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THE pope's health is poor.

A SLIGHT earthquake shock was felt at Wichita, Kansas, Thursday morning.

THE state fair managers talk of ar nulling the contract locating the fair in Omaha.

THE treasurer of Hamilton county will furnish a bond for \$150,000, given by the United States Fidelity and Guaranty company.

THE American people are in favor of the war in Cuba coming to an end the sooner the better.

THE increase in internal revenue receipts for the five months of this fiscal year over the same of last year, is about \$8,000,000, or nearly twenty millions a

MRS. NANCY ALLISON McKINLEY, mother of the president, was stricken with paralysis Thursday morning and is not expected to live long. She is in a semiconscious state.

At Sheboygan, Wisc., Prof. G. W. Ferguson was dismissed from the school by the board of education because he hypnotized a number of pupils at a private exhibition.

A NEW and fatal disease among horses has made its appearance at Arcola, Illinois. The disease originates in the throat, and renders the animal unable chokes to death.

THE sale of Douglas county bonds at a large premium shows that good bonds are in demand. There is money for in vestment in this country and growing confidence in the stability of republican institutions. Bee.

L. W. Osnors of Blair, who was appointed consul to Samoa, has arrived here and gave a Turkish bath is not to be mentioned in comparison with the Samoa climate. He was injured in a runaway since his arrival.

Ax Ohio law requires that patent medicine venders label on their packages the ingredients of their preparations. It will be a blow at them, because they often contain small quantities of poison, such as strychnine, morphine and ar-

A Mr. MALONEY of Philadelphia has a contrivance that he says will revolutionize all methods of transportation—it resembles an immense Ferris wheel, and is arranged to roll along at a rate of 150 miles an hour; to be run by electricity at about one-tenth the present rate and in one fourth the time now required.

An exchange remarks that the order recently given by George Gould for a 10 per cent increase in the wages of employes of the Missouri Pacific railway, which means an increase of \$900,000 in the wages of the 15,000 men employed, will not be considered enough of an item in the return of prosperity to make offices selected by the postmaster gen- prise to hunt ducks. The party will be any note of, by the pop papers.

ALL classes alike are beginning to realize the great economic importance of son may become a depositor under this indicates an intention upon the part of permanent highways. Farmers feel that they have too long been compelled minors above 12 years. Deposits are of paper money over to the national to build and improve country roads at their own expense, and they are entitled to state support in this great necessary public improvement. Upon these lines, and upon these lines alone, the good roads improvement is bound to succeed, and will succeed, and upon these lines the League of American Wheelmen proposes to keep up its agitation, with the help of the farmers of the United States, until our common roads, neglected until now, the stepchildren, as it were, of a great republic, shall have received at the hands of our legislatures some of that tender care and nursing which has been extended in the past to canals, to steamship lines and to railroads, many of which have grown up almost entirely at public expense.—Otto Dorner.

DR. GALBRAITH of St. Joseph's hospital, Omaha, writes a correspondent, has unearthed a novel case of appendicitis. It is that of Fred Kuhns, a laboring man who has been under treatment at the hospital. Kuhns was suffering such agony that he could not remain quiet a moment. He could not sit down or stand up, and simply wallowed about on the floor. It was observed that the cause of his suffering was strangulated hernia, and during the operation found necessary the discovery was made that he was also suffering with appendicitis. The operation was therefore extended to the appendix, and when the latter was removed it was found to contain five bird shot, one of which had become encysted. After their removal the patient been wounded in the abdomen and it is the house at the last session by Delesaid that a wound that would have de- gate Catron, has been reintroduced by from Buda Pest says that a bill was inposited the shots where found would have necessarily proven fatal. The only conclusion was that he had swallowed the leaden pellets while eating game.

MOORE'S SENTENCE.

On Dec. 1, Eugene Moore, ex-auditor of state, was sentenced by Judge Cornish to eight years in the penitentiary and a fine of \$46,416.10 for the embezzlement of insurance fees amounting to \$23,000. When asked if he had anything to say, he said he had never intended to do wrong, but that friends to whom he had entrusted money had failed him when it was needed, and that this was

the reason for his shortage. At first, the judge pronounced a sentence of ten years, but Mrs. Moore made an appeal for mercy, and the court stated that on account of the devotion of the wife and children he would take off two years.

Moore was remanded to the care of

the sheriff. The attorney general will not insist on the sentence being put into effect

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With nineteen leading railroads of the country reporting an increase of 16 per cent in the aggregate earnings for the month of November over the corresponding month last year the query "Have you met General Prosperity?" loses its sarcasm. - Omaha Bee.

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Session of Congress.

POSTAL SAVINGS BANK MEASURE.

Congressman Lorimer Presents a Bill For the Establishment and Regulation of a Postal Savings Bank System Money Order Offices to Be Branch Banks-New Mexico Statehood Bill.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.-The attendance upon the opening session of the senate, both on the floor and in the galbeyond the presentation of the presicident thereto would be transacted.

the members passed half an hour in exlican colleagues. Mr. Wolcott of Colorado, one of the members of the international monetary commission, was mala, was an interested spectator of the father is probate judge of Woodward proceedings from a seat beside his friend, Senator Deboe.

Charles Page Bryan, the new United States minister to China, was a notable figure in the reserved gallery, and in the diplomatic gallery were several members of the Chinese legation and several other members of other lega-

Senator Money, the new senator from Mississippi, entered the senate soon to eat and drink, and it eventually after the recess, but the oath was not administered to him during the session. The reception and reading of the president's message was the only feat-

ure of the day. Crowds Throng the Galleries. The opening day of the regular session in the house passed without unusual incident of any character. The formalities attending the inauguration of the session are dry and except as a spectacle hardly repaid the crowds assassinated while passing along the which thronged the public and private galleries. Yet with a few exceptions the visitors staid through the whole

Mr. Dingley, the floor leader of the (O.) enjoyed the distinguished honor of dent, whose message was, of course, the event of the day. Its reading was long thus incurred their enmity. and tedious, but it was followed with close attention by the members and the spectators in the galleries. There was no demonstration until the reading was concluded, when the Republicans joined in a hearty expression of approval. Immediately after the reading of the message the house adjourned out of respect to the memories of Senator George of Mississippi and Representative Wright of Massachusetts, who had died during the recess.

POSTAL SAVINGS BANK BILL. Congressman Lorrimer Presents a Meas-

IWASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The establish ment and regulation of a postal savings bank system is provided for in a bill introduced by Representative Lorrimer J. Bryan reached here today and left (Ills.). Under his scheme money order | with a party of friends for Lake Sureral are to be branch postal savings gone three or four days. Mr. Bryan banks with an office in the department expressed himself as follows on the to be called the central bank. Any per- president's message: "The message act, including married women and the president to aid in turning the issue mulating above \$1,000 will not draw silver as money." interest. Postal saving stamps and cards of the denomination of 5 and 10 cents are to be sold. Interest is to be at the rate of 2 per cent a year to be added to the principal on June 30 of each year. Passbooks are to be forwarded annually for examination. The secretary of the treasury under this bill is required to invest in interest bearing bonds of the United States or whose principal is guaranteed by the United asks the public to send him money. States, or in state bonds and bonds of municipalities and counties under stated restrictions. Deposits will not be liable to seizure or detention by legal process. All status depriving crimes in the pos-

Protest Against McKenna. Echols and Secretary Palmer have issued a special address to the councils of the American Protective association. The address says it is the duty of the association to protest to the senate elevation to the supreme court bench; asserts that the government departments are being Romanized and Romanists given more than half the offices in certain departments; declares against the president's latest extension of the civil service and urges all members to write to their senators and representatives in opposition to the appropriation of any money at the present session of congress to sectarian pur-

tal service are to be applied to the pos-

New Mexico Statehood Bill. WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.-The New ered in nine days. He had never Mexico statehood bill, introduced in modifications from the Catron bill. must have resided in the proposed state between Hungary and Austria proper for 60 days instead of one year; the without referring to any action on the 81 delegates, based on a population of trian government. 2,000 instead of 1,900 for each delegate. and an additional delegate is provided for any fraction over 1,000 inhabitants. The election of delegates also is to be held on the eighth Tuesday instead of the sixth after the passage of the act.

> FOUR OUTLAWS LODGED IN JAIL. Leaders of the Famous Jennings Gang

Lodged In Jail at Muskogee. MUSKOGEE, I. T., Dec. 7.-Four members of the Jennings gang of outlaws were lodged in jail here last night. Al and Frank Jennings, the reputed leaders of the band, are among the beat Ives in filing a challenge and postprisoners. The two Jennings brothers ing forfeit, and "The Young Napoleon" and Tom O'Malley were captured by will probably be second choice. four of United States Marshal Bennett's men early this morning, while traveling in a covered wagon, east of here, toward the Arkansas line. The deputies surprised them on the road and they surrendered without firing a shot. The deputies then went to a her captain sick. until after the expiration of thirty days | house near Bond Switch and captured

CROWD THE GALLERIES Morris O'Mailey, catching him in bed. been close upon the trail of the ban-Large Attendance at Opening dits, for whom there are standing rewards aggregating \$3,000. On Tuesday last Marshal Bennett's men encountered the gang at a house in the western part of the Cherokee nation. The deputies then succeeded in arresting John O'Malley, but the others made their escape at that time and had evidently satisfied themselves that the officers had been eluded, as they were not prepared to resist when sur-

prised. The Jennings boys and their followers are charged with several crimes, but were particularly wanted for the holdup leries, was notably large, despite of the well understood fact that little business broad daylight several months ago near Chicksha, I. T. They are also accused dent's message and the proceedings in- of having stolen 400 head of cattle from the Chickasaw nation. Al Jennings Prior to the convening of the senate has been a leader in Oklahoma politics. He was at one time county attorney of changing greetings. Mr. Hanna of Canadian county and is a lawyer of Ohio, who has been ill for a week, was considerable ability, and both Al and given a cordial reception by his Repub- Frank are graduates of the University of Virginia. Another brother was killed by Temple Houston of Texas during a saloon row about two years ago. also given a warm greeting. Dr. W. Al Jennings was shot in the arm during Godfrey Hunter of Kentucky, the re- the same affray. The brothers come of cently appointed minister to Guate- a highly respectable family. Their county, Oklahoma

> Ex-Minister Egan a Special Agent. MONTREAL, Dec. 7.-Patrick Egan, ex-United States minister to Chile, has cept the other conditions. been in the city for several days. It was stated that he came here to look into the facilities offered here for the shipment of grain to Europe. However, today it leaked out that Mr. Ezan is acting as a special agent for the United States treasury department at Washington to look into the smuggling of Chinamen across the American to: der from this district. Mr. Egan left continue his work in this city.

Farmer Killed by Moonshiners LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 7.-Albert Giles a prominent farmer living in the west end of Van Buren county, was public road Friday. He was fired upon from ambush and a dozen bullets from rifles penetrated his body. The murder is believed to have been the work of moonshiners. The scene of the tragedy majority; Mr. Bailey, the recognized is but a short distance from the spot leader of the minority, and Grosvenor where Captain Taylor and his posse were murdered last August. Giles had being appointed to wait upon the presibeen very active in an effort to rid the community of moonshiners and had

> Railroads Granted Time. LINCOLN, Dec. 7 .- The state board of lowing Nebraska railroads 10 days time in which to restore carload rates on live stored and set Dec. 5 as the date on havior of the German minister, Count which the temporary restoration should | Schwerz. be made and an application of the roads for this time has been extended.

Bryan Hunting Ducks. Galveston, Tex., Dec. 7.-Hon. W.

Luctgert Appeals For Funds. CHICAGO, Dec. i.-Adolph L. Luetgert, who is now in court for his second trial for wife murder, has issued an appeal to the public for funds with which to defray the cost of his trial. He opens his appeal with an affirmation of innocence and then declaring that the first trial used up his resources, which he promises to repay when at liberty.

Four Men Seriously Injured. MOBERLY, Mo., Dec. :.- Four men, Martin Mears, George F. Barnhart. George Darrell and John Rojans, were tal savings system and the act is to seriously injured here today by a falltake effect within six months of its pas- ing building. While tearing down an ice house it suddenly collapsed and the men were burried under the debris. WASHINGTON. Dec. 7 .- President Mears and Barnhardt may die. Darrell's home is in Iowa.

Rev. Keith Ketuses a Pension. VINCENNES, Ind., Dec. 7 .- The Rev. T. J. Keith of this city bas written a against Attorney General McKenna's letter to the commissioner of pensions at Washington refusing a pension and making full restitution of all money received by him-\$195. He says his pension was not well based.

Two Dollar Tax on Whisky. OTTAWA, Ont. Dec. 7 .- Major Walsh, administrator for the Yukon district, has notified the government that he has imposed a tax of \$2 per gallon on all whisky going into the Yukon country. If this tax does not stop the traffic it will be ratsed.

Austria-Hungary Compact. LONDON, Dec. 7.-A special dispatch Delegate Ferguson. There are several troduced in the lower house of the Hungarian parliament today by the govern-Voters for the statehood convention ment prolonging for a year the compact convention is to consist of 77 instead of same subject upon the part of the Aus-

Senators Must Go Dry. WASHINGTON, Dec. 7,-The senate committee on rules instructed the sergeant-at-arms of the senate to enforce the rules of the senate prohibiting the sale of liquor in the senate wing of the capitol. There was no liquor on sale in the senate restaurant during the day.

Slosson Receives Two Challenges. NEW YORK, Dec. 7.-Billiard Champion George Slosson has received challenges to defend the title from Jacob Schaefer and Frank Ives. Schaefer

Captain Forsythe Ill. LONDON, Dec. 7.-A telegram from Callao states that the British bark Alonby, Captain Forsythe, from Liverpool, July 29, for Vancouver, B. C., put into Calloa on a date not given, with

# ULTIMATUM OF KAISER. REPORT ON RAILROADS.

Hours to Grant Demand.

WILLING TO PAY THE INDEMNITY.

It Is Also Probable That Yielding to Superior Force and In Order to Avoid Internal Troubles, the Haytien Government Will Accept the Other Conditions. German Cruisers at Port au Prince.

PORT AU PRINCE, Dec. 7.—The trouble between Germany and Hayti, as a result of the arrest and imprisonment of Herr Lucders, reached a crisis yesterday. Two German cruisers entered this port during the morning and an ultimatum from the German government was delivered to the Haytien government, giving the latter eight hours in which to grant the demands of Germany for an indemnity to Herr Lueders. The members of the diplomatic corps here believe the government of the republio has decided to accept the conditions of a many. In anticipation of trouble the citizens

of German nationality sought refuge yesterday on board two steamers which were at this port, and the French steamer Ville de Marseille has been requisitioned by the French minister in order to serve as a place of refuge for French citizens. The Ville de Marseille arrived from Port Orico. The population of this

forces of troops at its disposal and resolved to maintain order. Willing to Pay Indemnity. The population of the city late last evening appeared calm and the present indications seem to confirm the supposition that the government will accept the conditions imposed by Germany so far as money indemnity is concerned, and it is also probable that, yielding to superior force and in order to avoid internal troubles the government will ac-

place is in a state of great anxiety, but

the Havtien government has strong

The exact nature of Germany's de mand on Hayti is as yet somewhat in doubt, but it is understood that the German government asks: First-An indemnity of \$20,000

(American) for Herr Leuders. Second-The promise that Herr Leuders may return to Hayti and there sojourn without danger of any kind. Third-A letter to the German govfor Quebec vesterday to continue his ernment, in which Hayti will express investigation, but will return shortly to apology for the proceedings toward the German government in the whole transaction.

Fourth--That the president of Havti shall graciously receive the German charge d'affaires at Port au Prince. It is this fourth demand to which the most serious exception has been taken by the Haytien government as affecting Havti's honor and involving a deep humiliation, for it was Count Schwerin,

the German charge d'affaires at Port

au Prince, who went before President

Simon Sam and rudely submitted the demand for indemnity and apology. Berlin, Dec. 7 .- A dispatch to the Frankfort Zeitung from Washington today says: The republic of Hayti is ready to pay Germany the indemnity demanded for the alleged illegal arrest and imprisonment of Herr Emil transportation has issued an order al- Lueders, a German subject, who was subsequently released and enabled to return to this country by the intercession stock. The roads recently changed the of the United States minister at Portmethod of fixing rates from carload to au-Prince, William F. Powell, who se-100-pound lots, which was complained cured Lucders' release from prison in against as raising the rates 10 per cent. order to avoid trouble of a more serious Pending an investigation the board nature, which appeared to be brewing ordered that the old rates should be re- on account of the alleged arbitrary be-

> KINGSTON, Jamaica, Dec. 6.—Advices received here today from Port-au-Prince show that serious trouble is imminent in Hayti. The streets of the capital are placarded with "Down with the government," and the troops have been ordered into the barracks.

Mrs. Butler Resigns. LONDON, Dec. 7 .- It developed that Miss Butler wrote to Miss Frances E. Willard last week, resigning the superintendency of the Purity branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, limited to \$1 and its multiples and not banks and in the meantime a purpose unless the latter, as president of the exceeding \$300 each and deposits accu- to give gold a further superiority over World's Christian Temperance Union, unequivocally pronounce against the six propositions of the vice president. Lady Henry Somerset, sent to Lord George Hamilton, secretary of state for India, in April last, relative to the Indian army, which Miss Butler describes as being an extreme form of the regula-

Englishmen Imprisoned by Turks. LONDON, Dec. 7 .- The Daily Mail reports that a party of Englishmen, including Robert Carr, the novelist, while touring the Mediterranean, was seized by Turkish soldiery at Suediah, a port of Asiatic Turkey, 18 miles south of Antioch, Nov. 23 last. They were detained 21 hours in prison and experienced much ill treatment before they were liberated. The Daily Mail says that the government has addressed a "serious remonstrance" to Turkey.

Naval Debate in the Reichstag. Berlin, Dec. 7 .- The reichstag today began debate on the first reading of the government's naval bill. The chancellor, Prince Hohenlohe, made a statement saving that an efficient navy was absolutely required to maintain Germany's position and Admiral Von Tirpitz, the secretary of the navy, explained in detail the necessity for strengthening the navy.

Peary Tendered a Banquet. LONDON, Dec. 7.-Lieutenant Peary, the Arctic explorer, was tendered a banquet last evening by the Geographic club. Afterward Lieutenant Peary lectured in the theater of the University of London under the auspices of the Royal Geographical society. A large audience received him and Mrs. Peary with the heartiest applause

Echo of World's Fair. the United States circuit court has on top of his head and hunted everynamed the amounts of damages in the where for them vainly, he sat musing cases of the French republic and other before the fire, when suddenly a flood exhibitors whose goods were damaged of light illuminated that dark corner by the fire which, on Jan. 8, 1894, de- of his memory where hung the picture stroyed the easino and manufacturers of that small edition of himself losing building at the World's fair. Two or "putting away" the ring. He sprang weeks ago the court decided that the to his feet with an excited cry: "The World's Columbian exposition was lia- ring! The ring! I slipped it down the ble for damages, but at the time did crack in the window casing-the one not give amounts. Judge Grosscup that looks out on the orchard!" found the plaintiffs damages as follows: The French republic, \$57,760; P. H. Reimon, \$1,615; Paul Sormain, \$463; which was the exact spot the old man F. Forest, \$1,200; Maritime Claire, had described.—Buffalo Express.

**\$**2,666. Hawaiian Natives Will Protest. Washington, Dec. 7-The delegation of native Hawaiians, who have come to this country to present a protest against the ratification of the annexation treaty. reached Washington yesterday. They ing it as a delicate compliment to the are Colonel John Richardson, James H. Kaulia, William Auld and D. Kalaukalani. They were not ready to make the tailor had cut his kilt too short, so any statement concerning their mission he made up his mind to put on evening beyond the fact that they were here to dress. two.

Germany Gives Hayti Eight Filed by the Hawkeye State bowing, and this was how he was Commissioners.

SUGGEST CHANGES IN THE LAWS.

Needed to Bring Them In Line With Recent Court Decisions-Uniformity of Rates Employed as Beneficial to the Shipper and Consumer-Board Asks Greater and More Definite Power

port of the Iowa board of railroad com- his hands, waving them wildly and exmissioners has been filed. The board claiming, "My lord, my lord, you've recommends some important changes forgotten these."-London Telegraph. in the rai road laws to bring them in li e wit i recent court decisions. It declares that the most important decision ever rendered on the Iowa railroad | THE laws was in the case of Burris against the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, in which the supreme court held that the statutory penalty of triple damage for the shipper in cases of discrimination in rates could be enforced, even if the rates charged were the maximum rates established by the commissioners under the law authorizing them to fix such reasonable rates.

It was held that if a trial of such a case on its merits developed that the that had been made out of logs during rates were in fact unreasonable, the the night damages could be collected; in fact that anty of uniformity of rates. Every wager to beat a rival clipper, but when definite power in settlement of contro- acquitted. versies between shippers and railroads as to sidings, elevators, warehouses, etc.

Des Moines Firm Embarassed. DES MOINES, Dec. 7 .- The dry goods firm of Blotchky Bros. has filed chattel mortgages for \$14,987, covering their entire stock. It is thought that the financial difficulties can be settled and the business continue.

Editor Commits Suicide. CEDAR RAPIDS, Dec. 7.-E. W. Reed. editor of the Preston Times, committed suicide this afternoon by shooting himself. The cause is supposed to have been financial difficulties.

Mrs. McKinley Is About the Same. CANTON, O., Dec. 7 .- There was an agreeable surprise to the children and friends gathered about the bedside of acids: Mix together two parts of pow-Mrs. Nancy Allison McKinley yester- dered asbestas, one part of barium sulday afternoon. She regained conscious- phate and two parts of sodium silicate of ness sufficiently to recognize not only specific gravity 1 50 A still firmer glue her children, but to extend greeting to can be made which is particularly valua them, to her aged sister, Mrs. Osborne, Charles Miller and to others who were near. She relapsed into an unconscious state and is in about the same condition as before she rallied.

Deuver Capitalist Dies, KANSAS CITY, Dec. 7 .- E. F. Halleck, a Denver capitalist, who has been very sick for two months past at Excelsion Springs, Mo., and in this city, died here in All Saints hospital at an early hour this morning. Death was due to a complication of troubles resulting from disease of the kidneys. The remains were shipped to Denver.

VEXATIOUS.

What wondrous days indeed are these When science shows a light On any pathway that you please, That you may turn aright! Yet life is filled with terrors new. The hours grow dull and long. For everything you care to do. The doctor says, is wrong.

Who tries to warble is forbid Lest germs attack his threat. The dancer's prowess must be hid, Though he may screech a note. Who dines in careles ness complete Is tempted by the throng. But he who likes to may not eat. The doctor says it's wrong. You shun the water, sparkling fair

Lest foes lurk there disguised. You mustn't breathe unless the air Has been well analyzed. Thoughtless you turn, as is your woat, With an affection strong. To kiss your baby. But you don't. The doctor says it's wrong.

-Washington Star

REVIVED MEMORY. We Grow Old, We Recall the

Things of Long Ago.

About 75 years ago, upon a rainy day, a small boy who had reached the mature age of 6 was sitting with his mamma and bemoaning the state of the weather and accompanying absence of novel entertainment. Mamma wore on family heirloom, and as she sewed patiently the jewel glittered on her little white hand. The small boy regarded the bright bauble for some time in silence and then sweetly requested mamma to take it off and let him play with it. It was a weak thing to do, perhaps, but she complied. I date : :y there are mothers at the present day who can sympathize with her, for human nature is the same, though fashions change, and when the "dear child" looked up in her face pleadingly he looked with papa's eyes, and papa was dead. So he got the ring and lost it, as might have been expected. He always insisted that he had "put it away to keep," but he could never remember where.

The years went on. The gentle young mother went out into the great unknown to find the light of her life that shone in "papa's eyes," and the century and the boy having been young together grew old in company too. Finally age began to tell on them. The century got troubled with a complaint designated "fin de siecle," and the boy lost his memory for the things of today, but became abnormally reminiscent in regard to the past. His thoughts often turned back to the young mother long dead, and in the decline of life he had as clear a mental picture of her as his boyish eyes had ever seen. One CHICAGO, Dec. 7 .- Judge Grosscup of evening, having pushed his spectacles Upon investigation the ring was

brought from its long hiding place, Forgot to Wear Trousers. A certain noble lord, who shall be nameless, during his journey north on a political mission changed his costume for a full highland "rig out," intend-

present a protest, adding that they He changed his upper garments and study his speech. This set him to sleep. | eastern states always desire to "take in" |

He awoke with a start, only to find himself running into the station. Forgetting what happened, he thrust on his hat and appreared at the window

He had a full highland costume as far as his waist. Above were a white

shirt and swallow tailed coat, and the entire edifice was crowned with a chimney pot hat, upon which he sat down without noticing it. His lordship's horror when he stepped upon the platform and felt the keen wind cutting his bare legs changed to absolute agony when his valet appeared, scrambling out of DES MOINES, Dec. 7.-The annual re- the carriage with a pair of troasers in

THE SUBJECT WAS DROPPED.

Banquet Between Two Well Known Men.

"That reminds me, " remarked an old pioneer to a San Francisco Post reporter, when General Halleck's name was mentioned, "of the banquet we gave Halleck in 1865, when he returned from the war The people here were proud of him, for he had more than regained the laurels he lost at Corinth, when he permitted the enemy to escape under the cover of a big battery of wooden guns

"Among the friends of Halleck who the rate charged was the maximum of met him at the banquet was 'Bully' the commissioners would be no protec- Waterman, the old sea captain, who in tion to the company. The commission- early days commanded a clipper ship ers call attention to the fact that if this plying between San Francisco and New decision stands there will be no guar- York. On one voyage he had laid a big | Chicago en route. All classes of passenshipper will be at liberty to sue for a he found on going to sea that some of lower rate and it will be impossible to his crew who had shipped as ablebodied sustain uniformity. It is recommended seamen were incompetent he was so mad that the laws be amended to assure that he hanged three to the yard. Just how such uniformity may be maintained. many were hanged was never known, The board also asks greater and more but Waterman was tried for murder and

"During one of those silences that will fall over the merriest of banquets | Chicago, Council Bluffs & Omaha Short General Halleck called to Waterman, who was at the other end of the room: " 'Now that you have been tried and acquitted, Waterman, won't you tell us how many men you hanged on that voy-

"Yes, general, I will, responded Waterman, 'if you will first tell us how many wooden gans stopped you at Cor-"The subject dropped there."

An Acid Proof Glue. The following has been recommended as preducing a cement which will fasten glass or porcelain, etc., together firmly and will not be affected by strong ble, since it is not attacked by hot acids, by mixing together two parts of sodium silicate, one part of the finest sand and one part of finely pulverized asbestus. If potassium silicate is used instead of the sodium salt, the glue will harden immediately, but otherwise it will require about an hour to set. - Exchange.

An old rain has been uncovered on the Moqui reservation in Arizona and nearly 200 pieces of perfect pottery

The star gazers of the Mount Hamilton observatory say that there are 500, 000,000 barning suns in the milky way

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Our Reighbors.

Hooper Sentinel: Adam Schwab accompanied by his little daughter, went to Omaha Tuesday to see his wife who is under medical treatment at St. Joe hospital. A little over two weeks ago she was taken to the hospital where she underwent another operation and over one hundred gall stones were removed from her. Last reports she was doing very well and her prospects for recovery

are good. It looks as though prosperity was there, too. A telegram from Cincinnati, Dec. 2 says that for the first time in six years the Mitchell and Franter rolling mills in Covington, Ky., are running a double force of over 400 men; the Licking rolling mills triple time with 400 men; the Overman & Schrader cordage

works, a double force of 300 men. Real Estate Transfers.

Becher, Jæggi & Co., real estate agents, report the following real estate transfers her finger a beautiful ring that was a filed in the office of the county clerk for the week ending December 4, 1897. State of Nebraska to Gertrude Steinbach, lot 3, sec. 18-18-1w, deed ...... \$ 273-63 Henry Guiles to Gust Dahlin, wie net 33-19-1w. adm'r deed .... Heirs of Jeackim Bunning to Gustay Bunning, swig 34-18-1e, qcd ... Same to Christ and Wm Bunning, nw's 35 and net, 31-18-1e, qcd... Johan Bernd to Vinvenz Zimmerman, lot 8, blk 167, Columbus, wd . John W Goff to William J Lueschen, sel'i 2-19-1w. wd...... John N Koch to John A Schmidt, will

sw1, 31-19-1w, wd Seven transfers, total .... \$12,698 63 Weather Report. Review of the weather near Genoa for the month of November, 1897.

Mean temperature of the month. Mean do same month last year... Highest daily temperature on 3d Number of days on which rain or snow fell Inches of rain fall o same mo, last year Inches of snow.

Do same month last year Prevailing winds from S.W. to N.W.

Ice more or less through the month. Heavy fogs 7th and 14th. Burlington Route California Exentsions.

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