FATAL QUARREL OVER A BET

One Man Shoots Another Dead Near Fort Sidney.

CORRUPTION IN DUNDY COUNTY

The Treasurer Proven to Be a Member of a Thieving Ring -The Chautauqua at Long Pine-Other State News.

A Murder Over a Bet.

SIDNEY, Neb., June 24 .- | Special Telegran to THE BEE. |-George S. Arnold shot and Instantly killed George Burton, at Minatare, Neb., last night. The difficulty arose over a settlement of \$12.50. Arnold is now in jail here. Coroner Berney will hold an investi-

The Long Pine Chautauqua.

Lone Pine, Neb., June 24.—[Special to The Bee.]—The programme is out for the second annual assembly of the Long Pine Chautauqua. The natural fitness of the place had been remarked upon by so many visitors that a few spirited citizens last year, headed by Rev. George W. Martin, of North Platte, made a movement to hold such an assembly. With short time and little means a programme was arranged and the proposed assembly advertised. The result was startling for the projectors. Such crowds of people attended and such a general surprise was manifested at the beauty of the scenery, the abundance of natural resources and the excellence of the programme, that it was evident to all that the programme, that it was evident to all that the programme, necessary had been greatly underestimated. This year no efforts have been spared to make the programme and the scenery mark this place as the preatest pleasure and chautauqua resort of Nebraska. The people can rest in the shades of trees and cliffs by the coolest springs, and hear every lecture from the pavillion. Rev. Goo. W. Martin, A. M., of North Platte, has been retained as president of the assembly, and by his wise management has assured of natural resources and the excellence of

and by his wise management has assurred the reatest gathering ever held in north-west Nebraska. A department of science, presided over by Profs. Lisle and Stevans, will be one of the most attractive features. A teacher's department, under the manage-ment of Rev. E. A. Whitwam, A. M., of Madison, Neb., assisted by Superintendent C. A. Manville and Profs. Stevans and and by his wise management has assurre Churchill, is expected to repay and teacher for his visit. The regular Chautauqua work will be carried out, in which over thirty les turers and teachers will be engaged. No of fort is being spared to make visitors comfort fort is being spared to make visitors comfortable and the costs light. The assembly will begin July 12 and end July 24. On G. A. R. day, July 19, Governor Thayer will preside. Members of the G. A. R. will be admitted free on that day. There will also be a patriotic day, July 23, presided over by General Manderson. Atthough this is only the second annual assembly the prospects are unprecedented for a magnificent success.

Items From Kearney.

KEARNEY, Neb., June 25 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-Notwithstanding the fact that a number of Kearney's leading politicians and embryo statesmen are absent in Chicago, the great excitement of the week has been the receipt of the returns from the republican convention. The favorite at this place is Gresham, but all the candidates have friends here. The strong ticket, however, would be Blaine for president, with Harrison or Gresham for second place, and there is a growing feeling here that such will be the final outcome.

The citizens of Kearney were pleased to read in THE BEE of Thursday last, the first authentic information that the regular troops would make their annual summer encampment at Kearney, reaching here September 1. This is an announcement that has been expected since our city was visited last spring by General Brooke, General Morrow,

and a number of other officers assigned to the Department of the Platte. The lady embers of the party were enthusiastic their praises of Kearney, and we felt sure that their ballots would be east in favor of the city of beautiful drives, lakes and scenery. The National guards of Nebraska wil go into encampment here at the same time and thousands of visitors will see Kearney for the first time during that month

The young people formally opened the pa villion at the lake on Wednesday evening last with a merry dance. Boating and saling by moonlight and dancing occupied the time until the wee small hours of the morning. Last night some of our Hastings friends visited us, and music and laughter again woke the echoes of Lake Kearney.

The engineer of the Atchison, Topekn & Santa Fe system visited us last Wednesday,

view the right of way and location of the depot grounds which our citizens propose to donate that road, in addition to \$50,000 of cit. bonds. The location was satisfactory, and the gentleman expressed himself as highly pleased with our city, and more than sur-prised at the development of our water

The Union Pacific this week located the switches to the works of the Kearney Pressed Brick company and the Kearner Canning Preserving and Pickling company.

Our city is filled with visitors, and many of them were attracted here by the "write up which The Bee gave Kearney a few weeks since. They express but one opinion, which is that the article—while very attractive, did not quite express the advantages of Kearney s they exist. This, however, is not sur-rising, as Kearney must be seen to be apas they exist. preciated.

Commencement at Franklin.

Franklin, Neb., June 24 .- (Special to The Bun.]-Friday, the 23d, was the seventh an hual commencement of the academy here. The baccalaureate sermon was preached the Sabbath preceding by C. S. Harrison, Our town was filled with people who came to enjoy the exercises. In the evening of the list, Prof. Blose, of the conservatory of music, held his grand concert, which was well attended and was a grand success. From 10 to 11 was given to the elecution class. Then came the addresses of the three graduates.

Miss Mary Rice gave a very fine essay-"The Battle of Chalons and Its Influence on Subsequent History," Next came Miss Nelie Phoenix, with a well-written essay on "Erin's Woes." Miss Laura McBride gave Erin's Woes." Miss Laura Melfrate gave
a very fine and carefully prepared article on
the "Flowers of History." In the afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. R. T. Cross, the
mountain scientist of Denver, gave an
eloquent address on "Man's Conquest
Over Rebellious Nature." Then followed
the alumni meeting, during which
several choice productions were given.
The day was beautiful in the extreme, the
attendance was large, and the occasion by attendance was large, and the occasion by far the most interesting we have over en-oyed. The trustees had their annual meet ng and the outlook is very hopeful. During past year over \$3,000 cash has been sen to he institution by strangers. A large constituency is growing up and we are often in treept of letters containing cash, kind words and encouragement. Prof. A. C. Hart, of Knoxville, ia., has been elected puncipal, and he has already entered upon his daties. He is a graduate of lowa college and has had twenty years' experience in teaching, and he brings all the preparation and experience of the past to put into our and experience of the past to put into our academy. Commoncement evening Prof Flurshbarger surprised the community by entering into the solemn bonds of matri mony with Miss Platt of this place. Th core may took place in the church and every body was invited.

Corrupt County Officials. BENKLEMAN, Nob., June 24 .- [Special Tel-Peramto THE Bas.] -- An expert began an in Vestigation of ex-Treasurer Hacker's book last month. The work was completed late last night and shows Hacker to be over \$1,000 Commissioner Neighbor, alse implicated in the crockedness, says the shortage will be made good immediately. Hacker has been treasurer for four years. He is not a bad man himself, but got in with the old pounty ring of which E. G. Neighber, the present county commissioner, was chief.

The investigation will result in breaking the ring, which has got the county finances in bad shape.

St. John's Day at Schuyler. SCHUYLER, Neb., June 24.—[Special Telegram to The Bre.]—June 24 was appropriately observed by the members of Acacia Lodge No. 84, A. F. and A. M., who met in special communication at their hall to-day in commemoration of St. John the Baptist.
They marched in a body to the opera house,
where an able address was delivered by the
grand chaptain, Rev. J. A. Hood. To-morrow evening the officers-elect will be installed, after which a banquet will be indulged in by the brethren and their wives.

Colored Republicans Organize. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., June 24 .- | Specia Telegram to Tue Beg. |-The colored repub licans organized a club last night with a membership of eighty. A number of ad dresses were made by colored orators and

several other citizens. Preparations are being made for agrand ratification upon receipt of the news of the nomination from Chicago. The Company Exonerated.

STRATTON, Neb., June 24,- Special Tele gram to THE BEE.] -Acting Coroner Britton held an inquest over the body of Daniel McCann, the section foreman who was run over and killed by passenger train No. 4 yes-terday. The jury returned a verdict of ac-cidental death and exonerated the company from any blame. The body was buried here

THE PRIZE RING.

The killen-Cardiff Fight Not to Be a Hippodrome.

St. Paul, Minn., June 24 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The fight between . Killen and Cardiff is the subject of much talk in the sporting circles of Minneapolis and St. Paul. Cardiff will enter the ring at about one hundred and sevent-five pounds, or about five pounds less than he ever fought before. He says that he looks upon the coming contest as the crisis of his pugiristic career, and is determined to make the effort of his life. Killen, in conversation with a reporter, said :

"Anybody can see how ridiculous it would be for me to do anything but make it as hard a fight as I can. I have a good business n St. Paul and think I have many friends there. Nobody can say that I ever fooled my friends, and I am not going to do it at this late date, and you can assure the people that it will be no draw. It is evident at a glance that Killen's body and hands are in better shape than they were when he and Cardiff met the first time. Killen will weigh about 185 or 188 pounds. Both men are in excellent form. The referee will be chosen before the men step into the ring, and the management is determined that no delay will be had.

Fire at Planters' Hotel.

At midnight last night the kitchen part of the Planters' hotel was discovered in flames. An alarm was quickly given and the differ ent hose companies promptly responded. By this time the burning ell was a sheet of flame and threatened to wipe out the entire hotel. The greatest consternation prevailed in that hostelry, and trunks hurriedly packed were dragged down stairs or pilod up in the hallways until they looked like a succession of buggage rooms. The fire laddies, how-ever, subdued the flames and saved the main part of the building. The kitchen and coal storage room were both consumed, leav-ing only the charred skeleton of both. The kitchen utensils, which were worth in the neighborhood of \$500, were all ruined. The total loss is estimated in the neighborhood of \$2,000, but is fully covered with insurance. The cause of the blaze is unknown.

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Diamond Flashes.

Lalla is a lala! Rah for Omana!

No game until Saturday next. The Omahas want a team to practice with Let them tackle the Crane Brothers. They are no snap. Tom Lovett and Billy Clark returned from

Kansas City yesterday. The entire team will arrive this evening. There are forty-one more games, including se booked with St. Louis, scheduled for

the home grounds this season. The diamond at the ball park is in magni fleent shape, and the entire grounds better than they have been this senson.

"Ah there! Harry," Crooks, Omaha's nev second baseman, played a fine game at Kansas City Saturday and yesterday. Lovett says the boys will be in fine fettle

when they reach home, and that they will have sweet revenge on the northern clubs this month. "Spud" Farrish pitched for the Maynes in eir game at South Omaha yesterday, and E. Mayne himself was present and saw

Spud" disjoint himself. Miller's home run hit off of Conway Saturlay was one of the longest hits ever seen on the cowboy's grounds. He played third base,

too, in most effective style. THE BEE opposed Sam Morton for the presidency of the Western association from the start. The next thing to happen will be the dropping out of his Chicago Marcons. Next

season it is likely the organization will be in entirely different hands. The Western association should make no mistake, but admit Davenport the moment the opportunity is presented. Davenport is a good bull town and has a fair team and they could jump right in and take St. Louis' dates without discommoding the regular schedule to any measurable extent.

Owing to the disbandment of the St. Louis Whites there will be no games at the local park this week until Saturday, when the Titanic Des Moines will be here. They will also play here Monday and Tuesday next, and then on Wednesday, the Fourth of July, we are to have the Kansas Citys for two games. For the balance of the month the scheduled games are as follows: July 6, 14 and 15 there will be no games unless some club is admitted in St. Louis' place, as the Whites were to be here on these dates; 17, 18 and 19, Kansas City; 20, 21 and 22, St. Louis dates again; 28, 29 and 31, Minneapolis.

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Both Teams Do Some Ragged Fielding -St. Paul Beats Minneapolis and Chicago Beats Milwankee-City Games.

Western Association Standing. Appended is the standing up to and in

luding yesterday's games:
Played Won Lost Pr Ct Des Moines 36
St. Paul 39
Milwaukee 37
Kansas City 40 13 14 16 19 20 20 Omatin....

Kansas City 10, Omaha 4.

Kansas City, June 24.- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The Blues won an easy victory from the Nebraska cripples to-day. Burdick and Swartzel were the batteries. The batting honors were evenly divided. Omaha, although playing as good a fielding game as the home team, made their errors at critical times. Miller, Wilson and Nagle are responsible for most of the runs made by the Blues. The score:

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Cartwright, 1b	4	2	0	0	8	1	2
Manning, ss	4	4	2	1	2	0	1
Hassamaer, rf	5	0	2	0	3	1	- 2
Ardner, 2b	- 5	0	1	0	3	0	0
Johnson, Sb	4	1	1	1	8	1	2
Campau, If	5	0	0	0	1	0	0
Bradley, cf	5	1	1	0	1	0	- 1
Gunson, C	- 0	1	1	0	6	- 3	-0
Swartzel, p	4	1	1	0	0	12	23
Totals	aT.	10	9	0	27	18	10
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-	AB.	-	10.	STL.	PO.		p.
Cooney, rf	4	2	1	0	2	0	0

Annis, cf...... 5 Crooks, 2b..... Burns, If Shannon, ss Nagle, c... Miller, 3b..... Burdick, p... 4 Totals...... 37 4 7 0 27 13 11

BY INXINGS. Kansas City....0 1 2 1 0 0 2 4 0-10 Omaha.......0 1 1 0 2 0 0 0 0-4 SUMMARY. Double plays-Hassamaer and Johnson

First bases on balls—Cartweight. Hit by pitched ball—Manning, Johnson, Cooney. First base on errors—Kansas City 6, Omaha 6. Struck out—By Swartzel 6. Passed balls—Nagie 4. Wild pitches—Swartzel 1. Time 2·15. Umpire—Fessenden.

St. Paul 10, Minneapolis 4. St. Paul, June 24 .- (Special Telegram to

THE BEE.]-St. Paul won its twelfth consecutive victory to-day, defeating Minneapolis by superior work with the stick. Nicholson was hit for a total of twenty-four bases, all of St. Paul's runs but one being earned. He was also very wild, sending six men to first on balls. Although hit nearly as often as the opposing pitcher, Duryea succeeded in keeping the hits well scattered, and with perfect support the Minneapolis boys would have been shut out. The St. Paul boys appeared in bran new uniforms of black pants, caps and stockings, and white

roll, Veach, Reilly. Double plays—Brosnan, Walsh and Tebeau. Bases on balls—Murphy, Carroll, Reilly (2), Shaefer (2). Hit by pitcher—Hawes. Struck out—By Duryea, 8; olson, 5. Passed balls-Broughton Wild pitches—Duryca I, Nicholson I. Bases stolen—Murphy 2, Carroll, Morrissey, Reilly 2, Patton, Hawes 2, McCullom. Left on bases—St. Paul 6, Minneapolis 5. First base on errors—Minneapolis 3, St. Paul 1. Time-1:45. Umpire-Powers.

Milwankee 17, Chicago 7.

MILWAUKEE, June 24 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Chicago put Dwyer in the box to-day and the locals paralyzed him, getting two singles, two doubles and three triples in the first inning, scoring five runs. They hit him for two singles and a triple in the second inning, and after that he was sent into left field and Long weut into the box with not much more success. Chicago hit Shenkel in the first inning for five singles, which, coupled with errors, gave five runs, but the visitors were not able to teep pace with the locals after that. Score Milwaukee..... 5 3 2 0 2 0 1 4 0-17

Chicago.......5 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 7 Earned runs-Milwaukee 12. Chicago 3 Earned runs—Milwaukee 12, Chicago 3, Bases on balls—Off Shenkel 4, Struck out—Cusick, Schoenecke, Coliy (2), Rheims. Two-base hits—Forster (2), Cusick, Mills, Hanrahan (2). Three-base hits—Strauss, Lowe, Maskrey (2). Double plays—Forster, Pettee, Cusick, Long, Hengle, Hanrahan. Passed balis—Mills 1, Wild pitches—Shenkel 2, Long 1. Umpire—Brennan, Time—2:20.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. Baltimore 5, Brooklyn 14.

BALTIMORE, June 24 .- The game between Baltimore and Brooklyn to-day resulted as follows:

Baltimore......0 4 0 0 0 1 0 0 0-5 Brooklyn......3 1 3 4 0 1 0 3 *-14 Louisville 4, Cincinnati 11.

Louisville, June 24.—The game between

Louisville and Cincinnati to-day resulted as follows: Louisville......0 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0—4 Cincinnati,.....1 1 0 3 0 6 0 0 *—11

Kansas City Game Postponed. Kansas City, June 24 .- The game between Kansas City and the Browns was not played to-day owing to muddy grounds.

MINOR GAMES.

Crane Bros. 7, Hardins 3. The Crane Brothers' and Hardin's City eague teams, played an exhibition game at the ball park yesterday afternoon in the presence of an audience embracing a couple of hun dred people. It was a match game for \$100 a side. The game was realty a good one, both teams putting up a game that would throw no and Rockwell and Hoff.

Operators 19. Waiters 11.

The operators of the Western Union played a game of ball with the walters of the differa game of ban with the waiters of the differ-ent chop houses. It was a very interesting game until the this inning, the score being tied at the end of the third. After that the operators had it all their own way. The

Johnstown 26, Wood Lake 3.

Woon LAKE, Neb., June 24.—[Special Tel-egram to The Ben.].—The game of ball to day between Johnstown and Wood Lake on the latter's ground resulted in a score of 26 to 3 in favor of Johnstown. Furliegh um-

City League Games The City league game at South Omaha be-tween the C.E. Maynes and the South Omakas resulted in favor of the latter by a score of 24 to 0. The game at Manawa between the 24 to 0. The game at Manawa between the Metz Brothers and Council Bluffs was won by the Metz team by 14 to 9.

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after a few more ballots. As matters now stand it is a combination of

THE FIELD AGAINST BLAINE. Sherman is regarded as the principal obstacle to the success of Blaine, and his withdrawnl would insure, it is thought, Blaine's nomination. It is known that fully one-half of the Ohio, Pennsylvania and New York delegations would go to Blaine in that event, and many of the smaller states would follow. It is probable, therefore, that the Sherman vote will go up a number of points on the first ballot to morrow.

I am informed and have a good reason to believe that Sherman will get the Wisconsin delegation. Should Harrison be knocked out, he will recover to-morrow most of the southern delegates who were taken from him by Alger, that the Blainiacs in New York will transfer to his standard, that three additional votes will be given him from Pennsylvania, and that several straggling votes will be added to his column from other states. This is the hope and belief of the Sherman men to-night. A roll call to-morrow will reveal on what grounds their faith is based. The conference composed of representa-

tives opposed to the Harrison combination assembled this evening. It was decided to proceed no further for the present, and to await the events of to-morrow. There was an understanding, however, that all the forces represented in the conference should co-operate to frustrate the nomination of Blame, It is apparent that there has been a hardening of the lines of the opposition to Blaine since yesterday afternoon, and the danger of his nomination has been materially lessened. Phelps still insists that there never has been any danger of Blaine being nominated, but he has been practically alone in this opinion. I know that yesterday afternoon J. S. Clarkson was READY TO THROW IOWA

into the Blaine column if Chauncey Depew had created his expected stamped from Harrison and that would have carried most of the Allison strength with it, Senator Allison's following might have not given up hope. They insist that their position is as good as ever, and that they hope to have their man selected as the one with whom to beat the Blainiacs if Sherman fails. Harrison's managers still profess confidence, and insist that to-morrow the Blaine vote will largely come to them. I infer from conversations with the Harrison men that there is an understanding to make the ticket Blaine and Harrison should the latter fail to obtain first place. This would indicate that the Blaine men are simply coquetting with the Hoosiers for the purpose of securing their support for Blaine should they succeed in bringing about the conditions for which they have been laboring, and so the balloting will begin again to-morrow, practically on the same lines. The Blainiacs will be attacked from a position slightly changed; but with better reserves. It may mean a quick victory, but the indications point to a stubbern contest. THE ALGER MANAGERS,

at 11 o'clock, claimed that the contest lies entirely between their candidate and Sherman, and they have every reason to expect success. They claim all the Massachusetts delegation, Wisconsin, half of Illinois and twenty votes in Missouri, with new contingents from the south. They predict a nomination to-morrow. A CABLEGRAM PROM BLAINE.

Blaine is said to have again declined. At this hour, 1 a. m., it is confidently asserted that a cablegram has been received from Mr. Blaine which will be made public to-morrow, in which he positively declines under any circumstances to accept the nomination if tendered him. A prominent politician assures me that he has read the dispatch. The situation is again changed. Senator Quay is bonsting that Sherman will be nomi nated on the second ballot. Efforts have been made to combine with Alger for the second place on the ticket. Sherman's interview of this morning is now read in th light of the alleged Blaine patch. It is believed that Sherman bad information from Mr. Blaine privately. The Pacific coast is breathing threatenings and slaughter to-night in case Sherman's combination wins.

NO DISPATCH FROM BLAINE. 1:30 a. m.-The Blainiacs held a conference to-night, at which all but four states were represented. Elkins announced amid cheers that no dispatch had been received from Mr Blaine. A committee of five was appointed to poll the delegations, arrange for a distri bution of the Blaine votes and force an ad journment to-morrow. Another conference will be held in the morning.

TO TEST BLAINE'S STRENGTH. At 2 o'clock the Biaine sub-committee is still in secret session. It has been decided to test the Blaine strength early in the conven tion, either on a motion to adjourn or on a vote for Blaine. The full programme will be outlined at this morning's 9 o'clock meeting. New York will hold a meeting at the same time. The present decision is to vote for Harrison on the first ballot and then to throw for Sherman. The coast delegates hope to change the determination. They announce that Sherman cannot carry the Pacific coast under any contingency. It will be an all night session for the Blaine sub-committee. Meanwhile it may be announced that the Sherman men have gone to bed. Murat Haistead, in his dispatch to the Cincinnati Commercial, predicts with confidence Sherman's election.

FENCE BUILDING.

No Cessation of Activity Among the Politicians at Chicago. Curcago, June 24 .- The presidential situa tion is practically unchanged. To-day has

brought only a fair understanding of the conditions under which this remarkable contest is to be fought out. It has gradually dawned upon the convention that certain men who pretend to represent Blaine, had determined to prevent the nomination of any other candi date in order to make Blaine's nomination a possibility. The convention, as a whole, has just awakened to a realization of the negative influence which has all along provented a crystalization of sentiment and a nomination. The friends of the other candidates are indignant that the convention should be dominated by an in ! fluence which, without an avowed candidate of its own, attempts to push sincere can didates to the front and then defeat them. So much feeling developed that various cablegrams have been sent to Blaine besides those which he is supposed to receive from Elkins and Phelps. In these dispatches the actual condition of affairs here has been fully described and the bad feeling and probable demoralization of the party if his representatives are permitted to continue their tactics, carefully pointed out. There is a general belief that some dispatch from Blaine will be read to the convention tomorrow. Probably one requesting his friends to refram from voting for him. A Chicago man who has been empowered to speak for Blaine and who is a man good judgment and not a politician, was called into the conference of Blaine just before the meeting of the convention yesterday afternoon and informed of the plan to force the nomination of Blaine and was shown a list of 423 reliable Blaine delegates, a majority of the whole conven-







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tion. This man looked over the list, saw that it comprised the names of delegates who are here estensibly for other candidates and at once gave his dictum. "This thing must come to a stop," said he. "Blaine cannot take this nommation by riding over the rights of many men now in the field. He regards them all as his friends and knows they have entered this contest in good faith, believing him to be out by his own act. You propose to draw delegates from the support of these men to undermine and defeat them. If you nominate him in this way a cablegram will be received from him in twenty minutes declining the nomination, and then you will be in a worse predictment than ever." Reluctantly Elkins and his colleagues con-

nted to postpone the Blaine coup and the iends of all the candidates except Harrison joined the Blaine men in forcing an adjourn-ment till Monday morning. The situation to-night may be described as follows: In the te-night may be described as follows: In the convention to-morrow all the candidates will stand firm. There are no withdrawals. The conference of anti-Blaine men has agreed not to present any candidates for the support of the epposition. Indeed it is unable to agree upon a candidate. There is a deep feeling on all sides that the "Blaine or Bust" programme is not sanctioned by Blaine himself. The plan of the opposition is simply to stand firm and wait for Blaine himself to speak for his representatives to force the issue. The feeling is that f Blaine does not settle the matter th vention will have to settle it, and that the convention cannot sincerely go about the business of choosing a leader as long as this Blaine specter hangs over it.

The convention to-morrow morning will face the fact that the candidates whom Elkins professed to have killed are all still in the race. They are in for the purpose of winning if possible, and determined at all hazards to prevent the nomination of Blaine. To-morrow's balloting is linely to show a repetition of the ballots of Saturday these candidates are in field Elkins will not dare carry out a programe of stampeding the convention because he has heard authoritatively from Blaine. Thus a deadlock will appear and unles Blaine himself cuts the knot and sets the convention free to act upon its own responsi-bility the convention may set for severa days without reaching a solution of the extra ordinary difficulty by which it is now sur rounded. There has been much talk of McKinley as

a dark horse. There is no doubt that Mc-Kinley has made a fine impression and that he is popular on his own account, but it has been noticed that those who were doing all in their power to press him to the front were Blaine men. In the conference of candidates the Blaine influence has been exerted in favor of adopting McKinley as the leader of the opposition forces, all the anti-Blaine men in the convention concentrating their strength upon him. This effort toinduce other candidates to withdraw and bring McKinley forward as a dark horse is a Blaine scheme. Just as soon as the present avowed candidates leave the field and a dark horse takes their place Blaine will be nominated. The of this is easily perceived. Blaine can not in honor take this nomination if secured by running over candidates who en-tered the field and did the best they could for themselves, but if these candidates voluntarily withdraw and a dark horse takes their place no obligation rests upon Blaine as to the new comer, who has not been a candi-date and whose friends have put forth no efforts in his behalf, on the supposition that Blaine was out of the race.

Blaine was out of the race.

An effort has been made by the Blaine people to get Foraker to stand as a dark horse and Foraker has pesed before the convention with that purpose in view on a distinct understanding that if the anti-Blaine influence could be induced to rally about him the presidency. Blaine was to beat him, the vice presidency being his reward. An effort has also been made to play upon the ambition of McKinley,

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but without success. McKinley has been loyal to Sherman. An effort is also being made to bring Cullom forward as a dark made to bring Cullom forward as a dark
horse, thus destroying Gresham, and ir due
time a similar effort may be made to undermine Harrison by playing upon the ambition of ex-Governor Porter.

At one time Saturday there was some
prospect of the McKinley programme succeeding, and Sherman had really released
the Ohio delegation from obligation to bimself. The Blaine men were fauning the Me-

self. The Blaine men were faining the Mc-Kinley blaze, but they overplayed the game and were detected. Sherman withdrew his withdrawal, his representatives here denied that he had retired from the race, and the senator himself was interviewed in Wash ington to the same effect. Convention Notes. Curcago June 24 - The sub-committee to

look over the field and recommend a ticket

which would meet with the approval of all

factions, presented the following report to

the conference committee this evening:

The members of the special committee appointed by the conference do not believe i udicious to suggest a ticket for submission to the general conference.

The report was adopted unanimously without discussion and the conference adjourned to meet again to-morrow evening.

The New Yorkers during the day decided to stick to Harrison and will vote for him on the first ballot. William Walter Phelps of New Jersey visited the Illinois headquarters to-day and had a long conference with Senator Farwell. This gave rise to a rumor that the Gresham and Pheips people had formed a combination and that the ticket would be Gresham and Governor Foraker was closeted for several

hours with the Blaine leaders to-day. Still Solid For Sherman. Chicago, June 24.-The Sherman mana-

gers have got their second wind to-night and are mysteriously confident and satisfied over the prospects of to-morrow's session of the convention. Nothing definite can be learned from any of them, but it is known they have repaired all the broken fences in the Ohio delegation and that the delegation will vote solidly for Sherman again to-morrow. Governor Foraker, who last night said there would be a break, says this evening it will be unanimous for Sherman. The men having Sherman's interests in hand here have been very busy with the New York delegation to day and in spite of the appar-ently authentic report that New York had changed its determination of last night to vote for Blaine and would go back to Harr it is asserted in certain quarters to-night that they will support Sherman.

Blaine Rumors.

Circago, June 24 .- The Blaine rumors to night are as many as the loaves in the forest. One of these which has gained the largest circulation is the statement that Blaine has cabled to somebody that he would accept the nomination under no conditions and instructing his friends to canvass. Another rumor the effect that several telegrams have been sent by different delegates to Blaine asking him if be would accept the nomination, and that Blaine's friends, notably Elkins and Manley, have also cabled asking Blaine to make no reply to these and allowing the impression to prevail that he would accept

Sherman Holds the Key.

CHICAGO, June 24.-John M. Langston, colored ex-minister to Hayti, declared to-day that the Sherman force hold the key to the situation and when the time comes they will decide the nomination. It will be either between Blaine and Sherman or Blaine and a man named by Sherman.

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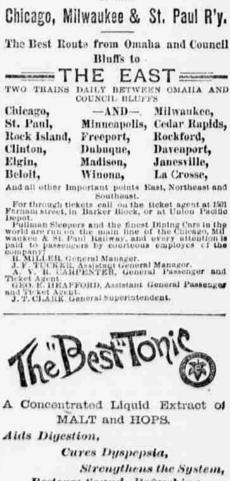
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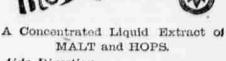
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