Campbells Back at Neligh.

The News: Campbell Bros.' circus is at the convention at Lincoln. advertised to be in this city on Monday, August 2. It has been over three be passed up thereafter.

Delegates Are Chosen.

Battle Creek, Neb., July 26.—Special to The News: The democratic convention was called to order by John Flynn, chairman of the central comman Gerecke, chairman; J. B. Donomanent organization was effected by the election of Herman Gerecke chairman and F. E. Martin secretary.

The following delegates were elected Lincoln July 27:

folk; George W. Losey, Battle Creek; hope is held out for her recovery. M. S. McDuffle, Madison; Pat Stan-County Central Committee-Norfolk, First ward, H. W. Winter; Norfolk, Second ward, W. H. Weekes; Norfolk, Third ward, Peter Stafford; Norfolk, Fourth ward, Fred Koerber; Norfolk precinct, W. F. F. Winter; Warnerville, Carl Riche; Valley, Adrian Craig; Enola, Nick Schmidt; Union, Frank Malone; Green Garden, Nick Christiansen; Kalamazoo, C. D. Jenkins; Emerick, John Horrocks; Schoolcraft, J. C. Osborn; Fairview, E. A. Lyon;

Reed of Madison was elected chair- Neb. man and W. H. Weekes of Norfolk, secretary.

Brown County Republicans.

The News: The Brown county repub- Bruner of this place, died Saturday lican convention was held here. H. S. at an advanced age. Mrs. Bruner had Jarvis was elected chairman and John been in failing health for some time M. Cotton secretary. The following and her demise was not unexpected. delegates were elected to the state She is the mother of a large family convention that meets in Lincoln Tues- of grown calldren among whom is day, July 27: Judge James Morris, Prof. Lawrence Bruner of the state Smith; H. S. Jarvis, Ainsworth. The following alternates were also elected: W. H. Metcalfe, Ainsworth; Amos Burwell, Ainsworth; Ed Davis, Lakeland; J. S. Davisson, Long Pine; Tom John-clipped the following from a western few days. son. Johnstown.

The following members of the cou son, Smith; H. P. Bergman, Fairfield; J. S. Davisson, Long Pine.

The following resolutions were adopted:

"The republicans of Brown county, Nebraska, in convention assembled, declare our faith in the administration of President Taft and our adherence to the principles and policies of the socalled progressive wing of the republican party, and we demand that the republican majority in congress keep faith with the people and give to us as shall inure to the benefit of the consumers of this nation.

"We declare our allegiance to the principles of protection and believe in a protective tariff where such protecthat the products of the trust organiza- events. tions are in need of any protection today.

"We indorse the principles of the income tax as advocated by our delega- shoes. tion in congress and commend the subthe voters of America.

"We commend the stand taken by exchanged. our senators and our members of contariff bill at the present special session, and we assure them of our unbounded confidence."

Delegates from Wayne. Wayne, Neb., July 26.-At the Wayne republican county convention held here the following delegates to the state convention were chosen: \$5 shoes, size 61/2. Can not be ex-Grant Meors, A. Davis, Ellis Kenrik, changed. August Ziener, L. J. Hughes, James Farrant, F. S. Tracey, Frank Crane

and A. E. Gildersteve. The members of the county central five 1-lb. boxes. committee are: J. W. Johnson chairman; H. Prescott, secretary; F. A Jackson, Edward Beemer, Will Prince, Played. John Grier, O. C. Lewis, Amos Long, Frank Tracy, A. R. Davis, O. S. Gamble, John Shannon, Samuel Rice, J. J. Porter, August Miller, C. A. urday afternoon, but rain prevented Chace, Frank Crane, Frank Erxleben Sunday's game. and Bert Brown.

Antelope Republicans.

The News: The republicans of An- strike-outs, none of the visitors could telope county met in convention in find him for a smash further than base this city at the Auditorium Saturday No. 2. afternoon and selected the following the state convention, which will con- top shape. vene at Lincoln tomorrow: J. F. H. McGee, John Malzacher, D. Austin a chautauqua on. and M. B. Huffman.

The democratic and people's inde-

Palmer and B. J. Ryan were selected Watters, as...... 3 1 0 0 2 Neligh, Neb., July 26.—Special to by the democrats to represent this city Williams, 2b...... 4 1 2 3

Stanton Delegates. Stanton, Neb., July 26.—The republamb, cf...... 4 0 1 0 0 years since this show has exhibited licans of Stanton county in conven- B. Watters, rf..... 4 0 0 0 0 here, and it is somewhat of a surprise tion here elected as delegates to the Chapman, if...... 4 0 0 2 0 that they stop in Neligh this time. At state convention Charles McLeod, A. their last appearance in this city an A. Kearney, W. W. Young, L. Smitheffort was made on the part of the old berger, A. Spence and S. D. Denney. soldiers to prevent them playing on A county central committee was Tottenhoff, If...... 5 0 1 2 0 account of it being Decoration day, selected harmony and enthusiasm However, the show exhibited just the were distinctly in evidence and de- Buckmaster, 1b..... 5 0 1 13 0 same, but Campbell Bros, gave the re-termination was stamped on every Page, 2b. 5 0 0 3 2 that may be done for republican suc- Schoenauer, 3b..... 4 2 2 2 0 cess this year.

Drops Dead After a Swim. Valentine, Neb., July 26.-Special to The News: Larry Lyman, the 20year-old son of Roadmaster Lyman, died suddenly yesterday of heart mittee. Temporary organization: Her- failure. He had gone swimming with Norfolk ... 0 1 1 3 0 0 1 1 *- 7 9 3 and the camp will be one of as modfriends and just after he got out of van, secretary. Following the report the water he dropped dead. His auer, Lamb, Williams. Hits: Off the party have with them are "mosof the committee on credentials, per- body was brought home and it is not Brandt, 9; off Ward, 4. Stolen bases: known yet where he will be buried.

Miss Williams Gaining. to the state convention, to be held in The News: Miss Anna Williams, the Watters. Struck-out: By Ward, 3; son, Roy, who is working there. automobile victim, is gaining. She is by Brandt, 6. Time, 1:45. Umpire, John Welsh, Dr. J. P. Pecival, Nor- conscious more of the time and more Howe.

ton, Tilden; Corl Jenkins, Kalamazoo. RAIN OVER NORTH NEBRASKA. Moisture Was Needed for the Corn.

Insures Big Crop. A general rain fell over northern farmers say it will insure a bumper swollen and his neck is in such a where she had been visiting her pa-

Neligh Child Dies.

Neligh, Neb., July 26.-Special to The News: Dorothy Mabel Frake the 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Rockefeller; Meadow Grove, John Mrs. Frake, died yesterday morning Bressler; North Deer Creek, W. H. of colera morbus at the home of Jackson; South Deer Creek, James P. James Kilpatrick, who resides eleven Hughes; Highland, S. H. Thatch; Bat- miles north of this city. The parents tle Creek, George W. Losey; Madison, of the little girl had been visiting for M. S. McDuffie; Madison, outside, the past two weeks at the home of George Litke; Shell Creek, Frank her sister, Mrs. Kilpatrick, and about a week ago the child was taken ill. At a meeting of the central commit- The body was shipped yesterday aftee, held after the convention, W. E. ternoon to their home at Betrand,

Death of Mrs. Uriah Bruner. West Point, Neb., July 26.-Special to The News: Mrs. Uriah Bruner, Ainsworth, Neb., July 26.—Special to the widow of the late Hon. Uriah Johnstown; W. A. Bucklin, Long Pine; university, state entomologist. Mrs. Ed Lynch, Enderslake; H. O. Wilson, Bruner was very highly esteemed in the community.

> Chance for Ball Player. One of the Norfolk ball players has

"Wanted-A first-class grocery salesty central committee were elected: man, capable of driving delivery wag-Wm. M. Ely, Ainsworth; A. Scatter. on and taking orders, work in store good, Johnstown; Amos Westover, nights and manage business when Moon Lake; F. A. Wales, Lakeland; F. owner is away, and take care of stable. A. Stephenson, Garfield; E. P. Skill- Must also be a good pitcher and first baseman, able to hit .300, so he can Buffalo; Ed Davis, Chester; H. O. Wil- manage local team which I own. Will church at Fremont Sunday. pay \$50 a month for a good man. No

others need apply." Here's a fine chance for an aspiring and ambittous young player. Hours, probably 4 a. m. to 12 p. m. Two meals Mrs. C. F. W. Filter, they will leave winning game means an additional measure of oats for the plowhorse.

Women Training for Foot Races. There will be some tall footracing in Norfolk next Saturday when wives and sweethearts of U. C. T. men compete for prizes at the annual picnic. such a revision of the tariff downward At a party held a few days ago several women went out in the back yard it is said that a number are planning and will occupy the dwelling about to go out in the country, away from September 1. curious eyes, during the coming week

One of the prizes offered is rather unique in that it can be of service noon at 3 o'clock. only to a woman who wears No. 61/2

This prize is to be given by O. L. ican Lady shoes, and they can not be

The following prize donations have will be scheduled for their disposal:

lady's oxfords.

James R. Carter, \$10 cash. Leo M. Borowick, 100 Napoleon ci-

O. L. Hyde, 1 pair American Lady The donation of Frank W. Carlisle

Norfolk's Standing. Pct. ranch, west of town, shipped two cars Won. Lost. .750 of cattle yesterday. Four hundred head were fattened this season at the

should read: three 5-lb. boxes of bon

bons, three 2-lb. boxes bon bons and

Norfolk trimmed Bloomfield 7-2 Sat-

The pitching of Archie Ward, Norfolk's new ball tosser, was the game's Neligh, Neb., July 26.-Special to feature. While he didn't land many

Buckmaster and Brown, injured durdelegates to represent this county at ing the week, were on the job in tip

Page's crowd have gone to Dallas Boyd, Geo. Coupland, J. F. Fannon, J. for games Monday and Tuesday, and M. McAllister, G. W. Fannon, Geo. Sey- on Wednesday play at Gregory. Thursmour, W. G. Fletcher, G. W. Park, Geo. day they play at Wayne, where there's

Bloomfield-AB. R. H. PO. A. E. pendent convention was held at the Hunter, 3b...... 5 0 0 3 1 1 mittee will be held in the directors' court house on the same day. H. S. Busby, c...... 4 0 0 9 0 room of the Nebraska National bank

3 at 8 o'clock tonight. The meeting tonight is for the purpose of making ar-Brandt, p..... 5 0 1 1 1 0 rangements and dates for a general I meeting and to lay out plans. Stoddard, 1b..... 4 0 0 5 2

Neno, ss..... 5 2 0 2 0

Lusinsky, c...... 4 0 2 8 0

Haak, rf...... 4 1 2 3 0

Score by innings:

Ward, p..... 4 0 0 4 2 0

Bloomfield 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0-2 4

Brown, Neno, Schoenauer, Lusinsky.

Struck By a Ball.

Neligh Register: While watching

shape that his condition is alarming.

MONDAY MENTION.

W. N. Huse is in Denver on busi

S. H. Grant went to Madison to visit

Mr. and Mrs. D. Rees will leave for

his brother.

Minn.

Pinkerton.

Sunday at Pilger.

Colorado tomorrow.

ing friends in Norfolk.

A. Rainbolt of this city.

ing with Mrs. C. Rasley.

Madison and Meadow Grove.

who retains the same offices.

come up at 9 a. m. July 28.

cotton seed and shorts.

that party.

Gid Salmon, in charge of the Napper

ranch, consuming 18,000 bushels of

corn, besides hay and several tons of

left her purse, containing \$6, on a

counter in a down town store. When

it is suspected the purse was taken by

The funeral of Frank Heckman, held

Sunday afternoon from Christ Luther

an church, was attended by a very

large number of friends. The funeral

and German. Burial was in the new

A meeting of the good roads com-

cemetery north of the city.

While shopping Mrs. C. E. Greene

on the river.

9 and 10 o'clock a. m.

Norfolk-

AB. R. H. PO. A. E.

R. H. E.

At the meeting of the A. O. U. W. lodge, to be held Tuesday evening, it is expected that initiation of a big class of candidates will take place. Deputy A. B. Dillon did some work here earlier in the month and as the result of that work, in which he was assisted by 2:30 p.m.—Prelude, Heaton Concert local members, the remainder of a it is to be a Workman. The event of 7:30 p. m.—Prelude, Heaton Concert the year in local A. O. U. W. circles is expected for Tuesday evening.

A camping party consisting of P. J. Fuesler and his two sons, V. A. Nenow, 3:00 p. m.—Lecture, Dr. Robert S. Mac-A. Smith and A. Removsky, left here for Henderson's place, where they will camp and fish for a week. The party has a telephone installed in one tent Summary-Ewo-base hits: Schoen- ern as can be made. The cots which quito proof," having a mosquito bar fitting around them at night to keep insects away from the sleepers. Left on bases: Norfolk, 10; Bloom-

field, 7. Bases on balls: Off Brandt, Mrs. S. G. Saterlee left this morning Pierce, Neb., July 26.—Special to 5; off Ward, 3. Hit by pitcher: Neno, for Omaha for a brief visit with her James Brennan spent Sunday with

> his family in Omaha. Jay and George Arp of Missouri Valtheir sister, Mrs. F. Kroholer and Mrs.

William Hill. ball game at Riverside park last Friday afternoon, Geo. Coleman was Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Spear have ar struck in the neck by a foul ball. At rived home from a visit in Omaha. Mrs. John Spellman arrived home first it did not seem that he was hurt, ture was needed for the corn and but since that time his throat has Saturday evening from Nickerson, 3:00 p.m.—Lecture, Col. G. A. Gear

> rents. Mrs. C. R. Kampman and two children arrived home from Fremont, where they have been on a visit with Mr. Kampman's sister, Mrs. Gannon,

> formerly of the Junction. The pile driver crew came down from Verdigre to spent Sunday in Nor-

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lackey spent William Lewis is in a hospital in received at the horse races in Fre-R. D. Rohrke of Hoskins was visit-

Burt Hanger of Neligh spent Sun-E. W. Zutz, who had been in Linday with his brother, Carl Hanger. coln on a business trip, returned to-John A. Mullin has arrived home from a business transaction in Fre-Mrs. E. N. Vail went to Wayne Monday noon for a short visit with rela-

John Long of Omaha spent Sunday Mrs. Chas. Lodge left yesterday for with Norfolk friends.

Mrs. John Crotty of Amerilla, Tex., a visit with her daughter at Welcome, who has been here visiting with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Pat Crotty, left for Miss Helen Glissman of Doon, Ia., is visiting here with Miss Minnie Brum-Inman last evening for a visit with rel-

Mrs. George Deuel of Pittsburg, W. M. Rainbolt of Omaha spent the Kan., who has been visiting for some day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. time with his nephew, Art Blubaker, went to Tilden last evening for a visit A. J. Reiter and daughter and Miss with other relatives. Gladys Reiter of Marion, Ia., are visit-

Among the day's out-of-town visi-Mrs. F. G. Koester and Mrs. C. R. tors in Norfolk were: C. H. Bryner, Reed are visiting at the home of Mr. Callaway; A. J. Lunder, Wayne; F. and Mrs. J. G. Bostrom at Wausa for a H. Mohrman, Pierce; C. S. Smith. Madison; Wash Simpkins, Neligh; W. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wise of Sloux P. Schelp, Platte Center; H. Barnes, City and Miss Ruth Spence of Madi- Battle Creek; Mrs. S. R. Warnock, Wayne; O. A. King, Wayne; George son visited over Sunday with Mrs. Johnson, Wayne; W. L. Mote, Plainview: M. F. Parish, Fairfax: W. H. Mrs. Edwin Booth, jr., left for Geneva, where she will visit with her Field. Madison; Miss Ida Mark, father for a few weeks. Mr. Booth Lynch; Peter Larson, Randolph; J. G. preached at the First Congregational Dyer, Meadow Grove; J. S. Story, Pawnee City; Lloyd Busby, Wakefield; W. M. Moldener, Tilden; Joseph Mr. and Mrs. August Gehm of Mar-A. Schmidt. celine, Mo., are stopping here for a

short visit with relatives after which, Ed Monroe, driver of the fire de in company with Mrs. E. W. Apfel and partment, has been making calls on business men along Norfolk avenue a day and buy your own uniform. A for the coast. They will visit the Se- with a view of getting their aid in attle exposition and other coast cities, keeping the gutters in front of their J. D. Sturgeon has purchased the places of business clean. He has met millinery stock of Mrs. Waddell at with much success. With the excep- Sidney S. Gordon, was engraved in the tion of a very few the business men If there is no more rain there will have agreed to sweep off the gutters be a Christian church Sunday school every morning at the same time they picnic Tuesday, leaving the church at sweep off the sidewalks. In front of many places where ice cream cans C. B. Durland has purchased the etc., stand, many flies gather, and if residence property of Dr. A. Bear, cor- the places are not cleaned off dirt acto practice up on speedy stepping and ner Norfolk avenue and Ninth street, cumulates and gives the business front of any place a bad appearance.

On Saturday evening a jolly party The Woman's Home Missionary so of U. C. T.'s to the number of about tion is needed, but we do not believe to get in training for the racing clety of the Methodist Episcopal forty members and their wives, met church will meet with Mrs. S. F. Dunn, at the home of A. Randklev on South on South Eighth street, Tuesday after- Eighth street and from there pro ceeded in a body to the home of A. L. The firm of Coryell & Senn, who Lagger and wife on South Ninth had offices in the Bishop block, has street and completely surprised the been dissolved. Business will from couple who are about to leave for ject to the careful consideration of Hyde. It is a pair of No. 61/2 \$5 Amer- now on be continued by F. G. Coryell, Corpus Christie, Texas. They brought their refreshments, consisting of ice E. H. Walters and Oscar Uhle and cream and fine home-made cakes, their families, despite the rain Sun- which after an enjoyable interminggress during the consideration of the just been made, and special events day, enjoyed a fine day's fishing. They ling, was served to all. After wards caught quite a number of fish and in a few well chosen words, by Ben T. Reid, 1 pair patent leather cooked them at the camp they built Secretary George H. Spear, on behalf Norfolk Council, No. 120, U. C. T. Work begins tomorrow on the im- and their ladies, Mr. and Mrs. Lagger provements of the First Congregation- were presented with a finely engraved al church. The walls will be redec- Mount Vernon table spoon, as a orated and the floors will be re-vartoken of the esteem in which they nished and covered with new carpets. were held, also as a memento of the S. M. Rosenthal has filed suit in occasion. Responses were made by Justice Lambert's court against Oscar both Mr. and Mrs. Lagger. After an Sutton for \$23.51 and cost of suit, al- enjoyable evening was spent the leged to be due for goods and mer- guests departed after bidding God chandise sold him. The case will speed, and good bye.

Baked Tamale. Boil until tender one small chicken or that amount of any tender meat. The meat from soup bones is fine used this way, and veal is as good as chicken. In fact, you can use to advantage any tender leftover meat. Strain off the broth, remove the bones and break into small pieces. Put into a frying pan two tablespoonfuls of lard or drippings and when hot add two tableshe went to pick it up she discovered spoonfuls of flour and let brown a it was gone. There was but one other little. Then add the meat, salted to customer in the store at the time, and taste, with one cupful of broth and two tablespoonfuls of chill powder. Stir and cook ten minutes. Set off to cool and add a small cupful of raisins (whole) and about the same of olives. Now make a stiff batter of three cupfuls of cornmeal and one of flour, saltsermon was delivered in both English ed, into which is rubbed three-quarters of a cupful of lard or drippings, moistened with one beaten egg and one cupful of broth. Line a deep pan with the butter and bake one hour.-Delineator.

CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAM

Norfolk This Year Will See Many High Class Attractions. The program for the Norfolk chautauqua !las year has been announced

as follows:

Saturday, August 7. 3:00 p. m .- Entertainment, "Mascot."

8:00 p. m.—Lecture, Thos. E. Green. Sunday, August 8. 2:30 p. m.-Prelude.

Arthur. :30 p. m .- Prelude. 8:00 p. m. -- Entertainment, Ellsworth Plumstead.

Monday, August 9.

2:30 p. m.-Prelude, Nortons' band and orchestra. 3:00 p. m.—Lecture. Lt. Gov. Luther Manship.

:30 p. m.-Grand concert, Norton's band and orchestra. Tuesday, August 10. 2:30 p. m.-Prelude, Norton's band and

3:00 p. m .- Lecture, Dr. Chas. L. Goodell. ley are here visiting at the homes of 7:30 p. m.—Prelude, Norton's band and

Orchestra.

orchestra. 8:00 p. m.-Lecture, Hans P. Freece. Wednesday, August 11. 2:30 p. m.—Prelude, Midland Jubilee

Singers. hart. 1:30 p. m.—Grand concert, Midland Ju-

bilee Singers. Thursday, August 12. 2:30 p. m .- Prelude, Midland Jubilee

3:00 p. m.—Lecture, Dr. H. W. Sears. 7:30 p. m .- Prelude, Midland Jubilee Singers.

8:00 p. m.—Lecture, Dr. H. W. Sears. Friday, August 13. Omaha, as a result of the beating he 2:30 p. m.—Prelude, DeKoven Male Quartette.

3:00 p. m.-Dr. Irl R. Hicks. 7:30 p. m.-Prelude, DeKoven Male Quartette.

8:00 p. m.—Entertainment, The Morphets (magicians). Saturday, August 14.

2:30 p. m.—Prelude DeKoven Quartette. :00 p. m .- Lecture, Denton C. Crowl. 7:30 p. m.—Prelude, DeKoven Male

Quartette. 3:00 p. m.—Entertainment, J. Lorenzo

Sunday, August 15. 2:30 p. m.-Prelude, DeKoven Male Quartette. :00 p. m .- Lecture, Sen. Shirley Gillil-

:30 p. m.-Grand concert, DeKoven Male Quartette.

LONG LOST RING'S RECOVERY

Bay State Man Found Jewel Which Had Lain In a Pond Ten Years. Sidney S. Gordon of Haverhill, Mass., while visiting Brockton, Mass., found a valuable diamond ring in Ayer's pond that he lost ten years ago

while boating on the pond. Mr. Gordon was visiting a relative in Brockton. He decided to take an outing on the lake. While rowing away from the shore of the pond his attention was attracted to an object shining in the water. He stopped rowing and, reaching his arm down deep, picked up the ring that was lying on

the bottom of the little lake. It was the same ring he had lost there ten years before. His name, inside of the ring.

DIRECTOIRE BATHING DRESS.

Plans and Specifications For the Pa risienne at the Seaside. Smart Frenchwomen will adopt, ac

cording to a special Paris cable dispatch, the directoire style in their bathing dresses at the coming seaside season, so as to preserve the slender, elongated shape that this style of gown gives them ashore.

They will wear corsets made of stiff cloth with flexible quill ribs instead of whalebones, the corsets being kept in place by suspenders or r the shoulders. A tight fitting culotte is an indispensable feature of the costume, a close cut princess gown covering all.

The outfit is completed by stockings and high laced shoes matching the color of the dress.

NIGHT BASEBALL LEAGUE.

One of Eight Clubs to Be Organized In Cincinnati. Baseball by electric light was given

an additional trial the other night at a greater success than it did when first attempted in Cincinnati. An increased battery of lights was used, and the Shamrock and Avondale teams played nine innings of fast ball.

The Avondales won, 7 to 3. Each side played without error. The improved lights made the handling of batted balls easy and accurate. A crowd of 3,000 witnessed the game. Steps were taken to organize a night baseball league of eight clubs.

New Use For Old Bachelors. The "man chaperon" is a novelty in London, and he promises to become permanent. Taking out a girl relative or child of an invalid friend is one of the hardest duties of the married woman. It was a happy thought to turn the dull bachelors, long past their youth, to some use. The men, too, have been fiattered by this easy responsibility, and they take honest de light in guiding the young misses through the London drawing rooms theaters and all the rest. The plan might be tried in the United States if the comfort loving old bachelors could be tempted long enough from their clubs.

A QUEER PARROT.

The Old Lady Had Reason For Sur prise When the Bird Spoke.

A young ventriloquist, being out of an engagement, decided to pay his widowed mother a visit for a few weeks. On arriving he found she was not at home. A few days after his arrival she appeared, bringing with her a parrot and cage which had been given her by a relative. The bird not being able to talk, mother and son spent many tedious hours trying to instruct the parrot. After several futile efforts

they gave the job up in despair. Then a happy idea occurred to the son. Bringing his ventriloquial powers into requisition, gently at first, he made it appear to his mother that the bird had really begun to talk. The mother not knowing the nature of his avocation, he was successful in deceiv ing her. He had an engagement to fulfill which necessitated his departure.

Coming back after the termination of his contract, he was heartily received by his mother and made very welcome. Soon after his arrival home he commenced and carried on a conversation, as before, with the parrot. Noticing the look of consternation on the countenance of his mother, he inquired what was the matter. Imagine his

surprise when she replied: "Why, the parrot died while you were away, and I had it stuffed and put back in the cage."-Pearson's Weekly.

FLY FISHING FOR TROUT.

Why an Angler Considers It the "Best of All Sports."

I am inclined to believe that fly fish ing has its chief and most easily defined excuse in the existence of a certain fish-Salvelinus fontinglis, the speckled trout. Here, indeed, is something tangible, a thing which may be taken in the hand-first catch your fish -and looked upon. No one seeing a freshly caught brook trout would say that it was other than a thing of beauty. Its delicate, varicolored resplendency is not equaled by any living

thing. The tarpon, the "silver king" of southern waters; the Atlantic and Pacific salmons, the ouananiche, or landlocked salmon, and the grayling comprise practically all the other fishes, excepting the various forms of brook trout, which may be said to possess both beauty of form and coloration. It cannot be denied that these fish are justifiably praised, but it is generally conceded that the red spotted brook trout has nothing to fear from their competition. Of the western rainbows cutthroats and steel heads the rainbow is the eastern brook trout's nearest competitor, and that is praise enough for the rainbow.

So here is one good reason at least why fly fishing for trout is considered by many the best of all sports.-Samuel G. Camp in Recreation.

Pathos and Humor.

The study of the art of putting things is to be recommended to every one who meditates a plunge into print. Even the writing of a death notice involves a certain amount of genius if the author wishes to keep clear and well defined the fragile line which lies

between the serious and the funny. That this is true is shown by certain quotations from a Leipzig paper given in Bishop John F. Hurst's "Life and Literature In the Fatherland." Here are a few sentences extracted from

these obituary notices: "Today death tore away from us for

the third time our only child." "Last night at 5:30 the Lord took to himself during a visit to the grandparents our little daughter Antoine of

teething." The last speaks better than it knew. "Here died Marie Wiegel, who was mother and seamstress of children

The Sacred Goose. In Egypt the goose was the emblem of Seb, father to Osiris. A precious figure of it is extant inscribed "The Good Goose Greatly Beloved." It was the national flag of Burma and of Kandy, Ceylon. Wherever Buddhism rules the goose is venerated. Therefore it is a leading motif in the art of Japan and a symbol of peace and happiness in China. Figures of geese are as indispensable at a Chinese wedding as is bride cake with us. In both countries, as also in Burma and Siam, weights are made in the shape of a goose as a token of good faith, though the connection is not obvious. But in ancient Egypt the same custom ruled, and Layard found goose weights among his first discoveries at Nineveh. A row of gigantic geese surrounds the great Buddhist temple at Anajapoora. The devout cherish a fond fancy that all geese perform an aerial pligrimage to the hollest of lakes in the Himalayas every year, transporting the sins League park, in Cincinnati, and proved of the neighborhood, returning with a new stock of inspiration for the encouragement of local plety.

When the Play Fails.

"Patiently, morning, noon, night, sometimes far into the dawn, the rehearsals go on, first the steps, then the music, then the words, then the situations with principals and stars in rehearsal and always the business. the exacting command, the sharp rebuke, the tireless round.

"How would you like to rehearse day and night, seven weeks, without pay, and find yourself out of a job after the first night?

"Wouldn't you rather read of a glo rious triumph and see the managers and authors and composers rake in the shekels, the golden, glittering shekels, even though they grew fat on them, for the sake of the people who had rehearsed seven weeks without pay?

"The tragedy of failure is back in the land of make believe, down in the crowded dressing room, down where the girls huddle together and tremble down where one weeps silently and dries her eyes on the skirt of a useless costume."—Smith's Magazine.

PASSING OF CUSHMAN

Quaint Sayings of the Representative From Washington.

WITTIEST OF CONGRESSMEN.

Never at Loss For a Reply-His First Speech on River and Harbor Bill Filled the House With Roars-Rose From Water Boy to High Place.

Francis W. Cushman, representative in congress from Tacoma, Wash., who recently died in New York, attained two distinctions while in congress. One he claimed as his right by nature, that he was the homeliest man there, and the second he was accorded unanimously, that he was the wittlest.

There had long been the claim that Frank Marion Eddy of Minnesota was the homeliest man in the hall. Walking down the aisle one day, Cushman claimed the speaker's attention and after a spread eagle speech that might have prefaced any subject he turned toward Eddy and said: "Look us over -compare this face with that (pointing to Eddy) and tell me am I not the homeller?"

Having succeeded to the seat made vacant by James Hamilton Lewis, the members were anxious to see what "Jim Ham's" successor was like. They saw six feet of dangling, slim manhood, a sober, gloomy exterior, with clothing hanging limp and ill fitting.

They gazed at him for a moment and then, bursting into a laugh, some one said, "Great heavens, do they raise anything but freaks in Washington?" To which Cushman replied drawlingly, "Well, we try to keep pace with the rest of this great country, sir."

When the river and harbor bill was being discussed and most of the members had hidden themselves in the cloakrooms Cushman arose to speak. No one paid much attention for awhile. Suddenly some listener awoke the house with a roar of laughter. Five minutes later the seats were filled with listeners to one of the wittiest speeches ever delivered there.

J. Adam Bede, who had a reputation for humor, was once followed in one of his wittlest speeches by Cushman, who said:

"After listening to Mr. Bede's speech I am forced to the conclusion that my folks subscribed to the same almanac that his did."

After Secretary Hitchcock resigned from the interior department Cushman made a speech in which he said, "When the news of Mr. Hitchcock's retirement was sent out there was not a dry throat west of the Mississippl." Telling of his going to congress her said, "I crept noiselessly into the hall,

oppressed by the vast gobs of statesmanship I knew were to be found on every hand-conscious of my own unworthiness except as to the matter of depulchritude, where I knew I was supreme." Now and then Cushman essayed to flay the methods of the house. On

one occasion he said, "A man who introduces a bill here puts his manhood in his pocket and goes trotting down the aisle to the speaker's room-or the bill dies." Sereno Payne, who, then as now,

was chairman of the committee on ways and means, came in for a special drubbing at Cushman's hands in that speech, as did General Charles H. Grosvenor of Ohio and John Dalzell, the speaker's Republican colleagues on the committee on rules. It was in that speech that Mr. Cushman gave his famous explanation of why he was so thin. "I have behind me an honest but in-

furlated constituency." he said, "half a million worthy, honest, patriotic people, who are demanding, and rightfully, that I secure certain needed legislation for them. That is the pressure on me from the rear. Then, in this house, whenever I try to secure consideration of the matters in which my people are interested I run up against the stone wall that surrounds the speaker and the committee on rules. That is the pressure in front. And I tell you frankly that between the two I have become thinner than a canceled postage stamp. That is what is the matter with me."

One of Cushman's first speeches made a hit in the house. In lamenting the panic of 1893 he said that his constituents were so impoverished by the hard times that they had to live on clams washed ashore until their stomachs rose and fell with the tide.

Here are a few of Cushman's epi-"A great many of our citizens seem to be possessed of the desire to live

on the installment plan-too many live swiftly, too few properly." "There are too many of us Americans who would rather ride in a mortgaged automobile, run with bor-

rowed gasoline, than walk in the path of honorable obscurity." The career of Cushman was typically American and as typically western. He was born in Iowa in 1867, got a village schooling, and, with all his earthly possessions in a small sized handkerchief, he tied the corners loosely across the top and made for the boundless west. He landed in Wash-

ington and became a water boy for a railroad. Next he was a section hand, then a laborer, later a cowboy in Wyoming, a cook in a lumber camp, a lumberman, a sawmill hand and later For five years, when times were hardest and fees fewest and smallest,

he was a lawyer in Tacoma. You ought to find out about it-

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