Mission Ridge Reunie CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Sept. 21.-A car on the electric railroad up Mission Ridge slipped on the side of the hill, the track being covered with dew. The car was heavily leaded, and the passengers, at the bidding of the conductor, jumped off. Several were injured. The parties injured were all visitors in attendance at the reunion of Wilder's brigade. The following is a list of the injured: Mrs. Mary Adams, Casey, Ill., injured internally; probably fatal. Mrs. M. J. Garrison, Casey, Iil., badly injured. Captain Owen Wiley, Casey, Ill., injured internally. William Munford, Casey, Ill., head badly cut; Mrs. A. C. Addison, Casev, Ill., seriously bruised; L. F. Miller, Casey, Ill., face cut; Wash Sanford, Casev. Ill., slightly injured; Mrs. D. B. Massey, Princeton, Ind., shoulder dislocated and ankle sprained; Samuel A. Reaves, Princeton, Ind., internally injured; Mrs. S. A. Reaves, Princeton, Ind., shoulder dislocated and ankle sprained; Mrs. J. H. Clark, Owensville, Ind., shoulder and ankle sprained; G. W. Parker, Bunker Hill, Ill., slightly bruised; W. P. Apple-

Heavy Robbery. BELTON, Tex., Sept. 21.—At three o'clock yesterday morning the Missouri, Kansas & Texas train arrived here and while it stood on the track in front of the depot the Pacific express car was entered, the safe quickly opened and \$10,000 deftiv taken out. The express messenger was asleep and unfortunately for the company he had left the car door partly apen. The train men and people about the depot did not see the robbers at work and the supposition is that they either found the safe open or quickly picked the lock. The train stopped here fifteen minutes and the robbery was accomplished and the thieves gone b fore the signal to start was given. A few night ago the safe in the depot was opened in a mysterious manner and \$500

gate, Hazeldell, Ill., cut by barbed wire

to have been done by the depot robbers. The Quebec Disaster. QUEEEC, Can., Sept. 21.-Up to midnight last night twenty-five dead bodies had been taken from the debris of the cottages which had been buried by the huge fall of rock and earth from the famous heights. In addition to these, eighteen persons and been rescued alive but of these several will almost certainly succumb to their injuries. It is almost beyond doubt that at least thirty dead bodies still lie bur el under the mass of stone and earth, which can not be removed for several days.

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Labor Consolidation. OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 21.—The Evening Bee prints a statement that all labor unions and brotherhoods comprising the employee of the Union Pacific system have formed themselves into an organizahood of Kailway Employes. The amaiga-mation includes the Brotherhood of Eagineers and Firemer, the brakemen and switchmen's unions and the Knights of