Classified Services Changes. Washington, July 23.-The president to-day submitted to the senate in compliance with the resolution offered by Mr. Ingalls statements from the heads of the executive departments relating to changes in classified

service during certain periods specified in the resolution. The statements are in tabular form and are submitted without comment.

Summarized they are:
Number of clerks now embraced within the provisions of the civil service not removed from July 26, 1888, to March 4, 1885, 84; number of appointments during the same time (not including those excepted from examination by rule 19 of the civil service rules), 505; number of clerks embraced in the provision of the civil service are provised be-505; number of clerks embraced in the provisions of the civil service act removed between March 4, 1884, and 1885, 450; number appointed in the same time, 362; number of chiefs of divisions or chief clerks removed or reduced between July 16, 1883, and March 4, 1885, 6; number of chief clerks appointed during that period, 32; number of chiefs of divisions and chief clerks removed or reduced from March 4, 1885, to June 5, 1886, 1886. divisions and chief clerks removed of reduced, from March 4, 1855, to June 5, 1886, 42; number of chiefs of divisions and chief clerks appointed during that period, 82; number of appointments of officials within the scope of the civil service act between January 18, 1883, date of its passage, and July 15, 1885, the day when it went into effect, 313.

Washington Notes.

WASHINGTON, July 29 .- The indications continue favorable for adjournment of congress without day by next Monday. Should the president, nowever, decide neither to sign nor veto the oleomargarine bill, the friends of the measure will seek to postpone adjournment until Tuesday, on which day it will become a law without the president's approval.

After another long conference this evening the conferees on river and harbor appropriations seem to have reached to what may prove to be the basis of settlement of differences between the two houses. It has been suggested that the Hennepin canal clause be so modified as to authorize an acceptance by the government of Illinois and Michigan canal, and appointment of the read en-gineers, officers to survey and definitely lo-cate the line of the Hennepin canal. Another conference will be held to-morrow morning, at which it is hoped a final agreement will be reached.

More Cutting Proceedings.

WASHINGTON, July 29,-The house committee on foreign affairs to-day considered Representative Lanham's resolution calling on the department of state for correspondence touching the Cutting case. Mr. Lanham read a letter he received from the secretary of state containing the assurance that Cutting would, without doubt, be released soon and it was deemed needless to take further action on the resolution. The committee then adjourned.

Beck Likes His 'Baccy.

WASHINGTON, July 29 .- Mr. Beck, from the committee on finance, to-day reported favorably the house bill providing that manufactured tobacco, snuff and cigars may be removed for export to a foreign country without payment of a tax, under regula-tions to be prescribed by the commissioner of internal revenue.

Politics Removed Him.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—In connection with the nomination of John Finn to be postmaster at Decorab, Ia., the senate postoffice committee reports that A. N. Bailey, Finn's predecessor, was suspended solely for and on account of political reasons, and that there is nothing in the case in any degree reflecting injuriously on his integrity as a man or his efficiency as an officer.

Presenting a Prince.

WASHINGTON, July 29.-Prince Furhima, of Japan, and members of his suite were formally presented to the president to-day by the secretary of state. The Japanese minister will give a dinner in honor of the prince this evening.

Served Him Right

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 29.-George Moore (colored) was hanged in jail in this city to-day for outraging his daughter.

Black Jack in Wyoming. CHEVENNE, Wyo., [Special Telegram to the Bee. | General Logan and party arrived this afternoon. A great crowd met him at the depot, as the people had been on the qui vive to see him for three days. He came on the fourth section of the Denver train. The other trains, which stood between the depot and Logan's train, were uncoupled and pulled apart to give the people a chance to see the distinguished senator. The general and wife and others stood on the rear platform of wite and others stood on the rear platform of
their car. There was lusty cheering, and
the general lifted his hat, but did not speak
until the G. A. R. post marched down with a
drum corps. Then, responding to a lond
call, he made a brief address in a humorous
way, speaking for the most part of the old
boys and the good time they are going to
have. Governor Algar of Michigan, General
Morrow, post commander of Fort Sidney,
here on court-martial, and others delivered
short addresses, all of a jolly character. Mrs. short addresses, all of a jolly character. Mrs. Logan's line face was the synosure of all eyes. The enthusiasm was very marked for

The Cattle Epidemic Worse.

SIOUX CITY, In., July 29 .- [Special Telegram to the BEE.]-If the cattle disease continues to spread much more the state veterinarian will be sent for and an order will then undoubtedly be promulgated to kill all cattle which have been exposed to the disease, Even with the strictest quarantine it seems impossible to check the disease. To-day quite a number of cattle died and numerous other cases of disease are reported. The township trustees quarantine committee and the veter inarian are watching matters very carefully but there is undoubtedly much carelessness but there is undoubtedly much carelessness on the part of the owners of cattle in no properly burying those dying from disease and keeping unaffected eattle away from those diseased. The trouble is by no means over. In one herd of about thirty when the disease broke out only about half a dozen

A Cowardly Murder. CHICAGO, July 29.-[Special Telegram to the BEE. |-- A cowardly murder occurred at South Hastead and O'Neil streets last evening. Daniel McMullen, an ice peddler, was stabbed and almost instantly killed by John Burke a hog driver at the Underwood packinghouse. Burke, who had been waiting around the ice house nearly all day for McMullen, stepped up to the latter- when he came out of the yard after work and with a remark to the effect that McMulten had thrashed him once, but that he would be revenged, drew a pocket knife and plunged it into the right side of McMullen's neck, severing the jugular. Burke then ran away. The wounded man Burke then ran away. The wounded man died in ten minutes. The deceased was 28 years old and leaves a wife and one child. He bore an excellent reputation.

Health of Religion.

Pirrsnung. Pa., July 29.-The seventh annual reunion of the United States Sanitary and Christian commission was inaugurated this afternoon. Delegates were present from all parts of the country. The Hon, Folix R. Brunat, of this city delivered the address of welcome, and Bishop Fallows, of Chicago, responded. Short addresses were made by George H. Stuart, of Philadelphia; Herbert Cariright, Rockford, Ilis.; the Rey, Hathield, Chicago and Capt John F. Drayo, of this city. F. Dravo, of this city.

Take Their Whisky Crooked.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 29.—The Times this afternoon publishes an article concerning an attempted corner in the market for Kentucky and Bourbon whisky. Senior & Son of Cincinnati, are named as one firm in the syndicate. The syndicate discovered only. 77,000 barrels of this whisky and that a capital of \$5,000,000 would control the market. It is asserted they have already purchased nearly a sufficient quantity to make the schemes success.

GLAD HALLELUJAHS ASCEND

Farmers Thankful For Copious Rains and Prospects of Bounteons Crops.

YORK AFTER MORE RAILROADS.

A Mass Meeting Resolves in Favor of a Competing Line-A Sad Otoe County Tragedy - Many State Happenings.

The Blessed Rain.

DANNERBOG, Neb., July 29 .- | Special to the Bre. During the past week we have had a good rainfall amounting to about three inches in this vicinity. Your correspondent has been nearly all over the country since the rain and thinks the corn will make a fair average crop if frost does not come too early. Small grain has proved to be a better crop than was expected, being in most localities a fair yield. It will average three-fourths of a crop or more, and the quality is good. There is a good deal of old corn in the country yet one farmer having used part of his last year's crop to burn a kiln of brick, and says it is about as good for the purpose as coal. The corn was damaged and not marketable.

Custer County Rejoicing. SARENT, Neb., July 29 .- [Special to the BRE.]-Fears were entertained for the safety of our crop, owing to the long continued drouth, but during the past week the flood gates of heaven were let loose, as it were, and we were blessed with abundance of rain, thus insuring to Custer county a large yield of corn and potatoes. The grain is about all cut, and while the wheat yield is not

about all cut, and while the wheat yield is not large, it is of a good quality. Oats are light. The yield is about forty bushels to the acre on the average. The vine crop is simply immense, and with the coming heavy corn yield, the people of Custer county see the dawn of good times before them.

The B. & M. railroad grading is going on at a rapid rate. They are now 100 miles went at a rapid rate. They are now 100 miles west of here on the Middle Loup river. The freighter must soon go.

Saunders County Showers.

WAHOO, Neb., July 29 .- [Special to the BEE. |-Last night and this forenoon we have had several showers-enough to be of great benefit to corn and grass. We shall have a fair crop here now, even though it should not rain any more this season.

ASHLAND, Neb., July 29 .- [Special to the BEE. |-It commenced raining here this afternoon and is pouring down steadily at a lively rate. Both farmers and merchants are rejoicing. It is the first rain of any consequence since the 21st of June. Some of the duence since the 21st of June. Some of the late corn, which was not well cultivated, has suffered greatly, but corn planted early and well cultivated will come out wonderfully after these drenching rains. People have been feeling pretty "blue" lately, but now rejoice together

Hallelulahs From Hall. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., July 29 .- [Special to the Beg. |-Hall county farmers rejoice

this morning over the fine showers which commenced at 3 o'clock. All predict a good erop of corn. Dodge County Delighted.

FREMONT, Neb., July 29 .- [Special to the BEE.]-A good rain fell here last night and to-day, being the first for nearly five weeks. Much of the late corn has been injured by the long-continued dry weather, and is past redemption. The rain seems to be of general extent through this section of the coun

The Reservation Refreshed. Pender, Neb., July 29.—[Special to the Bee.]—Last night a refreshing rain fell here, doing much for corn. The prospect for a good corn crop is much better.

After a Competing Road. YORK, Neb., July 29 .- [Special to the BEE.] -A large and enthusiastic mass meeting was held in the opera house last night to discuss the advisibility of extending aid to the Omaha & Republican Valley division of the Union Pacific railroad to build a branch from Dayenport or Fairchild through York county, via York to Stromsburg. All the grain buyers who handle grain at this place were on hand, and kicked vigorously against the proposed or any other line. The grain men showed their hand to the advantage of the friends of the enterprise, and after being denounced by a speaker as cappers for the B. & M. quietly pocketed the charge and without further par-ley withdrew from the debate. The citizens of this city demand cheaper coal, living rates for the shipment of grain and stock and com-petition between the elevator men, who are continually in a pool and are a source of con-tinued complaint from the farmers of the vicinity. The prospects for an opposition line are now bright, and if York and the

townships on the proposed route can outbid their neighbors in the western part of the county, they will be almost sure of the new road before winter. After a heated discussion the following resolution was adopted with olny four dissenting votes. Resolved, That it is the opinion of the people of York that a competing line of railroad through the county and city would be highly advantageous to the city and county, and should meet with hearty and substantial sup-

Hebron Happenings.

HERRON, Neb., July 29,- [Special to the BEE.]-News reached here to-day that James Gates, who mysteriously disappeared from here last December, and has ever since been supposed by his family and friends to be was seen a few days since in Denver by Ed. Lavin, a prominent business man of his place. Gates had considerable property out was badly involved and it is generally believed that he absconded because of lack of moral courage to face his creditors. His wife, father and brothers will be glad to near confirmation of the report sent by Mr.

The B. & M. railroad company will commence work in a few days upon the exten-sion of the Hebron branch. They will run north from here twenty miles to Strang complete the connection through to Fair-mont before snow flies.

There remains no doubt concerning the Rock Island bonds being voted, and assur-ance is given that trains on the road will be cunning here before January next.

NERRASKA CITY, Neb., July 29.-[Special Telegram to the BEE. |-One of the saddest accidents that ever occurred in southern Otoe county happened last night, shortly after 6 o'clock, near Tangeman's mill. Ferginand Steinmetz, accompanied by his wife and child, had been to Talmage on busines, and were on their journey home, and when crossing the bridge across the Nemalia were thrown into the river and drowned. Some railroad men had crossed the bridge a short time before, and while there stopped and watered their horses, consequently the planks were wet and slippery. Steinmetz was driving a team of mules, and when they saw the wet place on the bridge shied and crowded against the railing, which, being weak, gave way, precipitating them into the water thirty feet below. Their bodies were recovered this morning.

recovered this morning. Political Jim-jams.

AUBURN, Neb., July 29.- [Special Tele gram to the BEE |- The prohibitionists met at the court house to-day. Nearly every township was fully represented and a full delegation to the state convention was elected They adopted a strong platform demanding of the republican party to submit the question of a prohibition amendment to the people and declaring a refusal to do so the essence and declaring a refusal to do so the essence of despotism and a just cause for revolution, and demanding that a thorough prohibitory ticket be placed in the field, and pledging themselves to bolt and place a third ticket in the field in case of a refusal of the republican party to do so. No county ticket was reminated.

Wafted From Wahoo. Wanoo, Neb., July 20.—[Special to the Вик.]—A large number of pleasure seekers left on the excursion train for Waterloc to enjoy a pienic, under the management of the Christian church. The rain will make the

picnic a pleasureable affair, though not in A BOLD BURGLAR'S BULLETS the ordinary way. The Wahoo silver band

accompanied the picnickers to furnish music The grading on the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railroad is completed to Waisoo, and is now ready for the ties and rails. Rails will be laid to this point within four weeks. They Perforate the Walls of a Seventeenth Street Residence.

JOHN I. BLAIR INTERVIEWED.

A Fight With a Burglar.

The series of more or less bold burg-

residence portion of the city during the

past two weeks was eclipsed by an at-

came very near resulting in a tragedy

The attempt was made at 109 South Sev-

M K. Kean. Mr. Sussenbach, foreman

at Her's distillery, who has a room at

Mrs. Kean's, went home shortly before 1

o'clock. He occupies a suite of rooms

on the second floor, the parlor of which

opens upon the hailway, just at the head

of the stairs. As he entered the parlor

he thought he heard a noise in his sleep-

ing room, and, striking a match, stepped

to the door. As he did so a man sprang

from the room and grappied with him. Mr. Sussenbach is a large, powerful man and the would-be burglar soon found that he was in close quarters. In the tussle that ensued the burglar drew a re-

volver and attempted to shoot Mr. Sus-senbach, firing three shots at him. Owing

to the position in which he was held he

could take no aim and fortunately his

shots missed their intended mark and

found lodgement in the walls, one of them cutting through the partition into a room

occupied by Ed Mullen, Mr. Sussenbach

finally overeame his man and threw him bodily down the stairs, mashing the banisters as he went. The burglar either shot himself or was hurt in

the scuffle as the banisters and walls in

the hallway were found to be covered with blood. The noise aroused the neigh-

borhood and a search was instituted for

the burglar. He was tracked by his bare

foot-prints and a trail of blood half way

through an alley in the block across the street where all trace of him was lost.

Sergeant Mostyn, who was notified of the affair, spent the night in a fruitless

search for his man. The affair created a great sensation in the neighborhood,

TWO SPECIAL CARS.

John I. Blair and Party-T. D. Messler

and Family.

Attached to the very heavy overland

train last night was the special Pellman

ear, Pickwick, which had for its occu-

pants the well known railway king,

John I. Blair, his son, G. C. Blair,

Colonel Hogg, of the Oregon Short line;

Percy R. Pyne, and his son, Percy R. jr.,

of New York, the former a leader in the

financial circles in the metropolis; Judge

Green, of Philadelphia, and Dr. Burt, of

Bellevue hospital, New York. Mr. Blair

is looking unusually well, and in response

to an inquiry from, a representative of

"I am enjoying better health at pres-

"Well, I can say both. We intend to

make a thorough inspection of the terri-tories through which the short line runs,

and while we are doing so pleasure will

truthfully say that it is ready to extend

its line whenever there is an available

opening and will do in the future as i

has in the past, all it can to build up and

"Is the real business object of your

'No, not now. In fact, this is a mere

present visit ripe enough for the public,

skirmish trip. Nothing really definite in view but it will, I think, result in some-

thing worthy of place in the railroad col-

A short conversation followed on mis-

cellaneous subjects during which Mr

Blair spoke in the highest terms of

Omaha and expressed his regret to his

associate tourists that the opportunity did not permit them at least a day's

Kausas City man who was arrested for threatening Mr. Blair's life, the latter

aid the accused had not been tried yet.

He is out on bail and as far as he could

learn, the evidence was very strong

against him. A generous supply of water and ice having been given the

Pickwick, the overland started some few

The K. C. arrived about an hour late,

owing to delayed connections. It brought in addition to the regular cars a special

of the Pennsylvana company, a corpora-tion that operates all the lines that work

jointly with the Pennsylvania Central railroad west of Pittsburg. In this car

were Thomas D. Messer, first vice presi-

dent of the Pennsylvania company, and wife; R. V. Messer and wife and Master

Eugene Messer. The party took a car-riage at the depot and drove to the Pax-

ton, where they will remain until this evening. Mr. Messer says that he is on a

pleasure trip solely and intends to see

all that is worth seeing in the west, com-mencing with Omaha and terminating

Burgled a Boarding House.

At an early hour yesterday morning a

young man named Moore, who has a

room at Flynn's boarding house at the

corner of Fourteenth and Jackson

streets, was awakened by the presence of

strangers in his room. He sat up in bed

and found himself looking into the muz-

zle of a buildog revolver, held in the

room with burglarious intent. "Open

your head and I'll kill , you," hissed the

burglar through his clenched teetli.

"Murder," yelled Moore, as he ducked

his head under the covers. The noise

tified of the affair several hours after-

wards, but as yet have secured no tangi-

Another Soap Plant.

of the largest soap manufacturers of the

country, is looking for a location for a

western branch establishment, and has

been attracted to Omaha. He has writ-

named. A location here is very prob

Halford Sauce is palatable and healthy.

Mr. S. B. Bowles, of Marville, Pa., one

premises showed that the threves had

minutes late for the west.

with the Pacific coast.

visit here. Regarding the case of

settle the far western country,"

umn of the press."

ent than during any summer season for

Business or pleasure?"

the BEE, said:

many years., f

Mr. Blair?"

these days?

Failure at Columbus. COLUMBUS, Neb., July 29,- [Special Telegram to the BEE.]-The failure of Ames & Money Makes the Man-Saved From Jenkinson created quite a little excitement Shame - A Sioux Invasion - A to-day. Several had mortgages on some o New Grocery-Pigeon Popthe property, and all were anxious to see if theirs was the first. The Jenkinson brothers as yet seem to be the heaviest losers. ping-Other Local.

taken from the drawer, together with two double-action navy revolvers and some wet goods. Sheriff Kayanaugh and Walker went Grand Island to-day in pursuit of the bur Fire at York. YORK, Neb., July 29.—[Special to the BEE. The barn and granary of Ex-sheriff J. P. Miller were destroyed by fire last night with contents including fobr valuable horses and a quantity of grain and harness. Loss be-

A Saloon Burglarized.

Columbus, Neb., July 29.-[Special Tele-

ram to the Brie. |-William Walker's saloon

as entered last night by burglars and \$5,65

cumstances point strongly to incendiarism. After a Seized Schooner. OTTAWA, Ont., July 29.-The Americans ave filed their defense in the case of the schooner Ella M. Dougherty, which was seized May last at St. Ann's,

tween \$700 and \$1,000; slight insurance.

The cause of the fire is unknown, but cir-

Flour Mill Burned. SCHULER, Neb., July 29.- Special Telegram to the Ber, |-This morning about 3 o'clock Hanzel's mill on Shell creek, about a

mile and a half from town, was struck by

lightning and burned to the ground. Wants to Rule or Ruin. CHICAGO, July 29,-The following telegram, signed by the mayor, president of the board of trade and others, was sent to-day to Senators Cullum, Wilson and Warner

"We, in behalf of the board of trade and other prominent citizens of Chicago beg you to insist on the Hennepin canal amendment or to defeat the river and harbor bill."

An Exceptional Case.

NEW YORK, July 29,-Ross Raymond formerly a newspaper reporter and a welknown swindler both in this country and in Europe, was arrested at a hotel to-day and locked up for passing worthless checks.

Nebraska and Iowa Weather. For Nebraska and Iowa-Local rains, folowed by fair weather; slightly warmer.

"KISSING TIME'S EXPIRED."

A New Order Which is to be Issued to the Union Pacific Depot Officials. It is rumored that a new order will soon be issued to the depot officials of the Union Pacific railroad which will really be of as much importance if faithfully carried out as the running of the fast mail train. Its object is to prevent people, especially the female sex, following their departing friends into the cars for farewell osculation, thereby crowding the aisles and even taking possession of seats to the discomfiture of travelers generally, and railroad officials particularly, and also to prevent the loss of life and limb by the "seeing off" people having to jump from a rapidly moving train. Notwithstanding the utmost vigilance of train and depot men these people will get on the ears just as if a kiss under the great iron back of the turtle depot was not as luscious as in a ear. Wednesday evening a party of women who came to see a friend off took possession of a car and unmindful of a dozen "all aboards' in high baritone with a chorus of bell ringing and sharp fugue notes from the locomotive flute they remained until the train was in rapid motion. Very fortunately they were discovered, the train was stopped, the party placed on the platform safely, and after considerable trouble a start was made again. Those three or four lip meetings in the car caused delay and inconvenience to a hundred people, to say nothing of the trouble to the train men. So it is that in a day or so it is understood that Duff Green, the baritone soloist of the depot, and Charly Meyer, the basso profunde

five minutes before each train leaves. A Sunday School Picnic.

will sing out "kissing time expired"

On next Thursday, August 5, the Lutheran Sunday schools of Omaha, numbering 300 souls, will give an excursion to Weeping Water, where a basket pienie will be held. Weeping Water is fortyseven miles from Omaha, and one of the most romantic spots in the state. The excursion train will leave Omaha at 8:30 a. m., and leave Weeping Water at 6 p. m. on the return trip. Round trip tickets \$1.00; children under twelve years, 50 cents, and infant classes free.

Damages.

Frank Wilson, Jerry Hennesy and D A. Hurley were arraigned in Justice Anderson's court yesterday to answer to the claim for damages brought against them for driving away and losing stock that belonged to parties living near Sulphur Springs. Mr. Hurley, the poundmaster, was found to have had nothing to do in the case, and was discharged. His deputies, Wilson and Hennesy, were required to pay damages in the sum of \$15 each.

Brevities The following is Prof. Smith's weather forecast for the week ending Wednesday August 4: May open cool, but the last days of the month will be sultry, with some heavy storms (severe in the west).

August opening tine, followed by very hot weather and thunder storms. The counter in the county clerk's office has been surmounted by a neat wire screen and railing.

Personal Paragraphs. J. D. McDonald, of Fremont, is in the

Geo. H. Lewis, of Des Moines, is in the Alf Biddick, of Red Oak, Ia., is in the E. M. Correll, of Helena, Neb., 13 m

M. F. Ball, of Grand Island, is at the Merchants. I. D. Clarke, of Poppleton, Neb., is at

the Paxton. C. H. Deere, of the Deere Plow company, Moline, Ill., is in the city. G. H. Ransom, of Ransom Bros., merchants at Bancroft, was in the city yes-

Fred Nye took his usual run to Spirit

Lake last night to visit his family, have been spending the season there. Go to Cotton & Smith for a carriage, buckboard or buggy. Ask for their \$25 single harness, the best in the market for

terday.

the price. 604 N. 16th st. Here is what you want-180 lots in Me-Cormick's 2d addition. The very cheap-est that have been offered; lays inside Belt line, bet. Farnam and Leavenworth; prices from \$400 to \$750. Plats can be seen at our office. Muir & Remington,

1509 Farnam st. For Sale -132x146, cor. 25th and Chicago Sts., \$7,500. This a choice corner and a bargain. C. E. Mayne, 15th and Farnam.

MONEY MAKES THE MAN. Extremities of Worldly Fortune Ex-

emplified in Two Miners. Last evening's train brought in from the west ex-Thirty-Day Senator Tabor, of Denver, who is on his way to Chicago. He is the same old two-and sixpence that the types have touched up time and time again. The big moustache was in its usual place and the artificial color will stand until Chicago is reached, provided the champaigne don't flood it too rapidly. Tabor seems to be in excellent health, as

given him a new lease on big bonanza aries that have been committed in the "I ain't giving much attention to polities just now," he remarked, "It's too d-d hot. Mining pays better, and I've tempted burglary early this morning that some of my old time tuck during the past year, I tell you, young man, make money first, and polities will come along enteenth street, in the residence of Mrs.

You will undoubtedly do some work in this fall's campaign?"
"You bet I'm always about election time. In fact, the Colorado boys say I must be. This trip I

am only going to Chicago, and purely on business. Have a eigar? Good day!" The bonanza king of Colorado resumed his place in the Pullman car, and with a party of jovial companions met upon the route, preparations were made for a continuance of the game of poker through Iowa and Illinois which had already lasted through parts of Colorado and Wy-oming and across Nebraska. Here was the wily, successful miner, able to pro-cure any luxury he desired with money, but what claim he had on the smiles of fate more than thousands of other people was hard to tell. There was another miner on the plat-

form near the car in which Tabor was,

and his name was William Ryan.

father and his grand-father were miners before him, and he himself has worked in nearly all the camps of the Rockies, and even in the copper mines of the Lake Superior region. Nearly three-fourths of his life have been spent below ground. He has worked industriously and faithfully, but fate has given him misery where it gave Tabor money. Yet he is a finer looking man than the Colorado money bags, has equally as good intel-lect, but the possession of gold has placed a fathomiess chasm between them and their relations to the world. Poor Ryan lost both feet during the severe cold of last January. He was working in a copper mine away up on the Lake Superior peninsula; the man at the top of the shaft was taken sick, Ryan was ordered to take his place, and on the morning after the surgeon's knife had severed two frozen feet from the ankles he found himself a cripple for life. For four months he laid in the poor house suffering intense agony. He is now on his way to the home of some cousins who are farmers near Lincoln Neb., without a cent in his pocket or an acquaintance in the city. The B. & M. railroad company very kindly passed him to the capital city, for he worked for it when the first rails were laid into Omaha. Ryan is an expert in ore sorting, and when he is able intends to go to Colorado to work in that line which can be done while in a sedentary position. Ryan had nothing to eat for two days. Tabor was waiting for a wine dinner at the transfer. Boisterous laughter came from the gay party he was with, and curious people were gazing through the windows and doors of the car to see the "great man." There was no smile on Ryan's care-worn features as

"What is the destination of your party, he stood on his stumps, and he was as solitary amid the crowd as if he were alone in a 2x4 oasis in Sahara. "Well, we will turn up at Portland, "This is a queer world," remarked a clerical gentleman who heard the story.
"G—d d—d queer," said an irreverent fellow standing by.
The clerical gentleman commenced to Ore. I expect but we intend to take a kind of stop-over trip on the Oregon Short line."

open his grip.

"Bully," said the newsboy, "he's going to give a fiver to the poor duffer. Come, boys, let's put in. "I'll give a quarter."

naturally follow, for in my opinion this Rocky mountain and trans-Rocky moun-The reverend gentleman unfolded a tain country are the places above all others for summer enjoyment." bundle of tracts on various subjects-"Charity Covers a Multitude of Sins,"
"When You Give to My Suffering Ones
You Give to Me," "Do Not Let Your
Left Hand Know what Your Right "I suppose the Northwestern system will be reaching out to the coast one of "Well, that may be so. The North-western claims to be behind no other road The clerical gentleman followed the latter admonition faithfully, and juin push and enterprise, and I think I can diciously, too, for the left hand would have blushed with shame if it was aware that instead of contributing a nickel, as the little newsboy suggested, the elerical gentleman commenced to scatter the re ligious dodgers around among the

> SAVED FROM A LIFE OF SHAME A Butte City Mother Takes Her

sDaughter Fromsa Brothells A rapidly driven coupe left the Union Pacific depot just after the arrival of the overland train vesterday evening and halted at the police station, where one of the occupants. a small sized, wiry gentleman, with a peculiar foxy manner, alighted and held a brief whispered conversation with Officer Turnbull. The other occupant of the coupe was a richly dressed lady, whose face was covered by a heavy veil. The stranger soon secured the information he desired and giving a brief direction to his driver, stepped into the coupe and was driven down Douglas street, followed by a reporter for this paper. The next stop was at the door of one of the well known houses of ill-repute on Ninth street. Here the lady inmate of the coupe alighted, still closely veiled. She glanced around nervously as it fearful of being seen, and then hastily stepped to the door, hastily stepped the b bell admitted. There were sounds of commotion inside the buildings, a mingling of a woman's voice in pleading with another's cries and lamentations being plainly heard by passers by and the curious fe-males who occupied the adjoining house. The stranger in the coupe drew a sigh of relief when, after about a quarter of an hour's waiting, the door of the eastle opened and his companion reappeared, accompanied by a young girl, evidently yet in her teens, whose face and form bespoke her the daughter of the woman upon whose arm she was leaning. Her eyes were red from weeping and both were visibly effected by an emotion which found no outward expression as they silently stepped into their conveyance and were driven toward the depot. An express wagon followed carrying the young woman's hands of a man who was evidently in the trunk. At the depot the two women occupied seats in the ladies' waiting room and carried on a conversa tion in a low tone of voice.

The gentleman of the party was approached by a BEE reporter, but refused to have anything to say. He finally gave his name as P. C. Kirtland, a detective of Butte City, Mont. Of the awakened the other boarders and the burglars fled. An examination of the lady accompanying him he refused to give any information except that her hus-band was a physician of Butte City, and cured two gold watches and \$40 in cash from the boarders. The police were nothat her daughter had run away from home to avoid a marriage with a, to her, undesirable suitor, and had come to Omaha, where she entered the disorderly house from which she had just been taken by her mother. It was subsequently learned that the young garl has

The party left for the west last evening. ten to Secretary Nattinger, of the board of trade, in reference to Omaha's advan-tages for a business of the character A Sioux Invasion Promised. Last night Mr. A. Shulson and Mr. N E. Reed, of Sioux City, arrived on a mission the successful performance of which will do much to strengthen the already | ranged.

been an inmate of several sporting houses in Omaha during the past three months.

going under the name of Bessie Price.

pleasant social relatious existing between the people of Omana and their Sioux City neighbors. The gentlemen are here to arrange for an excursion of Sioux City people to Omaha on August 8. The excursion will be given under the auspices of the K. of P. band, the old "Northwestern," a musical organization of twenty members, with a wide reputation through the northwest. They have chartered a special train of ten coaches and will ar rive over the Sioux City & Pacific about noon on Sunday, August 8, and spend the day in the city, returning home in the evening. They expect to bring at least eight hundred people on the excursion. Messrs, Reed and Shulson are here to he certainly is in spirits, the outputs of the Leadville mines having undoubtedly secure a park and make the necessary rangements for the entertainment of the excursionists.

Buffalo Bill's Success.

"The success of Buffalo Bill is really

something wonderful," said an Omaha. man, who has just returned from New York, "Bill is making this season a bushel of money-more than he ever dreamed of. The Wild West has caught on in great shape on Staten Island. The average daily attendance since it opened there has been 15,000, and up to the day I left there had been 360,000 people to see the show. In this enterprise Buffalo Bill is backed by Erastus Winan, one of the very rich men in New York. Winan fitted up a new summer resort on Staten Island and secured Bill's big realistic show as the attraction of the season. Winan is the principal owner of the excursion line of steamers tunning to and from Erastina, as the place has been named. The Staten Island and Rapid Pransit company, as it is called, is making a pile of money, even at the low ex-cursion rate of 10 cents. Bill's camp has been fitted up in an attractive manner. but the grand stands, with a scating ca-pacity of 20,000, are not able to accommodate the people on pleasant days, and on the day I left it was determided to considerably increase the seating capacity at once. I am sure Buffalo Bill's host of Nebraska friends will be glad to hear of his great success with the Wild West, especially as it is a Nebraska enterprise."

Dividing the Reward. John Bieri, the Swiss who was arrested on suspiction of having murdered Chris Ruhle, was discharged by Judge Stenberg yesterday, it having been shown by evidence already published in the BEE that he was in Elkhorn at work when the murder was committed, Fritz Wirth and 'Doc' Shroeder were highly indignant at the discharge of Bieri. They were confident that he had committed the murder, so confident, in fact, that they had considered the division of the reward, which they were sure they would receive. They had even quarreled over the said division. Wirth wanted the biggest slice of the reward, for had he not telephoned the police as soon as he saw Bieri. "Doc" came in and claimed at least one-half of the amount, for had he not watched Bierr while Wirth was telephoning. The matter could not be settled satisfactorily and a quarrel ensued, resulting in Wirth serving "Doe" with a notice to move his barber shop from the City hotel within three days. After Bieri's discharge, however, a compromise was effected, and the great neads are now working upon another 'dead sure' clue.

Good Crop Showing.

Notwithstanding the evil prognostications of those who always see dark days ahead, it is not probable that the long absence of Jupiter Pluvius from this section of Nebraska is going to greatly injure the crops. In the western part of the state they have been favored with a good supply of rain and the showers that commenced here vesterday will undoubtedly prove of great benefit to corn. Mr. William Frank, a well known and prosperous farmer near Springfield, Sarpy ounto, has just finished threshing his wheat and the yield was 130 bushels on ten acres.

Judge Welch, who has just been all over Sarpy county on a business trip, has paid particulor attention to the condition of the crops. From actual observation and talks with farmers he says that the average yield will be about forty-two bushels of oats, thirteen of wheat and the corn crop will be over half the yield of an unusually prosperous season.

The Omaha Medical College. The sixth annual announcement of the

Omaha Medical college for the session of 1886-87 has just been issued in catalogue form. The regular session begins October 4, 1886, and ends on March 26, 1887, with a vacation from December 24 to January 4. The aunouncement duly chronicles the removal of the college building to the corner of Twelfth and Pacific streets, and states that the buildlngs and surroundings have been greatly improved. This fact will doubtless be gratifying news to Mr. Stuht and his fellow-complainants against the condition of the building. There were thirty students and five graduates last year. prospects are flattering for a large at-

tendance for the coming year. They Sold "B. B." Detective Dingman has returned from Kenesaw, Neb., where he secured the arrest and imprisonment of two saloon men, Henry Huckfelt and J. Preston, for selling whisky without license, under the name of "B. B." The saloon men could not get a license from the authorities, but went on with their business just the same. Mr. Dingman had two men, disguised as emigrants, visit the place and secured the needed evidence against the whisky sellers. Fifteen complaints were iled against them, and upon examina tion the defendants were bound over to the district court.

Building Permits. Inspector Whitlock issued building permits vesterday as follows: Beverly & Rogers, two one-story frame cottages, Nineteenth and Castellar. \$
Samuel Rogers, one-story frame cottage, 1809 South Sixteenth street...
Geo. Heinrad, three-story brick store building, Sixteenth and Webster... 13

John Betts, frame barn, 1435 South Fourteenth street. Fred Gray, one-story frame warehouse, 707 Douglas street. W. Sweesy, three-st ry brick tenement, 1722 and 1724 Dodge. Bert Johnson, one-story frame cottage, Doreas west of Twentieth street. Geo. I. Gilchrist, double three-story brick building, 1819 and 1812 Chicago Christian Kocher, one-story frame cottage, Twentieth between Carke and Sherman.

Sherman Nine permits, aggregating. \$16,350

Popping at Pigeons. The regular shoot of the gun club for the club medal took place at Athletic park yesterday afternoon. The shoot was at twenty Peoria blackbirds and resulted as follows:

Worley ... 10110 10010 01000 00110 1 1 10100 10100 01000 8 Kennely ... 11100 11111 10011 11110 15 Stout ... 00101 01010 00111 00101 Another Wholesale Grocery House. H. B. Thurber & Co., of New York City, one of the largest wholesale grocery firms in the United States, have decided to make Omaha the headquarters of their western business, and will open a branch house in this city some time next month, as soon as suitable quarters can be ar-

A Bold and Daring Break For the County Seat. Gossip About Banker Matthewson and His Troubles-The Coming District Reunion of Soldiers

NORFOLK'S HIGH AMBITION

Nonroux, July 29 .- [Correspondence of the BEE. |- Inasmuch as Norfolk in the great Elkhorn valley is now contending for new laurals, its ambition leading it to ask for the county seat, your correspondent visited the town to-day and found everybody rejoicing over a recent rain, and all resting happy in the thought of a corn crop outlook two-thirds as large as

-The Political Outlook.

On August 13 there will be an election upon what is always an unprohibitable and perplexing question, "the removal of the county seat." The Norfolk people are confident of a final triumph, and knowing ones say that it will require about three elections to decide the matter, but as four different places are contending, ultimately Norfolk will be the the county's capital. The four points are Madison, Norfolk, Battle Creek and "The Centre." The last named is only an imaginary town. THE MATTHEWSON EPISODE.
There is considerable talk here just

now over the sad and sudden failure of Chas. P. Matthewson, the banker. With the history of his actions the Bre's readers are familiar. For a long number of years he conducted a private bank, apyears he conducted a private bank, ap-parently made money; possessed the confidence and esteem of all who knew him. After winning an important case in law, in which he acquired some \$15,500, he organized, with others, a national bank. Certificates of deposit from his private bank came in, were re-deemed by the new firm and charged to his account. There were too many of them. The stockholders in the new concern intimated that they would commence criminal prosecution. He visited Connecticut, disposed of his bank stock, sent the amount received for it to the new bank, and disappeared. After so-journing in Texas, Arkansas and Colorado, about three weeks ago he returned to his home. He is suffering with disease, and refuses to talk about business. His property, indiciously handled, will bring a sum sufficient to pay all claims against him. My informant said that there was no doubt as to the man's innocence of any crime. The reports published some time ago that there was a woman at the bottom of it all, was only the vague vaporings of an excited corres pondent. Had he not failed in business, Charley Matthewson would unquestionably have been a formidable candidate for governor. Such at least is the opinion here.

THE SOLDIER BOYS are making grand preparations for the North Nebraska Veterans' reunion, to be held here commencing August 8. Norfolk was a competing point with Grand Island for the state reunion, and as she got hot the boys immediately organized the district reunion to be held a week preceding the state reunion. They boast of their superior grounds, and will be prepared to accommodate all who attend. They expect 10,000 people. Gen. Brisbin, of Fort Niobrara, accompanied by four troops of cavalry; a large number of Sioux Indians and an Indian band, will be among the attractions.

THE INSANE ASYLUM is rapidly adproaching completion, and Contractor King will complete his work on the \$60,099, the remaining \$15,000 of the \$75,000 appropriation being used, as was intended to finish grounds, etc., and the third story is now being added. It is thought there will be patients enough to fill it at once. The superintendent of the Lincoln asslum has written to all counties saying that there was no more room in the Lincoln building.

TOUCHING UPON POLITICS, your correspondent found that the county seat fight so near at hand, little else has been talked of. However, General Thayer is honored by the old soldier boys, and there are plenty here, as there are others, who admire his intelligence and honor, there is little doubt in your correspondent's mind but that he will se-cure the delegation. Clarke is regarded as a South Platte man because he lives in Omaha, which, the boys claim, is too near the line. Paul, the apostle, has not yet visited this place. Whispered rumors and criminal shortcomings will choke his wind off here,

A hard hitter against Van Wyck told me to-day that the majority of the people were friendly to the "old man," and that he "was afcaid" a Van Wyck representative would be elected.

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A boat race took place Wednesday after-noon between the "Giant" and "Skeleton" four-oared crews of the Omaha Row ing association. It was a mile and a half race, three quarters and turn-and though stubbornly contested from start to finish was won by the "Skeletons" in the excellent time of 10:04.

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