THE IOWA TEAM SHUT OUT.

Omaha Defeats Des Moines by a Score of 7 to 0.

KID NICKOLS WAS IN THE BOX.

Standing of the Clubs-Bob Neilson Beats the Soldier at the Collseum-Turf and Diamond Notes.

Standing of the Clubs. Following is the standing of the Western

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terday's games:			
Played.	Won.	Lost.	Per Ct.
St. Paul 31	25	6	.800
Omaha	21	11	.656
Sioux City31	18	13	.581
Des Moines30	13	17	.433
Denver31	14	17	.455
Minneapolis 32	13	20	.35
St. Joseph 30	10	20	.83
Milwaukee 20	7	22	,24

Omaba 7, Des Moines 0. DES MOINES, June 6.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The home team was very perceptibly weakened to-day by the absence of Phelan at second, who was so seriously Injured Wednesday, the weakness being ap parent both at the bat and in the field. Patton covered second very well, but made one bad error in trying to catch a fly in the second inning, which, if caught, might have

made a material difference in the result. This was followed in the same inning by errors by Hart and Connell, which, together with two singles and a base given Cleveland for being hit with a ball, netted the visitors five. In the fourth mning the visitors again scored twice by getting a choice hit, three singles and a wild pitch by Emmerke, who Nichols, for the visitors, was very steady

and effective, and was supported without an error. He was touched up freely, but only to the infield, five scattered hits being made from his delivery and three others going to the outfield. The Omaha team had every thing their own way, apparently, and played in excellent spirit, while the locals seemed somewhat careless and indifferent after the ragged playing in the second. Strauss and Cooney led the batting for the visitors. Nichols' splendid work in the box was the ature of the game. Score:

DES MOINES.	OMAHA
Traffley, c 0 0 3 2 0	Cooney, cf
Totals 0 5*23 10 3	Totals 7 6 27 23
*Nichols hit by batted ba	ai.
BY IN	NINGS,
Des Moines	

SUMMARY.

Runs earned—Omaha 4. Stolen bases—Omaha 3

Bases given for hitting man with ball—By Emmerke
Struck out—By Emmerke 5, by Nichols 10. Bases
a balla—By Emmerke 5, by Nichols 1, Wild pitches
Emmerke 3, Nichols 1. Time of game—I hour and 45
dnutes. Umpire—Force.

Denver 13, Milwaukee 3. MILWAUKEE, June 6 .- Milwaukee was de feated by Denver through errors and lack of batting. Score:

MILWAUKES.	DENVER,
Rirby, ss. 7, h. 0, a. Rutton, 2b. 0 0 1 6 Stortissey, lb. 1 011 1 Lowe, H. 1 2 0 0 Hurley, carf 0 1 7 0 0 Grimth, p. 0 0 0 2 Riley, p. 1 0 0 0 2 Riley, p. 1 0 0 0 2 Alberts, 3b. 0 0 0 2 Alberts, 3b. 0 0 0 3 Mills, cacc.	1, Tredway, rf 2 1 4 1 (
Totals 3 5 24 14	9 Totals,13 12 27 14
BY	NNINGS.
Milwaukee	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1-1

SUMMARY. 2, Dolan 1. Time of game-2 hours. Cusick.

Postpone ! by Rain. Sr. PAUL, June 6.-Rain caused a postponement of the game here to-day.

OTHER BALL GAMES.

The National League. PHILADELPHIA, June 6 .- Result of to-day Philadelphia...5 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Washington....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 — Base hits—Philadelphia 13, Washington 7

Errors-Philadelphia I, Washington 1. Pitch ors Buffington and Haddock. Umpires-Andrews and O'Day. CLEVELAND, June 6 .- Result of to-day

Beatin and Staley. Umpire—Fessenden. CHICAGO, June 6 .- Result of to-day's game

Chicago.......6 0 0 0 0 3 1 0 1-11
Indianapolis ... 0 3 5 0 0 0 0 0 2-10
Base htts-Chicago 12, Indianapolis 1.
Errors-Chicago 3, Indianapolis 5. Pitchers
-Tener and Gumbert, and Getzein. Umpire Bosron, June 6.—Result of to-day's game

Clarkson and Keefe. Umpire-Barnum. American Association.

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—Result of first COLUMBUS, June 6 .- Result of to-day's game: Columbus.....0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 St. Louis.....0 4 0 5 0 0 0 BALTIMORE, June 6 .- Result of to-day's Fame:
Baltimore.....0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 0Cincinnati.....1 4 0 0 0 2 3 0 *. BROOKLYN, June 6 .- Result of to-day's Kansas City....2 0 1 0 2 0 1 0 0 6 Brooklyn.....0 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 4

Amateur Games. Norrolk, Neb., June 6 .- [Special Tele

gram to THE BEE. |-In the base ball game to-day, Missouri Valley vs Norfolk, the latter scored one each in the first and second, four in the fourth and three in the sixth. The former made one in the second, four in the eighth and one in the ninth. Norfolk battery Wilson and Clark. Missouri Valley-Riley and Beemer. Umpire-Smitter.

Neilson Beats the Soldier.

There was but a moderate crowd at the Coliseum last night to witness the first of a series of three races between Ned Reading, the soldier, and Hob Neilson, but those tha were there were well compensated by seeing one of the closest and most hotly contested one of the closest and most hotly contested races that has ever taken place in the building. By a spiendid spurt in the last lap, the Boston boy took the race by a couple of wheels' length, and for a few minutes the cheering was tremendous. Neilson is a fine rider, easy and graceful, and as cunning in seizing an advantage as they make them. This evening the second race of the series, the lifty-mile dash, will take place, the start e fifty-mile dash, will take place, the start

be made at 7:30 sharp.
Another spirited event last night was the oree-mile race between Will Pixley, the Omaha wonder," and Master Wertz, for a andsome bicycle suit. Pixley won in 9:50. Following this was another amateur affair, two-mile dash between H. Tagger, Louis Pescher, Frank Leifkin and George Waldron, Fiescher won in 6:21; Tagger second, and Seifkin third.

The opening cricket game of the season

the Omaha Cricket club, between represent ative players from Trinity Cathedral parish and those of All Saints parish. Both sides are in good form and a grand game is anticipated. A special invitation is extended to the ladies of both parishes to be present. Following are the players: Trinity—Dean Gardner, E. Stringer, R. B. Moriarty, F. E. Smith, Robert Craig, J. A. Jopp, D. R. C. Smith, Thomas Chalmers, R. G. Till, H. Till, D. Legeyt.

Jopp, D. R. C. Smith, Thomas Chaimers, R. G. Till, H. Till, D. Legeyt.

All Saints—H. H. Meday, A. P. Hopkins,

— Owen, W. R. Vaughan, G. H. Vaughan,
W. K. Taylor, R. Howell, D. B. Hastie, C.
R. Ball, J. Francis, G. C. Jenner, W. S.

Marshall, — Cox, H. Hall. THE SPEED RING.

St. Louis Races. Sr. Louis, June 6.-The attendance was 8,000, the weather perfect, and the track fast.

Mile and seven yards—Bonnie King won, Kevona second, Mirth third. Time—2:4814. Six furlongs, two-year-olds—Flyaway won, Starter Caldwell second, Jo Jo third. Time -1:16%.
All ages, mile and an eighth-Clara C.
won, Bonita second, Huntress third. Time

Mile and a fourth, three-year-olds-Don Jose wen, Sportsman second, Laura David-son third. Time-2:1414.

Steeplechase, full course-Ligero won.
Nettle Watkins second, Killarney third,

Jerome Park Races.

JEROME PARK, N. Y., June 6 .- The weather was cloudy, the track fine and the attendance 8,000. Summary: One mile-Auricoma won in 1:46, Senorita

econd, Fresno third.
Fourteen hundred yards—Forest King von in 1:21%. Ballston second, Eoia third. Mile and an eighth—Sluggard won, Bohemian second, Luminary third. Time -One mile-Fides won, King Crab second, Now or Never third. Time-1:4414.

Mile and a quarter—Firenzi won in 2:14,
The Forum second.

Three-fourths of a mile-Prodigal won, Ten Brocck, jr., second, Datesman third. Five-eighths of a mile—Cold Stream won in 1:00%, Vivid second, Village Maid third.

An Early Fire. At quarter to 3 o'clock this morning ar alarm was turned in from box 72. Two frame houses were on fire, and as only two engines 1 and 6, were available, they probably proved an entire loss,

THE CRONIN CASE.

Sullivan's Connection With Lester & Co. Explained.

CHICAGO, June 6 .- In the Cronin inquest to-day, the cashier of John T. Lester & Co. brokers, testified that between June 1, 1882 and April 13, 1883, Alexander Sullivan paid to the firm, on transactions with the firm, the sum of \$133,500; that during the same period he drew out \$115,818 in checks, and stock worth \$14,000, showing a net loss of about

One of Lester & Co.'s bookkeepers was put on the stand and proceeded to read ar abstract of the transactions in stocks which Sullivan had with the firm during the period mentioned. The list was quite long and was not all read. Captain Thomas F. O'Conpor, a member

of the Clan-na-Gael, says that in 1885 a mar came to see him. This man, he believed lived in Philadelphia, but he could not re member his name. The man tole him that some men were going across the water, and that the chances were that he (witness) would be going called on to go. O'Connor mentioned this to his friend, Dr. Cronin, who advised him not to go; that there were enough good, honest Irishmen behind English bars who had been given away as soon as they arrived, and that he didn't believe in the dynamite policy. The stranger saw the witness in Dr. Cronin's company, and he did not come to see him again. The only other notable witness of the day

was John F. Beggs, a lawyer, senior guar-dian (presiding officer) of Camp No. 20, Clanna-Gael Beggs was cross-examined in a way that, for freedom and scope, could scarcely be sur-passed. He testified that P. O. Sullivan, the

ice man, is a member of camp 20. Other than this the relevancy of the bulk of the witness' testimony was not apparent at this stage of the proceedings. The witness declared him-self a friend of Alexander Sullivan. The Daily News to-morrow will say: "It does not appear the Irish cause lost any money by Alexander Sullivan's banking operations."

Mr. Sullivan, when asked what bank his account was transferred to from the Traders, promptly replied the Chigago National. Lawyer A. S. Trude, speaking for Mr. Sullivan, in an interview said: "Mr. Sullivan was simply the agent of persons combination desiring to on the board of trade, and his receipts show the word 'agent.' Sullivan did not know anything about speculations of this character-probably could not tell a 'put' from His name was simply used on Lester & Co.'s books by a syndicate of bucket shop men in order that they might do business of the board of trade when their orders made it necessary for them to do so. The syndicat up of such firms as Murphy & Co. Mr. Sullivan met some of these parties in his law practice and was given large sums of money with explicit written directions what to do with it. They or their customers were gamers or losers by the transaction made by Lester & Co., not Alexander Sulli

"The public knows very well that th board of trade would not sanction Lester & Co., or any other firm doing an open business for bucket shops, and this was the reason for the concealment and the use of Mr. Sullivan's name. Mr. Sullivan never drew a check in Sullivan never drew a check in favor of any syndicate of bucket shop men for any sum until he had the money in hand from them to meet it. Coincident with the time when he was thus acting as agent for the bucket shop men, he received from Patrick Egan a large sum of money of which he was custodian. This sum was transferred from Paris to New York and thence to Chicago, where it was deposited in the Traders' bank, Sullivan knowing that there was no loss to him personally from Lester & Co.'s transactions, he cared the was that hadraw the money from.

little what bank he drew the money from He always had syndicate money in hand be fore drawing a check to their broker." Mr. Trude said further, that Mr. Sullivan has Mr. Egan's receipt in full for the whole sum intrusted to his keeping, and can trace all of the channels through which the money was finally disbursed.

Had to be Offensive Partisans. WASHINGTON, June 6 .- The civil service commission has completed its report on the results of the recent investigations made into certain matters connected with the examining board of the New York custom house The report says that the behavior of the local examining board has been characterized by great laxity and negligence, and, on the part of custom house employes, by positive fraud. It was shown by the report that

those who were without political backing did not receive any show.

Murder of a Marchioness. BRUSSELS, June 6 .- The marchioness o Casteler, an old lady belonging to a noble Belgian family, has been found murdered in her bed in Chateau Molbaux at Mons. The crime has caused great excitement. The marchiness was shot through the heart, the bullet having been fired through a bedroom window. The assassin is supposed to be some former tenant of the marchioness who had become enraged because his request for a reduction in rent had been refused.

More Presidential Appointments Washington, June 6 .- The president made the following appointments to-day: Charles G. Williams, of Watertown, Dak., register of the land office at that place; Dana C. Lamb, of Wisconsin. special agent to make allotments of land in severalty to Indians, etc., and John D. Milos, of Lawrence, Kan., commissioner to negotiate with the Cherokees and other Indians for the cession to the United States of certain lands, in place of John H. Baker, who declined the appoint

A Busted Elopement

LEAD CITY, Dak., June 6 .- | Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-Frank Brown and Miss Kate Marion eloped from the home of the girl's parents last night, but were met at Deadwood by the bride's brother, who comwill be played on Saturday on the grounds of | pelled her to return home.

THE DOINGS IN NEBRASKA

A Fremont Merchant Said to Have Sloped and Eloped.

WHISKY FIGHTS IN TWO TOWNS.

Another Turn in the Gandy Case-A Smallpox Scare in St. Paul-Burial of a Well Known Man -Notes of Crimes.

A Fremont Man Gone Wrong. FREMONT, Neb., June 6 .- [Special to THE BER.]-M. J. Golsten, a Fremont merchant, who has been running the Fair for some time, has suddenly disappeared from the city, leaving last evening, stating to his friends that he was going to Omaha, thence to Chicago to purchase goods. It so hap pened that simultaneous with his departure a young lady named Minnie Heller, who was acting in the capacity of housekeeper at the European hotel, also disappeared rather mysteriously. It is known that Goisten was friendly and intimate with the girl and the strong supposition here, to-day, is that the two have fled to-gether. What adds interest to the circumstance is the fact that Golsten is married, having a wife and two children who remain to mourn his departure and hi apparent infidelity. Golsten's creditors learning of his absence, and acting on the supposition that he will not return, have secured attachments on his stock of goods, and have closed up his store. The first attach-ment was issued in favor of J. V. N. Biles, on a debt of \$45, he taking sufficient goods t secure the claim, and turning them over the sheriff. Next his father-in-law, Mr. Nel son, who held a mortgage for \$500, got out an attachment. Other claims to be secured are those of the Roberts Notion company, of Omaha, for \$425; the Kilpatrick-Koch com-pany, of Omaha, for \$1,425. The total amount goods in the store is estimated at \$1,000.

The Gandy Case. PAWNER CITY, Neb , June 6 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. 1-At 3 o'clock this afternoon Gandy's case was postponed until 7 o'clock this evening, and before the court calted the main witness, M. J. Bently was arrested, under an information which says that Bently went over to Richardson county, and appearing before Ed. W. Shekell, a jus tice of the peace in Spice's precinct, swore that his name was Pearson, that he hap-pened to be in the court room in Pawnes City at the time of Grandy's trial, and heard one W. F. Lyman say in effect that he was acquainted with Gandy, and knew all about case and hoped that Gandy would b convicted. Lyman was foreman of the Gaudy jury and can procure affidavits, with out number, as to his honesty and integrity. The information was filed to-night, and Bentiy was placed in charge of the sheriff until he gave a bond of \$700 for his appear ance to-morrow morning. Affidavits im-peaching the witnesses are as free as water, but the present turn of affairs makes it hard for the Gandy side. The case was continue until to morrow morning, at 8 o'clock.

Trouble in the Bruce Family. CHETE, Nob., June 6 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-There have been troubles in the household of one Bruce in this city for some time, which culminated, last night, in a general uproar. About 10 o'clock yesterday evening Bruce began the performance by throwing his wife's trunk, clothing and other apparel out of the house, saturated them with kerosene and applied a match. By this time the wife had alarmed the neighbors and Constable Gresorn took the would-be firebug in charge. While the constable was taking the prisoner to the marshal's residence to get the keys of the lock-up, the man made break for sweet liberty, but was recaptured At the marshal's house the constable was explaining what was wanted, the prisoner got tired waiting and went off looking for the keys of the cooler by himself. He has not found the keys of the cooler by himself. not found the keys yet, nor has the consta

Burial of John S. Bowen. BLAIR, Neb., June 6 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-One of the oldest citizens of Washngton county, Hon. John S. Bowen, placed in a vault in the Blair cemetery, today. The funeral was under the auspices of the Masonic order. At the Methodist church the sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Perry. A very large procession followed the re nains to the cemetery. Judge Crounse, of Calhoun, and many friends and relations from Omaha came up to attend the funeral. Mr. Bowen was about seventy-eight years old, and had resided in Washington county since 1857. He was highly respected among the residents of Blair and Washingto county, and was considered one of the informed men on all subjects in the state.

Sentenced to the Pen. FREMONT, Neb., June 6 .- | Special to THI BEE.]-Judge Post has sentenced the following criminals, convicted at the present term of the district court, to the penitentiary: Charles Odell, for robbing his partner at Scribner of \$65, on a plea of guilty, was given a year and a half; John Lewis, a pick pocket, four years; C. H. Barnard, for glarizing a Union Pacific caboose at this place a few weeks ago, three years. The trial of Dr. A. P. Barnes, who was charged with running away with mortgaged prop erty and taking it to Missouri, at the same time descring his wife and cloping with another woman and her small baby, resulted in an acquittal.

Grand Island Saengerfest. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 6 .- [Special to THE BEE. - Extensive preparations are being made for the state saengerfest meeting, which will be held here on the 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th of this month. An arch to cost \$400 will be erected on the corner of Third and Locust streets, and two smaller ones on the corners of Third and Spruce and Third and Pine. The Leidercrantz are making arrangements for a grand time a nothing that will add to the comfort and en joyment of the visiting societies will be omitted.

A Candidate for Lynching. STROMBURG, Neb., June 6 .- [Special Tel egram to THE BRE.]-Last night about 9 o'clock, at the farm of Swan Youngland four miles south of here, while the servant girl was in the barnyard for cobs, she was seized, gagged, and forcibly dragged thirty yards into a field by a tramp and brutally outraged. He then fied, leaving the girl in an unconscious condition. She was found an hour later and carried to the house. Offi-cers are in pursuit of the human brute and if captured there are rumors that he will be

Smallpox Scare in St. Paul St. Paul, Neb., June 6 .- | Special to THE Bre. |-A ten-year-old child, in this city, is reported sick with smallpox. A man from Denver, who had been among smallpox patients, recently visited the little girl's home and it is supposed the disease was con-tracted from him. Considerable alarm and excitement prevails in town to-day, and many persons are seeking the doctors offices for the purpose of being yaccinated

Exeter High School. EXETER, Neb., June 6. [Special to THE BEE - A full house greeted the commence ment exercises of the Exeter High school to night, held in the opera house. The gradu Ating class was composed of Misses Neille A. Masters, Maggie M. Taylor, Verna M. Treaster, Minnie Lindon, Allie S. Wallace, Kittie Hager, and Masters E. G. Bivins and W. P. Manning.

BRAINARD, Neb., June 6 .- [Special to THE BEE. |- The Catholic church will biess and raise a new bell at this place on June 16. A large crowd will undoubtedly be present. The bell was manufactured in Baltimore and prerented to the society by Antone Cauful.

About Saloons in Harvard HARVARD, Neb., June 6 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Some days ago, remon-

strances were filed against the two petitions for saloon licenses, To-day the council rejected the petition of William Miller, and the hearing in the case of the Sullivan petition was set for one week from to day. This action on the part of the council, argue no license here this year.

Unroofed in the Storm. NORTH PLATME, Neb., June 6 .- | Special Telegram to Tan Bus.]-Keith's opera house was unroofed this evening about 6 o'clock by a severe wind storm, accompanied by rain and bail. Several offices, including the United States land offices, Laing's sa-loon and billiard parlor, and Hirmes restau-rant were exposed to the elements. A num-ber of houses were unroofed and much dam-age was done in town.

Central City's Saloon. CENTRAL CITY, Neb., June 6 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-After a bitter fight, lasting a month, the city council, to-day, voted to grant a liquor license to W. A. Lo An appeal to the district court, which sits Monday next, was taken. The council sat two days hearing evidence. Should the court sustain the council, Central City will have a saloon for the first time in eight

Masonic Election. SIDNEY, Neb., June 6 .- | Special to THE BEE.]-At the last regular communication of Frank Welsh Lodge No. 75, A. F. & A. M. the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Robert Shuman, W. M.; Joseph Oberfelder, S. W.; H. F. Moulton, J. W.; Jacob Kiefer, secretary; Peter Smith, treasurer; executive committee, Moritz Urbach, Julius Neubauer, Henry St. Rayner.

FAIRBURY, June 6.-[Special-Telegram to THE BRE.]-W. O. Hambel, attorney, accompanied by his wife, left to-day for Europe. They will visit England and France, and return in September.

Going to Europe.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

The Coroner's Jury Brings in a Ver dict Against Mrs. Maybrick. LIVERPOOL, June 6 .- At the inquest into the death of Maybrick, to-day, a chemist testified that he found a bottle of arsenic in Mrs. Maybrick's trunk, and that a class checolate box in her room also contained ar-senic. A verdict of willful murder was returned against Mrs. Maybrick.

Narrowly Escaped a Conflagration. HIAWATHA, Kan., June 6 .- [Special to THE Brg. |-This morning, at 7 o'clock, the coal chutes of the Missouri Pacific railroad at this point took fire. The flames gained quite a headway, but were controlled by efficient work on the part of the employes of the round house. The wind was quite strong at the time, and only by quick work was the whole structure saved

Insane Superintendent Removed. MINNEAPOLIS, June 6 .- The board of in sane asylum trustees have decided to remove Dr. Bower and his assistants, as a result of the murder of Taylor Coombs, at the

THE OIL WELLS.

Visit to the Famous Shoshone Basin in Wyoming.

Joe DeBarth thus describes, in the Wind River Mountaineer, a visit to the Shoshone oil basin: "On last Thursday morning, accom-

panied by Fish Commissioner Orson frimmett, I paid the wells of the Sho shone oil basin a visit. Upon our arrival at the wells we were received and royally entertained by Hon. Mike Mur-After an hour's rest Major Domo Joe Brown joined the party and drove us to the three oil spouters. These wells are numbered 1, 2 and 3, and are situated about 1,000 feet apart, forming a triangle. No. 3 well was the first one visited.

Here Messrs. Murphy and Brown un-locked the well and "turned on the A noise, loud as thunder, and not unlike that made by a locomotive's exhaust, ensued. Then came the oil, a seething, smoking, black mass, thick as molasses and two inches in diameter The mass, as it rushed from the well pipe, floated down a gradually inclinng ditchway and over an embankment into the smallest of two mighty lakes of lubricating liquid. In this lake (it has been estimated by Prof. Charles Blydenburg) are fully 3,000 barrels of oil, nearly all of which cannot but be wasted in time through atmos pheric causes.

Well No. 2 is situated immediately on the banks of the Little Popoagi river. The noise of the uprising gas when the oil tube was opened, was almost deafening, followed a minue late by a two-inch stream of jet black oil. The entire surroundings seemed sur-charged with the smell of oil, and Mr. Brown received one charge over the body that made him slippery as an eel. even his words partaking of the lubricant's nature and becoming remarkably

smooth and oily.
At well No. 1 the most marvelous sight met our gaze. Here is situated the famous oil spring that has been written of so often. After the well had spouted oil to a distance of forty feet abross the second lake and had been shut off, our attention was directed to the unusual disturbance occuring in the spring. The oil took on a motion something like water at a boiling heat: then the large bubbles would burst and throw the black liquid into the air to a heighth of four feet. Mr. Murphy informed us that the spring always "acted just so" whenever the well was turned on and then closed. Although we paid the spring a second visit some half hour after the well had been closed, its surface was as much or even more disturbed than when we first noticed its strange actions

Our attention was next directed the larger of the two oil lakes. This lake is about three bandred yards in length, its width varying from twelve to fifty feet. This huge body of oil is so thick that wild ducks lighting on its surface become so weighed that they are never able to extricate themselves in consequence of which the bodies of dead ducks are as thick on the oily surface as a fly paper is of flies. Blydenburg estimates the number of barrels of oil in this lake at 15,000.

Mr. Murphy thinks that the daily toss of oil in wells and lakes by evaporation is fully three barrels. Much of the oil that finds its way to the surface from well No. 2 trickles down an embankment and on to the surface of the river and is thus carried off.

He Found It inpathetic. Merchant Travaler: "There is

least one thing that I can say in your favor," said his wife's mother, "and that is you're a great deal more attentive to the scriptures than you used to be. But I suppose that really I deserve most of the credit for it. i know that you never paid much atention to the good book till after you married my daughter. "Yes. I pay more attention to such

matters now. "What portion are you reading?"
"Lamentations.' I confine myself exclusively to that book."

The Honor Overcame Him. A young man of Poughkeepsie was so overjoyed at his admission to the bar that he lost his senses for a time. He got out Eastman's brass band of nineteen pieces and marched up and down the street ahead of the drum major, carrying a broom. He was arranging for fireworks and othe jubilations, when his friends secured him.

CARRY IT IN THEIR BOOTS.

How Prohibition is Enforced in Western Iowa.

CAPITAL IS DRIVEN AWAY

Reputable Men All Leaving the Liquor Traffic to the "Bootleggers" -Sensible People Beginning to Open Their Eyes.

I stopped between trains at a thriving town called Creston, on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, between Burlington and Omaha, writes a special correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer.

Prohibition's Blight.

It was my pleasure to meat Mayor Patterson, the democratic mayor. He is going to enforce the laws of the state of Iowa. He said there are in this place seventy-five men who hold a United States license to sell liquor under the prohibition laws of the state of Iowa. "Our population is about eight thou-

sand. We call these fellows 'bootleggers.' They even carry a bottle of whisky in their boot and take a man into an alley and sell him a drink out of it, and they have a United States government license to do it. Before prohibition we had about forty saloons that paid a license of about \$16,000, which went into our municipal treasury, and was used in improving our streets. We now have double the num-ber of men engaged in the liquor traffic, and they pay no license and no tax, and I propose this class of men shall be compelled to stop their illegal traffic in the liquor business. After the law has been forced, which prohibits the sale of intoxicating liquors in any shape, form or manner in the state of Iowa, if there are any reptuable men, who wish to engage in the traffic, it is barely possible that I may wink at it and permit them to do business openly, but I am against this sneak business, which enables men without any character or property responsibilities to scrape together a few dollars, pay a government license and buy a jug of whisky and enter surreptitiously into the saloon business and escape paying any tax or revenue to the

state or city.
"This kind of business has a very demoralizing effect on society. The so-called prohibition laws in Iowa have not prevented the sale of intoxicating iquors. About all that has been accomplished has been to drive every reputable and responsible man out of the business who has been engaged in it and turn it over to the most hardened and disreputable men, who have no morals and no property, and who do not care what they sell." Since talking to Mayor Patterson he has succeeded in doing what he said he would, and the "boot-leggers" are having trouble in his jurisdiction.

DESTROYING PROPERTY. Millions of dollars' worth of property have either been placed in jeopardy by the rabid and unreasonable enforcement of the prohibitory laws, or driven out of the state altogether. The goods of wholesale houses were recently seized at Burlington, and many fanatics and crazy papers have been urging the destruction of the entire stock. Custom Gazette has this to say of this

"After seizing about two hundred barrels of liquors in Burlington the people and papers are discussing whether the stuff shall be destroyed. The liquors taken from Delahaye & Purdy are, perhaps, worth \$10,000, and its destruction would bankrupt the firm. It is tru they have defied the law, and deserve some punishment, but one reason of their delay in taking their stock out of the state was the hope that the legislature would, if an extra session should be colled, authorize the wholsale dealers in Iowa to sell to Iowa dealers for legal purposes. It is somewhat difficult to find arguments against permitting wholesale houses in Iowa. The law authorizes the sale of liquors for certain purposes at retail, and then prohibits anyone from selling to these retailers. The effect is that our retailers are compelled to go into other states to buy their liquors at wholesale. Delahave Purdy made a strong effort at Des Moines last winter to have the law amended so as to permit them to sell to authorized retail dealers.

"We say enforce the law, but in doing so cause as little loss of capital as possible. The destruction of Delahave & Purdy's liquor would not lessen the amount of liquors that would be for there are now in the United States over one hundred million gallons to take its place. If they will take the stuff out of the state and quit the business till the law will permit them to return with it, we say let them go.'

GETTING THEIR EYES OPEN. The alarm that capital has taken and way it is leaving the state to the great detriment and injury of its prosperity and development, has brought many people to

The people of this country cannot afford to practice wrong or injustice. There are certain principles of right which are as eterdal as the everlasting hills. If they are violated the result will be a train of evils to be felt for all time. The seizure and condemnation of property of citizens under the prohibition laws was contrary to justice and right. It was simply the spoilation of the weak by the strong. It has been allowed in a special line of cases, and where it will stop no man can say. The Des Moines Register, which is proba-bly as much to bla me for arousing this destructive and fanatical spirit in the people as all other agencies, now says this of the course pursued:

"We are convinced now that in fighting for prohibition sufficient attention was not paid to the rights of propertyowners injured by the prohibition law. The wonder is now that a stronger cob test was not made on that line. If it had been, and the sense of fair play of the Iowa people appealed to, we that those whose property was destroyed would have been given at least partial compensation. It is now too late to amend the injustice, and yet we lieve that if ever prohibition shall fail in Iowa, by failing to secure the approval of succeeding generations, the plant of such distrust and repudiation will have largely sprung from a returning sense of fair play that such a revo rution should not have been accomplished without compensation the people and citizens who, un-der sanction of the law, had established properties in this state for the manufacture of liquors. For our part we begin to feel that the education of the people of Iowa, then, in disregard of the rights of the property owners has much to do with the disregard on the part of many people as to the fair rights

of railroad properties now. "This admission of the injustice of the hasty proceedings under the prohibition laws, in many cases, produces only the sickening sensation that follows the announcement that the wrong man has been hanged. The Register says: 'The wonder now is that a stronger

contest was not made.' Of what use was a stronger contest? were packed with a lot of light-weight and superficial lawyers, elected by a political party which held them to strict account for their decisions in liquor cases. If a judge happened to be a lawyer so attached to the fundamental principles of justice and so grounded and educated in the law that he could not be made a tool of by the fanatical element watched his actions, he had to quit the bench. That was the kind of fight that was carried on under the prohibition and confiscation laws of Register says: 'It is now too late to amend the injustice.' Oh, no, it is not! It is not too late to again assert the old and well-founded principles of right and liberty which have been forcibly throttled by the unthinking and fanatical bigots of Iowa. Those principles are stronger than majorities, and will live as bright as diamonds, though they have been buried in rubbish."

HE SOURED ON THE WORLD

Recluse.

The Strange Story of a San Francisco

Under the shadow of a beetling cliff that overhangs the southern shore of the Golden Gate stands a little shanty not more than ten feet square, but built to endure against the eternal trade winds coming in from the Pacific ocean. says the San Francisco Examiner. Its unassuming exterior and general miserable appearance are in a measure compensated for by its very romantic location. To a casual observer it is a fishing hut or some kind of signal station; but looks are often deceitful, and the truth of such adage comes forcibly to the mind when the observant one is told a family of three have lived a strange existence in this lonely snotan existence that still has much of its whilem remantic association. Old Ned Flynn, the lord and master

of this weather-beaten hovel, was once wealthy, and figured prominently in mining and stock circles when only pioneers were in San Francisco. But reverses came, and he dropped out of the race for wealth in which the "bonanza" men were so successful. His hoard, that accumulated more rapidly than he ever dreamed of before he came from his home in New York to California in search of gold, vanished just as quickly as it had rolled in upon him. He returned to his old trade of machinist and worked for years in city shops. Gradually his misfortune preyed upon his mind until at last he soured on the world and became a recluse from his fellows, settling in a place where he could be far away from men, with whom he was compelled to work a portion of his time to keep body and soul together and support a son and taugh ter. It was then he selected this wild, romantic location for his hermit home beside the sea.

Before the Powell Street Railway company ran its line around the hills and crags of the Golden Gate Ned Flynn was seldom troubled by the sight of human face near his habitation, and like Robinson Crusoe, he felt as if he were master of all he surveyed. however, the picturesque place is daily visited by sightseers, and also by art students, who sketch in the bright sunshine and study rocks and sea or paint the little house, unmindful of its history. The trains stop above it at a station appropriately named Fair View, and a

pathway leads, straggling through a scrubby brushwood, to the beach. A short distance east of the station is Ned Flynn's shanty, which can be seen from the cars as the train passes the second curve between Point Lobos and the tunnel. Just where the surf rollis in angrily through great rocks and breaks on a white, sandy cove the old man built a hut of driftwood and loose rocks about four vears ago. He lived rent free outside the tide limits during the summer season, but the wintry waves washed his crude structure away Adolph Sutrothen gave the hermit the present shanty, charging him \$1 a month as security against squatter's claim.

Flynn says he is better off alone than in the city. He has free spring water rippling by his door, more driftwood in the canon than he can burn, room for domestic fowl on the sand and a good fishing ground. It is a very striking incongruous contrast to see the fowls beside the surf, as it keeps up a continual boom in the caverns through

Ned did not do much work until the railroad gave him employment on the track. At times only would be down town to earn some money in the him. A year ago his daughter, a young woman of about twenty years age, went to live with him and her brother in this ill-suited abode, where she died last month from hasty consumption.

She used to wander around here all "said a conductor on the Cliff read. "and never had any girls come to see her. The poor girl had a lonely life before she died. It is just as well for herself she is gone.
"She was uot strong by any means

when she left her work to lie down " he continued, pointing toward there. the little shanty. "But, I guess, it was enough to kill her. "For a long time none of us saw her, and then some women from Point

Lobos road went down there every day and nursed the poor thing for months "The women say her death was as sad and lonely a scene as ever any one imagined. They buried her quite decently

in the cemetery over the hill, but the funeral was indeed an affecting sight. "There is no road or any kind of level pathway from the shanty, so they had to carry her collin up the trail and through the rocks and sand dunes as best they could, resting it here and there in the brush as they climbed the

canon.

"The old man told me he built the fog siren across at Point Bonito when he was a machinist. I know its dismal voice used to blow pretty regularly across the Golden Gate when his girl was dying. Some of the boys say it was blowing when she was laid in her grave, like a funeral knell.

"Old Flynn is more distant and loneome now than before his daughter died, and has less to say to any of us. Once in a while he forgets things and takes on at a great rate. He is working with his son in the French cemetery

now. His young daughter is also there, but she is under the sod. They keep her grave green.

Why His Stomach Hurt Him. A new and unique case of absentmindedness is reported from Boston. The subject is a business man, and he usually dines at the absurd Boston hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The other day, quite absorbed in his businesss, he worked steadily until 4 o'clock and then began to feel a very natural "goneness" in his stomach. "Dear me," 'goneness" in his stomach. said he, patting his vest tenderly; "dear me! I wonder what I ate for dinner that disagrees with me.'

George Cutler was driving home a team at Murdock, Ill., during a thunder storm, when a stroke of lightning killed him and both horses without leaving a mark on any of them.

FROM THE HAWKEYE STATE.

The Editor of a Chariton Paper Hanged in Elligy.

SUPREME COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Billings Granted a Change of Venue-A Frightful Runaway Accident at lowa City-lowa News Notes.

An Editor Hanged in Effigy. DES MOINES, Ia., June 6 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- A special from Chariton, Lucas county, says that people passing the court house square this morning were treated to the sight of the figure of a man hanging to one of the trees. It proved to be an efficy labelled "S. S. King." The name is that of the editor of the Democrat, who is charged with having stirred up ill-feeling against a lady who has been school superin-tendent and was re-elected for another year, but has resigned in consequence of these at tacks. The feeling in the community against King is very strong.

The Supreme Court.

DES MOINES, la., June 6 .- | Special Telegram to Tun Bes. |-The supreme court rendered the following decisions here to-day: Mary A. Miller, appellant, vs R. S. Miller, Polk district, affirmed.

lant, Polk district; reversed.

G. W. Marquardt & Sons vs Frank Thompson, appellant, Polk district; affirmed. Freeman & Shaw, appellants, vs Citizens National bank, Polk district; affirmed. C. L. Garrittson, appellant, vs Ferrall & Hawkins Bro :, and George Baugh, Mahaska

James Callanan vs J. H. Windsor, appel-

district; affirmed.

In the matter of the estate of Grietje Bagger, deceased; Daniel Eiler, executor and appellant, B. Bagger et al, appellees, Franklin district: reversed. William Stewart vs J. F. Jack, appellant,

Monroe district; affirmed. Abijah Mack, appellant vs Robert Lud-dell, Mitchell district; affirmed. H. Wilcox vs G. J. Chizum, treasurer,

Cass district; dismissed. Eliza J. McCandless vs Bolle Plaine Canning company, H. Wessell and A. J. Hart-man, appellants, Benton district; affirmed. Manning, Cushing & Co., appellants, vs W. S. Alger, administrator, Montgomery district recovery district; reversed.

The Billings Case.

WAVERLY, In., June 6.—[Special Telegram to The Bee, | -Judge Sherwin this morning sustained the motion of Billings, the alleged murderer of young Kingsley, for a change of venue, and sent the case to Black Hawk county. Bail was fixed at \$7,000.

A Frightful Accident.

Iowa City, June 6 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE |- Last evening occurred one of the most fearful accidents as the result of a runaway, that this vicinity has ever witnessed. Mr. Louis Schausen, a farmer, living near North Liberty, was driving home from this city when his horses took fright and started to run, and he was thrown vio lently forward and pitched head foremost, It is supposed that his feet became entangled in the reins and the wild horses tore along the road, dragging the ill-fated farmer behind them. His head, back and limbs were torn and lacerated. He gave a few convulsive gasps and was dead.

The Pharmacists.

DES MOINES, Ia., June 6 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-At to-day's session of the State Pharmaceutical convention, at Dubuque, W. H, Torbet, of Dubuque, was elected president; A. H. Gerhardt, of Ottumwa, Silas N. Moore, of Sioux City, and H. F. Miles, of Charles City, vice presidents; Dr. Rosa Upson, of Marshalltown, secretary; J. P. Webb, of Dewitt, treasurer; Dr. J. W. Reute, of Dubuque, D. W. Snyder, of Lyons, and A. H. Miles, of Des Moines, executive committee. Delegates were elected to the American Pharmaceutical convention at San Francisco, June 20, and the wholesale druggists convention.

Aid For the Flood Sufferers.

MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia., June 6 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-Postmaster T. O. Corlish, of this city, has provided a contribution box in the lobby of his office for the benefit of the Johnstown sufferers, the proceeds of which will be sent each week to J. P. Twombly, state treasurer for Iowa, who is ized custodian of lowa funds collected for this purpose. A modest and carnest appeal is conspicuously posted, and the movement is meeting with unlooked for success.

Fell Thirty-Five Feet. DES MOINES, Ia., June 6 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |- Joe Landers was brought home to this city to-day badly injured from a fall at Audubon. He was connected with Wallace's circus, and while performing there Monday on the swing bar the foot strap broke, dropping him thirty-five feet. Several bones were broken and he was injured internally. He is now resting here and it is thought will recover.

Took Rough on Rats. PERRY, Ia., June 6 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-Mrs. Darling, wife of an exbrakeman of the St. Paul road, tried to commit suicide, last evening, by taking rough on rats. She took an overdose, and through the efforts of the doctors she is now out of dan ger. Despondency is the cause.

to THE BEE.]-An unknown girl was found in a comatose condition in a suburban lane at 7 o'clock this morning. A novel and an mpty morphine bottle lay beside her. She died at noon. It is supposed that she was drugged or suicided. The Relief Act Unconstitutional.

Boston, June 6.—The attorney-general de-

clares the act appropriating \$300,000 for the flood sufferers unconstitutional.

Dragged or Suicided.

Dunuque, Ia., June 6 .- [Special Telegram

Catarrh

S a blood disease. Until the poison is expelled from the system, there can be no cure for this loathsome and dangerous malady. Therefore, the only effective treatment is a thorough course of Ayer's Sarsaparilla — the best of all blood purifiers. The sooner you begin the better; delay is dangerous.

"I was troubled with catarrh for over two years. I tried various remedies, and was treated by a number of physi-cians, but received no benefit until I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. A few bottles of this medicine cured me of this troublesome complaint and com-pletely restored my health."—Jesse M. Boggs, Holman's Mills, N. C.

"When Ayer's Sarsaparilla was recommended to me for catarrh, I was inclined to doubt its efficacy. Having tried so many remedies, with little bentried so many remedies, with little benefit, I had no faith that anything would cure me. I became emaciated from loss of appetite and impaired digestion. I had nearly lost the sense of smell, and my system was badly deranged. I was about discouraged, when a friend urged me to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and referred me to persons whom it had cured of catarrh. After taking half a dozen bottles of this medicine, I am convinced that the only sure way of treating this obstinate disease is through the blood."

—Charles H. Maloney, 113 River st., Lowell, Mass.

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