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FOREIGN EVENTS.

Difficulties About Dulcigno Thicken and Danger Feared.

The Turks Hold the Citadel Which the Governor is Ordered to Give Up.

But He Only Dallies and Tries to Bribe Representatives of the Powers.

The French Cabinet Completed But Another Crisis Soon Looked For.

Terrible Riots In Canton---John Chinaman Warns European Residents.

Six Persons Lose Their Lives by a Ferry Boat Accident in France.

Marriage of Theodore Tilton's Daugnter.

THEODORE TILTON'S DAUGHTER MARRIED.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

LONDON, September 23.—1 a. m.—Florence Til on, daughter of Theodore Tilton, was married to Mr. Pelton, of Louisiana, yesterday. The bridegroom is a young but well known New Orleans physician, who formerly practiced law, which becoming distasteful to him, he abandoned for the profession of medicine about six years ago. His family is one of the oldest and most wealthy in New Orleans. He first met his bride abroad in 1879, and the marriage was most heartily sanctioned by Mr. Tilton and all of the young lady's friends.

FRENCH FERRY BOAT DISASTER.

A dispatch from Bordeaux states that a ferry steamer while crossing the Garonne river, yesterday, was capsized and six persons drowned.

DULCIGNO'S DANGER.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

VIENNA, September 23—1 a. m.—The Dulcigno difficulties appear to thicken The Albanians are highly excited, and their apparent calmness the other day was only a cloak to hide their real designs.

The Montenegrins at Podgoritza are impressing the principal Mohammedans of that city, and this adds to the excitement of their co-religionists. The situation is full of danger.

OVER CAUTIOUS.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE.

BERLIN, September 23—1 a. m.—Austria and Germany have agreed not to insist on the execution of a programme on the eastern question likely to expose Europe to divisions.

REVOLUTIONARY THUNDER.

The police of this city have seized four thousand revolutionary pamphlets.

TURKEY'S CRISIS.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

CONSTANTINOPLE, September 23—1 a. m.—The sultan has convened a grand council to consider the crisis.

SHOULDER TO SHOULDER.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

LONDON September, 23, 1. a. m.—The strike of the weavers of Accrington is a determined one and both the employers and strikers declare they will not give in. It seems likely however that the strikers have the best of it, as the amalgamated funds of the protective associations, amounting to £13,000, have been placed at their disposal. The operatives at Burley decided at their meeting to contribute a levy of two pence per loom, which will considerably increase the fund.

The Lancashire weavers are appointing delegates to meet the masters.

TURKISH WEAPONS.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

LONDON, September 23, 1. a. m.—A dispatch from Ragusa says: The Turks still hold the citadel at Dulcigno. The leading inhabitants of Dulcigno have protested to the Powers against the cession of that place to the Montenegrins. Riza Pasha has been summoned to Dulcigno to surrender and is offering bribes,

FRENCH CABINEM.

Special dispatch to The Bee.

PARIS, September 23, 1 a. m.—M. Ferry has completed the cabinet, retaining the ministry of instruction. The appointments are: M. Carnot, minister of public works; St. Helere, minister of foreign affairs; the new and separate department of public worship has been taken by M. De Vespersideke, of the pure left. The most eligible men for positions in the cabinet, appeared to be in no hurry to accept office in a ministry, which promises to have so short a lease of power.

CENTRAL PARK'S FOUNTAIN.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

PARIS, September 23, 1 a. m.—Mr. Dugdale, of New York, has offered $30,000 for a beautiful fountain which was lately removed to make room for the statue of liberty. As the fountain is too large for private grounds, it is thought that it is intended as a gift for Central Park, New York.

MOBS IN CHINA.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

LONDON, September 23—1 a. m.—A despatch from Shaughai says serious disturbances have occurred at Canton, where a mob attacked the police. The military dispersed the rioters but not before several of the missionaries had been wounded. The European residents have been threatened by the people.

PARNELL'S PARADE.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE.

DUBLIN, September 23—Five hundred mounted men will act as an escort to Parnell during his visit to Cork on Sunday.

See Kurtz's mammoth display.

ELECTRIC BRIEFS.

Special Dispatches to The Bee.

COLUMBUS, September 23.—A colored man and wife, on a plantation in Harris county, went cotton picking Tuesday, locking their two children up in the house. The house took fire from an unknown cause and was destroyed and both children were roasted to death.

WASHINGTON, September 23.—The first order for silver certificates, based on a gold deposit in New York, was received at the treasury yesterday. It was for $25,000, the certificate to be paid at the sub treasury in St. Louis.

NEW YORK, September 23.—Isaac Elkins, wholesale dealer in clothing, failed yesterday; liabilities, $100,000, caused by heavy depreciation in goods.

NEW YORK, September 23.—Judge Dibble, who was assistant U. S. district attorney of Louisiana during the Kellogg administration, thinks that with a fair vote and no intimidation the republicans would carry Louisiana by 15,000 majority. It might, however, go a little less, as many negroes have emigrated, especially from up-river parishes and from the neighborhood of Shrevesport.

NEW YORK, September 23—Chairman Jewell, of the republican national committee, yesterday received a letter from Gen. Grant, stating that he would be in this city from October 10 to 20, and would then go to Boston. He stated that he would do all in his power for the success of the republican presidential ticket, but could not make any engagements to make speeches.

RICHMOND, Ky., September 23—Miss Sadie White, aged 19, one of the most beautiful and accomplished young ladies in the state, and a great society belle, and who is supposed to have become deranged from a fever, committed suicide yesterday by cutting her throat with a knife.

FRANKFORT, Ky., September 23.—News was received yesterday of the sudden death of Col. J. W. Hunt Reynolds, owner of Blue Eyes, Fortuna and other celebrated racing horses. He left here a week ago in good health, and died at Shaffordville, N. C., where he was visiting.

PORTLAND, Me., September 23—The stockholders of Solon Chase's paper, The Enquirer, do not approve of his bolt against the fusion electoral ticket, and the paper will advocate the election of the fusion electors.

CABLEGRAMS.

Special Dispatches to THE BEE.

LONDON, September 23.—Archibald Forbes, the celebrated war correspondent, sailed for New York yesterday. He will enter the lecture field in the United States. Also, by the same steamer are Col. Mapleson, the opera manager, and Mlle. Gerster, Marie Roze, Mlle. Belocca and Signor Ardite, opera singers.

Missouri River Improvement Association.

Special Dispatch to the Bee

ST. LOUIS, September 23, 1 a. m.—The Missouri river improvement convention at Kansas City adopted a series of resolutions stating that the Missouri valley country proper contains 250,000 square miles, and has a population of four million people, a taxable wealth of $700,000,000 and produces annually nearly 500,000,000 bushels of grain; that the representatives of this vast section demand that congress shall provide a remedy for all artificial obstructions to navigation of the Missouri river, that it has permitted to be erected, in the way of bridges; for the removal of all snags and drifts for deepening the channel of the river and protecting the property of citizens along its banks; that the survey of the river now in progress, from its mouth to Sioux City, shall be continued to Ft. Benton, and that when the survey is completed, congress shall make such appropriations as will secure the speediest improvement of the river. The resolutions also provide for the appointment of a committee to prepare a memorial to congress and for the organization of a permanent Missouri river improvement association, to collect statistics and to see that the laws relating to bridges are observed and generally keep alive an interest in the work of improvement.

Big Jockey Club Meeting

Special dispatch to The Bee.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., September 23—1 a. m.—The fall meeting of the Louisville jockey club begins next Saturday. The principal events of the week will be St. Leger and stallion stakes. Luke Blackburn is here to start in these two races and is considered a sure winner of both. However, he will have at least one formidable enemy in Kimball. This colt though considered a sure winner of the Derby last spring and was beaten by Fosso is on his feet again and recent reports state that he is in better condition and a better horse than he was before. There are already one hundred and fifty horses upon the jockey club grounds and the events promise to be a great success.

Sea Serpent Caught.

Special dispatch to The Bee.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 23.—1 a. m.—A marine serpent six feet long with a head like a panther and a coarse mane was caught in straits Debaro by Indians and brought to Portland. Savants are puzzled by the monster and cannot classify it.

CONGRESSMAN "STOOD-UP."

The stage was robbed near Auburn by a highwayman, who "stood-up" the passengers and rifled their pockets, and tried to blow open the treasure box but did not succeed. The same man robbed Congressman Page and a companion, who were going to Forest Hill in a buggy.

Sitting Bull on the Stage.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

OTTAWA, Ont., September 23.—1 a. m.—Major Walsh of the Canadian mounted police has secured Sitting Bull for three years for a Canadian company, who propose making a tour of the United States and Canada with him, beginning the first of January. He will appear in a drama of border life.

Indications.

WASHINGTON, September 23.—1 a. m.—For upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valley, warm southeast to southwest winds and rains, partly cloudy weather, falling barometer.

ILE INVESTMENT.

Extensive Operations of an Oil Monoply Rivaling the Standard Oil Company,

NEW YORK, September 23, 1 a. m.—A very powerful combination of western capitalists had obtained control of the oil producing country of California discovered up to the present time, which consists of a section of the Coast Range Mountains, five hundred and fifty miles in length, stretching from Santa Cruz to Santa Barbara, and including two hundred thousand acres, for four years. The work of examining the region by experts has been going on and is now completed. Every spot giving indications of oil has been secured. A part of the region was government land, and that part of it has been leased for twenty years from farmers and ranche owners, who had obtained possession during the last twelve years. Three parts of the oil bearing region have been partly developed by various men, and the present monopoly is the result of successive combinations of the original owners, who finally sold their interest to three leading men, C. N. Fenton, Lloyd Tevis, the president of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express and Bank; and G. D. Schofield. They have formed the Pacific Coast Oil Company, and under its control the California oil country promises to be one of the great important and producing regions of the world. During the last six months rapid strides have been made in the developed region; wells have been sunk, which show excellent results, machinery bought, works and refineries constructed, pipe lines laid, barrel and cask factories built, and with unlimited capital, enormous negotiations are effected for the equipment in every respect of a gigantic business enterprise, which is probably destined to exert a strong influence upon the Pennsylvania districts and upon all existing oil markets. For a number of months, rumors of this immense western interest have floated across the country, and various reports have been circulated among business men. It has been supposed, that the Standard Oil Company was putting capital into the enterprise, but this is not true. The full facts can now be given: Four years ago, two practical drillers of Pennsylvania, went to Los Angelos, in the San Fernande Mountains, where, in Pico Canyon, a Spaniard had discovered a spot where oil was oozing out of the surface of the ground. They erected spring pole rigs and sunk two wells, one of them being one hundred and fifty feet deep, and the other two hundred feet deep; and were rewarded with a daily production of thirty barrels of oil, the specific gravity of which was forty. They put up a small refinery having a capacity of forty barrels at Lyons Station, on the Southern Pacific Railroad, and carted the crude material over a rough road to the refinery. The results obtained were 70 per centum illuminating oil, 10 per cent, naphtha, 10 per cent. lubricating, and 10 per cent waste. This was a bonanza, and in a few months it reached the ears of capitalists, who secured the district and formed the California Star Oil Company. They brought all the necessary machinery from the east and began to drill in the same improved fashion, as is practiced in Bradford and other districts in Pennsylvania. At a depth of six hundred and fifty feet, in Pico Canyon, flowing wells are found, which yielded eighty barrels a day. These wells up to the present time have yielded 46,000 barrels of crude oil, which has been sold at an average price of a little more than $2 a barrel. It gave the same results as the original flowing well, and as soon as the region had been partly developed, and it was found that there was a large body of oil there, legal difficulties interrupted the development of the country. The men controlling the three developed districts have been working together pressing on the work as quickly as possible. An immense 1,000 barrel refinery with a tankage of treble its capacity has been erected at Alemada Point, on San Francisco bay; ship docks are in front of it on the bay, and railroad connections have been made; pipe lines have been laid to conduct the oil from the wells to the railroads, and these railroads afford ample facilities for shipping the oil anywhere. A short time ago Felton, Tevis and Schofield bought the entire stock of the company and now have sole control of the business. New rigs for drilling are now in process of construction, and the development of the country will be pushed as quickly as money can push it. The last well which has been drilled was a fifty barrel pumping well in Santa Cruz district, which was struck last week. The company now has sixteen wells down, in the region, which yield 300 barrels per day. The average percentum of illuminating oil gained from crude oil is 75 per cent, which is a large average. The home market at present absorbs all the oil the country can produce, but the amount produced will soon run beyond the capacity of the home market, which includes California and Oregon.

Presbyterian General Council.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

PHILADELPHIA, September 23, 1 a. m—Large numbers of delegates and visitors to the general council of the Presbyterian Church, which begins its session to-day, arrived in this city yesterday. There was a reception at the Academy of Fine Arts last night, and the hall was filled. The delegates were welcomed by Governor Hoyt in a brief speech, and was followed by Mayor Stokely. After this there were a number of brief speeches from various delegates, and the reception closed with a general hand shaking.

Massachusetts Greenbackers.

Special Dispatch to The Bee

WORCESTER, Mass., September 23.—1 a. m.—The greenback state convention was held here yesterday and the following ticket put in the field: For governor, Gen. Horace Binney Sargent; Geo. Dutton, lieutenant-governor; Jonathan Arnold, secretary of state; Wilbur F. Whitney, treasurer; Chas. F. Warner, auditor; John W. Raymond, attorney-general.

W. B. Rowley and Eugene E. Flaherty were nominated electors-at-large.

Presidential Party.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 22—1 a. m.—The president visited the navy yard yesterday, and crossed over to Benicia to take a special train to Sacramento, arriving there at about four o'clock. He was received by the mayor and citizens and welcomed to the capital by Governor Perkins. He will visit the state fair to-day and then move on to Chico, and north to Oregon overland, as it is not in the programme to leave the jurisdiction of the country as would be required if a sea voyage were taken. Gen. Sherman and the rest of the party go by steamer. The president is to travel by coach in the day time and rest at night.

Florida Republicans.

Special dispatches to The Bee.

NEW YORK, September 22—1 a. m—A prominent republican from Florida in the rooms of the national republican committee yesterday, said that the republicans of Florida have a majority of 10,000 to 15,000 with a fair count, which he believed the present state election board would give. He thought the only southern states in which the republicans have any show of success are Florida, North Carolina and West Virginia.

Indiana G. A. R.

Special Dispatches to The Bee.

INDIANAPOLIS, September 22, 1 a. m.—The annual encampment, G. A. R., of Indiana and soldiers' reunion began yesterday. The day was occupied with preliminaries and but few visitors were in the city. One hundred tents are spread for the entertainment of the veterans of the late war. Yesterday afternoon two posts received Gen. Lewis Wagner, commander of the G. A. R. of the United States, and Secretary Thompson, who is to deliver the address. To-day will be the big day, the chief feature of which is a monster parade.

Raum and Sherman Make Up.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

WASHINGTON, September 23, 1 a. m.—Commissioner Raum will leave here the latter part of the week at the personal request of Secretary Sherman for Ohio, where, commencing next Tuesday, he will make campaign speeches for a week. From Ohio, he will go to Indiana and there spend another week in campaign work, and from Indiana Mr. Raum will go to Illinois, where he will work the greater part of October. Secretary Sherman had not until yesterday spoken to Raum since the Chicago convention.

Immigration to Texas.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

WASHINGTON, September 23, 1 a. m.—It is believed here that the party of British agriculturists that left Liverpool for New York Tuesday, are the advance guard of a large party of immigrants sent here to settle in Texas, notwithstanding the misfortunes of the former party, who left that section for Europe in disgust. The party is said to have been organized by a company of Americans and Europeans, which intends to secure a good class of immigrants for the purpose of developing the wealth of Texas.

Base Ball;

The following games of base ball were played September 22d:

CHICAGO—Chicagos 5, Cincinnatis 3. Chicagos did not play last half of inning.

CLEVELAND—Buffalos 1, Clevelands 8.

PROVIDENCE—Troys 3, Providence 7.

Here Hughes.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

NEW YORK, September 23, 1 a. m.—Communicate at once by telegraph to Woodruff; everything is arranged satisfactorily. Mother wants you at home to attend to business.

P. G. H.

Gov. Cornell Ill.

Special Dispatch to The Bee.

NEW YORK, September 23.—1 a. m.—Gov. Cornell is at Coney Island suffering from an attack of malarial fever. At midnight he was slightly improved.

NEW YORK, September 22—In return for agreeing that the elevators are to be the place of final delivery for grain, the committee of The Stock Exchange have asked the railroads to do away with the discrimination in the grain traffic in favor of other ports.

BOSTON, September 22—A fire broke out last evening in the freight house of the Boston & Maine railroad, and destroyed the building and contents. A loaded train of twelve cars was drawn out and saved. A large amount of miscellaneous freight was burned. The loss on freight cannot be stated.

BALTIMORE, September 22.—A special to The News from Chestertown, Md., states that Sunday morning last a man named Stokes Daniels went to the house of one Wm. Murphy, to see a woman with whom he was acquainted. Murphy was jealous of him and siezing a carbine shot Daniels dead on the doorstep. Murphy was arrested.

COLUMBUS, O,. September, 22—The democratic meeting last night fairly eclipsed anything heretofore held during the campaign. The procession had 12,000 torches, including four hundred mounted men, music and fireworks in profusion. Two meetings were held in the state house ground which were addressed by Judge Hoadley of Cincinnati, Congressman Blackburn of Ky., Gen. Ben Butler, Gen. Franz Sigel and others.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, September 22

Flour—Receipts 16,690; sales 13,000; market quiet and unchanged; round hoop Ohio, $4 10@4 50; choice, $4 60@$5 75; superfine western, $3 25@$4 00; common to good extra, $3 85@4 00; choice, $4 30@$6 25; choice white wheat $4 15.

Wheat—Unchanged; Milwaukee, $1 08@1 09; winter, $1 06½@1 06¾; sales, 150,000 bu.

Pork—$15 50 for September; $14 00@14 25 for October; $14 50@14 85 for November; $13 50@13 90 for the year.

Lard—$8 20@8 30 for cash sales; $8 37½ for September.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, September 22.

The grain markets were only moderately active and closed lower than twenty-four hours ago.

Wheat—No. 2 spring ¼@⅜c lower, with sales at 92⅜@93⅛c for September; 92⅜@93⅜c for October, closing at 92½c for cash, September or October; 92⅞@93c for November; 92½c for the year.

Corn—No. 2 declined ¼@⅜c, selling at 39⅞@40c for cash; 40¼@40⅜c for October; 41@41⅛c for November, closing at 39⅞c for cash or September; 40¼@40⅜c for October; 41c for November; 41c for May.

Oats—Lower; No. 2 30@30½c for cash or September; 29@29½c for October; 29c for November.

Rye—½c lower, with sales of No. 2 at 84@84½c for cash 84c for October or November.

Barley—Quiet but firmer. No. 2 selling at 76@77c for cash or September.

Whiskey—$1 13

Pork—Mess sold and closed at $18 00 for September; 17 80 for October.

Lard—$7 95@8 00 for October; $8 00 for November, closing at $7 92½@7 95 for cash, September or October.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, September 22.

Hogs—Moderately active but lower for common heavy packing grades; sales were at $5 00@5 25 for light packing and shipping; $4 80@$5 20 for heavy packing and $5 00@5 75 for good to choice sinoth heavy shipping lots. Receipts, 18,541.

Cattle—Total number, 7,056 head. To-day the receipts were again liberal, and among the arrivals were a number of two and three year old steers that sold at $5 75, averaging 1,726 lbs., raised and fed by B. F. Funk, Bloomington, Ill., sold by Smith to L. B. Doud for exportation; the market was active and steady for good to choice grades, but dull and weak for inferior and common grass fed steers; prices ranged at $2 12½@2 75 for stock bulls and stockers; $3 25@3 60 for native cows and Kansas and Texan steers, and from $4 50@4 55 for good to extra shipping steers. The fresh receipts were 5,320 head.

St. Louis Produce.

ST. LOUIS, September 22.

Flour—Steady and unchanged; XX, $3 60@3 65; XXX, $4 15@4 35; family, $4 50@4 65; choice to fancy, $4 75@5 00.

Wheat—Opened higher but declined; No. 2 red, 93@93⅛c for cash; 93⅛@93c for September; 93⅜@93¼@93⅛c for October; 95½@95c for November; 96@96¼@96½c for December; 92⅞@93c for the year; No. 3, 88@89½@85½c.

Corn—Dull at 38½c for cash or September; 36½c for October; 37c for the year.

Oats—Better for futures; 29@29½c for cash; 29c for October; 29⅞c for November.

Rye—Slow at 84½c.

Barley—Unchanged; medium to prime, 89@90c; choice to fancy, 92½c@$1 00.

Butter—Unchanged.

Eggs—Unchanged.

Whisky—Steady at $1 13.

Pork—Held at $18 50.

Dry Salt Meats—Unchanged at $5 40@8 40.

Bacon—Steady at $6 15@6 25@9 25@.9 65.

Lard—Firm at $8 00.

Receipts—Flour 4,000 brls, wheat 7,000 bu, corn 19,000 bu, oats 14,000, bu, rye 2,000, barley 12,000.

Shipments—Flour 9,000 brls, wheat 52,000 bu, corn 9,000 bu, oats 25,000 bu, rye 1,000, barley none.

St. Louis Live Stock.

ST. LOUIS, September 22.

Hogs—Fairly active; Yorkers and Baltimores, $5 00@5 10; mixed packing, $4 90@5 10; butchers' to fancy, $5 20@5 40; grassers, $3 00@4 25. Receipts, 6,600; shipments, 2,000.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

State Homœopathic Association.

A meeting of the State Homœopathic Association was held at the Court House yesterday afternoon, with an attendance of twenty physicians from sixteen different cities and towns of the state. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Dr. S. B. Righter, of Lincoln, president; Dr. C. M. Dinsmore, Omaha, first vice-president; Dr. Montgomery, Council Bluffs, second vice-president; Dr. O. S. Wood, Omaha, treasurer; Dr. W. B. Gifford, Omaha, secretary. A board of censors was elected, consisting of Dr. Giffin, of Fremont; Dr. Wood, Omaha; Dr. Paine, Lincoln; and Dr. Walker, Seward.

A committee of five on legislation was appointed to co-operate with those of the Allopathic and Eclectic societies, to secure the passage of some law by the legislature to allow only properly qualified persons to practice medicine in the state.

Dr. C. L. Hart, the retiring president, delivered an able address.

Special Premium for Sewing Machines.

The Wheeler & Wilson Manufacturing Company of Omaha will offer a special premium of $25 at the present state fair for the best family sewing machine. The award will be made by a committee of ladies selected for the purpose; as follows: For the lightest, fastest running, most quiet, most easily understood and most durable machine; and that it shall produce on the grounds, during the fair, the following classes of work, without the use of attachments, other than the plain foot, hemmer, braider and plate guage, such as are supplied with ordinary machines, and in a way that can be readily understood by ordinary users of machines; namely (1) stitching, (2) hemming, (3) felling, (4) tucking, (5) gathering, (6) braiding, (7) binding, (8) quilting, (9) patching, (10) repairing, (11) hem-stitching, (12) sewing on lace with hems, (13) sewing on braid with shirrs, (14) making and sewing on French folds at the open operation, (15) sewing on corded welts with puffs, (16) stitching names, (17) making perforated paper patterns for stamping, (18) sewing heavy cloth with No. 40 linen thread, (19) embroidering in chenille, silk floss, worsted and cotton floss, (20) making lace work in bobbinet and (21) darning. sep23tf

INCIDENTALS.

A Few of the Entertainments Provided for Fair Week.

Calls for Meetings and Other Matters.

We were unable yesterday to find space to mention the very delightful entertainment furnished the public at the Academy of Music, Monday evening, by Gulick and Blaisdell's combination in Hop Scotch, but its repetition last evening won increased favor, and to-night it will be put on the boards for the third and last time. Hop Scotch is an entertainment of that light and at the same time amusing character, which always pleases an audience. It keeps every one interested and amused and the time flies so quickly that one is astonished on reaching the end of the programme to find how late it is. The company is made up of good material and especially good is the singing by the ladies. Miss Louise Manfred, first lady of Honor, has a remarkably sweet, pure voice and is undeniably the star, of the company of first-class artists.

To-morrow evening John Dillon, an old favorite in this city, will appear at the Academy, where he will, also play Friday and Saturday evenings.

FAIRS AND FESTIVALS.

The opening night of the fair and bazaar at the First Baptist church was a grand success. The exhibit of articles and the beautiful decoration of booths are superior to any that we have heretofore seen. The fair will be continued every evening this week.

The German Catholic fair which will open to-night in Creighton Hall, corner 11th and Farnam streets will be the most attractive ever held in the city. The booths are well filled with costly and useful articles, and the hall is invitingly arranged. The fair will be given for the benefit of the German schools and therefore deserves a liberal patronage. It will continue all week.

It is hoped that the celebration given to-night by Lewis' Excelsior brass band will be well attended. Three bands will be in attendance. The Excelsior will appear in new uniform. There will be some good speaking. Eureka Hall is the place.

COMPANY H.

The anniversary *sociale militaire* of company H, Second regiment, N. S. M., will take place at the Standard Club rooms, Thursday evening. This will be one of the finest events of the week, and will be attended by the Governor's Guards and company G, who as well as company H, will appear in full uniform. Those who have charge of the arrangements are:

Master of ceremonies—Capt J. Valentine.

Reception committee—First Lieut. Henry Bolin, First Sergt. E G. Fee, H. H. Crawford, A. A. Norton, W. C. Ward.

Floor managers — Corp. Frank Campbell, Corp. Frank H. Bixby, Corp. Theodore Sievers, Corp. Gus. N. Signert, Corp. L. P. Norberg.

General arrangements—Third Lieut. Nathan H. Tompkins, Sergt. James Donnelly, jr, Corp. Thomas Garvy, Sergt. Wm. Star, Co. Clerk Wm. H. Smith.

CONCORDIA.

The twelfth anniversary of the Concordia Society will be celebrated tomorrow evening at Metz's hall, on which occasion Steinhauser's full orchestra will furnish the music.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Union Pacific Band gives a grand concert every night at the Tivoli.

Mr. Thomas G. Newman, editor of the *American Bee Journal*, Chicago, president of the National Bee-Keepers Association, will address the Nebraska State Association, at the court house, Omaha, on Friday, the 24th Inst., at 7:30 p. m.

Bishop Warren's lecture will be given in Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening of next week. Bishop Warren has for years been connected with the leading churches of Philadelphia, is an eloquent speaker, and as a lecturer ranked among the highest at Chatauqua, where lecturing to people on popular subjects has been reduced to a science.

NOTICE OF MEETINGS.

A special meeting of Geo. A. Custer Post No. 7, Department of Nebraska, G. A. R., will be held at post headquarters at Clark's hall, corner Fourteenth and Dodge streets, at 7:30 this Wednesday evening, September 22d. All members of the G. A. R. are cordially invited to attend. Members of this post are requested to invite visiting comrades. Hot coffee and hard tack. By order of J. BUDD, Commanding Post.

A regular meeting of Nebraska Lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias, this evening, for work in the Amplified. All members of the lodge are requested to be present, and visiting knights in the city are cordially invited. By order of the C. C.

A mass meeting of the colored Americans of Douglas county is called by the republican campaign club to meet at Eureka hall, September 23, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination some one as a candidate for the state legislature. All are invited to participate in this undertaking. BENJ. FULTON, Secretary.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

All persons who desire to apply for positions as teachers in the Omaha public schools are requested to attend the examination, by the board of examiners, on Friday and Saturday, September 24th and 25th.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD.

Attention, Company G!

The company having been invited to attend the state fair on Thurday afternoon, all persons desiring to attend will meet at the Armory in full uniform at 1 o'clock p. m., sharp, provided the weather is fair.

GEORGE H. CRAGER, Captain.

Trimmed Hats for 50c and upwards at the Parlor Bazar, Creighton Block. t,t&sat

THE WRONG MAN.

A Homesteader Who Took Another Man's Letter and Cash from the Office.

But as a Forger Was Not a Success.

At 9 o'clock yesterday morning an old man named Abraham Kightinler, who was brought in Saturday evening from Fort Edwards, Neb., by Deputy U. S. Marshal Ball, was brought before U. S. Commissioner Watson B. Smith, on the charge of taking mail from the postoffice that was not for him, of opening the same and appropriating the money to his own use. After the examination the prisoner was committed to jail in default of $500 bail to appear at the next term of the district court.

Kightinler was a homesteader who lived near St. Edwards for some time. A. M. Hettinger was a railroad contractor employed in that neighborhood but who did not go to St. Edwards very often for his mail. A letter came directed to the latter and the postmaster not knowing any such person, but fancying a resemblance in the name to that of the homesteader, showed the letter to Kightinler and asked if it was his. The latter took the letter, opened it and replied that it was all right. The letter contained a draft in favor of Hettinger, from John McDaniels, a banker of Atlantic, Iowa. This draft the homesteader appropriated to his own use, and in the attempt to realize on it, he forged the name in so bungling a manner as to lead to his detection and arrest before he had secured the money. He is quite an old man to begin such a career, but we understand he is single, and he could not perhaps begin younger. He has no very good reputation, and it will probably go hard with him.

Democratic Convention.

The Douglas County democratic convention held in this city yesterday afternoon, was presided over by Dr. Harvey Link, of Millard. Mr. James F. McCartney was chosen secretary.

On motion of Mr. Kaufmann the convention proceeded to elect twenty delegates to the state convention, as follows:

J. E. Boyd, Geo. E. Pritchett, M. Donovan, Chas. H. Brown, Eli Johnson, J. J. O'Connor, Wm. Anderson, E. L. Emery, Gustave Benecke, Jas. Creighton, Pres. Reeves, James McArdle, Chas. Kaufmann, Warren Switzer, P. O'Toole, C. J. Montgomery, J. Treitschke, Thos. McShane, Thos. Kennedy, Richard Siemon.

Mr. Camp moved that the delegates to the state convention be instructed to request that James E. Boyd be one of the presidential electors. Carried. The following were chosen delegates to the third judicial district convention.

H. Ludington, D. D. Angell, Tom McShane, V. Burkley, Alex. Baker, R. Kimball, F. Streitz.

Mr. Knox moved that the delegates to the district convention be instructed for A. N. Ferguson, Esq. Carried unanimously.

Mr. Pritchett presented the following list of delegates to the Sixth district senatorial convention, which list was understood to favor Samuel R. Johnson for float senator: S. W. Spratlin, Chas. Ogden, John D. Howe, G. J. Hunt, J. J. Neligh, Harvey Link, S. A. Robinson.

The list was adopted by acclamation.

Mr. Anderson offered a resolution that the delegates of this convention to the state democratic convention to be held at Hastings on the 29th inst., recommend that the democrats elected to the next legislature be instructed by their respective counties to vote only for a democrat for U. S. senator, first, last, and all the time.

Carried unanimously.

The convention then adjourned.

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