## AN UNCOMPAHERE'S HEROISM

Saved His Squaw and Pappoose and Then Fell Dead Himself.

DETAILS OF THURSDAY'S FIGHT.

The Death List Foots Up Fourteen, While the Wounded Number Nine -War Fairly Begun-Colorow Charged With Murder.

## Heroic.

MEEKER, Colo., August 28, (via Glenwood), August 29.- | Special Telegram to the BEE. |-The latest courier from Rangely brings reliable information that instead of two whites being killed, as at first reported, there were five whites killed and four wounded, and seven Indians and two squaws killed and five wounded. The whites killed are Lieutenant Folsom of Aspen, Jack Ward of Deputy Sheriff Kendall's party, a long-haired railway laborer, known as "Wild Bill" or 'Curly," who was picked up at Glenwood and furnished with arms, and two ranchmen cowboys who joined the troops and whose names are as yet unknown. The Indians killed are thought to be three Uncompanderes and four White river Utes. The most heroic act of the battle, aside from the general bravery of the troops, should be credited to an Uncompangre known as "Gus." He had a squaw and pappoose when the battle began and in the first rush they became separated and in the course of the first half hour were more than a mile from him down the ravine The man, who had been advising Colorow of the progress of the fight, saw his squaw and pappoose appear at the extreme east end of the lines. The poor creature, with the little Indian clasped in her arms, was screaming and running wildly about, terrified beyond description. The Indian caught sight of her, and although the battle was raging fiercely, he put spurs to his pony and dashed down the ravine in the face of a perfect storm of bullets. At least 300 shots were fired at him but he never flinched, and reaching the squaw he leaned over and pulled her on the horse, gallopped half a mile further on with his burden and after placing her on the ground out of dan-ger rode back to the top of the bluff. When he reached the summit he was seen to reel and a moment later fell dead. As far as can be learned of the origin of

the fight, the Indians and troops did not really expect it. The Indians were auxious to get their squaws and 300 ponies out of the way. The troops under Leslie and Pray were simply reconcitering the position of the Indians, who were gathering their stock together. The flag of truce was still flying and Captain Pray says that he would not have violated it. The Indians had started to drive their ponies up the ravine when Kendall's party came up and started after them. The Indians took to the hills and began to fire. Then the battle began and for nearly eight hours continued unabated. Captain Pray came in to-day with his command to report. He says the White river Colorow, for whom the warrant was issued, and the Uncompangre Colorow were both present, and he has conversed with the former. The Whi te River Colorow is an old man nearly 70 years of age, wrinkled and fat. He is almost deaf and his sight impaired. In conversation with Pray he denied his desire to fight, but said that if the white man did not go back there would be a big fight, and that he could get "heap White river, heap Uncompangre and heap Navajo Indians" who were young and wanted to fight. All who come in say that the troops need aid, and Thomas, the courier who came in this morning, says that the situation at Rangely is critical. There has been no fighting since Thursday, but 600 Indians are reported to be within six miles of them ready to fight. The loss of their squaws and ponies has made them wild, and they will seek revenge. The ranchmen have taken their families to Rangely. THE WAR FAIRLY BEGUN.

RANGELY, Colo., August 29 .- By Courier to Glenwood Springs. |-The situation here is unchanged as far as war features are concerned. The Indians are still in force on the battle ground near the 'reservation, with lookouts on surrounding peaks. About 200 ponies were captured by the boys, but about 100 of them have been run off. Some of them were claimed by Mexicans, who were allowed to take them away. Major Lestie and Sheriff Kendall are holding their position, waiting for reinforcements, supplies and amunition. It is thought the Indians will not make an attack unless the command undertake to retreat with the ponies,

A prominent officer of Camp Adams writes as follows: "As near as I can judge the war has now fairly begun. The Utes will gather from 700 to 800 warriors and will raid the country, fighting to the bitter end."

An officer of the United States army who saw our boys at Rangely, says, "Only squaws, old men and pappooses are left on sither reservation. The bucks are all with

Crook and Agent Byrnes will join Governor Adams at Meeker on Wednesday. If they expect to arrange for the delivery of Colorow and the two indicted Indians on any terms their mission will be a fruitless

COLOROW CHARGED WITH MURDER. GLENWOOD SPHINGS, Colo., August 29.— |Special Telegram to the BEE. |-F. P. Swindler has just sworn out a warrant for Colorow on a charge of murder. The war-rant will go forward to Sheriff Kendail by courier to-night. The first one was for the simple misdemeanor of resisting an officer. This being for a felony, will make it difficult for the authorities, federal and state, to settle matters without the surrender of the old cam-

Big Shipment of Gold. NEW YORK, August 29 .- The Post publishes the following: It is known that about \$1,500,000 of gold was shipped from New York to San Francisco last week, and that but for this exceptional movement the surplus reserve of the banks would have shown an increase of over \$2,000,000. The amount of gold gone to California is, however, more than offset by the arrival of \$2,249,184 on the Umbria and LaGascoigne this morning, thus making the total imports since July 23, \$5,232,079. The proposed syndicate to "take over" the secured loans of Henry S. Ives & Co. is understood to have abandoned the undertaking.

# Rescued From the Waves.

HALIFAX, N. S., August 29.-The pleasure steamer Mohican, owned by the Clarks, of Paisley, Scotland, arrived at midnight last Paisley, Scotland, arrived at midnight last night from Clyde, after a terrific passage of twelve days. At noon yesterday the Mohican fell in with the ship Lillian, of St. John, N. B., which had been rendered a complete wreck during the previous day's storm. The crew of seventeen men besides the captain's wife and stewardess, which were clinking to the belokes ship. which were clinging to the helpless ship, were taken off. The Lellian was abandoned about three hundred miles east of Halifax.

Recruits For the West.

WASHINGTON, August 29 .- The superin tendent of the recruiting service has been ordered to send thirty recruits to Fort Snelling, Minnesota, for assignment to the Twelfth infantry, and fifteen colored cavalry recruits to such department of Arizona as the commanding general of the department shall designate for assignment to the Teuth cavalry.

## THE SPORTING WORLD.

Kansas City 1, Wichita 0. WICHITA, Kan., August 29.-|Special Telegram to the Beg.]-Umpire Webster and the Kansas City team to-day robted Wichita by a score of 1 to 0, but the steal had to be too open. The Kansas Citys had only twenty-nine men at bat, and one of these only left on a base. Wichita had thirty-four men at bat, three hit and ten of the thirty-seven died on bases. Hofford was hit by the home team for seven clean hits and got three bases on balls. Hendricks was hit for three clean hits and gave three men bases on balls. Schneider had just one passed ball, but that let in the only run in the fourth inning. Score by innings: Kansas City.....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 Wichita......0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

American Association.

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Cincinnati, August 29.—The game between the Cincinnati and Athletic teams to-day resulted as follows:
Cincinnati. ... 1 0 0 0 1 2 2 0 1—7
Athletics. ... 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2—5
Louisville, August 29.—The game between the Louisville and Metropolitan teams to-day resulted as follows:
Louisville. ... 0 0 0 3 0 7 0 0 4—14
Metropolitans. ... 0 3 0 0 0 0 3 0 2—8
St. Louis, August 29.—The game between the St. Louis and Brooklyn teams to day resulted as follows:
St. Louis. ... 1 0 0 2 0 3 0 1 0—7
Brooklyn. ... 2 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0—5
CLEVELAND, August 29.—The game between the Cleveland and Baltimore teams to-day resulted as follows:
Cleveland. ... 1 0 0 1 0 2 1 1 2—8
Baltimore. ... 1 0 0 1 0 2 1 1 2—8
Baltimore. ... 1 2 0 0 1 1 1 0—6

National League Games.

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New York, August 29.—The game between the New York and Indianapolis teams to-day resulted as follows:

New York...0 0 0 0 0 0 3 1 0 1—5 Indianapolis...2 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 —4

Ten innings. Pitchers—Keefe and Shreve. Base hits—New York 0, Indianapolis 5.

Errors—New York 8, Indianapolis 5.

Errors—New York 8, Indianapolis 9.

Umpire—Brady.

PHILADELPHIA, August 29.—The game between the Philadelphia and Pittsburg teams to-day resulted as follows:

Philadelphia....0 0 0 0 1 2 1 2 0—6

Pittsburg......3 1 0 3 0 0 0 0 \*— 7

Pitchers—Buffinton for Philadelphia, Morris and Galvin for Pittsburg. Base hits—Philadelphia 16, Pittsburg 10. Errors—Philadelphia 6, Pittsburg 3. Umpire—Powers.

Boston, August 29.—The game between the Boston and Detroit teams to-resulted as follows:

Detroit.......0 0 2 0 5 0 6 3 \*—16

Boston......0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—2

Pitchers—Getzein and Stemmyer. Base hits—Detroit 21, Boston 7, Errors—Detroit 4, Boston 14. Umpire—Doescher.

WASHINGTON, August 29.—The first game between the Washington and Chicago teams to-day resulted as follows:

Washington........0 0 0 2 0 5 0 6 3 \*—16

Pitchers—O'Day and Baldwin. Base hits—Washington 10, Chicago 11. Errors—Daniels.

The Northwestern League.

The Northwestern League. DES MOINES, Ia., August 29.—Northwestern eague games to-day: Des Moines 7, Oshkosh 4, at Des Moines; Minneapolis 18, Eau Claire 15, at Eau Claire, Morning game; Milwaukee 7, LaCrosse 5; Evening game; Milwaukee 16, LaCrosse 6, at Milwaukee.

Saratoga Races. SARATOGA, August 29.-The race track was in good condition and the weather clear to-day. Five furlongs: Cruiser won, Jackcocks sec

ond, Carry G. third. Time-1:04)6.
One mile: Pericles won, Grey Cloud second, Becton third. Time-1:44%.
One and a half miles: Alaric won, Sourmash second. Time-2:41%.
Three-quarters of a mile: Queen Elizabeth won, Gardney second, Frank C. B. third.

Time—1:1714.

Jockey West has been unconscious since the accident. His head was cut by the horse's hoof and he sustained internal injuries. Although his condition is precarious, the phyicians think he possibly may come around again.

The Louisville Races. Louisville, August 29.—The programme for the fall meeting of the Louisville jockey club was issued to-day. The sport commences Monday, September 19, and lasts six days. There will be thirty races, comprising one There will be thirty races, comprising one stake each day. The number of horses will be unusually large for the fall meeting. The event of the meeting will be the great American stallion stake for coits and filles, \$100 entrance, with \$1,000 added. There are seventy-four entries. Among the probable starters will be Libretto, Jim Gere, Right Away, Lizzle Krepp, Bandburg, Bannai, Banyan, Pendenuls, Grissette, Tom Hood and Jaubert. Subscriptions to the stallion stakes amount to \$1,700, which makes the event worth about \$3,000 to the winner.

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NEW YORK, August 29.-The Scotch cutter Thistle, which is to contest for the America's cup, took her first trial spin in these waters to-day, and her sailing qualities were shown to be very fine. The wind was inconstant and the entire cup course was not gone over, but, with a good breeze, her time was taken over certain known portions of the route and from this is calculated that she can cover the entire course in about four hours, which is faster than the best time made by either the Mayflower or Puritan.

The Troubles at Havana.

NEW YORK, August 29.-Cubans in this city do not think there is any far-reaching or in any sense important uprising in Havana J. M. Caballos, of the Span ish Trans-Atlantic company, said that one of his steamships left that city on the 24th, and on that date there was no trouble there. The populace was aware that Acting Governor General Marin was determined to deal with corrupt employes of the custom house after the most summary fashion and the chief dissatisfacsummary tashion and the chief dissatisfac-tion existed among those persons and such merchants as have profited by the illicit im-portation of goods. The volunteer soldiers of Cuba are almost exclusively composed of native Spaniards who are in perfect harmony with the policy of the government. When General Marin seized the stores in the duana many persons were incommoded, and indig-nant at not receiving their property, may have incited a few persons to riot, but the disturbance can be in no sense important.

Meeting of Railroad Representatives. CHICAGO, August 29.-Representatives of Illinois roads were in session to-day discussing the call of the railroad and warehouse commissioners for a conference at Springfield this week, and to show cause why they should not adjust state rates to the requirements of the inter-state law. It was claimed that it would be an injustice to drag down dividendpaving corporations to a level with irrespon-sible lines which disregarded all sound rail-way principles. No resolutions were passed or concerted line of action agreed upon.

Shut Up Bucket Shops. CINCINNATI, August 29. - The Baltimore & Ohio Telegraph company, in obediance to the demand of the Chicago board of trade, this noon took the wires from half a dozen backet shops, completely stopping that business in this city for the present.

Wouldn't Reduce the Bail. CINCINNATI, August 29.-Judge Sage, of the United States court, to whom application was made last week to reduce the bail of Ben-jamin Hopkins, late assistant cashier of the Fidelity National bank, this morning refused the application.

Fouring Mill Burned. KEWANEE, Wis., August 29.-The flou mill of W. Seek & Co., burned last night. It was one of the finest roller mills in this part of the state. The property was valued at \$40,000 and insured for \$27,500.

Jake Sharp Worse. NEW YORK, August 29.-Jake Sharp worse to-day than he was on any day last week, but there is nothing to fear. He is suffering from a cold in his chest and ery-sipelas in the head.

## A BRUTAL HUSBAND'S CRIME,

A Custer County Man Murders His Wife in a Fit of Rage.

THE WHOLE COUNTRY AROUSED.

The Haddock Murder Case Again Called Up in Court and the Trial

Day Set-Nebraska and

Iowa News,

Murdered His Wife. Broken Bow, Neb., August 29-[Special Telegram to the BEE. |-Custer county is once more thrown into a state of excitement which seems prevalent only at certain times of the year when the climate is just right, and a distant judge is on his way here to hold court.

Saturday night a man by the name of Johnson became implicated in a quarrel with a brother-in-law, and demanded of his wife his revolver which she had hid away from him, with which he said he would kill the offending relative. Upon refusal by his wife to be accorded possession of the deadly weapon he got angry at her, and, grabbing a stick of timber that lay close by, struck and hit her across the pit of the stomach and then fled. A little sister of the unfortunate woman hastened to a neighbor's with the information of what had happened, and when the neighbors returned the woman lay across the bed cold in death. Afterward the husband returned for a short time before the country around was aware of the terrible crime that had been committed in their midst, but disappeared again and no definite information can be gained of his whereabouts. The crime was committed in the southeast part of the county, about four miles southwest of Mason

Reviving a Tragedy. FULLERTON, Neb., August 29.—[Special to the Bee.]—The following resolution passed at the last session of Nance county's com-missioners will be of interest to police officers and the public generally:

"Whereas, A reward of \$1,000 was in-formally offered by the commissioners of Nance county for the capture of the murderer of H. G. Perceval, Mary Perceval and their minor child, H. A. G. Baird and Hugh Mair, on the day after said murder was discovered,

and
"Whereas, The proceedings of the commissioners of said county fail to show the offer of said reward; therefore, be it
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"Resolved, That a reward of \$1.000 is hereby offered by the authorities of Nance county for the capture of the murderer of H. G. Pereceval, Mary Perceval and their minor child, H. A. G. Baird and Hugh Mair, who were murdered on or about the 20th day of September, 1884, in said county.

"Sald reward to be paid by said county to the person or persons who shall deliver said criminal to the authorities of Nance county."

No positive clue to George Turnival, the suggested assassin, has ever been obtained. Rev. Dr. Tanner, father of Mrs. Perceval, is as tireless in his efforts as ever, and expresses a firm belief that Tarnival will yet meet his just deserts. Detectives from Pinkerton's agency and the Scotland yands were long engaged on the case on both continents, but nothing has been heard from them recently. them recently.

## Saw a Cyclone.

ALMA, Neb., August 29 .- [Special Telegram to the BEE. |-About 2 p. m. to-day dark and rapidly moving clouds gathered a few miles north of this city, creating a funnel shaped and rapidly revolving cloud which moved in a northeasterly direction and gradually lengthened into a narrow, tape-like, white colored cloud reaching from the ground to the other clouds above, and rapidly twisted itself around a small dark streak in the center. The storm is known to have completely destroyed one school and one farm house and barn and taken the roof from another thouse. Ittore up the ground in its track, and was accompanied by a heavy rainfall. No other particulars are obtainable at present. Its path is thought to have been about 200 feet wide and was closely watched by the people of Alma, who feared it would come down upon them. come down upon them.

# Broke His Neck.

BROKEN Bow, Neb., August 29 .- | Special Telegram to the BEE.]-A sad accident happened four miles east of here vesterday about 11 o'clock, in which George Mary lost his life. While riding home from the farm of his life. While riding home from the farm of Edward King, in company with two compan-ions, the seat tipped and let the unfortunate man fall out of the buggy in such a manner as to break his neck.

S. H. H. Clark in Nebraska City. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., August 29 .cial Telegram to the BEE. |-S. H. H. Clark ar rived here on a special train this morning. It is understood his presence here is to con-clude arrangements for building a street rail-way, for which he has the franchise.

# Shooting at Mason City.

BROKEN Bow, Neb., August 29 .- [Special Telegram to the BEE. !- This morning Sheriff Penn was summoned to Mason City by tele-graph to hold an inquest over the dead body of a man who was shot last night.

THE HADDOCK CASE.

It is Again Called Before the Court in Sionx City. Sioux City, August 29-| Special Telegram to the BEE. |-This afternoon the Haddock murder case was called up, and the state announced its readiness to try Fred Munchanth The case was set for next Monday, and as soon as it is through the case against Sylvester Granda will be called up. It cannot be told when Arensdorf will again be put on trial, and it is supposed that his trial will de-pend in a great measure on the outcome of the other cases. Both sides have been busy all summer prepairing for his case, but nothing new has developed so far as known. It is said that the defense was weak in having no attorney who could influence the jury by argument. The trial is awaited with much

Baldwin Makes Another Ascension. ROCKAWAY BEACH, N. Y., August 29.— Thomas S. Baldwin, the San Francisco aeronaut, repeated his teat of jumping from a balloon here this afternoon. The gas con densed rapidly and it became necessary to cut away the car and throw aside the life pre server in order to make the balloon ascend When 1,000 feet high, Baldwin made a leap His parachute remained closed for the firs 300 feet and he descended at a fearful rate of speed. Then the parachute opened and he sailed down easily, dropping into the ocean, from which he was picked up unhurt.

The Feud Not Yet Settled. MOREHEAD, Ky., August 29. - Cal. Boliver the lad who was spared by the Logans during the massacre, was fired on yesterday from an ambush near town. Several of Logan's followers, who have been indicted for supposed participation in the massacre are hiding in the mountains near town heavily armed and cannot be arrested. The troops will leave when court adjourns, and it is expected the aighting will begin then.

Cutting Rates.

CINCINNATI, August 25,-The railroads. while not entering into an old-fashloned cutting of rates, have been arranging matters so there is a great deal of travel at a cost much below schedule prices. Some days ago all the Cincinnati roads offered thousand-mile tickets at \$20 without the usual restrictions. Two rival roads have offered round trip tick-ets to Pittsburg for \$3.50.

## PUBLIC RIGHWAYS.

Railroads May use the Side Tracks of Rival Companies.

Des Moines, Ia., August 29.—The railroad commissioners this morning rendered a de-

commissioners this morning rendered a de-cision in the Dubuque case, on complaint of the Dubuque board of trade, in behalf of merchants, millers, & al. The complaint re-cited that the Chicage, Milwaukee & St. Paul and Illinois Central roads, which have acand Illinois Central roads, which have acquired most of the available space in the city for side tracks, refused to switch the cars of the Burlington, Ceder Rapids & Northern, and Minnesota & Northwestern roads, which have just entered the city, to mills and factories for loading, if they are used for freight to competing points and raised the switching charges to \$2 per car for freight to non-competing points, thus practically embargoing several branches of business. The commissioners say the question is: Are the side tracks of a railroad subject to the same control as the main line? And they hold that under section 1229 of the code all property used for railroad purposes comes within the law, whether it be station houses, side tracks or any other instrumentality for hauling freight and that under chapter 158 of the laws of the Ninth general assembly railroad companies are bound to receive all the cars of connecting roads at reasonable rates. The sidings of the Milwaukee and the Illinois Central at Dubuque are public highways, and these companies are required to haul over them cars of all other companies at reasonable rates. The reasonable rate for switching is \$1 for one mile, \$1.50 for two miles and \$2 for three miles. The new roads are not relieved, however, from providing suitable terminal facilities for transacting their business. The decision reverses that in the case of the Wisconsin, Iowa & Nebraska vs the Chicago & Northwestern given in 1883, further examination having shown that these Dubuque tracks have not private character given them in that case. quired most of the available space in the city

## CHINA AND JAPAN.

Former Country Preparing to Fight Her Island Neighbor.

New York, August 29.—[Special Telegram to the Bre.]—The Herald says: "As related in the Herald's dispatches, a fleet of five Chinese war ships will sail from Portsmouth, England, for China next Wednesday. They form part of the new navy which China has been accumulating for several years. The description given of them in the London Times shows that they are no mean additions to the naval force of the world. Further, it is reported on the authority of one of the it is reported on the authority of one of the Chinese commanding officers, that almost immediately four other armed ships will be ordered built in European dock yards on the most approved model. The question naturally arises, what is China's purpose in so increasing her naval strongth, as it is not called for by her commerce. There must be a definite offensive object in view. Against whom is such a movement intended? It is not necessary to look forther than Japan. Between China and her island neighbor to the east there has been a deadly feud for years. Japan has and her island neighbor to the east there has been a deadly feud for years. Japan has been Americanized. Our ideas have taken root there to an extent that alarmed the Chinese government lest they spread to the flowery kingdom also. There is, therefore, further reason why China should wish to humble her old-time rival. Possibly she is not uninfluenced by a certain jealousy on the part of Great Britain, who looks upon the Americanization of Japan with anything but a friendly eye. When, therefore, China and Japan shall meet in combat in the Pacific seas our position as a neutral may call for the display of some force to maintain our rights. It is therefore important that that half way house of the Pacific, Honolulu, should belong to a friendly nation, and not be held by an interested friend of Japan's powerful foe. The Hawalian islands must not pass into European hands."

## A NOVEL BURGLAR CATCHER. Jimmy McDevitt Disemboweled By a

Plate Glass Window. NEW YORK, August 29 .- "Jimmy," Mc-Devitt, the well known burglar and nephew of Elliot, the prize fighter who was killed in Chicago a few years ago, met with a violent death this morning while trying to escape from a store where he had been discovered. He was surprised by the porter, who closed the door on him and sent for a policeman. McDevitt plunged through a blate glass window. He was caught by the stomach and disemboweled. When released he was doord.

Big Barrel Factory Burned.

DETROIT, Mich., August 29.-Early this morning at Delray, eight miles from here, a fire broke out in the dry kiln of the Anchor manufacturing company. The buildings were filled with shavings and other inflamwere filled with snavings and other inflainmable material used in making barrels, and
the flames spread rapidly. An eagine
was sent from this city, but
nearly all the buildings are on
ire and it is probably too late to save anything. The loss will be from \$250,000 to
\$300,000. The business of the Anchor Manufacturing company is the making on status

\$300,000. The business of the Anchor Manufacturing company is the making one-stave barrels and kindred cooperage and heading supplies. The firth has large contracts for furnishing barrels for some of the Minneapolis flouring mills.

There were between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 feet of lumber in the yard ready for manufacture, a small pertion of which may be saved. All the buildings but the hoop mill burned, along with five Michigan Central freight cars, which were standing on the switch. The losses aggregate \$250,000, on which there is only \$46,000 insurance, the risks being so great that it was almost impossible to obtain more. possible to obtain more.

Five Rounds at Kansas City. KANSAS CITY, Mo., August 29,-[Special Telegram to the BEE.-|Martin Durkin and Dick Morehouse, two local sports, engaged in a five-round prize fight for \$100 and the gate receipts, at a point on the Santa Fe about twelve miles west of this city yesterday afternoon. About seventy-five spectators were present at \$10 per head. Both men were in good condition. Morehouse tipping the beam at 140 pounds and Morehouse at 143. As it was their first experience in the prize ring. there was not much science displayed, and in the fifth round Morehouse was knocked out by Durkin with a terrific right-hander, which caught him on the jugular. Durkin was hardly marked at all.

Another Paper Failure. CINCINNATI, August 29.-William St Clair Ross, doing business as W. St. Clair & Co., assigned to-day. The firm has been doing a large business as paper manufacturers and wholesale dealers in envelopes, cards, etc. The failure was precipitated by eastern failures. The liabilities are estimated at \$40,000, with assets at \$25,000. The firm has been doing business about a year.

A Fatal Race. SARATOGA, N. Y., August 29 .- In the first race here to-day a collision occurred between the horses at the head of the stretch, Zeb Ward, Sadie Mac, Music and Fountain all going down. Jockey West was badly hurt. His nead was cut open and he received other injuries. Penny had his skutt fractured and later accounts report West dying. Winchell and Barrett were not seriously injured.

Swallowed By Quicksand. BRODHEAD, Wis., August 29,-The founda ion of the Brodhead roller mill was undermined on account of quicksand early Sun day morning and the first floor collapsed carrying down the machinery and grain and flour to the value of \$15,000 or \$20,000.

Firemen Arrested For Arson. PLAINFIELD, N. J., August 29.-The seven members of the Plainfield volunteer fire department arrested yesterday morning are ac cused of having been the originators of a hundred or more incendiary fires that have taken place in the city during the past ten or twelve years.

Back on the Board. CHICAGO, August 29.-The Baltimore Ohio Telsgraph company was allowed to restore their wires to the floor of the board of trade here, after having notified the president that they had severed their connection with the bucket slops,

# PHILLIP ARMOUR'S OPINION.

The Great Chicago Packer Interviewed On the Dressed Beef Business.

LOWER RETAIL PRICES CLAIMED.

He Thinks the Great Hue and Cry That Has Been Raised is the

Result of Great Overproduction.

The Dressed Beef Kick. CHICAGO, August 29.—[Special Telegram to the BEE.]—"The prices of beef at retail with us," said Mr. P. D. Armour when a reporter asked him if it were true that the tressed beef men and railroads were scooping in all the profits in the trade, leaving the cattle raisers, the retail butchers and the poor consumers out in the cold, "the retail prices are a great deal lower than they used to be We sell meat at our retail store at the stock yards much cheaper than formerly, and I guess every other man in the trade is doing the same. This hue and cry simply comes out of the overproduction of cattle, as may be well attested by looking at the receipts of cattle at the stock yards. It is like trying to put an extra dinner down a man after he has had a good square meal. The idea of monopoly and the tremendous profits that the dressed beef man gets is perfectly absurd. The business is open to anybody to go into it that wants to. There are no patents and no fences up of any kind. There is no secret about it. Any one in the world finds it open who wants to go into it

and has all the advantages that we have." "It is claimed that the five firms now in the trade have a practical monopoly of it, as

"It is claimed that the five firms now in the trade have a practical monopoly of it, as the experience of the Marquis De Mores has taught him."

"He don't seem to have good success in anything except marrying a rich man's daughter, and I believe his father-in-law has shut down on him now. He just succeeded in that as well as anything else he has tried, unless it is bear shooting. I have heard he was a great success at that. There is absolutely nothing to all this outery. No business in the world that I have had anything to do with, and I have had something to do with a good many, is run so close as this dressed beef business. It is like welghing gold dust. I think the railroads get a better price out of it than anybody else, or than they do out of any other business in the world. There is something in that part of it."

"Has the inter-state law not helped you any in your light against the railroads?"

"I don't see that it has done any good. I think we have now a higher rate to pay than before. There is a suit up before them now, but no decision has been arrived at. I expect it to be argued in Washington in about a month. Senator Edmonds has charge of the case for the dressed beef men. I can not understand why such an idea about the dressed beef men should continue to make way. There is not the least foundation for it in the world. The live cattle men started it against the dressed beef men when the trade irrst commenced, and it has been carried along ever since, and the railroad men lent a willing ear to it and helped it along. The railroads have never been friendly to the dressed beef business. They feel that they are drawing so many pounds less, and then their men are interested in the stock yards are principally owned by officers of the railway companies and of course it naturally touches their pockets and touches the stock yards. All this outery has a false bottom to it. There is not a particle of sound sense in it. It is simply a matter of overproduction and nothing else. There are more cattle coming to ma prematurely. All this will tell on the cattle trade in a year or two from now and will probably end in making the price very high

Mackay Not in the Wheat Deal. SAN FRANCISCO, August 29.-John W. Mackay, in an interview this morning, repudiated the statements attributed to him in an interview printed in New York a few days ago in which he said he was a large holder of wheat. He said the Nevada bank had loaned a large amount of money on wheat, but that neither the bank nor its officials were directly interested in the deal and he was willing to throw open his books to show this to be a fact. Up to 11 o'clock this morning no failures of any kind were reported on the street. After an hour's session of the call board the parties to whom Dresbach & Rosenfield failed to pay the margins on wheat which they had promised came in and asked to sell the wheat under the rules of the board. The directors claimed that once having signed an agreement to accept Dresbach's proposition the old contracts are not affected by the call board rules. The directors sought legal advice on the matter the board in the meantime remaining in

The day passed without any failures, and the feeling on the street this afternoon was that the crisis might pass without serious trouble. Little business was transacted on the call board, the chief subject for discussion being the proper course to be adopted in the matter of holding delinquents legally responsible. The proposition to refer the matter to the attorney of the board for his opinion was adopted and proceedings were deferred until it should be obtained. The prolonged session of the exchange was adjourned this afternoon upon the receipt of a legal opinion that it was not necessary to make sales an account during the first session of the board after notice of suspension was given as provided, in the bylaws. This averted for the time being the necessity of warketing under torsed sale necessity of marketing under torced sale ovnr 100,000 tons of wheat, the effect of which would have been disastrous. Security in hand amounting to 6,000 tons, will be sold as soon as possible, and the proceeds applied so far as they will go towards the Dressbach and Rosenfeld contracts, which have not yet been margined down. The board will meet to morrow at the usual hour. Many brokers and dealers are badly used up by the crash in prices outside of their losses directly on old contracts. The market closed at \$1.25 for seller '87.

Colored Church Conference. ST. JOSEPH, Mo., August 29,-|Special Telegram to the BEE. !- The conference of the colored M, E. church adjourned in this city to-night after a session of five days. Ministers were appointed to fill the different pulpits of the denominations in Missouri and Kansas, and committees were appointed to solicit subscriptions to the various funds. About fifty ministers were in attendance. Sunday the different pulpits in the city were illed by colored ministers.

Canadian Outrages. HELENA, Mont., August 29 .- The terriorial board of stock commissioners has been furnished with a full account of the outrages of Canadian custom officials, insisting on selling American cattle that had strayed across the line. In all instances the cattle have been seized and sold illegally. In-stances are known where Canada's mounted police have crossed the border to Montana and driven cattle to the Canadian side. The matter will be fully investigated and brought before the authorities at Washington.

# A Steamer Overdue.

NEW ORLEANS, August 29.—Some uneasiness is felt here for the safety of the steamer Knickerbocker, Captain Kemble, of the Cromwell line, which is now forty-eight hours overdue from New York. She had a full miscellaneous cargo, sixteen cabin and seventeen steerage passengers. The steamer seventeen steerage passengers. The steamer Eldorado, of the Southern Pacific company, which left New York the same day as the Knickerbocker, was detained thirty-one days by a terrific storm. Captain Byrnes of the Eldorado, reports that the hurricane was terrific. It was encountered to the south of Cane Hatterns.

# JOHN RUSKIN.

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A Somewhat Eccentric Man, But Not Insane.

LONDON, August 29.- New York Her-ald Cable-Special to the BRE. - Hearing it reported that some American papers had stated that John Ruskin was insane, I telegraphed an inquiry to Conistan, in the lake district of Lancashire where he resides, a Herald correspondent to report. His reply was: "Ruskin gone to continent to see his publisher." This gentleman is George Allen, who resides at picturesque Orpington, County Kent, on the road eighteen miles from London to Turnbridge Wells. Ruskin, who has always been noted for eccentricity, has had a fad not to employ London publishers. I journeyed thither this morning. Mr. Allen had left only a few hours before for London, and we crossed each other. I was welcomed by his daughter, who is closely allied to her father's business. She said, repeating my words, "Ruskin insane? Well then," smiling as if saying to berself, "He has been so in the opinion of many critics ever since his first book forty-five years ago on 'Modern Painters.' She added: "He has been very ill, He is on the threshold of three score and ten, and feeble. Insane? Oh, no; that is nonsense. A few days ago we had a letter from him dated St. Albans. He was then on his way to the continent. He has taken with him the proof sheets of art lectures, and within the past few weeks has written for us to print a preface for a new book called "Hortus Inclusus," which has been written by the sister ladies of the Thwalte at Coniston. Recently he and father have been arranging for a new editor of 'Modern Painters,'

address?" "It has long been one of Mr. Ruskin's peculiarities not to wish his address when on tours known to the public, but this I will tell"-she smiled again,-"It is not at nor near a lunatic asylum."

"Could you give the Herald his continental

A CABLE FROM LANDSDOWNE. He Says Sir John Macdonald Has

Been Misrepresented. LONDON, August 29 .- In the house of comnons this evening Sir Henry Holland, colonial secretary, read a cablegram from Lord Lansdowne, governor general of Canada, de-claring the report that Sir John Macdonald had said that he would not hesitate to ask aid had said that he would not hesitate to ask aid from the imperial troops to stop the construction of the Manitobarailroad to be a pure falsification. Lord Lansdowne also said in his dispatch: "The provincial act for the construction of the Red River railway was disallowed by me on the advice of responsible advisers on the ground that the proposed line would stop the traffic of the Canadian Pacific railway, and would thereby seriously injure the interests of the whole country, which had submitted to large agarifices in order to unite the provinces by a national road."

In the Commons. LONDON, August 29 .- In the house of commons this evening on motion to grant £763,315 for the purpose of completing the credit for the Irish police service, Dillon protested against the constant increase of the tested against the constant increase of the police in Ireland. Although the population had decreased 200,000 since 1880, the cost of police service had increased over £250,000. This waste of public money was not due to crime. A monstrous and corrupt police force was kept up to evade the provisions of the mutiny act by maintaining a larger military force than was sanctioned by parliament. The law was not enforced and rents were not collected, and the only effect of employing police was to create widespread dissatisfaction and to exasperate the people.

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Balfour, chief secretary for Ireland, said b would not deny that the cost of the police force of Ireland was largely in excess of that of England. He asserted that the responsi-dility for this state of affairs rested on those who were doing their best to foment discou-

sexton said that he believed that Ireland was the only country in the world where with steadily decreasing population there existed a steadily increasing police force to

overawe the people.

After nine hours' discussion the vote for the Irish constabulary was carried by 107

French Conservatives Denounced. PARIS, August 29.-Prince Victor, son of Prince Jerome Bonaparte, has issued a manifesto at Brussels in which he condemns the conservative party of France for supporting the opportunist cabinet. He described the present condition of his party and expresses his views as to the proper course to be pursued to accomplish the end in view—the restoration of the empire. The manifesto is remarkable in its failure to make any mention of Paul DeCassagnac, the champion of Bonapartism.

# Gave the Scheme Away.

PARIS, August 29 .- Two secretaries of General Ferron, minister of war, have been arrested for disclosing to the Figaro the plan for carrying out the mobilization scheme and thus allowing its publication contrary to the government's wishes. The charge against them is high treason.

# Declines to Interfere.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 29 .- In the applieation of the Pacific railroad commission to compel Senator Stanford and other officers of the Central Pacific railroad to answer certain questions in regard to the expenditure of funds for the purpose of influencing legisla-tion, Justice Field, of the United States su-preme court, to-day delivered the opinion of the United States circuit court to the effect that the act of congress creating the com-mission improperly invites the co-operation of the courts in an inquiry that is not iu-dicial. The opinion is backed by the de-cisions and opinions of Story, Marshal and Touly upon limitations of congressional authority. It holds void that part of the act referring to the courts as unconstitutional. The court therefore declines to make an order compelling the officers to answer the questions, and also declines to make an order giving the commission access to the books of

## various construction companies. Affairs in Manitoba.

WINNIPEG. August 29.-Grading on the Red River Valley callroad is now completed. Van Horn, in an interview while en route east, said that the Winnipeg press and certain prominent citizens were preaching se-dition and annexation under the guise of commercial union and that they ought to be watched. The charge is vigorously denied. The Visible Supply.

CHICAGO, August 29.—The visible supply on August 27, as compiled by the secretary of the Chicago board of trade, was as follows:

Coughlin Admitted to Bail. BLOOMINGTON, Ill., August 29.—Judge Reeves this afternoon admitted bail in the sum of \$1,000 Timothy Coughlin, the section foreman of the Toledo. Peoria & Western, who was held responsible for the wreck at Chatsworth, by which nearly 100 lives were

# The Ives Case.

NEW YORK, August 29,-This morning Ives & Co.'s counsel obtained from Judge Lawrence an order directing the referee, ex-Judge Davis, to return the testimony taken him in the Ives' reference case unsigned by witnesses.

## A Jary Secured. OZARK, Mo., August 29 .-- A jury was obtained this afternoon for the trial of Gilbert Applerate, one of the sixteen Bald Knobbers indicted for the murder of Green and Edens;

# DAKOTA'S POLITICAL COLOR.

A Strong Prohibition Sentiment Prevalent in the Territory.

VIEWS OF A LEADING DEMOCRAT.

United States Consul Burchard Makes Some Interesting Reports On the Condition of Honduras-Wash-

Ington News.

Dakota a Prohibition Stronghold. WASHINGTON, August 29.—[Special Telegram to the Bee.]—Mr. M. H. Day, the Day kota member of the national democrati committee, advances the rather startling theory that if Dakota were admitted into the union as a state a majority of her citizens would vote the prohibition ticket. He accounts for this preponderance of prohibition sentiment on the ground that a large class of people in Dakota emigrated from the olde eastern states, where prohibition is regarded with more or less favor, and to the further fact that the Norwegians, who are also very plentiful in Dakota, are almost unanimously opposed to rum-drinking and rum-selling. Mr. Day says the proposition to admit the territory as a state will be pushed quite as vigorously in the Fiftieth congress as it was in the last. The people of the territory will hold an election in November to decide as to the manner in which the territory shall be was urged in the Forty-ninth congress. Mr. Day thinks congress will no longer refusa them admission after the Dakotians shall have decided this question. He says the territory now has a bona fide population of 600,000, while other territories have thus far been admitted when their population had reached 135,000.

### The Condition of Honduras. WASHINGTON, August 29 .- | Special Tele-

gram to the BEE. |-The report that Consul

Burchard, stationed in Honduras, has gotten the United States into an unpleasant predicament by criticising too freely the morality of Honduras proves to be very wide of the mark. The fact of the matter is that this consul has simply followed his instructions and reported to this government just what he was directed to report, namely, everything of interest which came to his notice. In obedience to these instructions, Mr. Burchard submitted various reports. In July, 1886, he reported upon the fruit industries of the reputlic. He calls attention to the remarkable growth of this industry and draws a comparison between the condition of the people engaged in fruit growing on these islands and those in the same business on the main land. Of the inhabitants of the main land he says: "They remind me of the mining camps of Callfornia in the golden years of 1849 and 1850. Money is plenty and easily obtained, but unfortunately it is used to gratify the lowest vices. Drunkenness, debauchery and gamble ing prevail without restraint or limit. Many ried mothers and legitimate children are proportion of the fruit growers were original cowboys in the interior, working on a salary of from \$35 to \$40 a year. They are now owners of plantations and have a steady income of from \$35 to \$300 a month. The sudden change of fortune, so far from being a blessing, is a positive curse, both to themselves and to the community in which they live. The government of Honduras is to a certain extent responsible for this deplorable state of disorder and corruption. Dozens of reports as severe or even more severe than this have been sent in by our consuls, but as a rule they do not find their way into print." fornia in the golden years of 1849 and 1850.

Some years ago one of the consuls sta-tioned in Austria sent a report upon the im-morality existing in one province of the em-pire. To give his report the most weight he embraced in it a copy of the vital statistics embraced in it a copy of the vital statistics report of the province. This report showed that out of every lifteen children born seven and a fraction were illigitimate. The report was published in the regular monthly publications of the state department and in spite of the fact that it was a transcription of the official documents of the Austrian government, it caused a great deal of trouble. The outcome was that an amendment was added to the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill of 1884 which provides that thereafter outcome was that an amendment was added to the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill of 1884 which provides that thereafter the published consular reports should not contain anything of a "partisan, political, moral or religious nature." This report of Burchard's should never have been printed. It was not written for publication, but solely for the information of the state department. Ordinarily, great care is exercised over the preparation of matter for publication in the consular reports. They pass through the hands or three officials before they are sent to the printer. It happened that this particular report was received during the absence of two of the three in August of last year. It is not likely that the department will take any notice of the matter unless asked to do so by the government of Honduras. The consul simply did his duty and the blunder rests with the officers in the department, who had charge of the publication. But as the consul will have to bear the brunt of the blame among the people of the republic, it may be that his position will be such that he will be glad to resign. He was appointed in 1879, and draws a salary of \$1,000 a year. He is also engaged in business for himself.

Origin of the War. Washington, August 29.- | Special Tele egram to the BEE. |-The advices received today at the war department respecting the Uter outbreak confirm the previously expressed opinion of army officers that the difficulty was precipitated by the civil authorities of Colorado without justification, and that the Indians have been badly treated. It is Indians have been badly treated. It is stated that the alleged horse stealing has no other foundation than that the Indians and cowboys engaged in horse racing and the cowboys sent away for a "dark horse" to beat the Indian ponies. It supervened, however, that the Indians were up to the trick and they procured a faster horse and won the race, the stakes of which were horse for horse. The cowboys refused to give up the horses they had lost and the Indians embraced the first opportunity to take them.

Governmental Receipts. WASHINGTON, August 29 .- Notwithstands ing the large pension payments this month. amounting to \$16,500,000 the receipts for the month to date are more than \$7,500,000 in excess of the total expenditures during the same period last month. The receipts have averaged over \$1,000,000 a day, and now amount to \$33,814,354.

# Postal Changes.

WASHINGTON, August 29 .- | Special Teles gram to the BEE. |- Leonard Nash was to-day appointed postmaster at Leigh. Colfax county, vice Albert D. Stevens, resigned.

The postoffice at Swan Island, Hancock county, was discontinued to-day.

A postoffice has been established at Ragan, Harlan county, and John Hawksby appointed postmaster.

Cleveland to Open the Congress. WASHINGTON, August 29.—President Cleveland will be present at the opening of the International Medical congress Monday September 5. On the following evening (Tuesday) he will receive members of the ongress and ladies accompanying them at

### the white house. A Violator of Pension Laws.

Washington, August 29.—The pension office has information that Henry S. Anderd son, of Sexton, Washington county, Ark. has been convicted in the United States court for the Third district of Arkansas of six separate offenses against the pension laws, namely: Taking lilegal fees, one count; presenting fraudulent papers, two counts; forg-ing evidence, three counts. The special ex-aminer having the case in charge reports that the material was at hand for conviction also