THEY TOUCHED TEDDY HARD

Omaha's Recent Purchase Meets a Paralyzing Reception.

HIT FOR TWENTY-FIVE BASES.

And Consequently We Go Down a Notch in the Standing Table While Des Moines Takes an Upward Step—General Sport.

Western Association Standing.

Following is the official standing of the Western association teams up to and including yesterday's games:

	Played	Won	Lost	Pr Ct
St. Paul	76	49	27	.644
Des Moines	73	45	28	.616
Omaha	75	45	30	.600
Kansas City	73	37	36	.506
Milwaukee	81	36	45	.444
Sioux City	33	15	18	.451
Chicago	78	33	45	.423
Minneapolis	74	26	48	.351

St. Paul 9, Omaha 5.

ST. PAUL, August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Ted Kennedy made his bow as an Omaha twirler today and met with a warm reception at the hands of the St. Paul club, being hit for a total of twenty-five bases. Omaha lost two runs in the first inning by Tebeau going to bat in place of Cooney. Annis was on third and O'Connell on second with two out when Tebeau hit to Carroll. Carroll muffed the ball, Annis and O'Connell crossing the plate. It was then discovered that Cooney's name was on the score card ahead of Tebeau, and the side was therefore out and the runs did not count. Omaha scored twice in the third on Cooney's base on balls and Miller's hit over the fence. Miller, however, stopped at third in order to keep the catcher up behind the bat but was left there. In the ninth O'Connell sent the ball over the fence and made the circuit. Although the Omaha's made numerous errors they had but little effect on the score, seven of St. Paul's runs being earned. Annis' centerfield work was the feature of the game. The score:

ST. PAUL.

	AB.	R.	B	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Murphy, m	5	1	1	1	2	0	0
Carroll, lf	3	2	1	1	1	0	0
Morrisey, 1b	5	0	1	0	9	0	0
Pickett, ss	5	1	1	0	10	0	1
Earle, rf	4	3	2	1	1	0	0
Reilly, 3b	4	2	2	2	1	0	1
Corbett, 2b	5	0	2	1	1	4	0
Brougton, c	5	0	2	2	9	0	0
Tuckerman, p	4	0	1	0	1	11	0
Totals	40	9	13	6	26*	15	2

OMAHA.

	AB.	R.	B	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Burns, lf	5	0	0	1	2	0	0
Annis, m	5	0	1	1	4	2	0
Crooks, 2b	5	0	0	0	2	2	0
O'Connell, 1b	5	1	1	1	7	0	1
Cooney, ss	4	2	1	1	1	2	2
Tebeau, 3b	2	2	1	0	2	0	2
Miller, rf	3	0	1	0	2	0	0
Nagle, c	3	0	1	0	7	2	1
Kennedy, p	4	0	1	0	0	6	0
Totals	36	5	7	4	27	13	5

*Tebeau out for batting out of order.

St. Paul	0	0	2	2	1	1	1	0	2	—9
Omaha	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	—5

Runs earned—Omaha 5, St. Paul 1. Two base hits—Carroll, Morrissey, Murphy, Earle (2), Tuckerman, Nagle. Three base hits—Miller. Home runs—Carroll, Pickett, O'Connell, Tebeau. Double plays—Annis, Carroll (2), Earle, Reilly, Tuckerman, Cooney, Tebeau. Hit by pitcher—Miller, Nagle. Struck out—Burns, Crooks (3), Annis, Tebeau, Kennedy, Morrissey, Reilly, Tuckerman (2). Passed balls—Broughton. Wild pitches—Kennedy. Left on bases—Omaha 7, St. Paul 10. First base on errors—Omaha 2, St. Paul 1. Time—2:00. Umpire—Quest.

Sioux City 5, Milwaukee 4.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The Milwaukees lost the game to-day to Sioux City through the rank work of its battery, Griffith and Mills. Griffith made four wild pitches and sent five men to base on balls, while Mills is credited with six passed balls. Wells was hit harder than Griffith, but he controlled the ball. The score:

Milwaukee	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	—4
Sioux City	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	—5

Earned runs—Milwaukee 2. First base on balls—By Griffith 5, by Wells 2. Struck out—Powell (2), Phelan, Veach, Force, Grims, Wells, McAleer, Lowe, Maskrey, Griffith. Two-base hits—Wells. Double plays—Phelan to Powell. Passed balls—Mills 6, Nicholas 1. Wild pitches—Griffith 4. Umpire—Cusick.

Des Moines 6, Maroons 4.

CHICAGO, August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—To-day's Maroon-Des Moines game was ragged enough to have been played between league clubs. Five hundred spectators cheered the brilliant plays and growled at poor ones. Hanrahan was as eccentric as Fred Pfeffer. Dwyer was quite up to his usual standard, but Cushman pitched a strong game in spite of his wretched support. The score:

Maroons	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0—	4
Des Moines	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	1—	6

Base hits—Maroons 5, Des Moines 8. Errors—Maroons 8, Des Moines 7. Pitchers—Dwyer and Cushman. Umpire—Fessenden.

Gooding Short of Funds.

MINNEAPOLIS, August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—There was no game at Minneapolis to-day because Manager Gooding was unable to put up the guarantee. He says he will have funds to-morrow and a game will be played. Manager Barnes to-day released right fielder Patton and catcher Kemmler to reduce expenses, the attendance of late having been decidedly slim, necessitating a reduction of expenses. Manager Selee to-night released catcher George Wilson, and will alternate Cooney behind the bat with Nagle, Miller going to short. There are now twelve unemployed professional ball players in the city.

OTHER GAMES.

Yesterday's Winners in the National League Contests.

PHILADELPHIA, August 16.—Result of to-day's game:

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—	1
Pittsburg	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	1	0—	6

Pitchers—Buffinton and Galvin. Base hits—Philadelphia 10, Pittsburg 12. Errors—Philadelphia 4, Pittsburg 3. Umpire—Powers.

WASHINGTON, August 16.—Result of to-day's game:

Washington	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0—	3
Indianapolis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0

Pitchers—O'Day and Burdick. Base hits—Washington 9, Indianapolis 2. Errors—Washington 2, Indianapolis 2. Umpire—Valentine.

NEW YORK, August 16.—Result of to-day's game:

New York	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	0—	8
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0

Pitchers—Keefe and Getzein. Base hits—New York 12, Detroit 2. Errors—New York 0, Detroit 6. Umpire—Lynch.

BOSTON, August 16.—Result of to-day's game:

Boston	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3—	8
Chicago	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0—	3

Pitchers—Clarkson and Krock. Base hits—Boston 14, Chicago 6. Errors—Boston 1, Chicago 1. Umpire—Kelley.

Hornung, of the Bostons, was struck in the head by a pitched ball in the first inning and was unconscious for an hour. Doctors stated that he has a serious concussion of the brain, but how serious cannot yet be learned.

Ulysses 8, Seward 7.

ULYSSES, Neb., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The Seward and Ulysses base ballists met on the diamond here to-day and the home club won in an exciting and hard fought game. This is the third game Ulysses has won from Seward this season. Bud brothers did the battery work for Ulysses. The score:

Seward	1	1	0	2	3	0	0	0	0—	7
Ulysses	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	3	1—	8

Hastings 10, Juniata 9.

HASTINGS, Neb., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The second game between Juniata and Hastings was played here to-day before a large crowd. It was a fine game, closely contested throughout, and was won by Hastings in the tenth inning by a score of 10 to 9.

Fremont 11, Lincoln 2.

FREMONT, Neb., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The Lincoln ball team played the Fremont Grays this afternoon at this place. The visitors were defeated by a score of 11 to 2.

Doctors 13, Bankers 11.

WAHOO, Neb., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Yesterday the bankers and doctors of Wahoo played a game of base ball. The doctors won by a score of 13 to 11. The game was witnessed by a large number of people who declared it more fun than a circus. The lawyers have challenged the doctors and another great game will be played soon.

A RACING MATINEE.

Several Spirited Events at the Fair Grounds Yesterday.

The racing matinee at the fair grounds yesterday, under the management of Messrs. Duffy, Leach and McCoy, proved a very enjoyable occasion, and attracted a crowd of several hundred people.

The judges and timers were the veteran Major Chambers, W. E. Patterson and C. H. Briggs, Mr. Patterson officiating as starter.

The first event on the card was a named race, for a purse of $100, with the following entries: Sorrel Dan, Westport, Valentine, Sprague and Pete Gardner.

The first heat was quite exciting, the finish being close between Westport and Sprague, Westport pulling under the wire a winner by a half length, in 2:51, Sprague second and Sorrel Dan third.

The second heat was taken by Sorrel Dan, in 2:51, Pete Gardner second, Sprague third, Westport last.

The third heat was a very prettily contested race, especially between Sorrel Dan and Pete Gardner, who made the entire mile nose and nose, Dan managing to stick his nose under the string first. Sprague was third, Westport a half length in the rear. Time, 2:47.

The fourth heat, after an exciting chase, was taken by Sorrel Dan, beating Pete Gardner out by a half length, Westport third and Sprague last. Time—2:41.

The next event was the gentlemen's roadsters for a purse of $50, with ten entries as follows: Muggins, John S, Big Sam, Flora, Wild Irishman, Doolittle, Brown Billy, Lucy Patchen, Sorrel Frank and Rube.

The first heat was won by Muggins in 3:03, Big Sam second, Wild Irishman third.

Muggins took the third heat in 3:12, Sorrel Frank second, Flora third. Wild Irishman was sent to the barn for running.

The third heat was a walkaway for Muggins, who passed under the wire in 2:40, distancing all competitors excepting Sorrel Frank.

The final event was a free-for-all for $100 with John, Betsey Baker and Marquis. The horses got well off together, and after an exciting struggle the heat resulted in a dead heat between John and Marquis. Time, 2:35.

The second heat, as remarkable as it may seem, was also a dead heat between these two horses. Time 2:35½.

The third heat, fully as spirited as the two first, was won by John in 2:34½.

It was now too late to finish the race, and by mutual consent it was postponed until Saturday afternoon next.

There will be several other races on this occasion, one a match pace between Williams' black and Flannery's bay roadsters, for $500 a side. There will also be a match trot between the horses belonging to Ed O'Conner, Dennis Cunningham and Pat Desmond.

The Results at Lincoln.

LINCOLN, Neb., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The races were well attended to-day. The following is the summary:

Stake, Nebraska bred yearlings—Sabin's Councellor won, Kate Caffrey second, Kittie Vera third, Darley Forest and Patroness distanced. Best time—1:35.

Four year olds—Ben B. McMahan won, Laura S second. Best time—3:02¾.

Pacers, stallions and mares—Ed Rosewater won, Jay Bird second, Gipsie distanced. Best time—2:33¼.

Five-year-olds—Rose Coughlin won, Coppermont second. Best time—2:38¼.

Monmouth Park Races.

LONG BRANCH, August 16.—Monmouth park results:

Three-fourths of a mile—Strideaway won in 1:14, Brittanica second, Telie Doe third.

Three-fourths of a mile—Sorrento won in 1:15, Madstone second, Fides third.

Seven-eighths of a mile—Ocean won in 1:28, George Oyster second, Aurelia third.

One and one eighth miles—Banyan won in 2:56½, Kaloolah second, Rupert third.

Delaware, handicap one and one-fourth miles—Belvidere won in 2:09, Eurus second, Connemare third.

One mile—Lucy H won in 1:43, Malaria second, McLaughlin third.

Yesterday's Races at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, August 16.—Racing summaries:

Three-fourths of a mile—Estrella won in 1:19¼; Toronto second, Von Tromp third.

One and one-eighth miles—Lelex won in 1:59¾; Little Minnie second, Bonnie third.

One and five-eighth miles—Los Angles won in 2:57; Peewee second, Young Sweep third.

One mile—Gresette won in 1:46¼; Bessie June second, Royal Arch third.

Three-fourths of a mile—Trade Mark won in 1:16; Kedar Khan second, Leclaire third.

GENERAL SPORTING.

The Omaha Team and the Recent Changes Made in It.

There is a general feeling among the patrons of the game that the Omahas have been decidedly strengthened by the recent changes made, and Manager Selee is evidently determined upon winning the pennant at no matter what cost. The latest information is that O'Connell, Moffet, Shaeffer and Flynn have been released, and report says that big Wilson, the catcher, has also been let out, but this is improbable. Patsey Tebeau, of the Minneapolis team, has been signed and will play regularly from his out. He is undoubtedly the finest third baseman in the association, and will add a tower of strength to the local team. He is a sure hitter, fast base runner, and a steady, reliable fielder. Joe Miller will be moved up to short, while Cooney will alternate between right field and behind the bat. McGarr, who is at present flat upon his back in Minneapolis with malaria, will take O'Connell's place at first, and it will consequently be seen that the weakest points in the team have been materially strengthened, and it will be a wonder if they don't forget right to the front.

All talk about the present Omaha team having signed for next year is the veriest bosh. The rules governing all association under the national agreement especially for bid the signing of players until after the 20th day of October. That eleven of the present team will be reserved, there is little doubt. Reserving players and signing them, however, are two different things.

The Omaha Coliseum.

The Omaha Coliseum Building association has been incorporated, as will be seen by consulting our advertising columns in this issue. The incorporators are such well known capitalists and business men as Sam E. Rogers, Julius Meyer, John S. Prince, E. S. Flagg and W. L. Mardis. The object is for the construction of a mammoth coliseum or exposition building after the fashion of the Madison square structure at New York, and this will be done immediately, the company expecting to have the building completed by the middle of October.

It will be built for the purpose of conventions, musical festivals, political meetings, bicycle races and sporting entertainments of all kinds and descriptions, just such an institution as the city of Omaha needs.

At a meeting of the stockholders last evening a board of directors consisting of Samuel E. Rogers, Julius Meyer, J. S. Prince, E. S. Flagg and W. L. Mardis, were elected. Officers for the ensuing year were also elected as follows: Samuel E. Rogers, president; Julius Meyer, treasurer; J. S. Prince, secretary and general manager, and E. S. Flagg, vice president. A bond of $10,000 is required of the treasurer and $5,000 of the secretary.

The City League.

The City league directory held a meeting Wednesday evening at J. J. Hardin's sporting goods headquarters, and after considerable discussion, determined to play the season out. From this on until the close of the professional season, all city league games will be played on the grounds of the Council Bluffs and South Omaha teams. After the close of the professional season the local association grounds will be used.

The American Magnates.

It is now positively known that Von der Ahe, Stern and Phelps were in the city last Tuesday evening and took dinner at the Millard, but what they did here, or what they came for still remains a mystery. Another thing has been ascertained, and that is that the illustrious trio, went over to the Bluffs that same evening on the 9:15 dummy.

Bound For a Fight.

They are in town.

Pat McCartin, the Milwaukee middleweight and Tom McDonald, the lightweight of New York. They arrived last night and will leave this evening for Kansas City, where a fight will be on within a few days.

Don't give it away.

They are working the rackets on the quiet. McCartin was Killen's second in his fight with Cardiff. McD. is McC's trainer.

They Will Fight.

Articles of agreement for a six-round contest, the revised Police Gazette rules to govern, for the Richard K. Fox middleweight championship medal, were signed by James Lindsay and W. G. Cranston yesterday afternoon at Patsy Fallon's sample rooms. The mill will come off on the evening of September 3 at South Omaha, and promises to be a lively and interesting affair.

Killen After Kilrain.

Pat Killen has forwarded to the New York Clipper $1,000 as an earnest of his intentions to effect a meeting with Jake Kilrain, the so-called champion of America, and if there is any sand in Jake he will be compelled to give Pat's defi immediate attention.

A Hand Ball Challenge.

P. J. Kirby and M. Kilgallin, local athletes, hereby challenge John Holloran and J. N. Burke, of South Omaha, to a game of hand ball, 21 points, to be played at Hart & Kilgallin's hand ball court, Twelfth and Chicago streets, any afternoon during the coming week.

Footracing at Creighton.

CREIGHTON, Neb., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Charles H. Fifler, a professional runner, beat the local sprinter, Carl Ellsworth, three feet in seventy-five yards here to-day. About $100 changed hands.

"DE GANG GOT SLUGGED."

Young United States Seamen Do Valiant Battle With Toughs.

NEW YORK, August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Five hundred young seamen of the United States training ship, Minnesota, went on the annual excursion up the Hudson yesterday. A number of toughs also managed to get aboard. As they had been drinking they commenced guying the young sailors. In five minutes there were as many fights. The police were powerless. Clubs, dishes and heavy irons flew right and left. Master-at-Arms Graham was knocked down. Finally the superior training of the Minnesotans began to tell on the enemy. "De gang is gettin' slugged," went up like a slogan from the boats. And so the battle raged. The caterer gathered up his dishes and fled to a place of safety, the orchestra shut up their instruments, and respectable women among the excursionists barricaded themselves upon the upper deck. Over a score of young Minnesotans had to go to the care of the surgeon, while fully as many toughs were as badly injured. Many of the latter escaped. There were seven arrests.

Partners Fall Out.

L. Bloch wants a constable.

Unless he has found one since 10 o'clock last night. He had a warrant for the arrest of his partner, M. Meyer, and wanted the document properly read to that gentleman.

Meyer & Bloch had a ten-foot store next door to Metz hall, from which they retailed clothing, furnishing goods, and such like.

The store was closed yesterday.

On inquiry Bloch learned that Meyer had given his mother-in-law a bill of sale of the stock. Bloch says the transaction was made without his knowledge or consent.

He has blood in his eyes.

Deadwood Republicans Organize.

DEADWOOD, Dak., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—A Harrison and Morton club was organized here last night. Judge W. E. Church was elected chairman and F. W. Hamilton secretary. A delegation will be sent to the territorial league which meets in Watertown August 21. Thirty-eight members were placed on the rolls and the probabilities are strong that the number will be increased to at least 300 within the next ten days.

Woman Suffrage Law Invalid.

TACOMA, W. T., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—In the case of Bloomer vs Todd et al., appealed from the decision of Judge Nash, rendered at Spokane Falls, in which the right of woman suffrage in the Territory of Washington was directly called in question, the supreme court at Olympia has decided that the law passed at the last session of the legislature is invalid. The decision is based on a review of all the authorities and acts of congress, but the opinion will not be made public, owing to the illness of Chief Justice Jones, who should have delivered it.

The American Scientists.

CLEVELAND, August 16.—The second day's meeting of the American association for the advancement of science opened with unabated interest. At 10 o'clock the election of a vice president was announced. After the general session the association met in sections. About fifty papers were read and discussed in the various sections during the day.

The American Bar Association.

SARATOGA, August 16.—At the opening of the session of the American Bar association this morning the annual address was made by Hon. George Hoadley of New Yord. Discussion was had on the report of the committee on commerce made last year on the subject on additional laws on commercialpaper and on other subjects. The reports of the standing committees were then made.

One Point For Parnell.

MYSTIC, Conn., August 16.—Mrs. Delia Stewart Parnell, addressing the national convention of the Universal Peace union, now in session here, stated that she had known the secrets of the home rule party from the start, and the London Times' charges that Mr. Parnell and his colleagues have connived at assassination or violence are, to her personal knowledge, outrageously false. Members are present from Europe, Asia and Africa.

A Mail Robber Sentenced.

DEADWOOD, Dak., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—William H. Webber, who was arrested last April charged with opening and stealing the contents of a registered package at Spearfish, plead guilty to-day in the district court and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary at Sioux Falls.

Preparing Sunday Lessons.

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., August 16.—The members of the international Sunday-school committee are in session here to-day and will be to-morrow. Benjamin Carr, of London, is present, representing the London Sunday-school union.

Russia Joins the Porte.

ST. PETERSBURG, August 16.—Russia joins in the protest of the porte against Italian claims to Massowah in the Red sea.

IOWA'S CITIZEN SOLDIERY.

Annual Encampment of the Third Regiment of the State Militia.

GRAND REPUBLICAN RALLIES.

Thirty-Fifth Annual Session of the Order of Good Templars—The Brown Poisoning Case—Hawkeye Notes.

Young Sons of Mars.

GRINNELL, Ia., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The Third regiment, now in camp here, had a dress parade and review by the governor and staff today. Four companies were detailed to meet the distinguished party at the train and escort them to the camp. The rest of regiment, drawn in line, gave the regulation reception, and a battery of seventeen guns gave the regular governor's salute. Major Babcock of the Fifth United Strtes cavalry at Leavenworth, was present, having been detailed by the war department to inspect this regiment. Governor Larrabee was accompanied by Adjutant General Alexander, General H. H. Wright of the Fifth brigade, Captain W. C. Wyman of Ottumwa, the governor's military secretary, Colonel G. W. Weeks of Marshalltown, and Colonel C. W. Bontin of the Sixth regiment. The parade and review passed off very creditably and was witnessed by a great throng of admiring citizens.

Republican Rally at Keokuk.

KEOKUK, Ia., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The republican rally for the first congressional district was held here to-day with a procession and speaking in the afternoon and evening. Republican clubs were present from various sections of the district, and the rally proved an enthusiastic success. The republican clubs, with a multitude of brass and martial bands, formed on Main street in the afternoon, and with the eminent speakers in attendance marched out Main street to a beautiful park, where thousands assembled and listened with close attention to the speeches. A noticeable feature of the procession was a number of excursion cars loaded with veterans of 1840 who voted for General Harrison, and who are now for Harrison and Morton. The log cabin, with raccoons playing on the roof, and gourds for the hard cider, called for a share of the attention of the crowd upon the streets. At the park A. J. McCrary called the meeting to order and introduced as the first speaker Hon. John M. Thurston of Nebraska. Mr. Thurston was followed by Iowa's gifted orator, Colonel W. P. Hepburn. Both of these men made strong speeches and were loudly applauded.

Republican Rally at Glenwood.

GLENWOOD, Ia., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—August 15 will long be remembered as the gala day of Mills county republicanism. There were fully ten thousand people in this city and fully two thousand people took part in the immense torch light procession in the evening. The enthusiasm for Hon. John Y. Stone for attorney general was immense. Clubs and bands were present from Plattsmouth, Council Bluffs, Tabor, Emerson, Malvern, Hastings, Sioux City, and other towns, with banners, transparencies, log cabins, and canoes and coons. It was a day and night of good old-fashioned republican rejoicing, such as was never before seen in the Ninth district. The speakers of the day and evening were Hon. John Y. Stone, Colonel J. J. Steadman, of the Nonpareil, and John A. Davis, the brilliant young president of the Plattsmouth club. An excellent county ticket was nominated and resolutions complimentary to Governor Larrabee and favoring the nomination of Smith and Campbell for commissioners and John Y. Stone for attorney general were adopted with great enthusiasm. Mills county republicans are in fine condition for the approaching contest.

Convention of Good Templars.

DES MOINES, Ia., August 16. — [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The grand lodge of Good Templars for Iowa is now holding its thirty-fifth annual session at Hampton, with 200 delegates present. The annual reports of officers show a membership of 10,400 in the state. The grand chief templar, E. R. Hutchins, last night delivered the annual address, and the election of officers to-day resulted as follows: Grand chief templar, E. R. Hutchins, Des Moines; grand vice templar, Annie Schultz, Missouri Valley; grand counsellor, G. W. E. Hill, Plymouth; grand superintendent of juvenile work, Mrs. M. E. Drake, Mount Pleasant; grand secretary, Perry Perkins, Des Moines; grand treasurer, W. H. Fleming, Des Moines. The representatives to the right worthy grand lodge are E. R. Hutchins, Perry Perkins, H. A. Hoyt and G. W. E. Hill. Dubuque was selected as the place of the next meeting.

Going to Europe For a Witness.

DUBUQUE, Ia., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—J. P. Farley, of this city, left to-day for Europe, accompanied by two lawyers, to take testimony from a witness now in Switzerland to be used in his celebrated case against Hill and the Manitoba Railroad company, for the recovery of his share of $15,000,000 made by the defendant in negotiating the bonds and building the road. The case is pending in the United States circuit court, and Judge Brewer decided that the testimony of this witness was important, and so the journey to Switzerland is made. Farley's share, if successful, will be several millions.

The Brown Poisoning Case.

MASON CITY, Ia., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The state has concluded its evidence in the Brown case. During the afternoon the court room was filled with spectators, most of whom were ladies. After an hour's conference the defense decided not to introduce any testimony, but after arguments will submit the case on the state's evidence. It is generally believed that the accused, Mrs. Brown, will be bound over.

Sioux City Alarmed.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Advices received to-day from Congressman Struble indicate that the president will veto the bill for a public building at Sioux City. Last year Cleveland vetoed the bill appropriating $100,000. The present bill appropriates $150,000 and a democratic delegation will go to Washington to prevent a veto.

The Deadly Gasoline.

MASON CITY, Ia., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—William Whipple was found to-night by the side of a large gasoline tank in an unconscious condition. He had been drawing oil, and was in some mysterious manner overcome by the gas. His recovery is considered very doubtful.

Two Horse Accidents.

The colored coachman of Mr. William Wallace, cashier of the Omaha National bank, met with an accident yesterday afternoon. He was riding a horse down Harney street. Near Twenty-second street the ground caved in under the horse's feet, throwing both the rider and the steed. The animal fell on the man, bruising him severely, but broke no bones. The falling of the street was probably due to a sewer washout beneath it.

Two boys were out driving in a dog cart on Harney street yesterday afternoon when the horse ran away. The riders were thrown out. One of the boys named Stephens, had his head cut, and both were bruised. The injuries are not serious.

Is Abu Digna Stanley?

LONDON, August 16.—A dispatch from Suakim says that the reports concerning the presence of a white man in the Bahr-El-Gazelle district are confirmed. He is known as Abu Digna, and has a force of enormous strength, including a large number of half naked men. This is a strong point in favor of the idea that the white man is Stanley. The khlia of Khartoum has sent a force of 5,300 men against him.

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CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS

Morgan's Motion to Postpone the Fisheries Treaty Defeated.

REAGAN DISCUSSES THE TARIFF.

The Fortification Appropriation Bill Passed By the House—Legislation Suspended For Lack of a Quorum.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, August 16.—Soon after assembling the senate, under order of yesterday, went into open executive session on the fisheries treaty, and voted on Mr. Morgan's resolution to postpone until December next. The resolution was disagreed to. As soon as the vote was taken legislative business was resumed.

Mr. Reagan then took the floor and spoke on the president's annual message.

Mr. Allison, desiring action on the conference report on the army appropriation bill, represented the necessity for disposing of appropriation bills in preference to other matters for which there was no immediate pressure. He said that six weeks of the current fiscal year had already passed by without any regular appropriations for the army. He would not, however, insist upon going on with the conference report now except with the assent of the senator from Texas.

Mr. Reagan said that he would not delay action on the conference report more than an hour. He proposed to discuss briefly some questions connected with tariff legislation. In the course of his remarks he described the people of the United States as being mercilessly plundered for the benefit of capitalists. As to the hypocritical claim that protection was beneficial to the laboring classes, he asked how it was that after twenty-five years of a high protective tariff factory workers found there was less certainty of getting employment and that there was more poverty in the land than ever before. He quoted from Mr. Blaine's Augusta speech of yesterday an extract in relation to trusts, and said that Blaine had taken upon himself to ridicule Cleveland's message on that subject, and now passed as an apologist and defender of trusts. These remarks of Blaine would add a new feather to the plume of that gallant knight, and endear him anew to the hearts of the money lords.

The conference report on the army appropriation bill was then taken up, and Mr. Gorman stated the grounds on which he had declined to sign the report, and on which he would vote against it. He admitted that it was a great improvement on the bill. But the main feature was that the entire appropriation for the construction of ordnance was placed in the hands of army officers, and that no opportunity for competition was offered to investors or contractors.

Mr. Allison said that it had never entered his mind that this was to be the exclusive work of army officers. The first delivery of steel was to be made eighteen months from this time, and he supposed that there would be still two or three sessions of congress in which to settle the question as to whether the construction of guns should be given to private establishments or should be done at Watervliet arsenal.

Mr. Plumb agreed that the conference reports should be adopted, but thought that there ought to be something in it that would afford more stimulus and opportunity to the inventing public than was proposed.

Finally the discussion closed and the conference report on the army appropriation bill was concurred in.

The house fortification bill was presented and referred to the committee on appropriations. The senate then went into open executive session on the fisheries treaty, and the presiding officer directed that the treaty be read by sections. The first article having been read, Mr. Gibson moved that the pending treaty be committed to the committee on foreign relations with instructions to report such amendments as would remove the ambiguities and remedy the defects in it, or else to report a plan of arbitration for the determination and settlement of all difficulties in connection with the fisheries.

Mr. Frye asked unanimous consent to an order that all debate on the treaty shall close on Monday next, and that the votes on the treaty and on such amendments as might be proposed to it should commence at 12 o'clock Tuesday next.

The senate then adjourned.

House.

WASHINGTON, August 16.—In the house the fortification appropriation bill passed this morning without division.

Mr. Morrell of Kansas called up the resolution, previously reported from the committee on invalid pensions, assigning May 2 and 3 for consideration of the general pension legislation, with a proposed amendment changing the dates to August 29 and 30.

The morning hour having expired the resolution went over.

The committee on printing reported back adversely the resolution directing the committee to investigate the assertion that the public printer buys felt for printing purposes in England. Accompanying the resolution was a letter from the public printer denying the truth of the assertion. The resolution was laid on the table.

Mr. Springer of Illinois attempted to secure consideration of the Oklahoma bill, but a point of no quorum was raised and he was forced to abandon the attempt.

Mr. Burns of Missouri brought forward the deficiency appropriation bill and moved that the house go into committee of the whole for its consideration, but a point of no quorum was raised and a call of the roll failed to procure the requisite number—the vote standing, yeas 142, nays 3. Another call of the house was ordered. It showed ten less than a quorum.

Mr. Weaver of Iowa thereupon made a motion revoking all leaves of absence except those granted on account of sickness, the revocation to take effect at the expiration of a few days. Much opposition was manifested to this action.

Mr. Weaver controverted the position that there was no important business pending in the house. The bill which he was advocating (the Oklahoma bill) was one of the most important that had been presented to the house.

Mr. Dougherty of Florida suggested sarcastically that Mr. Weaver except from the provision of his motion those gentlemen who are at home "repairing fences" and seeking a renomination.

Mr. Springer advocated the motion, and asserted that the members should be in the house, and declared that from his own personal experience the way in which to secure a renomination was for the member to remain in Washington attending to public business.

Mr. Williams of Ohio took occasion in a short speech to criticise the democratic side for refusing to consider the general pension bills.

Mr. Weaver's motion was tabled.

Mr. Burns of Missouri, in moving to adjourn, expressed regret that at this late day of the session consideration had been refused to the general appropriation bill, in which 10,000 veteran union soldiers were interested.

Mr. Lyman of Iowa said that the point of no quorum had been raised on the democratic side against the resolution fixing a time for the consideration of general pension bills.

The house then adjourned.

The Weather Indications.

For Nebraska and Iowa: Generally fair and cooler, winds generally northerly.

For Dakota: Generally fair, nearly stationary temperature, except cooler in southern portions, winds becoming variable.

The Ulysses Primaries.

ULYSSES, Neb., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The primary republican convention here instructed delegates unanimously for Leese, Harper and submission.

THE NUTMEGS ARE ALL RIGHT.

Hon. J. G. Batterson Talks About the Chances For Party Success.

CHICAGO, August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Hon. J. G. Batterson, of Connecticut, president of the Travelers' Insurance company, and one of the most prominent republicans in the state, was at the Fifth Avenue hotel to-day. He was asked:

"How is Connecticut going this fall?"

"The state will give a majority for the republicans. There can be no question as to how the majority of the people feel on the tariff question, and they intend to vote for protection. The people in Connecticut are intelligent and understand what low and high tariff mean. There are some democrats who believe in protection."

"Do you hear of many democrats who are going to vote the republican ticket?"

"No, not so many. You see a democrat rarely ever changes. It would take six month's hard burning in sheol to purify a democrat. But we have the majority of republicans in the Nutmeg state and they are united."

Nebraska and Iowa Pensions.

WASHINGTON, August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Pensions granted Nebraskans: Original invalid—John Wilhelm, Nebraska City; George Kyler, Friend; Thomas D. Case, Bromfield. Increase—Lewis A. Colburn, Ogallala; E. C. Neighbor, Benkleman; Anthony Martin, Waunota; James Blazer, Mentorville; William H. Banwell, Orleans.

Pensions for Iowans: Original invalid—James M. Hiatt, Oskaloosa; Jacob Nation, Kellogg; George Crabill, Siam; George D. Karr, Pleasantville; David H. Moore, Birmingham; Barnes O. Sutherland, Badger; Neil McInnis, Davenport; Isaac C. Carter, Hancock; George S. Bowman, Leon; Arnold Stine, Birmingham; Jacob B. Olney, Tripoli. Increase—George H. Chere, St. Charles; Luke Schecter, Hameston; Calvin B. Cowels, Fort Madison; George O. Kent, Tipton; John W. Smith, Allerton; Desalvo B. Harmon, Peterson.

Sun Stroke in St. Joseph.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., August 16.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Thomas Rowley, a laborer employed by the gas company, was prostrated