OMAHA, NEB. FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 18, 1884.

### CRIMES OF CHILDREN.

A Maryland Lad Kills His Father Save His Mother.

The Former, in Drink, Endeavors to Slay the Family.

A Kansas Girl Disappears from a

Leaving a Note Indicating Intention to Suicide.

St. Louis Convent.

A Couple of Chicago Lads Suicide With Rat Poison.

In Fear Their Parents Would Dis cover Their School Delin-

quencies.

A PARRICIDE. KILLS ONE PARENT TO SAVE ANOTHER. Special Dispatch to THE BEE.

BALTIMORE, April 17 .- Later news from Dorchester, Md., gives an entirely new phase to the tragedy which occurred early yesterday morning began abusing his wife for some fancied neglect, and threw her to the floor and began beating her in a brutal manner. His son Frank remonstrated with his father for his cruelty, and this aroused all the ferocity in the old man's nature. Turning from the prostrate woman, he seized a gun

TURNED UPON HIS SON, who fled and hid behind the woodpile. Just as Frank reached it his father fired, and the ball passed within an inch of his head and imbedded itself in the lumber. Without following him further, the now frenzied man turned back to the house to wreak vengeance on the wife and vailed. mother. Fearing for her life, Frank, as soon as his father went back, followed him, and the sight that met his gaze as entered the door fairly froze the blood in The Prime Minister as Rebellious as his veins. His father had his mother on the floor, with one hand clutched in her hair, and in the other he had a large knife, which he was brandishing aloft. to his drunken parent dealt him

A TERRIBLE BLOW

A CHILD KLEPTOMANIAC. DISAPPEARS UNDER THREAT TO SUICIDE.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE. Sr. Louis, April 17 .- Cora Weber. aged 15 years, of Atchison, Ks., disappeared yesterday morning from the Visitation Convent in this city, where she was attending school. She left a letter addressed to her mother in which she said: "Before you will receive this I will be in hell; you know I cannot but steal -If I go back home I will steal, so I will kill myself." The girl's parents were telegraphed to, and arrived in the city in search of their daughter, who had often d splayed evidences of kleptomania.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT. Regular Press Dispatches.
Sr. Louis, April 17.—Another mys. terious disappearance occurred here which is attracting considerable attention. Miss Clara Weber, aged 15, of Atchison, Kas., left the convent of the Visitation, at the corner of Cass avenue and Nineteenth street early, yesterday morning, and has not since been seen or heard of. She left a letter addressed to her mother, in which she said she was going to drown herself if she cannot help stealing; that she didn't want to disgrace her parents and friends. It seems she had broken rule of the convent, and was punished. This caused great humiliation. It is possible she may have drowned herself. The general theory is that she simply ran away. Her father has consulted the po-Every effort is being made to find

THE LOST FOUND. Ed. Leggett, No. 1536 Washington avenue, where she had engaged as a servant. Her parents took charge of her. She said she was dissatisfied at the convent, and wished to earn her own living.

DREAD OF A BRUBBING. IT DRIVES TWO BOYS TO DEATH.

Special Dispatch to The BER. CHICAGO, April 17 .- Julius and Curtis Linback, brothers, aged 16 and 12 years, were dismissed from school some days ago for misconduct. They did not tell their parents, but pretended to continue going to school, leaving home at the proper time in the morning and returning in the afternoon. Finally their fear of severe punishment, when their deception this world of whippings and stone-

#### SUDDEN SUMMONS. A WOULD-BE SUICIDE DEOPS DEAD.

NEW YORK, April 17.-Edward H. Johnson's private secretary, died in the unable to swim, were both drowned. Coleman house to-day. He was a native of Kentucky. Among his letters was one expressing his intention to commit Philadelphia, April 18.—The sal suicide. He was subject to heart disofthe remaining assets of the Jay Cook

the garrison to-day, inflicting considerable damage and seriously injuring Sergeant McNally and Private Mooney; both are scalded and will probably die. The building was wrecked. A piece of the boiler was found half a mile distant.

THE RAILWAYS IN IOWA.

A Dead-Lock Over the Appointment of a Commissioner.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE. DES MOINES, Iowa, April 17 .- A dead- Seaman Norris' Story of Danenlock is apparent between Governor Sherman and the executive council on the appointment of a railway commissioner. McDill was nominated, but the council refused to approve him, demanding the retention of Anderson. The corporations

made a serious blunder. A C. AND N. W. PURCHASE.

Regular Press Dispatches. Dubuque, April 17.—It is officially an-nounced that the Chicago & Northwestern railroad has purchased all of the Blair railroad interests in the Northwestern, including the Iowa Falls & Sioux City, the Sioux City & Pacific, the Maple Valley, the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley, possession to be given July 1st. The sale does not include lots and lands. By the terms of the purchase, the Northwestern will issue over \$14,000,000 of the department of justice, relating to hension of facts." stock in exchange for the stock of the yesterday. It is now conceded that Frank ed indebtedness of the companies. The Shenton killed his aged father in order to save his mother's life. Elder Shenton had been drinking heavily of late, and freeport, and it will probably be abandanad

Reception to Hon. E. L. Reed

Special Dispatch to THE BER. WEEPING WATER, Neb., April 17 .- At eight o'clock this evening about three hundred of the people of Weeping Water assembled at the residence but of Hon. E. R. Reed, delegate elect to the Chicago convention, to offer their congratulation. Mr. Reed was called for and responded in a very neat speech, thanking the people for their congratulations and support. Speeches were made \$100 per day, which I refused to grant, by several, and a general good time preby several, and a general good time pre-

### MAD MANITOBANS.

the Most Discontented,

WINNIPEG, April 17 .- Prime Minister Norgway concluded his budget speech to Frank seized a heavy club which was Norgway concluded his budget speech to resting against the wall, and rushing up the legislature to-day. He declared the determination of his government to submit no loger to the unjust discrimination would permit, followed the cases with ward for the discovery and rescue by any determination of his government to subon the head, fracturing his skull and killing him instantly. Public sympathy is
with the boy, no one believing he intended to kill his father, but that while
tended to kill his father, but that while

indicates the unjust discrimination of the federal authorities against Manitoba. He joined issue with the opposition and believed undivided action by the legislature will force justice from the Do
The response of the unjust discrimination of the federal authorities against Manitocare from day to day, and made the long argument before the court and jury.
Two of the defendants were convicted on the first trial, but the irregularity and

NEW YORK'S SHERIFF. laboring under excitement, and in his minion government. The proposed exanxiety to save his mother's life, he penditure of his province is about \$200, struck the blow which made him a patri-The Dominion must furnish sufficient funds for the administration, of the affairs of the province, or the province must senarate from the confederation and control her own revenue. Previous to the confederation the province, with a four per cent tariff, had ample funds; now, with an average of over 25 per cent tariff, with which the people are burden-ed, not enough is received from the federal authorities to pay the expenses of the government.

He believed the justice of our cause was such as would ultimately triumph. A large number of farmers' union meetings have been held in the province showing that the people are as determined as ever. All endorsed the farmers' convention and several declared that secession was the only panacea for their

# FRANK JAMES.

His Trial Begins for the Mussel Shoals Robbery-How He Made A. J. Smith Disgorge \$50 200.

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., April 17 .- The trial of Frank James began to-day. He was charged with conspiracy to rob A. J. Smith, a government official. James sat with his wife and child, and was nette committee, and said that during a dressed in a suit of broadcloth. Smith, the person robbed, testified that when four miles from Florence, about 4 p. m., on March 11th, 1881, three men halted him, presented pistols, and took \$50,000 own account. Upon being asked if there LATER —The girl was found between 9 him, presented pistols, and took \$50,000 own account. Upon being asked if there and 10 o'clock to-night at the house of in government money and \$200 of his was anything else he would like to testify paid the present administration, and took \$50,000 own account. Upon being asked if there are also the present administration, and took \$50,000 own account. Upon being asked if there are also the present administration, and took \$50,000 own account. Upon being asked if there are also the present administration, and took \$50,000 own account. own. They bound him in the woods until dark, then let him go. Smith believed the prisoner was one of the robbers, but would not swear to his identi-Thomas Peden, a keeper of a saloon near Mussel Shoals, could not swear pos-itively to James being one of the three men who followed after Smith as he passed the saloon. Adjourned till to-

DOUBLE DROWNING.

Youth and Age Go Under the Water

QUINCY, April 18 .- There were three cases of drowning here to-day. Mark should be discovered, so wrought upon should be discovered, so wrought upon their minds that they decided to leave er gentlemen started to a point about five vorably. It provides that if the duties er gentlemen started to a point about five miles above here to get some piling. The flat boat in which they were in became bruises, and took rat poison. A physician was summoned, who applied stomach-pumps. Their recovery is still matter of doubt.

miles above here to get some piling. The flat boat in which they were in became wind-bound; in trying to get it from there a skiff was used. In some manner 'twas capsized and Phelps was drowned. In the afternoon two boys John C. Murphy, and Olef Magmusses, aged 11 and 13, started to cross a bay in a leaky skiff; when a short distance from the shore the Wierman, aged 45, formerly President skiff filled and sank. The boys being

PHILADELPHIA, April 18.—The sale suicide. He was subject to heart dis-ease, and dropped dead at the clerk's deak. of the remaining assets of the Jay Cooke first and second issues, began to-day. The property included the stock of the Penn. Canal Co.; 185 street lots in New aged 65, a wealthy lumber merchant of Grand Rapids, president of the Grand Rapids National bank, was found dead to-day in a room in the hotel where he had been a guest for the past eight days.

The property included the stock of the Grand Co.; 185 street lots in New York in New York city, the lot and dwelling known as Cherry Hill at New Barbodoes, Bergen county, New York; upper lands in Louis tion to fight it to the very last, and all indications point to a long and determination. Fatal Boiler Explosion in a Barracks.

Browsville, Tex., April 17.—The Lake, Carlton, Louis, Anoka, Frante boiler of a pumping machine exploded in and Chicago counties, Minnesota.

## NEWS OF THE NATION.

Say on the Star Routers.

About Bliss' Bills -- The Trials Not Without Usefulness.

hower's Brutality.

Progress on the Bill as to Election of President and Vice.

want McDill. The outcome is uncertain.
It is concluded that the governor has Ex-R. R. Att'y Wilson, of .Iowa, Looms Up as an Anti-Monop.

> The Charge Againt Swaim Fizzled - Congressional and Other News.

> > STAR ROUTE STENCH.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL ON BLISS' BILLS. The Attorney General to-day sent to the senate a letter concerning the action fees of special attorneys in the star route case, in which he says in part: "Had it been originally supposed that the cases would occupy the time they did, probably the rate fixed would been asked or given. When, however, the trial was tediously protracted by the policy of the defence, the sum total paid for the services of Bliss appeared excessive, and I im-lutions. mediately urged some abatement to be made by him, as I did also to the other. Counsel Kerr's bill I reduced and Merrick made a reduction at my request, BLISS INSISTED

upon full compliance with the requirements of the original contract, in one instance claiming that it allowed him to charge for arguments a sum in excess of wrote a letter threatening to withdraw from the case if his account was not paid. While the cases were in progress I thought it injudicious to insist upon concessions which would bring about a withdrawal of Bliss. I don't think the amount received by Merrick and Kerr excessive or out of proportion to that paid on cases of even less magnitude between private parties. In the first trial of the cases of Dorsey et al.,

I PERSONALLY APPEARED incongruity of finding subordinates guilty and failing to convict the organizers and general conspirators, those who had made the whole gain and those who had set on foot the whole game to beat the government, was so manifest that the verdict was set aside on motion of the government. In the second trial there was an acquittal. The public men who were involved in these cases were not on their trial before these juries alone. They were on their trials

BEFORE THE PEOPLE of the United States, and they were con victed by the common judgment of the whole country. They are not punished whole country. They are not punished by imprisonment, but they had better be in prison than now at large—objects of scorn and aversion. These prosecutions have not been without their usefulness, have not been without their usefulness, either. Some officials have assured me before these cases were begun that the halls of the postoffice department were SWARMING WITH THESE DISHONEST JOB

BERS They are there no more. The wholesom terror of these trials has expelled them. The thoroughness of these investigations has made it plain that there is no place so high that it could become a sanctuary for a thief or public robber. BENJ. H. BREWSTER,

Attorney-General. DANENHOWER'S DIABOLISM.

SEAMAN NORBIS TESTIFIES.

Washington, April 17.—Seaman Norris was examined to-day before the Jeanretreat he had seen Lieutenant Dananhower hoarding food, and heard him say that if the worst came to the worst he would leave the party and escape on his tives of the Franco-Egyptian bank for a to, witness asked that the ladies leave the room while he should report certain abusive and indecent words addressed to him by Melville. The request was granted, and the language repeated to the committee, but is entirely too low and filthy for publication.

Lieutenant Danenhower took the stand, and testified to unimportant mat-

THE PRESIDENCY.

THE PENDING BILL. WASHINGTON, April 17 .- At a meeting to-day of the house committee on the law respecting the election of president and vice president, the proposition to limit to twelve months the time during the cabinet more than twelve months before the next presidential election, he shall issue a proclamation for a special election. Eaton was directed to report the proposition to the house as an amendment to the senate bill providing "for the performance of the duties of the office of president in case of removal, death, resignation, or inability both of the president and vice president.

#### WASHINGTON NOTES. THE NAVAL BUGGET,

Special Dispatch to THE BEE.

WASHINGTON, April 17 .- The house appropriation committee will to-morrow take the naval bill as it was passed by bers of the committee show a determination to fight it to the very last, and all indications point to a long and determined dead lock on the bill.

THE TABIFF DEBATE. The ways and means committee was have held a meeting this morning to dis-cuss a proposition fixing the limit of de-bate on the tariff bill, but failed to get a SCORING FOR THE SKIRMISH

Attorney-General Brewster Has His quorum. It will do so at its next meeting. THAT KEY WEST COLLECTOR.

Regular Press Dispatches. WASHINGTON, April 17 .- The senate held a brief executive session to-day, and the recommendation of the president that Collector Wicker, of Key West, be re-moved on account of active sympathy with the Cuban insurgents, was taken up. The recommendation had been referred to the senate committee on commerce, and was reported back favorably. Objection was made to immediate consideration, and the subject went over. A rec-

national feature of the matter. MISSOURI RIVER COMMISSION. The house committee on commerce has agreed to favorably report the bill pro-viding for the appointment of a Missouri

and is due in this instance to the inter-

THE SWAIM SWINDLE FIZZLE. Mr. Bateman, the banker who made the charges against Gen. Swaim, has written a letter to the Secretary of War witadrawing the charges, stating that the due bill on which the suit was insti-tuted against him (Bateman) was to day returned him. In his letter Bateman concedes that his charges against Gen. Swaim were "made under a misappre-

MAC DONALD LAUNCHED. Ex-Senator Jos. E. McDonald was ormally announced as a candidate for the presidency by the democratic association of this city to-night. Resolutions favoring McDonald's candidacy were unanimously adopted. Senator Voor-hees made a speech supporting the reso-

WALLACE VS. M'KINLEY. The sub-committee of the house committee on elections will to-morrow report to the full committee on the contest between Wallace vs. McKinley, of Ohio. The sub-committee, by 3 to 2, report in favor of the sitting member, McKinley.

THE EDUCATION BILL. The house committee on education has lecided to ask that the Blair education bill, which recently passed the senate, be taken from the speaker's table and referred to the committee.

THE GREELY PARTY.

The secretary of the navy issued to-day, in accordance with the resolution recently adopted by both houses of con-

Acquitted of the Charges of Extor-

tion, Etc. New York, April 17 .- When the tes timony for the prosecution was all in, in the trial of Sheriff Davidson, under indictment for extortion and receiving money under false pretenses, his counsel asked the judge for a direct verdict of acquittal. The district attorney admitted that the indictment would never have been found if the evidence brought out on Ross' examination had been before

sheriff received the congratulations of his A South American Outrage. LIMA, (via Galveston, June 17.)-The city of Junin has been attacked by 1,000 Caceres Montoneros. The prefect of the Caceres Montoneros. The prefect of the city, with 200 men, opposed them and they retired. After their departure the friends and not the eneprefect seized two citizens, Vera and prefect seized two citizens, Vera and Jurado, whom he accused of intrigues The resolutions approve the reform of with the rebels, and both were shot. Jurado he killed with his own hand. This action of the prefect causes great excitement in the interior, as both vichave been innocent of political designs.

fenses, committed in other months, were

quashed on motion of Mr. Choate.

Mexico Borrowing Money CITY OF MEXICO, April 17 .- The govrnment is negotiating with representaloan of \$20,000,000, \$10,000,000 to be ministration, \$3,000,000 to be advanced immediately. The success of the negotiation is probable.

Funeral of the Dramatist Byron. LONDON, April 17.—The funeral of Henry J. Byron, the dramatist, occurred to-day. It was attended by a numerous concourse of mourners, among whom were many prominent in theatrical cir-cles, including Wilson Barrett, Ban-croft, Grossmith and Toole and Fellie Farren. Many wreaths were sent from the theatres. The remains were interred in Brompton cemetry.

The Oldest Locomotive Engineer Dead.

Indianapolis, April 17.—The body of George Leah was found in White river, near this city, to-night. Leah was the oldest locomotive engineer in the United States, having been the first man to drive the locomotive Rocket which was exhibited at the recent Chicago railway exhibition. He was 81 years old. It is supposed to be a case of suicide.

Hor Springs, April 17.—A fire late last night destroyed eight buildings on Lower Central avenue. Total loss \$30,-000; insured for \$16,000 A young man named Joe Crenshaw died from excite-

Fatal Fire at Hot Springe.

Two for Edmunds. New York, April 17.—Geo. William Curtis and John M. Crane were chosen elegates to the republican national convention from the 1st district. Both are

The Central Pacific Fast Mail. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 17.—The his conservative honesty, wisdom and first fast overland Central Pacific mail statesmanship have given peace, proto train arrived this morning on time.

The Preliminary Work Proceeds of Choosing Delegates.

A Question as to Whether Pennsylvania is for Blaine.

An Opinion that Lincoln Before Blaine Would Sound Well.

Henry Watterson Declines in Advance to Go to Chicago. Results of Various State and Dis-

trict Conventions Yesterday. Blaine Editors Evidently Very Industrious in Sending

WATTERSON'S WISH,

Dispatches.

THAT HE BE NOT SENT TO CHICAGO. LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 17 .- An address will appear to-morrow from Henry Watterson declining to be a candidate for delegate at large or otherwise from Kentucky to the national democratic convention. After acknowledging past honors at the hands of the dem-ocracy, he says: "I can see ne reason why I shall put upon myself the sacrifices and responsibilities of service at all points difficult and thankless; doubly so at a time when party strifes and private aims give the people

such scant assurance of disinterestedness in their public men. I have no doubt that the policy of revenue reform, now fairly inaugurated, will be completed at Chicago in a frank, honest exposition of The democratic members say that when the case is considered by the full committee the eight democrats will vote for unseating McKinley, leaving six republicans and one democrat in favor of Wallace.

cago in a rank, nonest exposition of democratic principles and purposes, and that a ticket will be named in harmony with the integrity, traditions and spirit of the party. I shall do my duty none the less faithfully and zealously because of my resolution to serve in the ranks.

> PRESIDENTIA PENNSYLVANIA'S CHOICE,

pecial Dispatches to THE BEE. HARRISBURG, April 17.-The Pennsyladvanced Blaine in the race for the presihim the choice of the Pennsylvania re- prehended. publicans, and instructing the delegates at large to vote for him at Chicago as s his name shall be before the con-

TRENTON, N. J., April 17 .- The re- by jumping. publican state convention was called to order at 12:30. Senator Griggs was elected temporary chairman. He made a speech in which he stated that the indusminstructed. Congressman Horr, of Michigan addressed the convention. After the appointment of committees an adjournment was taken until 3 o'clock.

resolved "that the wise, conservative and Arthur commands our cordial approval. The platform "views with alarm the almost solid array of democratic votes in | United States supreme court. the present congress in favor of persist-ent reduction in the tariff; that the civil service act, and ask the repeal of the law requiring the superfluous coinage of the silver dollar. The delegates tims were well known and believed to w. W. Phelps, John G. Gardner, Senator Sewell and ex-Judge Fort. Ex-Secretary Robeson received 135 votes for delegate at large; necessary to choice, 323. The delegates were uninstructed. Adjourned.

BOB O'LINK NOT A CANDIDATE. CHICAGO, April 17 .- Robert Lincoln writes a friend here: "I am not a candi-date for either president or vice president, and therefore do not wish any clubs formed for me.'

"LINCOLN AND BLAINE."

Special Dispatch to THE BEE.

WASHINGTON, April 18—An active
Pennsyvania democrat, who attended
yesterday the Pennsylvania republican convention, said to-day: "I thought there was a great deal alleged Blaine enthusiasm. The feeling was quite as strong for Lincoln. If somebody had had the nerve to get up and move to put Lincoln first on the ticket and Blaine second, it would have carried.

UTICA, N. Y., April 17.—The Twenty-third Congressional district republican convention has chosen A, M. Lampher and W. E. Scripture delegates to Chicago —both for Blaine.

CLEVELAND, April 17 .- The Ninth district republicans elected as delegates to Chicago E. L. Sampson, of Ashtabula county, and J. O. Converse, of Geauges
—instructed for Blaine

TENNESSEE. THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

NASHVILLE, April 17 -The republican state convention met at noon. Judge Frank T. Reed, of the circuit court of this county, was nominated for governor by acclamation. There was no other nominations. The vote was unanimous. The nominee was a confederate soldier, serving through the late war as a private in Forrest's cavalry.

THE PLATFORM

endorses the administration of Arthur because of his prudence, impartiality and patriotism as a republican and because gress and prosperity to the country; | \$22,000.

charges the democratic party with pretending to favor low taxes and fewer office-holders, yet making taxes higher and officers more numerous; con-demns the democratic tariff policy as calculated to bring American labor in dam aging conflict with the convict and pau

aging conflict with the convict and pau-per labor of Europe and all the world.

The delegates at large to Chicago are L. C. Houk Knoxville, J. C. Fapier, Nashville; I. F. Cassells, Mamphis; W. P. Brownlow, Jonesboro. District dele-gates were also selected. Delegates are without instructions.

SOUTH CAROLINA SUFFERING.

People in Marion County on the Verge of Starvation

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 17 .- The Pec Dee Index, published at Marion, says: "Accounts from different sections of the county reports many cases of actual suffering caused by persons unable to get bread. There has been no year since the war when provisions were so scarce. There are, perhaps, hundreds in Marion county who cannot get enough bread to eat. The largest liberality must prevail or starvation in some instances must ensue." There are no reports at the department of agriculture intimating such a condition of affairs. The crops of last year were short, but the township corres-pondents don't allude to a lack of food.

A Lively Midnight Riot. PITTSBURG, April 17 .- Between thirty and forty Hungarians and Poles employed at the Edgar Thompson Steel works, Braddock, Pa., engaged in a bloody riot this morning, about one o'clock. Pistols, knives, clubs, and every conceivable wea-pon were brought into service and freely used. The fight lasted about two hours over yesterday. April closed at 84½c, and when finally quieted by citizens who were compelled to organize a vigilance committee to suppress the riot, it was found that three men had susfound that three men had sus-tained serious injuries, and a number of others slightly hurt. The riot was the result of bad blood between the Poles and Hungarians. Last night the Poles living in Bruggeman's row were celebrating the return to this country of five of their number and durng the evening the party partook freely of liquor and frequent miner quarrels oc-curred. About one o'clock Miller went out for a drink of water when he was attacked by the Hungarians. His friends came to his rescue and a general melee followed. While the battle was in progress the citizens who became alarmed organized and marched on the mob, which vania republican state convention has not dispersed without bloodshed. Five riotdential nomination. It is true the convention adopted a resolution declaring doing well and no further trouble is ap-

Train Wrecks. PITTSBURG, April 17.—A freight wreck occurred at Hanover, near Newark, on vention, but many of the district dele- the Panhandle road, last night, the engates are really opposed to Blaine's nom- gine and four cars going over an enbankination and do not consider the resolution ment. Wm. McCarty and another ately active. The market opened 10c to binding upon them. They will fly off young man stealing a ride to Coshocton 15c lower, rallied 30c to 35c, receded 10c the track at the first favorable opportunity.

NEW JERSEY.

TRENTON, N. J., April 17.—The re
was lightly injured.

New Jersey.

We in one of the cars wrecked. Mcto 15, closed steady; May closed at \$1662\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$1665, June at \$1677\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$1680,
and July at \$1687\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$1690. On call board sales were 2,750 barrels, at un-

CINCINNATI, April 17 .- The driving wheel of the engine on the incoming passenger train on the Louisville short line ed; passengers uninjured.

A Texas Land Case.

Waco, Tex., April 17.—The celebrated Upon reassembling the temporary or-ganization was made permanent. It was trial the past week in the United States court, was decided to-day in favor of the patriotic administration of President defendant. The suit involves 28,000 acres of land in McLenran county. The ease will probably be carried to the

Navigation at Mackinaw,

MACKINAW, April 17 .- A tug, after

ndictments have been return in Medina county, for fence cutting. The district atterney believed to be able to secure 20 indictments against parties for fence cutting, fence burning, perjury, conspiracy and killing sheriffs.

Public Losses.

FRANKLIN, Mass., April 17.-The stockholders of the Franklin Rubber Co. were voted an assessment of 50 per cent on the capital stock (\$150,000), owing to large losses during the year, and the large stock on hand.

A Costly Nest Egg.

BUENA VESTA, COLO, April 18.—Hiller Iallock & Co., bankers, have assigned; available assets estimated at \$25,000; liabilities \$50,000. The failure was caused by expensive litigation concerning the Nest Egg mins.

lowa Democrats.

Burlington, April 17.—The democratic state convention to be held here the 24th inst., will meet in the New Grand Opera house, which has ample accumoda-tions for the large delegations expected from all over the state.

A Cordon Around the Filibusters. KEY WEST. April 17.-The war ships Iliance and Tennessee, two revenue cut ters and steam launches form a cordon around the island, to prevent the de-parture of any Cuban expedition.

Pennsylvania Wool-Growers. PITTSBURG, April 17.- Ine Pennsyl rania Wool-Growers' association convened here in annual session this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Delegates were present from all parts of the state.

The Last Franciscan Pioneer. SANTA BARBARA, Col., April 17 .- Rev Father Sanchez, the last pioneer of the Franciscan missionaries, who arrived here in 1841, died to-day, aged 71. A Louisiana Town Obliterated.

TRENTON, La., April 17. -All the busic

ness places in town, three excepted, have

been burned. Loss, \$38,000; insurance,

KERNEL KINGS.

NO. 358

The Monarchs of the Cereal Markets Still Struggling.

Stronger Feeling Develops in All Grain Yesterday.

Trading in Wheat and Corn Active--Values Higher.

Provisions Comparatively Unchanged, but Cattle Lower.

Sharp Demand for Light Arrivals at Good Prices.

Thirty-Six Car-Loads of Nebraska Sheep at \$5,40 ta \$5.50.

> CHICAGO'S MARKETS. A STRONGER FEELING.

Special Dispatch to THE BRE. CHICAGO, April 17 .- A strong feeling was developed in all cereals to-day, and provisions also were firmer. Trading in wheat was active throughout the entire session. The market opened easy, but became firm almost immediately under free buying, and by neon prices had advanced with only slight fluctuations at 1½ to 1½c, then ruled unsettled, receding to je, fluctuated and closed 1 to 1je

CORN ACTIVE. Trading in corn was quite active, the feeling stronger, accompanied by a sharp advance in prices. Local operators bought freely, and the rapidly advancing prices induced the "shorts" to cover freely. The market prices opened a shade easier, rallied steadily, prices advancing 1½c to 1½c; later a decline of ½c occurred, the mark t closing 1c to 1½c over yesterday; April closed at 49½c to 49½c: May at 50½c, June at 51½, and July at 53½c. On call sales were 460,000 bushels, May advancing ½c and June de-

There was a speculative market for oats, which was unsettled, with an early decline of te to to, but under a good de mand a reaction of 1c occurred, receded slightly, and closed about ic better than yesterday. May closed at 32½c, June at 32½c, and July at 32½c. On call board sales were 50,000 bushels, prices advanc-

Ruled irregular, with trading moder-

changed prices. was fairly active; opened 5 to 10c lower, speech in which he stated that the industries of the state looked to the republican party for safety. He hoped the delegates would be sent to the Chicago convention

road broke this morning in Newport, rallied 15c to 20c, receded 2½c to 5c, closing steady. May closed at \$8 27½ to party for safety. He hoped the delegates tal car from the track badly wrecked. \$8 30; June at \$8 37½ to \$8 40, and July Daniel Huffnagle, fireman, fatally injurates \$8.47½ to \$8.50. On call, sales of 500 tierces at unchanged prices.

> CATTLE. Receipts 7,200, against 6,230 last Thursday, making an increase of about 5,000 over the corresponding period last week; There was an active demand from all classes of buyers, and prices on all descriptions ruled steady. There were a few loads of choice cattle that made very good prices, one lot making \$6.80, the highest price for the week so far. A curious feature of the market is the sharp demand for light cattle from dressed Mackinaw, April 17.—A tug, after working hard to-day to reach the Algo-mah, gave it up indefinitely. About 9 as 800. There is also an extraordinary mah, gave it up indefinitely. About 9 o'clock to-night all were surprised by the Algomah arriving at the dock here without assistance, minus her rudder, the ice having opened up and released her. The weather is mild.
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> Texas Cow-Boy Outlawry.
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> San Antonio, Tex., April 17.—Sixty indictments have been return in Medina prompts. 85.90 to \$6.30; common to pounds, \$5.90 to \$6.30; common to medium, 1,000 to 1,200 pounds, \$5.40 to

> > Among the sales were 10 or 12 car loads of Nebraskas, averaging 125 pounds, at \$5.40; 8 loads do, averaging 128 pounds, at \$5.45, and 6 loads, averaging 110 pounds, at \$5.50.

North Carolinas New Episcopal Bishop.

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 17.—Rev. Alfred A. Wilson, D. D. was consecrated to-day, Bishop of the new Episcopal discess of North Carolina. There was a large attendance of clergy among whom officiating was Bishop Lyman, of Ill.



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