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NEBRASKA.

Cuming county has a good crop of fruit this year.

The new M. E. church at Humphrey is rapid ly building.

Lightning killed several head of cattle near Wisner last week.

There will be sale of Shorthorn cattle at the state fair on September 11th.

The state fair opens at Omaha on Monday, September 5th, and lasts one week.

The people of Dodge county are talking up the county seat removal question.

Peter Krone, of Grafton, was thrown out of a wagon and sustained serious injuries.

Hebron will soon have an elegant new hote of which J. W. Hughes will be proprietor.

Ainsworth's new opera house, 40x100 feet, is nearly completed. It will accommodate 1,500 people.

Hedges & Son's foundry at Lincoln was de stroyed by fire a few days ago. Loss not given.

The Omaha printers arrested on charge of firing the Omaha Bee office have been discharged.

Harry Richards, of Auburn, was thrown from a wagon and painfully and dangerously injured recently.

John Gabler, living near Wayne, is suffering with a badly broken leg, the result of a kick from a horse.

Burglars entered the clothing store of J. G. Smith, Fremont, and carried away clothing to the amount of \$175 or more.

The removal of the old Congregational church to make room for a better one has been commenced at Fremont.

Time was when Otoe county sent to Missou ri for apples, but now she has them herself to ship to all parts of the state.

The Gibbon creamery turns out 2,500 pounds of first class butter a week, which readily finds a cash market at good prices.

Kent Conant, of Geneva, was kicked in the face by a horse, and though not seriously hurt will carry a scar for some time.

John Jordan, of Franklin county, was se riously injured by being gored by a bull. His dog came to the rescue and saved his life.

George Warner, the man so nearly killed recently while at work on the Paxton building in Omaha, has almost entirely recovered.

A steam ferry will soon be in operation opposite Blair, affording direct means of transit for teams crossing the Missouri either way.

Martin Peterson, while coupling cars at Omaha, was caught between the bumpers and received injuries which resulted in his death.

The Blair Republican says that the hog cholera has never been as destructive in Washington county as it is at the present time.

Fremont is up in arms because of a move to take away the county seat and put it at Centerville. A special election is held September 9.

ried. Pace claims Mr. W. agreed to pay him a certain amount should the marriage take place.

Dispatches were recently received Omaha from Chicago and elsewhere asking if any part of Nebraska had suffered and what the prospects were. The answer went back that there were no frosts yet and no immediate fears of any, and that the general rains over the state on Sunday had been followed by hot weather.

Casper Cornelius, of Kearney, died a few lays ago from the effects of poison. The cause of his suicide is supposed to have been financial trouble and former trouble in other matters. His age was 62 years. He was born in Prussia. He leaves a large family, mostly grown and well fixed financially. He was proprietor of the City hotel at Kearney.

A boy baby was found on the steps of an Omaha residence the other night. A letter attached to the little waif said he was two weeks old, that his name was Wm. Clifford, and he was thus disposed of to allow his parents to follow their profession. He was taken to the home of the friendless. The cash drawer of the Burlington and Mis

souri depot at Nebraska City was broken into and robbed of \$64. One Peter King was arrested at Table Rock on suspicion. At the preliminary examination the prisoner waived examination and was sent to jail. All the money except a few cents was found on his person.

Rev. S. H. Henderson, pastor of the M. E. church at Hastings, sustained serious injuries by falling from a bridge spanning the Blue river at that point. He had stepped from the train on to the bridge, and, turning, proceeded toward the depot, lost his footing, falling a distance of twenty feet. The full extent of the injuries are not learned, but are

supposed to be very painful. The Beatrice canning company uses up

about thirty tons of corn daily, producing an average of 10,000 cans completed each day. The price paid for corn is seven dollars per ton as it comes from the field in the husk, which is said to pay the producers this season from \$20 to \$25 per acre, and no uneasiness about an early frost. The establishment em-

ploys at the present time 110 persons, mostly boys and girls.

In Washington county a funeral procession was ascending a long hill, when by some means a team became frightened, backed down against the next, and so on until three

carriages were overturned, and men, women and children fell under the wheels, were trampled on by the horses or thrown in some instances against or completely over a wire fence which came up close to the road. Mrs.

Gould had her arm broken in two places, and many others received painful bruises.

CRIMINALITIES.

At Montpelier, Vt., Clark W. Sanders deliberately shot and killed Daniel Carr, a merchant. Cause, jealousy by Sanders of his wife.

Rev. Charles Sharp, of the Bloomfield (Pa.) Catholic ehurch, while crazed with disease, committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver.

At a political meeting in New Haven, Ky., James Johnson shot and killed John Bartley, and seriously wounded his son, Jos. Bartley.

CAPITAL BRIEFS.

The treasurer of the United States has for warded the governor of Louisiana \$21.000 free school bonds of the state, captured at Baton Rouge in 1865 by Lieut. Gen. Sheridan.

Commissioner Loring, of the agricultural lepartment, has issued a circular to collectors of customs containing regulations for the imortation of meat cattle. The rules laid down are very stringent, and for the object of strict quarantine and rigid inspection of all imported animals.

The following special examiners of the pension office have been appointed under the civil service act: Illinois, R. M. White, James H. Coy, D. S. McIntyre, J. F. Allison, W. H. Woodwerd, W. I. Faulk; Nebraska, W. L. Vanderlip, and a total of twenty-nine from the other states of the union.

Senor Romeo, Mexican minister, has received a communication announcing the failure of the corn crop in Chihuahua, and asking him to notify exporters of corn in this country, who may wish to export it for seed to Chihuahua, to address the government of that state, giving the price, quality and quan-

tity. The audit of the accounts of W. A. Gorman, who from 1853 to 1857 was governor of Minnesota, and ex-officio superintendent of Indian affairs in that territory, has just been completed, and shows \$1,289 deficit. Gorman and all his sureties have been dead for years, while the papers have been passing through the departments.

BRIEFLY TOLD.

A fire at Dubuque wiped out \$100,000 worth of property.

A fire at Portland, Oregon, destroyed over \$100,000 worth of property.

The damaging drouth in Virginia has just been broken by copious rains.

Forest fires are raging in Michigan and destroying vast tracts of timber.

The Very Rev. Patrick H. Terry, pastor of St. Patrick's Catholic church, Chicago, died on the 24th.

Li eutenant Greely and wife are visiting in Montreal. Greely is very weak and physicians enjoin a long spell of rest and quiet. Rear Admiral Andrew Allen Harwood, U.

S. N., died at Marion, Mass., in his 82d year. He was appointed midshipman in 1818 and retired in 1864

A cyclone passed through portions of Dakota, doing much damage. No loss of life is reported up to this time but the reports are very meagre.

Joe Bogard, colored, aged 18, was hung at Lenoke, Ark., in the presence of 3,000 people, for raping a white girl named Rhea, aged 11, in January last.

Three hundred speakers are in the field in Maine, setting forth arguments in favor of constitutional prohibition amendments, to be voted on September 8th.

"Good luck," a substitute for lager, manufactured by Christian Magnus, a brewer at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, was condemned as intoxieating by a justice of the peace.

The review of the torpedo experiments by the North Atlantic squadron in the presence of President Arthur and the secretary of the

next meeting of the directors, to be held upon the 17th day of September, to take such action thereon as may be proper and expedient. "Voted—That Mr. S. R. Callaway be ap-pointed second vice president and general manager, to take effect from the first proximo. "In accordance with the foregoing vote S. R. Callaway will assume the duties of second vice president and general manager. Monday. vice president and general in the 1st day of September. "He will be respected and yəqoed accord-ingly. CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS, JR., President."

POLITICAL NOTES.

Gen. Butler's law partner writes that he will support the former for the presidency.

The democrats of the Tenth Missouri district nominated Thomas L. Clardy for re-election to congress by acclamation. The democrats of the Tenth Ohio district

nominated Frank Hurd for re-election to congress. The convention was the largest ever held in the district.

Blaine, acting under the advice of his physicians, will remain at Bar Harbor, Me., for several days. He is suffering from a severe cold and sore throat.

A committee of gentlemen from Peoria, Ill., waited on ex-Governor Hendricks, at Indianapolis, and formally invited him to be present at the opening of the Peoria fair, September 15th. Mr. Hendricks accepted the invitation. The Age, of Houston, Tex., offers this singular prize: A reward of \$50 will be given for the best written or printed prescription of a political 'independent.' The description to be embraced in not more than 100 lines of not more than ten words each, and to be forwarded to the Age office by the 1st of September proximo."

David Preston, of Detroit, mentioned in connection with the prohibitic n nomination for governor of Michigan, publishes a letter to all the people of Michigan. He claims allegiance with the party that acknowledges Almighty God in its platform, and says the prohibitionists, having done this, he will accept the nomination if tendered. The greenbackers of Texas decided to put a

full electoral Butler and West ticket in the field. The platform put forth opposes the leases of public or school lands in larger tracts than 6:0 acres; favors the policy of selling school lands in small tracts on long time, and advocates a regulation of railroad freights. A state ticket was nominated.

FOREIGN NOTES.

The cholera is increasing in Corsica.

The daily bulletin at Rome showed fortyfour deaths and seventy new cases of cholera in one day.

The steamer "Esperanza," from Marseilles, has arrived at Cardiff with two cases of cholera and been quarantined.

Paris papers indignantly repel charges by the London Times that cruelty was exercised by Admiral Courbet at Foo Chow and indulge in violent abuse of England.

It is intended by Germany to raise a corps of soldiers for colonial service. The German colonial firms, which require military protection, will provide the funds for the corps. Abbe Franz Liszt, the famous pianist, has sent an autograph letter to his friends denving the story that he had become blind at Bayreuth. He says he is able to work with diffi-

NATIONAL CANDIDATES.

The Prohibition Candidates for Presiden and Vice President Officially Notified.

Gov. St. John, of Kansas, and Mr. William Daniel were officially notified at Cuba, New York, on the 25th, of their nomination by the prohibition party for president and vice president. The proceedings were held at the camp meeting circuit grounds, a grove two miles from Cuba, a temperance camp meeting lasting five days being in progress. Prof. Dickey, chairman of the notification committee, was introduced to the audience and the

candidates, whom he addressed as follows: "Gentlemen: I am to speak for the com-mittee representing here to-day the national committee of the prohibition party, recently in session at Pittsburg. In harmony with political usages and in keeping with the dig-nity and importance of the high position in which we shall endeavor to place you, we are when we shart endeavor to place you, we are here for the purpose of notifying you in this official and formal manner of your selection as candidates of the national prohibition party for the positions respectively of presi-dent and vice preident of the United States. The convention which thus honored itself by no wise a selection was no ordinary a thering so wise a selection was no ordinary g: t ering. re were men there bowed under the weight of many years who, a generation ago, met in the same hall to organ ze for victory what seemed to some a hopeless cause, the battle seemed to some a hopeless cause, the battle against that other slavery. Young men were there with the ardor of youth and devotion of heroes; women were there—Francis Willard, and Mary Woodbridge, and Mrs. Burt, and Mary Lathrop, and Esther Hugh, representa-tives of the best brain and heart of American womanbood. It was a convertion of American womanhood. It was a convention of earnest men and pure women, who were there to express the conviction that the government ought to be a government of the people and by the people, and not a government of the saloon and by the saloon. It was a conven-t on representing a powerful constituency from all points of our land; a constituency composed of citizens grown tired of the spec-tacle of two old political parties reviling each other in their eagerness to serve the liquor traffic-going down upon their faces in the dust before the moloch of men and crying out in the language of the Scripture, 'Am 1 not thine ass, upon which thou hast ridden?' I need not assure you the prohibit on party will give you the most ardent support. not succeed in electing you to the high posi-tion for which you have been named, we shall enjoy the proud satisfactiou of knowing that our candidates were the only candidates and our party the only party that ought to suc-ceed, and now, gentlemen, in the name of the noblest womanhood and the purest manhood of America, I invoke the blessings of Almighty God to rest upon you, and may that divine power which rules and overrules in the affairs of the nation and of men vouchsafe unto you such measure of strength aud courage and wisdom as shall enable you to bear well the burdens which the national prohibition party, with supreme confidence, now lays upon you."

ST. JOHN'S REPLY.

"Mr. Chairman and Members of the Committee:-In receiving this formal notification of my nomination for the highest office within the gift of the people by the national conven-tion of the prohibitionists, permit me, notwithstanding that the distinction was not sought by me, to assure you, in view of the unanimity with which it was given, of my high appreciation of the great honor it con-There are more candidates in the field fers. to-day than there are political issues. Upon the great question as to what shall be done with the traffic of intoxicating liquors as a beverage, both the democratic and republican parties are united in favor of making the traffic permanent, while prohibitionists demand that it shall be forever placed under the condemnation of the laws of the land. This is an issue clearly made and, I think it proper to say, the only one to-day that really reaches the heart and conscience of the citizens. upon this issue we go before the people, the source of all political power. Let us appeal

to the reason rather than the prejudice: let those resort to personal abuse and scandal who have nothing better to uphold their cause. The prohibition party is not organiz-ing as a mere threat or menace; it is the out-

laints are ter are in force. Great complain to hand of looseness in the many hern Ute reservation, and Secr southern Ute reservation, and Secretary Tei-ler has sent an agent to the reservation for in-formation, but scattered bands of Indiana continue to roam from their reservation and are not checked. Stockmen are complaining bitterly of losses and demanding immediate

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POLITICAL CONVENTIONS.

The Greenbackers of Iowa and Kansas Put Tickets in the Field.

IOWA GREENBACKERS. The Iowa greenback state convention met at Des Moines with a small attendance. Gillette, chairman of the state committee, made a speech denouncing both the republican and lemocratic parties and platforms. Temporary officers were elected as follows: Chairnan, Sanford Kirkpatrick, of Wapello; secretaries, J. R. Sovereign, of Greene, and W. O. Davis. Kirkpatrick made a speech exhorting the convention to do nothing to jeopardize the interests of Weaver in the Sixth and Weller in the Fourth districts.

The committee on credentials reported representation from sixty-six counties. The plat-form was read and received with great ap-plause. It arraigns both the old parties as orrupt and dishonest; denounces the national banking system; eulogizes Ben. Butler and urges an alliance of the greenbackers in the several states with such party as shall enable them to control the electoral vote. Daniel Campbell, of Monona, was nominated

for elector-at-large. The other electors were nominated as follows: First district, A.S.Hunter, of Henry; Fifth, George Carter, of Iowa; Seventh, H. S. Wilcox, of Polk; Eighth, J. L. Brown, of Taylor; Ninth, Dr. J. B. Molton, of Montgomery. Hon. E. L. Burton, of Wapello, was nominated for supreme judge. A motion was made to nominate a full ticket, to which an amendment was moved to nominate only candidates for secretary of state and treasurer. Great confusion ensued, and after a heated discussion the amendment was adopted-225 to 80, J. F. Dooley, of Keokuk county, was nominated for secretary of state, and George Derr, of Union county, was nominated for state treasurer. The convention then adjourned.

KANSAS GREENACKERS.

The Kansas state convention of the anti-monopoly greenback labor party was held at Topeka. The following ticket was nominated: Governor, H. L. Phillips; lleutenant gover-nor, John D. Breidenthal; chief Justice; H. P. Vrooman; associate justice, J. D. McBryan; treasurer H. E. Hefebourn; anditor W. T treasurer. H. F. Hefelbourn; auditor, W. T. Wakefield; attorney general, H. L. Brush; secretary of state, J. C. Hibbard; superintendent of public instruction, Miss Fannie Randolph: electors and a state central committee were also chosen.

The platform endorses the action of the national convention at Indianapolis, pledges hearty support to Butler and West, its nominees; believes all public lands ought to be open to settlement; denounces the expulsion of peaceable citizens from government lands soldiers in the interest of monopolies and demands the that

cattle kings; Oklahoma and Cherokee strip lands be opened to settlement; demands that the alien ownership of land be prohibited; demands that convict labor shall not be brought into competition with the labor of free men; favors more stringent railroad laws than now exist in this state; believes woman ought to have the full and equal pay for labor with men; pledges support to all the laws for the suppression of the liquor traffic; denounces the republican party for manipul ting the currency so as to defraud union soldiers and compel disabled seldiers and the families of the sain to be humble supplicants for a recognition of their rights and favors the restoration of the right of issue of all the money of this country to the United States government, where it belongs according to the constitution, and oppose the continuance of the railroad interest bearing debt of the United States as a banking basis.

PRIVATE HENRY.

The corner stone of the Episcopal Mission church of the Santee agency was recently laid under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity.

The Beatrice canning company received a proposition from Pueblo, Col., asking if thirty car loads of canned corn and tomatoes can be furnished.

A firm in Grand Island is just now shipping 200 to 500 dozen ears of green corn to Colora do, and finds that it pays. He pays 4 cents a dozen at wholesale.

Mr. and Mrs. Senator Manderson have re turned home from Washington, and will remain in Nebraska till the reassembling of congress in December.

A Fremont bagnio, occupied by Mabel Gray, and generally known as "The Pen," on account of a high board fence around it, was wrecked by fire last week.

The B. & M. is making some substantial improvements at Oxford. The work is about completed. The town is also soon to have a fine grist mill built of stone.

Instructors at the Crete assembly, held last week, all gave their services without remuneration except for their actual expenses The admission receipts were \$557.25.

The mother of Major North has recently returned from a two week's visit to her son, who was seriously injured while performing with the Wild West show of Buffalo Bill.

Rev. Mr. Henderson, who fell through a bridge near Crete, a few days ago is not as seriously hurt as was at first supposed. Physicians think that his recovery will be rapid.

Union Pacific detectives at Omaha arrested two confidence men who had just swindled a man out of \$100. They are in jail awaiting trial, and will probably be sent over the road.

An Iowa officer put in an appearance at Bower, Jefferson county, a few days ago, and arrested one John Phillips on the charge of rape. There is prospect of his doing duty for the state several years.

Leander Clark, of Hall county, attempted to smoke the mosquitoes out of his stable and he succeeded effectually. But he has no stable now and one of his mules was so thoroughly cooked that it will never kick again.

Rev. Father Martin, of Exeter, and assist ant pastor of the Roman Catholic church at Grafton, met with a serious accident last week in attempting to board a train. He was thrown on the platform and badly bruised.

Hogs are being swept off rapidly in Washington county by cholers. Wm. Rosenbaum has lost thirty head of old and 120 pigs. Hans Wulff has lost 517 head of pigs. Many others have suffered more or less from the fatal disease.

The Sioux City Journal is informed that the grading of eighty-nine miles of road-bed from Valentine west is soon to be let. The grading is to be finished this season, but it is not expected that any part of it will be ironed until next year.

Clinton Dill, a penitentiary convict, having been sent up for murder, suicided a few days ago by cutting his throat with a pocket knife. There was a movement on foot to get him pardoned, and if that failed, to secure a new trial.

Anton Nelson, of Long Pine, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor week before last. The deceased was a Swede,

ta county, Col., which lasted two hours. One 1,200 acres in grapes, 16,000 orange and Ga., on Monday for rape on an old white lady Union Pacific General Manager. Ute was wounded and several horses killed. lemon trees, 2,000 pomegrantes, 3,000 No Cholera in Iowa. up in a man's melon patch, but destroyed all at Dawson. The negroes declared that he Mr. S. H. H. Clark has made public through The surgeon-general of the Marine hospital Navajoes are reported as gathering in North- English walnut trees, 4,000 pear trees, the best ones that were left. The owner of the should not be hanged and made many threats. the press the following: service has received a letter from the secre-tary of the state board of health of Iowa say-ing the health officer at Canton reported the melons had them arrested, and three of the party were compelled to serve a night in jail before the matter was settled. James Pace, of Beatrice, has brought suit siganst a man named Watterson, living in Marysville, Kansas, claiming \$2,500 for intro-ducing Mr. W. to the lady he afterwards marto the Omeers and Employes of the Unior Pacific railroad: "At a meeting of the executive committee of the board of directors held in New York on August 27th, the following votes were passed: "Voted—That the resignation of Second Vice Dresident and Canada and Second ing the health officer at Canton reported the disease recently prevalent there was dysen-tery and nothing more, and the persons who originated the reports in the first place of the existence of cholera was misinformed as to the facts. The only contagious disease in tee district is whooping-cough. Vice President and General Manager S. H. H. Clark be accepted, to take effect from the first proximo, and that it be referred to the only avoid attacking cattle men when the lat- grain.

An old feud. Thomas J. Chapman, the alleged murderer of a wealthy bachelor farmer named Nicholas Hubert, near Chr. rleston, 111., was arrested at

Poplar Bluff, Mo. A. V. Raleigh, a conductor of a freight train on the M. & B. railway, in Georgia, was killed by Eli Taylor, a negro. Taylor took to the

swamps and was being pursued by dogs. While temporary insane, Thomas Murphy, a peaceful and respected citizen, killed his wife by stabbing her with a pair of shears. Mur phy has been addicted to spells of mental aberation for about a year.

John Howard, an old citizen of Galesville, Texas, was mobbed and shot to death. He was accused of burning a thresher, and when lynched was in the custody of officers en route to the Tamposac jail for safe keeping.

Miss Ella Ames, a very lovely young woman employed at Bunting's large shoe factory at Burlington, Vt., as forewoman, attempted to commit suicide by taking poison, but was saved by the stomach pnmp. She had been seduced by her employer, a married man.

William Davis, vice president of the Globe Mutual Benefit society, at New York, was arrested charged with having, while agent of Providential Life insurance company of America, collected commissions on policies issued to what are claimed to be ficticious persons.

RELIGIOUS SHARPERS.

How a Nun Broke an Agreement Made With Her Sisters.

St. Louis dispatch: Miss Louisa N. Taylor, sister of Mrs. Chouteau, and daughter of the late George B. Taylor, educated by the order of St. Francis de Sales two years ago, announced her determination to become a nun. Prior to this she conveyed her property of \$100,000 to her sister Ida, then unmarried, under a written agreement that she expected to take monastic vows with the order of St. Francis de Sales. Should she not do so on entering and afterwards severing her connection with the order, the property was to be restored to her. Some months ago Miss Taylor left the convent and announced she had withdrawn from the order and asked for a restoration of her property. Her sister, suspecting the sincerity of her act, demurred to giving back the property, and Miss Taylor brought suit to re-cover. Mrs. Chouteau reconveyed the prop-erty and a short time afterwards Miss Taylor transferred it all to Robert McNicholas as trus-tee for the use of the correct of the Visit tee for the use of the convent of the Visita-tion, and Miss Taylor re-entered the convent and took the black veil. The plaintiffs allege fraud and collusion against the officials of the convent, who are charged with using undue influence to obtain the property and seek to set aside the deed by which it was reconveyed and also the deed by which it was transferred to Molecular to McNicholas.

A Horseman Vindicated.

W. W. Blair, trainer of Maud S., who has driven her in all her public performances, having felt aggrieved at publications intimating that Vanderbilt was displeased with his work, Capt. Stone, former owner of Maud S., obtained permission to make public the fol-lowing letter, dated at Saratoga:

GEORGE N. STONE-Dear Sir:-Yours re-ceived offering me \$100,000 for Maud S., but the terms are such I could not comply. The mare has been sold to Mr. R. Bonner for a very much smaller sum. There was no dickering much smaller sum. There was no dickering as to price, and no after consideration. I no-tice something has been said that I was dis-satisfied with Blair's management in driving. This is not from me. I have been satisfied with the management of the mare, but have been greatly annoyed by letters received since she performed at Cleveland. I have had all I wanted of that kind of business, and conuded to put an end to it.

Hanged for Outraging a White Lady. A negro named Clark was hanged at Macon navy, at Providence, R. I., proved a grand

The governor general of Canada has been ordered by the home government to secure the services of 600 Canadian voyagers to go up the Nile to the relief of General Gordon at Khartoum.

The defaulting paymaster, Samuel Roberts, who is ill at his summer residence near Wilkesbarre, Pa., attempted to shoot himself. He has assigned to Charles Parrish all his household property.

The Philadelphia Medical News editorially demands an examination to determine the question of color blindness among the officers of the Tallapoosa, and thus ascertain whether that fact is responsible for the sinking of the

Mr. Case authorizes the following statement with reference to various rumors that have been afloat as to Bonner or any one else buying Jay-Eye-See: "No one has the option from me to buy or authority to sell Jay-Eye-See. He is not fo

Continuous dry weather in Ohio has for the Spain. The movement has grown out of the second time this summer threatened great injury to the corn crop, as well as all tobacco, riculture and commerce, in the chamber of pasture and vegetables. There has been no deputies some weeks ago, in which he spoke rain in southern Ohio and Indiana for nearly three weeks.

Governor Crosby, of Montana, states a special agent sent by him to inquire into the condition of the Piegan Indians has just returned and found these Indians, about 2,000, dying from the effects of gradual starvation at the rate of one a day.

S. W. Talmadge, of Milwaukee, presents the following figures as the final estimate of the wheat crop of the United States for 1884: Winter wheat, 380,000,000 bushels; spring wheat, 150,000,000 bushels; total winter and spring wheat, 530,000,000 bushels.

Mace, the six-year-old daughter of Lyman Trumbull, dieā a few days ago. She ran against an earthen teapot in the hands of a cook, knocking out the bottom with her head, the contents scalding her badly. Cause of death was concussion of the brain.

A man living nine miles from Lexington-Ky., notified the sheriff that George Alsop and Theoplis Graves, the escaped convicts who led the recent revolt in the penitentiary at Frankfort, were seen in the neighborhood. Deputy Sheriff Rogers at the head of a posse, immediately left for the scene. The fugitives were surprised in a cornfield. They immediately opened fire on the posse, killing George Cosseil, a prominent farmer. The posse returned the fire, killing both Aslop and Graves.

THE SLAIN ELDERS.

Memorial Services in Respect to Their Memory.

respect to the memory of the Mormon elders assassinated in Tennessee were held yesterday in all the large and many of the smaller towns in Utah. A congregation of about seven thousand attended the services in the taber nacle in this city. The remarks of the speak-ers, which echoed the sentiments of the congregation, were conciliatory and consoling, reflecting in no way on the people of Tennes-see generally, but attributing the murder to the result of bigoted prejudice on the part of ignorant and misinformed individuals. The prevailing sentiment among the leading Mormons, and Mormon people generally, is that such acts are the outgrowth of the flood of misrepresentation and falsehoods chicily

The Eastern telegraphic company at London has given notice that, owing to hostilities at Foo Chow, telegrams to that point will be

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accepted only at the sender's risk. Such telegrams must go from Shanghai to Foo Chow over the Chinese line. Baron De Camcel, French ambassador, has returned to Berlin from a visit to Paris in response to a summons from the government

and has started for Varsin to confer with Bismarck.' It is believed this conference has reference to the Franco-Chinese difficulty. The European residents of Shanghai remain unmolested. Many Chinese, however, are becoming alarmed and leaving the city and

foreign settlements. Thies magistrate and consul, has issued placards urging the natives to remain, as the French have no present intention of attacking Shanghai or Woo Song. The clergy of Spain have started a monster

demonstration in every church in the country in favor of the temporal power of the pope. The first signatures to the address on this subject include leading prelates and nobles of



ed Men.

ciano Padillo, a Mexican, was arrested at Beatrice and taken to Liucoln for a rape on Ella Range, a thirteen-year-old girl, last Saturday, near her home, six miles east of Crete. Sheriff Melick and three deputies took the prisoner out for identification in the afternoon. They got off the train at Denton and went to Range's house on horseback. Seeing there was danger they started back to Denton with the prisoner. Thirty masked men emerged from a corn field and gave chase, and although the sheriff had half a mile start he was overtaken. He took the handcuffs off the prisoner and fought bravely in his defense, but was overpowered. Padillo was taken before the girl and identi-fied, after which he was taken to the scene of the crime, where a rope was put around his neck, and being fastened to a tree he was pushed off the bank. He asked for time to pray, which was given, and he then confes-ed his guilt. The girl's recovery is doubtful, as she was of immature development. and was lacerated so as to induce peritonitis v inflammation. The lynching is unhesi atingly and openly approved here. The crime was committed in a plum patch where the knife and threatened to kill her if she resi t ed. After accomplishing his purpose he left her unconscious. Padillo had served five years in the Nebraska state penitentiary for a similar offense. He was sent from New Mexico. He kept a bold front to the last, even sent from New

Dr. H. C. Bishop is under arrest at Nebraska City on a charge of strangling a deformed child, born to Mrs. Curran, whom he attended professionally. The doctor was arres ed on complaint of William Cottorire, Mrs. Curran's prother in law, who alleges that recently she gave birth to the child, and that Dr. Bishop tied a string around its neck and choked it to tied a striny around its neck and choked it to de th, telling those present that he would be sent to the penitentiary if he permitted the monstrosity to live. The body of the child was dug up and examined by the coroner's jury, before whom witnesses testified that the child was born in the morning and killed, and then wrapped in a sack and buried in a lot back of Mrs. Curran's house. Attorney Wat-son entered a plea of not guilty for Bishop, and he was placed under \$1,000 bail.

growth of rapidly increasing crystalized sentiment against the great evil of the age, an evil that the old parties dare not attack, but against which this young party of the people, in defense of the homes of the nation, has entered upon a warfare that shall never cease so long as the flag of our country waves its protecting folds over the legalized dramshops. In this struggle let us ever remember that we are accountable to God; that our duty to Hin is paramount to our allegiance to any political party; that pol tical ties will never in His sight excuse a bailot for any party that does not stand up fearlessly for the right. The home will have nothing to fear if the people vote as they pray."

M8. DANIEL'S SPEECH.

"Mr. Chairman and Members of the Committee: I am profoundly gratified for the honor conferred by selecting me as one of the standard bearers for the great reform moveconferred ment. I accept the nomination for the office of vice president, and expect to do so more formally by letter hereafter, knowing well that it is one of responsibility and involving no little of personal sacrifice. I appreciate this honor, not merely as a personal one, but as a token of appreciation by the convention of earnest, solid prohibition work that has within the few years past. I also appreciate it as an indication of the desire of our brethren of the great north and west to obliterat all sectional party lines and build up a grand union party, composed of the best elements on both sides of the line in an array against the worst enemy of mankind. The represen-tatives of protection to homes everywhere deputies some weeks ago, in which he spoke slightingly of the restoration of temporal sition is more clearly evinced from the fact that I am the first person selected since the war from a southern state as a candidate for a national position, and I trust this action will be the harbinger of that reign of harmony, good will and unity throughout the land, which a poet has described as the union of lakes, the union of lands and the union of stat s. None can sever the union of hearts the union of hands and the flag of the union forever. Whatever may be the r sult of this effort so far as the precise number of votes polled is concerned, I believe the agitation to be of immense advantage to the cause and the country. I believe the result will be to rivet the earnest and thoughtful attention of the American people upon the liquor traffic this gigantic crime of crimes, so as to cause a speedy adoption of such measures as will greatly hasten its overthrow. The duty of the hour is to crystallize and organ ze the prohibition sentiment. We have already entered into political action and thus, having a standard to which we can raily, we shall more rapidly form whatever else of sentiment that may be needed than in any other way. I have but to say in conclusion, that I shall do all in my power now and henceforth to bear onward this prohibition standard."

A HOWLING HURRICANE.

A Great Deal of Property Destroyed and Some Loss of Life Incurred.

Evansville, Ind., and surrounding country was visited by a destructive hurricane on Friday last. A damage of not less than a quarter of a million of dollars in Evansville and vicinity was inflicted. Homes were blown down, roofs carried away, stores badly damaged. thousands of shade trees were torn up by the roots and other injury done. The steamer Belmont, which leaves Evansville every morning, was wrecked by the storm about two miles from Henderson, blowing her barge and cars to the bank, taking her chimneys off and sinking her almost instantly. Fourteen lives were lost. The hurricane capsized the boat, turning her completely over. She was going to Henderson with a cargo containing the passengers of the Louisville and Nashville railroad. The boat was separated from the barge. All on the latter were saved, and all on the boat, except four or five, lost. Among the lost are Captain John Smith, E. C. Roach and son, a prominent merchant of Evansville, Miss Laura Lyon and sister, Sallie Bryant, teachers there and mother, also Mrs. Woodward, of Henderson, and a lady and a babe with a satchel, with a card in it marked Miss Hattie Murray, Brookfield, Ala. The bodies of the

Information reached Denver of a fight beorations are marvellous, and the imfamily and no relatives on this side of the tween the reservation Utes and settlers on mense amount of different products al ocean. the great bend of the Dolores river, in Laplamost fabulous. The farm comprises A number of boys at Lincoln not only filled

Coroner Robinson in Receipt of Dora Buck's Letter.

New York dispatch: Coroner Robinson, of Long Island City, has received a letter from Miss Dora Buck, of Lincoln, Neb., sister of Private Henry, who was executed on the order of Lieutenant Greely, of the Lady Franklin Bay expedition, instructing him to have the body exhumed from Cypress Hill cemetery and examined. The letter is in the shape of an affidavit, which, after setting forth the relationship between the deceased and the de-ponent, instructs the coroner to make a comlete examination for the purpose of ascertaining, if possible, the manner and cause of eath, as well as of the condition of the body. "he examination will be made in a few days

The Blaine Libel Suit.

In the Blaine libel suit against the Indianapolis Sentinel, the fifteen days time allowed the defense in which to answer, expired on the 30th, and the attorneys for Mr. Shoemaker entered appearance. This action was necessary to escape default. The defense will now have its own time unless plaintiff's attorneys se-cure a ruling requiring an immediate answer. In the latter case it is customary to grant ten days further time. days further time.

Walking on the Water. New York Dial.

A man whose name is prominent in sporting circles in this city said last night that a man was coming to New York who could walk on the water. The answer he received was only an expression of incredulity and a sarcastic query as to who the miracle worker Was.

"Now, that's all right," he said; 'I'm giving it to you straight. He can get right out on the East river and walk over its surface."

The Dial hand evidently did not look very trustful, for the man said: "Now, I'll tell you all I know about it. This man is coming here from Germany consigned to me. When he comes I will notify and two or three others to whom I have spoken about the matter. We will go out on East river dock at night, where we can get some light from the bridge lights, let mister man down on the water, and, if he don't walk to Brooklyn after promising that he will, he'll wish he hadn't picked me out to make a fool of."

The gentleman bent his left arm slowly up and glanced significantly at a wonderful bunch that swelled the sleeve of his seersucker coat where it covered his biceps.

"What does this aquatic pedestrian wear on his feet? Canvas? Does he make a catamaran of himself?" asked the Dial hand.

"The soles of his shoes are about a half-inch longer than his ordinary street shoes, and the soles are a little over half an inch thick. The greatest difficulty he experiences in accomplishing the feat is balancing himself when the water is rough. He used to be a tight-rope dancer before he became a water-walker."

A Right Smart Chance of a Farm, San Francisco Examiner.

The extent of some of the vast ranches of Los Angeles county is even beyond three latter were found. the imagination. Baldwin's Santa Ani-Yours, very truly, W. H. VANDERBILT. ta ranch is situated in that county, and in this country some seventeen years, and a A Fight With Indians. is probably the largest. Its natural decman of about 50 years of age. He had no emanating from this city, and continually kept before the country at large by their

cerned in the lynching are the best farmers in the county. There is great excitement in the neighborhood, and the action of the mob Salt Lake dispatch: Memorial services in is generally approved.

A DOCTOR'S DEED.

A Ravisher Summarily Dealt With by Mask-Crete (Neb.) dispatch: A f ew days ago Lu-

when confronted by the girl. The men con-

speech of Senor Pidel G. Mon, minister of agpower.