## THE GRAND STAND HOWLED.

But the Outburst Was Due to Anything But Joy.

DADDY CLARKE WENT TO PIECES.

What at First Looked Like a Certain Victory Is Turned Into a Disgusting Defeat In the Eighth Inning.

Denver 7, Omaha 6.

Well, were you there yesterday? Well, then, you were spared much humiliation and a good deal of pain.

What looked like a dead certain victory was turned, in the twinkling of an eye, into a most disgusting defeat.

And, oh, dear me, what a sore crowd that was that filed sadly and demurely from the

was that filed sadly and demurely from the park about half-past 5.

Just think of thirty-five hundred sore people in a pile!

The spectacle was agonizing.

The day was a lovely one for ball playing, with sombre clouds hiding the blue empyrean, and shutting off the sultry rays of the sun and rendering everything just right for a brilliant structic.

sun and rendering everything just right for a brilliant struggle.

And it was a grand struggle, fairly refulgent with wondrous features, up to the eighth inning, when the tide of woe began to swell, and before it could be checked had not only engulfed the whole 'Omaha team, but the great throng of spectators besides.

But it is a disagrecable task on hand, and let's hurry and get rid of it.

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Messit opened up with an out to McQuaid, and Cleveland was thrown out by Klusman at first. The same gentleman followed up this nice play by a bad fumble, which gave Strauss his base. Crooks struck out, however, and he was left.

The Mountaineers went out in succession. Then everybody settled himself for a close and interesting game.

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In the second, Cooney sent a long high fly to old Dal, the hero of many a gory conflict in the years gone by, and joined his comrades on the bench.

Walsh had his "good eye" with him and took a bag on four wides by Mr. Kirby, only to be doubled up, though, with Nagle, who hit a curve to McQuaid, who also threw Walsh out at second.

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Messitt's meff let McQuaid reach first in Denver's half. A moment subsequent Dad made a wild pitch and he made second. McVey then retired on a scorching grounder to Scrappy Jack, and Mac dared not leave second. Klusman hit a vicious one to Walsh, who scooped it in clean, and to the wild delight of everybody, threw McQuaid out at the plate. It was a nice play and was greeted by a roar of applause. Dolan struck out.

It looked exceedingly like a score for Omaha in the third, but alas! she goteth it noteth. noteth. Canavan began with a single and stole sec-

Canavan began with a single and stole second. Daddy Clarke also corked out one. Then, after the ball had been returned, Dolan threw down to second and caught Canavan off his base, and with the assistance of McVey, he was run down.

Messitt struck out, but Grover followed with a hit and Clarke gained third. Jakey Strauss fiew out to big Dave Rowe, and our chances all went climmering.

chances all went glimmering.

The grand stand sighed, and you ought to hear a grand stand sigh. It sounds something like the wall of a lost soul.

It was one, two, three for Denver, so again everything was all O. K.

The next was a triumphant inning for Omaha.

And how the happy recorded did make the

Omaha.

And how the bappy people did make the Sabbath air quaver with their glad shouts. Captain Crooks incited the peans of victory by a rattling drive to right for two cushions. A passed ball allowed him to reach third. Cooney was presented with a base by the erratic Mr. Kirby, and on McQuaid's muff of Walsh's hit Crooks ran home and so did Cooney, too. Nagle laced out a single and Walsh scored. Canavan then struck out and Clarke forced Nagle at second.

But we made three runs, and Omaha stock went up at a jump.

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The Denvers invested another dollar and drew another blank.

For Omaha the fifth begun by the ex-president reaching first on four bad balls.

Strauss made a beautiful bunt and both men

Everybody smelt some more runs, but Cooney and Weisn were ignominiously squelched.

The Mountaineers held another losing ticket.

In the sixth Nagle took firs on balls, only to be forced at second by Canavan. The latter stole second, but got no further, Clarke and Messitt being put out. The Denvers did not fare even this well—

they never saw first.

The next inning was another triumph for Cleveland started the music with a terrific

Civeland started the music with a terrine drive for three bases. A passed ball hit him across the plate. Strauss went to first on balls, stole second and third eleverly. Crooks went out from short to first and Cooney on a fly to Dairymple. McQuaid then made another must of Walsh's hit, and Strauss scored, and Walsh reached third. He came home a and Walsh reached third. He came home moment later on Nagle's hit, and then Nagl

Omaha 6. Denver 0. For the Mountaineers, both McClelland and Rowe reached their base on errors by Walsh, but McClelland was caught of his base by a foxy threw by Messitt to Walsh, and retired. The next two men went out and still the score remained the same.

It was one, two, three for the first time fo

But not so with Rowe's brawny myrmi-They came in, and with a suddenness-ness ness that all but paralyzed the whole city, they lit onto Mr. Clarke and hit him in the neck between the eyes, on the nose, up and down his ribs, and across the back, never stopping until no less than five of the blue jerseyed friends had crossed the rubber.

Just stop and think of it a moment, and you may possibly realize how all this singging acted upon the sensitive nerves of the spectators.

Up to this juncture not a hit had been made

off Clarke, and then, in a single inning, they swoop down on him for no less than a half dozen, clean, thoroughly laundried hits, and came within a single run of tying the game. It was just simply horrifying.

However, it might never have happened hadn't Joe Strauss sort o' rattled Daddy by a very bum muff of a hit by the second man at the bat.

A deep hush fell over the crowd as the Omahas came in for their last whack. But it did them no good. All the ambition had been incontinently knocked out of them, although the ever hard-working Crooks did line out a two-sacker, only to be extinguished trying to make third en it.

extinguished trying to make third on it.

There is no use dwelling on the legend Denver came right in like a yearling at a county fair, and without even as much as saying "How do you do, Mr. Clarke," they hopped right upon his back again, and with four straight safe smashes, sent in the tying

Wasn't that rotten! The score: OMAHA.

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Two-base hits—Crooks 2.
Three-base hits—Cleveland 1.
Double and triple plays—McQuaid to Klusman; Crooks to Walsb.
Bases on called balls—Kirby 5, Clarke 1.
Struck out—By Kirby 5, by Clarke 6.
Passed balls—Nagle 1, Dolan 1.
Wild pitches—Clarke 2.
Time of game—1 hour and 50 minutes.
Umpire—Cusick.

Sioux City 7, St. Joseph 6. Stoux City, Ia., May 28.—The game to day was won by the home team after a most stubborn contest. The hitting on both sides was light until the windup, when Flansgan and Flood were touched up for six and seven hits, respectively. The attendance was the largest of the season, and numbered over 3,000. Score:

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Powell, 1b	2	1	1	0	8	0	-0
Genins, cf	4:	0	0	3	8	0	0
Brosnan, 2b	4	1	1	0	-3	2	1
Burke, 88	4	1	2	0	2	22 22 23	1
Bradley, 3b	5	0	0	0	2	2	0
Flanagan, p	5	0	0	1	1	2	0
Hellman, c	4	1	2	0	7	2	0
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BY INNINGS. Sioux City.....0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 5— St. Joseph.....0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 3— BUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Burke, Glean.
Three-base hits—Curtis.
Stolen bases—Sioux City 2, St. Joe 2. Double plays—Flanagan to Burke, Bros-nan to Burke to Poweil.

First base on balls—Sloux City 4, St. Joe 4.
Hit by pitched ball—Glenn, Powell, Gen-

Runs earned-Sloux City 2, St. Joe 2.

is, Brosnan.

Struck out—By Flanagan 7, by Flood 5.

Passed balls—Hellman 1.

Time of game—2 hours and 10 minutes. Umpire-McDermott.

St. Paul S. Des Moines 2. St. Paul, May 26 .- St. Paul defeated Des Moine's for the third time to-day. The game was a pitchers' battle in which Sowders excelled. Score:

Hawes, 1b. 8 2 1 13 1
Murphy, m. 5 1 1 0 0
Pickett, ss. 5 2 3 0 4
Covroll rf. 5 5 0 0 0 Murphy, m...... 5
Pickett, ss...... 5
Carroll, rf..... 5 Totals...... 36 8 8 27 17 DES MOINES.

 
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 Whiteley, m
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 Connell, 3b
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 Macullar, ss
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 Trafley, c
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 Hast, p
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 Totals.... 31 3 2 26 7

St. Paul......3 2 0 0 2 0 0 1 0— Des Moines....0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0— \*Pickett out for not touching third.

SUMMARY. Runs earned-St. Paul 3, Des Moines 1. Two-base hits—Pickett, Broughton.

Home runs—Pickett, Reilly, Broughton.

Bases stolen—By Hawes, Werzick, Farmer, Patton 2, Maskrey. Double plays—Broughton to Reilly, Reilly

Werrick to Hawes. Bases on balls-By Emmerke, by Hart 4 by Sowders 7.
Struck out—By Hart 6, by Sowders 5.

Passed balls—Traffley 2.
Wild pitches—Emmerke 1, Hart 1. Sacrifice hits-Pickett, Carroll, Phelan. Left on bases—St. Paul 8, Des Moines 8. First base on errors—St. Paul 1, Des Time-1 hour and 45 minutes.

Postponed on Account of Rain, MILWAUKEE, May 26.—The Milwaukee Minneapolis game to-day was prevented by

Umpire-Hurley.

Following is the standing of the Western association clubs up to and including yesterday's games: Played.

St. Paul ......25 Sioux City .....24 Omaha..... Denver.....22 Minneapolis... 23 Miiwaukce.....23 American Association.

CECINNATI, May 26.—Result of the first Cincinnati ...... 2 0 1 1 0 1 0 3 \*\_\_\_\_\_ ;

Louisville ...... 0 1 0 0 3 0 8 0 0 -\_\_\_\_ ;

Result of the second game :

Cincinnati .... 1 5 0 0 3 1 3 3 \*\_\_\_\_ ;

Louisville .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 -\_\_\_\_ ; Sr. Louis, May 26 .- Result of to day's game: St. Louis......0 0 1 8 2 0 0 0 8-12 Kansas City....0 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 - 3 COLUMBUS, May 26.—Result of to-day's

PHILADELPHIA, May 26 .- Result of to-day's game: Athletics......3 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 2— Baltimore. ....1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—

MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., May 26 .- [Specia relegram to THE BEE.]—Missouri Valley played the Gate Citys, of Omaha, to-day The score was 15 to 1 in favor of the hom team. A finer game was never witnessed on the home grounds. Missouri Valley will play the Logans on Decoration day, and the Norfolks June 7 and 8.

Nonrole, Neb., May 26.—[Special Telegram to The Bre.]—The Union Pacific and Norfolk ball clubs played their third consecutive game to-day, the tide turning in favor of the former. The Union Pacifics scored one in the first, second, fourth, sixth, seventh, and two in the eighth. Norfolk got two in the first and one in the second third two in the first and one in the second, third and seventh. Batteries—Union Pacific, Linahan and Holland; Norfolk, Campbell and Wake.

VALENTINE, Neb., May 26.—[Special Telegram to The Bee. j—The game of ball to-day between the home team and Fort Niebrara resulted in favor of the latter by a score of 11 to 5.

GRAND ISLAND, Nob., May 26. [Special Telegram to The Ber.]—The home team defeated the Mayer Bros', club yesterday and to-day. Yesterday's game resulted in a score of 9 to nothing, and Sunday's game 8 to 2.

Stanley vs. Williams.

Dr. Edward C. Weatherby, representing Billy O'Brien, the well known sporting manager of New York, arrived in Omahr last evening, in company with Miss Lottic Stanley, the champion lady bicyclist of the world, as the doctor claims. The express purpose of the visit here is to make arrange ments for a bicycle race between Miss Stan-lev and Miss Lily Williams, of this city. Dr. Weetherby called at The Bes office late last

night, and left the following challenge, accompanied by a deposit of \$25:

OMAHA, May 26, ISSR.—To the Sporting Editor of The Ber: On behalf of Miss Lottle Stanley, of New York, I hereby challenge Miss Lifty Williams, of Omaha, to a six-day buyele race, three or four hours daily, to take place the week following the horse-bicycle race that begins at the Coliseum this evening, for a sum of from \$250 to \$500 a side. I now make a deposit with the sporting editor of The Ber for that purpose, and am ready to meet Williams' backers at any am ready to meet Williams' backers at any time to make the necessary arrangements. E. C. Weatherby.

From Oakes' Backer. OMAHA, May 26 .- | To the Sporting Editor of THE BEE. |- Now that Miss Williams, Miss Lottie Stanley, of New York, and Misses Woods, Baldwin, Brown and others are in Omaha I, on behalf of the world's champion, Miss Jessie Oakes, of London, invite the various backers of the above ladies to cover the \$50 I deposited in the hands of Mr. Ed Maurer, and let a match be made at once. A match with either of the former at ones. A match with estate of the former indies, or a reasonable sweepstake race, free for all, will suit me. As this is likely to be Miss Oakes' final appearance in bicycle racing, no notice will be taken of any offer if this one is not accepted. Any distance, from one to a thousand miles, will suit Miss Oakes.

SENATOR MORGAN. Miss Stanley's Record. OMAHA, May 26 .- To the Sporting Editor of Tus Ber .- You have inadvertently made an incorrect statement regarding Miss Lottle Stanley's six day bicycle record. Last February, when Miss Stanley won the championship of the world and the Police Gazette diamond metal at Madison Square Garden diamond metal at Madison Square Garden,
New York, she made 694% miles in 47 hours.
She set her own pace throughout the whole
six days, was never approached or pushed in
any way, and won by thirty-two miles. The
machine she used was an ordinary road machine, without ball bearings, and
weighed thirty-seven pounds: so that the
magnitude of that performance can be easily
appreciated by all bicyclists. Miss Stanley
is now in her town, and, as her representative, I send this necessary correction.

EDWARD C. WEATHERLY.

A Fatal Family Quarrel. CHARLESTON, N. C., May 26.—[Special Telegram to The Bre.]—At Abbeyville, to day, John T. Lyon, sixty-three years old, shot D. L. Mosby, twenty-six years old, the husband of his stepdaughter. The supposed cause was a family quarrel. Mosby was a lawyer. He leaves a widow and two chil-

A Postmaster Suspended. NEWARK, N. J., May 26 .- Adam L. Brown postmaster at Bloomfield, this county, has been suspended. It is reported he is short \$1,200 in his accounts and that charges of neglect of duty are made against him.

Stole 500 Horses. TRINIDAD, Colo., May 26.-Lorenzo Lopez the sheriff of San Miguel county, New Mexico, came in from Folsom, N. M., last night with six prisoners, who stole 500 horses from ranches in the above county.

A Convict Suicides. SALT LAKE, May 26 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. ]-A negro convict named James E. Manning, formerly a soldier at Fort Duchesne, suicided at the penitentiary last night by cutting his throat from ear to ear.

Humbert Leaves Berlin. Berlin, May 26 .- King Humbert and the Prince of Naples left Berlin at 9:30 to-day. Several princes assembled at the station to bid them farewell, and a large crowd gave the departing guest an ovation

Man-of-War Ashore. LONDON, May 26 .- The British man-of-war Surprise was run ashore at Syracuse, yesterday, after colliding with and sinking the steamer Nesta. The man-of-war is full of

A \$400,000 Fire. Berlin, May 26 .- Several warehouses in Lubeck harbor were burned to-day, and \$400,000 worth of cotton and flax was de-

WHO BOUGHT THE PICTUR Result of the Sale of Paintings in the

Late Art Display. Nearly forty of the pictures on exhibition at the art display were sold, bringing an aggregate of \$1,035. The one commanding the best price was "The Old Hunter," the prize painting, by Albert Rothery, which was sold for \$250. The following is the list of seller and purchasers, and residence. Mrs. F. B. Mamaugh, Omaha, to E. L.

Stone, Omaha. Mrs. F. B. Mumaugh, Omaha, to E. L. Stone, Omaha. Mr. Fred Knight, Omaha, to J. E. Riley, Omaha. Miss Kate Pettis, Omaha, to J. E. Riley, Omaha. Mrs. M. S. Silkworth, Omaha, to J. E. Riley, Omaha. Mrs. M. S. Silkworth, Omaha, to J. E. Riley, Omaha, A. Rothery, Omaha, to Charles Elgutter, A. Rother, Omaha, to Charles Elgutter, A. Rothery, Omaha. to Charles Elgutter Omaha. A. Rothery, Omaha, to Charles Elgutter, Omaha. Miss Minnie Blackburn, Omaha, to Captain W. W. Marsh, Omaha. Mrs. F. B. Mumaugh, Omaha, to W. J

Mrs. B. Brown, Omaha, to H. P. Devalon, Mrs. G. I. Gilbert, Omaha, to -Miss Carrie A. Brodt, Omaha, to E. L. Miss Kate Pettis, Omaha, to E. L. Stone Miss M. F. Murray, Omaha, to E. L. Stone Mrs. F. B. Mumaugh, Omaha, to Mr. Mrs. F. B. Mumaugh, Omaha, to Captain

W. W. Marsh, Omaha. A. Rothery, Omaha, to Captain W. W. A. Rothery, Omaha.

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Mrs. F. B. Mumaugh, Omaha. to Captain W. Mrs. F. B. Mumaugh, Omaha, to Captain V. W. Marsh, Omaha. Miss Kate E. Pettis, Omaha, to Captain W. W. Marsh, Omaha. Frederick Knight, Omaha, to Captain W

W. Marsh, Omana.

Ada K. Farnsworth, Corning, Ia., to Captain W. W. Marsh, Omaha.

Ada K. Farnsworth, Corning, Ia., to George W. Lininger, Omaha.

Ada K. Farnsworth, Corning, Ia., to Saul Burns, Omaha. H. H. Bagg, Lincoln, to Mr. Oroutt H. H. Bagg, Lincoln, to Charles E. Eigutter, Omaha.

Miss S. S. Stevens, Council Bluffs, Ia., to Fannie Kellogg Bachert, Omaha.

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Why She Isn't Flirting. Providence Journal; Jinks (at a party -I don't see what's the matter with that pretty woman over there. She was awfully flirty a little while ago, and now she won't have anything to do with

Stranger --- Perhaps it's because I have just come in. She's my wife.

Too Much for a Mother's Patience Jeweler's Weekly: Mr. Pooler (enthusiastically): Aurora, you should have seen little Jimmie Carroll slide in and plant both feet on the home plate at this afternoon's ball game.

Mrs. Pooler: He did, ch? If my boy should plant his feet on the discount. should plant his feet on the dinner service, do you know what I'd do?

Love Me, Love My Dor. "I hereby offer \$10 reward for the ar rest and conviction of the secundrel who hit my dog with a rock," is an ad-vertisement in a Trenton, N. J. paper, to which "ad" Henry Armstrong signs

IOWA WATER. POISONOUS

Flowing Back as Erebus With a Stranning Oder. WORTH THE CANDLE. WASN'T

Des Moines Gind She Didn't Get the Condictors' Headquartersmacy's Duties.

A Potsoned Creek. DRS MOINES, May 26.—[Special to THE BER.]—There is a queer case of river poisoning at Marshalltown. Mention was already once made in dispatches to THE BEE of the complaints that came from Tama county of the condition of the Iowa river, in which fish were dying by the cart load. The secretary of the board of health has been to Marshalltown and made a personal and careful inspection of the situation. . It was thought at first that the refuse of the glucose factory was responsible for the pollution, but that hardly seems to be the trouble since in other places the same refuse is turned into streams without damage or cause for complaint. But it was learned by the health officer that in 1887 the creek, on which the factories were located, was very low, so low in fact that the bed of the stream was filled with refuse matter, and there was not water enough to carry it away. It has lain there fermenting and decaying ever since, and is now a living mass of corruption, consequently it pollutes the creek and the river into which the creek empties. A sample of the water was brought back. It is black as night, and has an odor that nearly knocks a man down at ten paces. It is to be analyzed, and meantime the health officers will try to determine some way of abating the nuisance. hardly seems to be the trouble since in other termine some way of abating the nuisance.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 26.- | Special to THE Bus. ]-As a result of the Denver fight for the conductors' building, Des Moines is likely to get some large enterprises, which can be secured for a part of the money which was offered to the conductors. The people of this city feel that Sioux City is really to be condoled with, for it was driven into making a most reckless proposition, far beyond the real worth to a city of the proposed building. Des Moines business men are rejoicing that they are not bound to any extravagant offer as Sioux City made, for the game wasn't

Investigating the Law. DES MOINES, Ia., May 26.—[Special to THE BEE.]—One of the duties with which the state board of pharmacy is charged is that of investigating violations of the state pharmacy law. For this work the state is divided into three districts, and a commission is assigned to each. At a recent meeting of the board in this city, the state was redistricted to adopt the work to a change in the location of one of the commissioners, as follows: Commissioner Pickett now has the following counties under his charge: Powe shiek, Johnson, Cedar, Scott, Muscatine, Louisa, Washington, Keokuk, Des Moines. Henry, Lee, Van Buren, Jefferson, Wapello, Davis, Appanoose, Monroe, Lucas, Wayne, Clark, Decatur, Union, Ringgold, Adams, Taylor, Page, Frencet, Mills and Montgomery. Commissioner Snider—Winneshick, Worth, Mitchell, Howard, Winnebago, Allamakee, Claylon, Fayette, Chickasaw, Floyd, Cerro Gordo, Hancock, Wright, Butler, Franklin, Bremer, Hamilton, Hardin, Grundy, Blackhawk, Buchanan, Delaware, Dubuque, Story, Marshall, Tama, Benton, Linn, Jones, Jackson, Clinton, Iowa, Jasper and Polk. Commissioner Weaver—Kossert, Emmet, Palo Alto, Clay, Dickinson, Oscoola, O'Bries, Shoux, Lyon, Plymouth, Cherokee, Buena Vista, Pocahontas, Humboldt, Webstes, Calkon, Sac, Ida, Woodbury, Monona, Crawford, Cass, Greene, Boone, Guthrie, Andmbon, Shelby, Harrison, Pottawatomie, Cass, Adair, Madison, Warren, Marion and Mahaska. As every druggist in the state has dealings directly with these commissioners, they will serve their own convenience by cutting out these districts and pasting them in their hats. Henry, Lee, Van Buren, Jefferson, Wapello,

tricts and pasting them in their hats. Home For the Adult Blind. DNS MOINES, In., May 28 .- [Special to THE BER. |- During the session of the last general assembly, a committee appointed by convention of the blind people of the state, appeared before it. They asked for an appropriation and the necessary legislation to provide for the establishment somewhere in the state of an industrial home for the adult blind. Their request was backed by petitions from many of the blind people of the state, as well as from others. The legislature passed an act creating a commission for this ourpose, and last March Governor Larrabee appointed as the commission, Hon. L. A. Riley, of Louisa county, Colonel D. M. Fox, of Des Moines, and Miss Lorana Mattice, of Benton county. The commissioners were to investigate and prepare a report to be laid before the next general assembly, with such recommendations as should seem best. In pursuance of their instructions, they visited a number of the leading schools and working homes for the blind in the cast, and they have reached a conclusion that the stat should establish an industrial home for the adult blind of Iowa. There are between 1,500 and 2,000 blind people in this state, 80 per cent of whom are adults. It is intended that this industrial home will afford constant employment to such as desire it, and thu enable them to be self-supporting. The find it hard word under present conditions to compete with those who can see and thus earn a living. It is suggested that they could work at broom-making, mattress-mak-ing, carpet weaving, cane seating of chairs, and upholstering. The commission is still engaged in gathering information on the subject, and will embody the results of their investigation in a report which will be laid before the next general assembly An Interesting Decision.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 26 .- | Special to THE BEE. |- The supreme court has decided a rather novel but interesting case affecting the right to bridge navigable waters. Th county authorities of Dickinson county had authorized the building of a bridge over the small arm of West Okoboti lake, which connects it with East Okoboli. The bridge was to be a draw, but suit was brought to enjoin them from paying for the bridge, on the ground that it would be obstruction to navi-gation, and that the county had no control over the bottom of the lake. The supreme court sustains the injunction and says that the state owns the bottom of the lakes and that no county has a right to lay out a high-way over them, and then order a bridge to be built in order to utilize this highway. The arm of the laist in question is only a few rods wide, but the court holds that the state has never relinquished its right to the land at the bottom of the water, and therefore no county can bridge it. This settles a point which may be of interest in many parts of the state where no ligable streams or bodies of water are found.

BOOTLEGGERS IN IOWA.

What Revenue Collecter Webster Says on the Effect of Prohibition. A correspondence, interesting as give ing the results of the attempt to enforce prohibition in the forty-nine counties of northern Iowa, constituting the internal revenue district of Dubuque, wil be published in the next issue of the Floyd County Advocate, published in Charles City by Hon. B. F. Wright, "the father of the prohibition amendment," says a Des Moines special to the

St. Louis Republic. Mr. Wright recently wrote Collector Webster, stating his belief that the collector was in connivance with the violators of the prohibitory law. At least, he said, the majority of the icenses to retail liquor dealers issued by the collector bore mythical names fustead of the real applicants, the purpose being to evade that provision of the lowa law which makes the posses-

sion by the defendant of a government license bearing his name prima facie evidence of his guilt. Mr. Wright demanded that the collector before issuing the license correspond with a banker or some other reputable man in the town in which it is proposed to do business and inquire whether the name sought to be placed on the license is the real one of the applicant and to refuse a license in all cases where the contrary appears, and also keep his books open, so that any one applying at the collector's office may examine the record and as-

certain who has been licensed to sell

liquor.
Collector Webster, in his reply says:
"Of the 1,500 licenses issued from this office but 60 bear mythical names. It is not within the power of the collector to withhold a license from any one who meets the requirements of the law, and the applicant is entitled to whatever name he wishes placed on the provided his real name is stated in the application. It is not compulsory on the part of the collector to expose his list of applications, nor does the good of the service dictate that he shall. The violation of the state law is not his concern, for it is not an offense against the laws he is sworn to enforce. On the other hand, the exposure of the list would injure the service by subjecting those whose names appear on it to prosecution under the state law, and by thus inducing them in the future to add violation of the fed-eral law requiring that they procure licenses to sin against the state law. The effect would be to diminish the receipts of the revenue department from licenses and to increase the expense for the detection and prosecution of crime.
"The Iowa prohibitory law," continues the collector, has already had

this effect. The sixty licenses bearing mythical names were issued to dealers in the counties of this district, in which the most vigorons efforts have been made to enforce the probibitory law These efforts have been costly, not to the people of the state alone, but have resulted in great expense to this department by requiring us to detect and punish persons unlawfully engaged in the liquor business therein. From your county (Mr. Wright's) we have taken into court nine boot-leggers and convicted them of violation of law by carrying on the liquor business without having government license. From Governor's Larrabee's county (Fayette) we have convicted forty-nine. His county has cost us more for criminal prosecution than any other in the state. On the other hand, Dubuque county which yielded us more revenue than any other, has cost us little. We have had but three criminal cases from Dubuque county, and none were for boot-

legging.
"From these facts," continues Mr.
Webster, "it may be inferred that
Governor Larrabce made a mistake when he stated to a Nebraska audience that prohibition was inforced in eightyfive of the ninety-nine counties of Iowa On the contrary there is not a county in this district, nor a town of 300 inhab tants or over, for which retail liquor dealers' licenses have not been issued, when taken together with the number of bootleggers convicted, indicates an increase in the number of dealers as compared with the number in existence before the prohibitory law took effect.

MOTHERS AS CHAPERONES. Not So Watchful as They Should be in Giddy Paris.

At home we hear a good deal about the Pilgrim Fathers, but you just ought to come to Paris to learn all about the Pilgrim Mothers, says a correspondent of the St. Louis Republic. Wherever you are, in a hotel, a pension or in the house of one of the numerous American residents on the Champs Elysee, you are confronted with the mother who has one or two daughters over here to -an unknown quantity-remains in America to earn the wherewithal to render such a visit possible. The daughters are here to learn the languages and music and the mother sits bout like an ogre to see that they do not learn any less intellectual arts. These girls are prey for men wherever they are discovered. I know of one salon where at least ten girls can be found each night with no protector beyond the ample mamma who sits to one side with the hostess while the girls go dancing about with a young cierk of the foreign legations or lieutenant of the army, or perhaps, real live minister of one of the powers. I stumbled on a scene last night at an American lady's house which was especially instructive. I had wandered out to the conservatory, at the rear of the house, to smoke a cigarette. violins were playing a sweet waltz in the drawing-room, and, as I crossed sort of courtyard leading to the con-servatory, a couple danced by me, leav-ing behind them the sound of happy aughter and the fragrance of violets I went on my way, and sat down on a wicker chair beneath an azalea bush From the other side of the bush I heard voices. At first I could not understand what was being said, so I felt entitled to linger. But soon the man's voice became more distinct, and I assure you that the speech of Claude Melnotte, word for word—that one in which the picture of the palace on the Lake of Como is drawn, with the alabaster lamps, and the sweet songs of birds forever syllabling her name—was uttered in mellow accents. The speaker was an Italian, expressing himself in English. After he had finished, heard a girl's voice say: "Oh, Count, it sounds just like a play. That is a beautiful speech.

"Your eyes," was the reply, "would inspire poetry in even a duller man than I." And then I heard a kiss, and then

deep sigh. I moved away. Five minutes later a well-known Italian .count, a roue and gambler of the hardest description. ame out of the conservatory into the ball-room, with a young New York girl, the daughter of one of the Pitgrim Mothers, leaning on his arm. Her cheeks were flushed, and the count looked triumphant.

Two centuries ago I would have been bound to make a quarrel with the Italian, and kill him or myself be killed. But this is centennial year, and these Pilgrim Mothers pretend to know much more than I do.

H. P. Smart & Bros.' new steam shingle

A Revolutionary Wreck. In excavating to deepen a creek which is to be used as a timber basin for

mill, on the Vale Royal tract, the timbers of a large vessel have been partly exhumed, says the Savannah News. The end of the keelson can be seen imbedded in the mud at one point, and about thirty feet from it a well-preserved live-oak rib, with a part of the planking attached, was taken out. The land in this vicinity was reclaimed from the river, and there is a tradition that it was at or near this point that the British, during the siege of Savannah in 1779 by the armies under General D'Estaing and Lincoln, sunk vessels across the river to prevent the French and American war vessels, which had passed around the western end of Hutchinson's island, from enfilading the defenses of the town. It is not improbable that the old wreck which is now brought to light, if not one of those sunk at that time, has not been afloat

MINING AT COLORADO SPRINGS

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Silver in the Lead, and Gold a Good Second-How the Mines Are Developed - Relies of

Former Days.

The Great Output of Ores. IDAHO SPRINGS, Colo., May 22 .-[Special to THE BEE.]-There is more interest taken in scientific mining among these mountains than at any previous date. And those who are operating mines state that mining more than ever has been reduced to a system' so accurate that, as a business, it is no more uncertain in its results than any other pursuit understandingly followed. The output of ores is greater than ever before, and the results more satisfactory, owing as well to the improvements in mining machinery, and the erection of necessary mills and other works, as to the acquired skill in finding and handling ores.
In support of the above assertions, some facts and figures at hand shall be

used to substantiate them. From 1865 to 1869 the total products of the mines of Clear Creek county amounted to \$182,823. In 1874, the mining excitement having been intensified, the out-put aggregated \$2,203,947, and the number engaged exceeded that of any former years. In 1880 the products summed up \$2,994,728. The population had increased to about 7,000, and the number of miners to 2,550, the largest number ever engaged up to that time, and more than have been any year since. After that date, and till 1885, there was a shrinkage in the value of the output. In the last-named year the mines of the county (and I speak of this county only), yielded about \$3,000,000, though there were not as many miners employed as in 1880.

The mining industry is better organized and has more confidence in the certainty of a steady business than at any period since the discovery of gold at Pike's Peak; and, though carried on nearly without excitement, is acquiring deserved place among the industries of the state.

In the earlier years of the mining

operations the implements were rude and inexpensive. There were no ma-chines for hoisting ore from perpen-dicular shafts, and when prospectors found signs or indications thought to be good, horizontal tunnels were cut into the sides of the mountain so as that they might trundle their findings in a wheelbarrow to the mouth of the opening. Afterwards, small cars propelled on a tramway superceded the one-wheeled barrow. Improvements and inventions have gone on apace, till steam power and approved implements have para-lyzed the old methods. The time was when the ore and the

rocks in which it was found went to market together, making transporta-tion so costly that many a good mine was vacated because it would not pay. Stamp mills, custom and sampling works as well as reduction and concentrating mills in the mining region are now preparing the ores for shipment so as that the minimum cost of transportation is reached.

Each mine is recognized by its name and dealers in ores are as familiar with both name and location as an Omahan is with the stations on the Union Pacific railway. A heavy traffic is carried here in quest of it just as cattle and hog

dealers frequent South Omaha. Silver predominates in quantity and value in most of the mines. Gold is next in value, and both are usually, if not always found in the same rocks. There is a great dissimilarity in the appearance in the rocks, however, taken from mines not very remote from each other, owing to the presence of iron, or copper, or lead. There is a mine just above Graymont very rich in lead-said to be 60 per centum of that composition. The company working it pays 50 per cent royalty to the owners and make money out of the transaction.

Ores are found in the mountains only in fissure veins. There are no carbonate deposits at Leadville. The fissures are simply seams of variable widths be tween the walls of rock, many of extend to great mine here-the Champion-situated on the tip top of Bellevue mountain, the vein has been penetrated to the depth of 800 feet, and the ore is borne in buckets one mile and a quarter to the mill at the base of the mountain. The transportais effected by means of a seven-eighth inch steel cable above ground, supported on tressels. Some of the veins ire nearly perpendicular; others dip at different angles, all the way from eight to twenty degrees, and can be traced east or west, frequently, several hundred feet.

In a ride from Idaho Springs to the western terminus of the Colorado Central railway, twenty-one miles, not a few of abandoned mining works may be seen. Relics of pioneer miners are in sight, such as log-cabin shanties, old fence posts still standing, and tunnels from which ore had once been taken. The traveler can discern very many places where prospectors have lately been at work puncturing the sides of the mountains for the purpose of de-termining whether the ore is rich enough to reward the miner for his labor. Specimens are taken to the assayer, who, after putting it in his crucible, settles the question.

There is no dispute about these mountains being full of metallurgic substances.

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inducements on this.

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