STANDING OF THE BALL CLUBS.

Hendrix Wins the Great \$10,000 Stakes at Detroit-Interesting Gossip About the Turf and Diamond.

Standing of the Clubs. Following is the standing of the Western association clubs, up to and including yes-

terday's games: Played.	Won.	Lost	Per Ct.
Omana66	47	19	.712
St. Paul68	44	24	.647
Minneapons 67	35	32	.522
Sloux City66	33	- 33	.500
Denver	30	37	.448
Des Moines 64	27	37	.422
St. Joseph 63	26	37	.413
Milwaukee66	23	43	.348

Des Moines 5, Denver 0. DES MOINES, In., July 25.-Timely hitting by the locals and errors by the visitors gave

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SUMMARY. Earned runs—Des Moines 2. Two base hits—Smith hree base hits—Treadway. Stolen bases—Kiusman atton 2. Bases on bails—By Hart 3, by McNabb is ass given for hitting man with ball—By McNabb truck out—By Hart 5, by McNabb 8. Passed balls lolan 1. Wild pitches—Hart 1, McNabb 1. Time o ame—1 hour and 40 minutes. Umpire—Briody.

Newsy Base Ball Gossip. Jack Messett has been loaned to the Denvers. He will play third, Joe Walsh is fast climbing up toward the top of the Western association batting list. Tim Hurst, the new umpire, is a good one, and is a welcome acquisition to the wester

The Omaha's left for Minneapolis Wednesday evening, but will return here Sunday morning.

Kid Nichols took a hot liner from off Tredway's bat in Wednesday's game that was a lalla. But did you examine the Kid's record. It is hard to beat.

The Omaha's return next Sunday for four games with the Des Moines team—games scheduled for the Des Moines grounds, but transferred to Omaha by mutual consent. Burks is with the St. Joe's. He wouldn't go to Denver unless he received half the money paid for his release, and in preference to allowing him this, Sioux City gave him his unconditional release. He then went

back on Denver and signed with the St. Jack Crooks made one of the most brilliant plays ever seen on the local grounds in Wednesday's game. It was in the seventh in-ning, and was a hard run and pick up with one hand of a vicious grounder off of big Rowe's bat, supplemented with a miraculous throw to first in time to retire the runner. Jack received a storm of appliance that lasted for fully a minute. Great player, that Crooks

A movement is on foot to give Manager Selee a big benefit on the 15th of August. Besides an interesting programme of throw-ing and base running, there will be an exhibition game between the Minneapolis and the home team. Selee is deserving of this compliment, as he has brought Omaha's team up to a most flattering standard, and is a hard working, careful and painstaking manager. A royal crowd will most likely turn out in recognition of his good work.

OTHER BALL GAMES.

The National League PHILADELPHIA, July 25 .- Result of to-day'

ton, Charkson and Bennett. Umpire-Pow

New York, July 25 .- Result of to-day's game:
New York.....0 0 1 6 0 0 0 0 0 - 7
Washington....2 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 - 5
Base hits—New York 9, Washington 6.
Errors—New York 5, Washington 4. Batteries—New York, Welch and Ewing. Washing-

ton, Keefe and Daily. Umpire-Quinn. PITTSBURG, July 25.-Result of to-day's Pittsburg.....0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 - 3
Cleveland.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 - 2
Base hits—Pittsburg 6, Cleveland 5. Errors—Pittsburg 2, Cleveland 3. Batteries—
Pittsburg, Sowders and Miller. Cleveland. Gruber and Zimmer. Umpires—Galvin and Sutcliffe.

Indianapolis, July25 .- Result of to-day's game:
Indiauspolis.......0 0 0 0 0 1 3 0 1 0 2— 6
Chicago.........0 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 3— 7
Base hits—Indianapolis 13, Chicago 8. Errors—Indianapolis 1, Chicago 1. Batteries—Indianapolis, Getzein and Daly. Chicago, Dwyer and Farrell. Umpire—Curry.

The American Association. BROOKLYN, July 25 .- Result of to-day's Brooklyn......0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 3 2-7 Kansas City....1 0 0 1 0 0 2 1 0-1 BALTIMORE, July 25 .- Result of to-day's

PHILADELPHIA, July 25. -Result of to-day's Athletics 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 0 2 6 Cincinnati 4 0 0 0 3 0 3 1 -16 COLUMBUS, July 25 -Result of to-day's

game: Columbus......3 0 0 1 1 3 0 0 2 St. Louis......0 0 2 0 0 1 3 4 *-Amateur Games

ULYSSES, Neb., July 25 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-Kearney and Ulysses played ball here to-day. Kearney made 20 tallies and Ulysses 4.

Logan, Ia., July 25.—[Special to The Beg.]—In a game of ball yesterday between Logan and Missouri Valley on the latter's grounds, the former club was victorious by score of 4 to 1. Good playing was the orde and there was an immense crowd of Missouri Valley people out to witness th

EXETER, Neb., July 25.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Exeter won the game with Tobias to-day by a score of 10 to 8.

EXETER, Neb., July 25.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—Exeter and Beaver Crossing played an interesting game at the latter place yesterday, resulting in a score of 9 to 2 in favor of Exeter.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., July 25.—¡Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The game of base ball to-day between Plattsmouth's first nine and a club from Glenwood, ia., was one of the hottest contested ones of the season. Plattsmouth won by a score of 4 to 0.

Cherr. Neb., July 25.—[Special Telegram to The Ber.]—A game of base ball between Friend and the Lone Stars, of this city, ended in a row this evening. The decisions of the unpire were so decidedly unfair that friends of the home ciub entered a protest and the game cams to an end with a general skyrmish.

For the County Championship. ATKINSON, Neb., July 25 .- [Special Telegram to Tun Han.]—In the live bird shoot to-day for the championship of the county, botween J. W. Houston, of Atkinson, and W. D. Matthews, of O'Neill, twenty birds, for \$50, the latter won by a score of 14 to 17. On sweepstakes: G. H. Merritt first, Ed Hershizer second, I. C. Colburn third, all of O'Neill. THE SPEED RING.

Detroit Races. Darnott, July 25. -Fifteen thousand people attended the races at the Detroit race track to-day. The weather was perfect and the track fast. The feature of the pro-

gramme was the merchants' and manufac-turers' stake of \$10,000. There were four-teen starters in this race. Summary: Free-for-all, purse \$2,000, unfinished from yesterday—Gene Smith won, Rosaline Wilkes second. Best time—2:173. 2:30 class; purse \$2,000—Reference won, Tariod second. Arbutus third, Elista fourth. 2:24 class, \$10,000 stake—Hendrix; won in three straight heats. Any Lee second. Cal-134 class, \$10,000 stake—Hendrix; won in three straight heats, Amy Lee second, Calvin Sprague third, Yorktown Belle fourth, Best time—2:1834.

The day closed with the 2:14 pace, purse \$1,500—Gossip, jr., won the first and second heats, Roy Wilkes the third and fourth heats. Time—2:1934. The final heats will be paced to-morrow.

Saratoga Races. SARATOGA, July 25,-The Saratoga Racing association could not have selected a better day for its opening so far as the weather was concerned. The sun was obscured, and there was just breeze enough to make it de-

lightfully cool. Summary: Five furlongs-Geraldine won in 1:0114, Fordham second, Maori third. One mile—Hanover won in 1:43, King Crab second, Mollie's Last third. Five-eighths of a mile-Succession won in :03, Pearl Set second, Seno third.
Mile and three-fourths—Long Dance won

Three-fourths of a mile—Vivid one in 1:16%, Dalsman second, Redstone t.ird.

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Three-fourths of a mile—Brait won in 1:15, The Lion second, Dilemma third. Monmouth Pack Races.

MONMOUTH PARK, July 25 .- The weather was delightful here this afternoon, the track fast and the attendance large. The feature of the day's sport was the disqualification of Mr. Withen's Fan Fan colt in the second race for fouling Leighton. It was also seen that Doane, his jockey, had struck Taylor, who was riding Leighton, over the head with his whip on the home stretch, but he claimed it was an accident and it did not count

against him. Summary: Seven furlongs-Grenadier won in 1:2014, Dyor second, Volunteer third. Three fourths of a mile—Le.ghton won in: 15. Burlington second, Rosette third. One mile—Madstone won in 1:42, Rhono

second, Favordale third.
Mile and one eighth—Belinds won in 1:59, Now or Never second, Judge Murray third. Five-eights of a mile-Freedom won in 1:03, Harambourne second, Tourmaline third. One mile—Fitzjames won in 1:43¼, Stade-away second, Magara third.

St. Paul Racs. Sr. Paul, July 25.-The attendance was fair at the Twin City Jockey club races today. The weather was threatening, the track very heavy and the time slow. Summary: Five furlongs-Kidnap won, Park Hill secoud, Alta third. Time—1:214.
Three-year-olds and upwards, fifteen six

teenths of a mile—Oarsman won, Gracia D second, Jou Jou third. Time—1:41%.
Two-year-olds, five furlongs—Willie M won, Valeductory second, Henry Mack third.
Time—1:104.
Three-year-olds and upwards, mile and

seven yards—Castaway won, Kate Malone second, Nevada third. Time—1:55%. Three-year-old fillies, one and one-eighth miles—Laura Davidson won, Manie Fonso second, Brown Princess third. Time—2:04%. Kilrain on a Big Drunk.

BALTIMORE, July 25.-Jake Kilrain and Johnny Murphy drowned their sorrow and celebrated their return from seclusion tonight by taking a highly hilarious jaunt in a hack around town. Kilrain was taken in tow by a friend and conveyed to the Windsor hotel and locked in a room. Murphy was taken care of by Captain Farren at the Central police station, charged with drunken

High Water in Kansas. FREDONTA, Kan July 25 .- The water in the flooded Fall river bottoms here is rising two inches an hour. The river in places is seven miles wide and the water twenty feet deep. The heavy iron wagon bridge, after standing fifteen years, went down last night, leaving only two railroad bridges standing in the neighborhood. The flood is within a quarter of a mile. The relief party organized is at work day and night. Some families, slow to move, are surrounded and being rescued as fust as possible. No deaths are reported, although a few persons are missing. There has been no mail here for two days and the telegraph wires are operated with difficulty.

The weather indicates more rain.

A Large Corporation. St. Louis, July 25 .-- The Terminal Railroad association, which was formed here vesterday, which will purchase the properties of the Union Railway and Transit company, the Terminal Railroad company and the Union Depot company, and will obtain a lease of the bridge and tunnel. To secure these properties the new company will issue \$7,000,000 of 414 per cent bonds, \$2,000,000 of which will be used for the erection of of a new passenger depot. One chief result of the new arrangement of the bridge is arbi-trary, and practically will make all roads on the east side of the river terminate in this city proper, instead of East St. Louis, as heretofore.

Ohio Prohibitionists. ZANESVILLE, O., July 25 .- The prohibition convention to day nominated Rev. J. B. Helmig, of Springfield, for governor; L. B. Logan, of Stark county, for lieutenent-governor; Gideon T. Stewart, Norwalk, for supreme judge; D. N. Trowbridge, Toledo, for treasurer; E. J. Pinney, Ashtabula, for attorney general. The platform urges the suppression of the bounce traffic, declares the evenue from it contrary to the fundamental denounces stock and grain gambling, favors the non-sectional adjustment of the tariff and declares in favor of enforcing Sunday laws.

A Wild Train. JOHNSTOWN, Pa., July 25.-A runaway train of empty cars on the Cambria Coal company's tracks dashed into the cars used as sleeping and eating quarters by the employes of the Pennsylvania freight and pas ployes of the Pennsylvania freight and pas-senger stations this morning and completely wrecked half a dozen cars. The runaways were going toward the main tracks of the Pennsylvania road, when Foreman Wilson of the yards noticed the day express pulling into the station and by great exertion managed to turn the switch, thus averting a fearful accident to the passenger train which would have surely been wrecked.

which would have surely been wrecked. Breslan Strikers Bentenced. Berlin, July 25 .- The trial of the strikers rrested at Breslau has resulted in the con riction of thirty-two of the prisoners. Henkle, the ringleader, was sentenced to seven years' penal servitude and to be deprived of his civil rights for seven years. The others were sent paced to terms of imprisonment ranging from one to four years, with and without hard labor.

A Prohibition Argument. SUMMIT, Miss., July 25.-An explosion oc curred at the home of Peter Rollins, colored, causing the death of a daughter and mor tally wounding a son. Rollins himself was severely burned. Rollins was drinking whisky from a barrel, the girl was holding a coal oil lamp, the burner of which, not being properly fastened, fell into the drawn whisky and caused the explosion.

A Severe Storm. St. Paul, July 25 .- A Pioneer-Press Mor istown, Minn., special says: A severe hall and electric storm in this vicinity this after noon did great damage. Several buildings were demolished. At Anoka the most ter-rific thunder and rain storm known in years was experienced. Much damage is reported from the surrounding country.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 25 .- The Brotherhood of American Railway Brakemen of Canada and the United States convened here to-day with two hundred or more members present.

G. A. R. DAY AT LONG PINE.

The Veterans Make a Big Turnout at the Chautauqua.

A TALK BY GOVERNOR THAYER.

Wealthy Farmer Near Nebraska City Winding Up His Business, Thinking the End of the World Near.

Old Veterans Enjoy Themselves. Long PINE, Neb., July 25 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |- This was G. A. R. day, and it seemed as if everybody turned out for this occasion. The Grand Army and state militia boys marched to the grounds Dr. Evans introduced Governor John M. Thayer as the presiding officer of the day, and the governor thanked the management for the honor conferred on him. Governor Thayer introduced E. McClesh, A. M., D. D., of Onargo, Ill., who addressed the G. A. R. boys for about one hour and a half, and was very well received. The doctor was one of the boys, and he related a great many anecdotes, which amused and pleased all A peculiar coincidence occurred here to-day in there being present Dr. A. W. Lamar, of Omaha, who was an officer in the southern, army from South Carolina. In the afternoon he was invited to address the boys. This was cheerfully accepted, and the boys afterward said that a more loyal and entertaining address they had not heard for many a day In the evening the usual campfire was held and a great many anecdotes and short speeches of the respective speakers were re-lated.

A Burglar Shakes a Sheriff. BEATRICE, Neb. July 25 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. 1-Sheriff Barton and deputy, of Saline county, brought a prisener down from Wilber last night for safe keeping in the Gage county jail. The party took a hack from the depot to the jail, and when they arrived there the sheriff got out. The prisoner followed and made a break for liberty. The two officers opened fire on him, but to no effect. The fellow escaped in the darkness. He was heard of near Pickerell about 4 o'clock this morning, where he had stopped at a farmers and asked for a file. The pris-oner was handcuffed. Officers are now in pursuit of him. He was held for a burglary committed at Wilber several days ago.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 25 .- [Specia to THE BEE.]- A well-known and wealthy farmer named Danbar, living west of the city, was in town yesterday and prophesied that the end of all time would be here some time during the next year, and he is closing up all his business affairs. He is not considered "off," but is a member of a religious sect which is firm in the belief of the near approach of the final windup. He declares as proof that this is the last epoh of the world, that false Christs are appearing in every section of the country, a fulfillment of the bible's prophesy concerning the closing days.

A Surprised Highwayman. BEATRICE, Neb., July 25 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- James Smith, a butcher, returning home from the south part of the county last night on horseback, was stopped at the outskirts of the city by a highwayman and ordered to hold up his hands. Smith aid so, but happened to have his pistol in hand, and he opened fire on the fellow, fell with the exclamation that he was shot. Smith hurried into town and notified the police, who went out to investigate. The fel-

New Butter and Cheese Factory. Telegram to THE BEE. |-Bloomington's new brick butter and cheese factory started to day, making a small quantity of butter for sample. They will begin active operations next Monday with milk from about five hun dred cows. The plant was put in by Davies & Rankin, of Chicago, at a cost of \$5,500, and dred cows. is first class in every particular and fully up to contract. It was accepted to-day by the

A Probable Fatal Fall. CRESTON, Neb., July 25 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Monday evening Miss McMulien, a guest at the Creston hotel here started from her room to her brother's Mistaking the stairs for the room, she fell the full length of the stairs, injuring her spine and also internally. A physician was summoned last evening and after examina-tion said it would require the best of care to insure her recovery.

Discharged From Custody. DAKOTA CITY, Neb., July 25 .- [Special relegram to THE BEE. |-On the examination on the charge of manslaughter of John Lynn, an engineer on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railway, who ran over and killed Frankie Lucie with a switch engine on the 12th at Sioux City, he was to-day discharged by Justice Jay.

Nebraska City Paving Contracts. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 25 .- [Special relegram to THE BEE. |—The board of public works has awarded the brick paving contract to B. P. Egan, of Lincoln, at \$1.95%. A plant is to be erected and the brick manufactured in Nebraska City. Thorp & Toby of Council Bluffs, will do the curbing at 5 and 60 cents.

A Jail Break Frustrated. BEATRICE, Neb., July 25.- Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- Prisoners in the county fail made an unsuccessful attempt to break out last night about 8 o'clock. They had partly pried the grating of the skylight loose, but were discovered by Sheriff Davis' wife, who notified the deputy, and the escape was prevented.

Opposed to Improvement. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 25 .- [Special o THE BEE. |-A gentleman named Miller from Sioux Falls, is building a soap factory in South Nebraska City, and this morning found a notice on the building threatening to burn it down if it was not moved. The paper was placed in the hands of a detective.

A Water and Light Company. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 25 .- | Specia Telegram to The Bee.j—The Nebraska City Water and Light company have filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk with a casital stock of \$375,000. The new com-pany is the reorganization of the old water company on a more extensive basis.

K. of P. Lodge Instituted. NORTH PLATTE, Neb., July 25 .- | Spe to THE BEE. |- Deputy Ferguson, with fifteen other knights, went to Lexington yes terday to institute a lodge of Knights of Pythias. They report having organized a lodge of more than twenty-five charter Relieved the Establishment

lieved the establishment of its cash, \$8, to-gether with a quantity of cigars and con-fectionery. HOLDREDGE, Neb., July 25 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE.]-Water works were shut off to-night by order of A. H. Fitch, owner of the plant, at Omaha. The cause is some disagreement between him and the city

GRANT, Neb., July 25 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-Burglars entered the billiard

hall of A. A. Quackenbush last night and re-

council. Gage County's New Coroner. BEATRICE, Neb., July 25.—[Special Tele-gram to THE BEE.]—Dr. G. L. Roe, a democrat, was to-day elected coroner by the county board of supervisors in place of Somers, republican, resigned. THE CARRIER SERVICE.

Special Inspector Spangler Will Recommend Its Extension. The free delivery system of the Omaha

postoffice is soon to be reconstructed and extended. Special Postoffice Inspector Spangler arrived in the city yesterday morning. Mr. Spangler has charge of the free delivery system. He was stationed in this city about three years age as inspector. Mr. Spangler suggested to Postmaster Gal-

lagher yesterday that they take a look about the outlying districts of the city in order that he might have an idea of the amount of territory covered, etc. He expressed himself as being surprised and astonished at the great changes which had taken place about the city since he resided here. Said he: "I started out with the idea of recommending that the districts that now have but one carrier delivery per day should be increased to two, but when I saw what a great amount of territory was not covered a all I was forced to the conclusion that th service would have to be extended, even if it became thereby impossible to increase the service in the districts which are now served. We are greatly cramped by the appropria-tion for carrier service, and while I recog-nize the fact that Omaha is entitled to more carriers, and should have them, it will be im-posible at this time to make all the changes

Spangler was asked how many addi-Mr. Spanger was asked how many additional carriers he would recommend.

"That is more than I can state at this time," he replied. "I saw a statement in an evening paper to the effect that Mr. Gallagher would ask for fifteen more carriers. I don't know where the reporter got his information, but I am sure he didn't get it from Mr. Gallagher. The idea of such an increase is absurd."

is absurd.' The reporter inferred, from Mr. Spangler's remarks, that not more than five additional carriers would be recommended. In the course of his remarks, Mr. Spangler alluded to the crowded would condition of the postoffice, and that some-thing should be done at once to secure addi-tional room. The only way this could be done would be to rent more room or to build an addition in the area west of the building. He thought a commodious one-story addition could be built for about \$10,000. This would afford all the room necessary. This matter should have been attended to long ago, as the present quarters are entirely too small.

Mr. Spangler said this question was not in
his province, and should be pushed by the

Hagan Wouldn't Be Bluffed. The Hagan case has been adjusted outside of the courts. Moore tried several times to induce Hagan to give him money, saying he would persuade Mrs. Hagan to withdraw her suits, Mr. Hagan would not be bluffed in such a transparent way, and Moore finally desisted. He returned to Chicago yesterday morning Mrs. Hagan has had eral conferences with her busband, and decided to withraw her suits against him. She became convinced that she could not frighten him into paying her a large sum to keep quiet, and will leave the city

Tried to Rob a Drunken Man. John Lambert, a crook, was arrested yesterday for trying to rob a drunken man. He was placed in the patrol wagon, together with another man who had been arrested about the same time. Lambert jumped from the wagon and made a break for liberty. He ran down toward the river. A posse of officers in charge of Sergeant Whalen started in pursuit. They spied their man among the bushes near the smelting works and soon had him in contact to the smelting works. had him in custody again.

A Habeas Corpus Granted. NEW YORK, July 25 .- Judge O'Brien to-day granted a writ of habeas cornus in the case of Heary F. Ives, now in the Ludlow street jail, in a suit for recovery of \$2,553,328, brought against him and George H. Staynor for alleged misappropriation of funds of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton Railway ompany. A Boy Arrested.

KINGSTON, Ont., July 25 .- A son of Marshall H. Twitchell. United States consu here, was arrested to-day on the charge of being the masked burglar who entered the ice of Mrs. Martin last night. He is a mere boy and up to the present time bore good character. He is said to be insane. Deliberating Builders.

CHICAGO, July 25 .- The national convention of building associations began its sessions in this city to-day. Delegates are present from all parts of the country. The object of the closely by the formation of a national organi

Breweries Sold. PATERSON, N. J., July 25 .- An English syndicate has purchased five of the six breweries in Paterson for an aggregate of \$2,380,000, the owners to retain a one-third interest in the concerns. The transactions were completed to-day.

Suicide of a Naval Engineer. NEW YORK, July 25 .- Assistant Engineer C. G. Tolcott, of the United States navy ommitted suicide this afternoon on board the Atlanta. His health had been impared

Deflant Saloonists. CINCINNATI, July 25 .- At a meeting of sa conists this afternoon, at which 1,200 were present, a resolution was unanimously adopted to the effect that saloonists keep pen their saloons in defiance of law.

Grocers Assign. Chicago, July 25 .- The J. W. Loverin Company, wholesale grocers, made an assignment this morning. The liabilities are estimated at between \$40,000 and \$60,000, with assets about the same.

Struck by Lightning. HELENA, Mont., July 25. - John Moriarity, of Elk Park, an employe of the Montana Central road, was struck by lightning to-day and instantly killed. Several other employes were stunned.

WEALTH ON THE STAGE. Lotta and Booth the Only Millionaires in the Profession. There are but two millionaires among

all the rich actors—Lotta Crabtree and Edwin Booth. They have considerably over \$1,000,000 each. Charles Barnard the ex-minstrei, has \$500,000, and Jos eph Murphy has as much. Joseph Jeferson had more, but has spent a good deal on starting his sons in life. gie Mitchell has about \$400,000, most of it invested in railway bonds. Mary Anderson has carped \$250,000 with ner beautiful face, and has invested it in England. Minnie Palmer has about \$275,000, whild Stuart Robson and W H. Crane divided \$500,000 between them when they separated. Mrs. Langtry has her \$150,000 invested in New York and California real estate. Fritz Em met has made about \$200,000 and Annie Pixley the same, most of which is solidly invested in city lots in Denver and Minneapolis. Denman Thompson has made \$150,000 out of his play and has part of it safely salted down in govern-ment bonds. James O'Neil has made a fortune out of one play, which he has invested in mortgages on western farms. Nat Goodwin has a fortune, but more than half of it was left to him by his wife. Francis Wilson has made \$100,000. Emma Abbott has a fortune of \$225,000, a large part of which is invested in diamonds, and Fanny Davenport has at least \$20,000 worth \$100,000 locked up in these shining stones, which are periodically being stolen and recovered. Herrmann, the magician, has made a fortune, which is all safely stored in paying property in the upper portion of New York city.

For Rent: Residence, 2106 Douglas St.; new house, all modern improve-ments; not a basement house. Enquire ments; not a basement house. Enquire of Moritz Meyer, Cor. 16th and Farnam

THE SPIRIT LAKE RECATTA.

Rough Weather Interferes With the Second Day's Races.

SLOW TIME IN ALL CONTESTS.

Young Elkins Confesses to the Mur der of His Father and Step-Mother-A Notable Reunion.

The Oarsmen. HOTEL ORLEANS, SPIRIT LAKE, In., July 25 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The races of the senior crews of the Iowa regatta were delayed in starting to-day, owing to the roughness of the weather caused by a heavy rain in the morning and a strong western breeze. The four-oared race was the first on the call. With the word "go," Cedar Rapids got the water first, and during the course maintained a strong pull of thirty-six to the minute. They made the turn half a boat ength ahead and finished several lengths ahead of Davenport. Time-9:53.
The senior single was won by Kiiby, o

Ottumwa, by several lengths. Time—1:16. McClelland and Annable, of Davenport, won the pair oar without effort.

The race of the day was between McGregor and Ottumwa and was fought hard from start to finish. Schenck and Kilby, of Ottumwa, won by a half a length in 9:40½. The water was very slow and rough.

The swimming race, open to all members.

The swimming race, open to all members of the association, was won by J. T. Dodge, of Council Bluffs, in 1:52. Murdered His Father and Mother. DES MOINES, Ia., July 25 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Wesley Elkins, who has been detained on suspicion of having killed his father and step-mother in Clayton

county on July 16, has confessed the crime He says he got up at 10 o'clock at night, and shot his father through the head. His stepmother then started to get a light, and he says he struck her with a club. The boy is only twelve years old, but yet the circumstances corroborate his statement. He made his confession to Judge Hatch, and has been sent to jail.

A Notable Reunion. DUBUQUE, Ia., July 25 .- | Special Telegram THE BEE.]-There was a notable reunion of early settlers to-day at Twin Lake Springs, thirteen miles north of here. Among the 2,000 people who attended the picnic were Mrs. John Burns, the first white child born in Iowa; Mr. A. Levi, the first Mason in Iowa, and General George W. Jones, the first United States senator from Iowa. first United States senator from Iowa.

Arrested on Suspicion. Dubuque, Ia., July 25 .- | Special Telegram THE BEE.]-A man giving the name of Ed McDonough entered a clothing store in Dubuque to-day and bought a suit of clothes. In payment he tendered two certificates of deposit issued by the Southwestern National bank of Minneapolis to Auron Larson, amounting to about \$350. On being ques tioned he was unable to state how he came into possession of the certificates and was handed over to the sheriff. Later on he stated that he found them. He is in jail waiting further developments. His story is very conflicting, and foul play is suspected

After the Fire Bugs. DES MOINES, Ia., July 25 .- [Special Tele ram to THE BEE,]-This evening Governor Larrabee issued a proclamation offering a reward of \$300 for the arrest and conviction of the persons who set fire to the barn of W A. Stephenson, in Harrison township. Mahaska county, June 15. This fire was one of a long series that have endangered the lives and property of Mahaska county people.

Complaint Against the Northwester DES MOINES, Ia., July 25 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE.]-The railroad commissioners went to Castor, Monona county, today to investigate complaints against the Northwestern road filed by residents of that place. They claim damages on account of overflows caused, they allege, by the eleva-tion of the track in several places.

A Fatal Runaway Accident. CENTERVILLE, Ia., July 25 .- | Special Tele gram to THE BEE.]-Carleton Joslyn, a young man of seventeen, who drives a team for William Bradly, a leading merchant, was run away with this afternoon and so badly injured that he will die.

Obituary. MASON CITY, Ia., July 25 .-- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.] -- George Willard, for many bears a prominent resident of this city, died at his home to day at the age of eighty-

ELISE'S BEAUTIFUL ARMS.

The Great Triumph and Tragle End of an Artist's Model in Berlin.

Two years ago Elise Kemmler, then eighteen years old, was a waitress at a restaurant in the students' quarter in Berlin, says the New York Sun. She was not pretty. She was freckled square-shouldered and dumpy. She was so plain that she did not even get the usual caresses and love pats which the German waitresses almost invariably get from every man they serve She had, however, one beauty of formher arms. They were large, white and exquisitely molded. A young artist noticed them one day, as Elise, with her sleeves rolled up, brought him his beer and roast goose. From that day on Elise was probably more sought after by young men than any other waitress in Berlin. Every artist wished her sit for him, so that he could paint her

beautiful arms. After the young artist who discovered her arms had given their counterpart to his Hebes and Venuses and Dianas dozens of other artists wished to reproduce them on their canvases. As a model Elise made double and troble the money she had earned as a waitress. She spent it all upon her person and be came immediately vain. By means of a bit of lacing, a free use of cosmetics, and a lot of new gowns she made her self over into a very attractive young woman. She had lovers by the dozen. Hardly an evening passed for the next two years but that she drank wine with an artist or student in a fine Berlin restaurant, or sat beside him in some sec ond-class theater.

A few weeks ago Elise had an en gagement to sit for the young artis who discovered her. She went to his room and prepared to reveal the beautiful arms which he had wished to paint. He told ber, however, that sh need not take the trouble; he had found a woman with more finely molded arms than hers. She threw herself on the floor and wept. He tossed her some money to comfort her. She threw it back to him and hurried off home. There she locked herself in her rooms. For two days she refused admittance to every one and atnothing. On the morning of the third day her landlady was attracted to her bedroom by groans. On the bed lay Elise in convuisions. She confessed that she had poisoned herself, but begged the landlady not to summon a doctor, as she wished to die. A physician who was called in considered her incurable. She was sent to the charity hospital, where she died two days later

World's Exhibition at Buenos Ayre A company is being formed, with a capital of \$8,000,000, for the purpose of holding a world's exhibition at Buenos Ayres.

SOUTH OMARA NEWS.

Presbyterian Social. A large number attended the meeting held Wednesday evening in the church to arrange for the Presbyterian social Friday evening. Committees as follows were appointed: Ice Cream-Mesdames A. H. Miller and George W. Masson.

Reception and Introduction-Messrs, Seth M. Eddy, Dr. C. E. C. Smith, R. H. Lawrence and Hollis E. Hogle and Misses Ella McDonald, Kate E. Wyman, Cora R. Smith

McDonald, Kate E. Wyman, Cora R. Smith and Maggie Shopard.

Tables—Misses Cora R. Smith, Huldah Lambert, Alice Enon, Jessie Savage, Cora Persons, Alice Griffiths, Anna Merrill, Ella McDonald, Kate E. Wyman and Myra P. Brigham and Mosdames Edward D. Munshaw and James H. Van Dusen.

Music—Messrs, James C, Carley, L. F. Hitte and Seth M. Eddy, Miss Kate E. Wyman and Mesdames Edward D. Murshaw and George W. Kyser. and George W. Kyser. Tables and Furniture-Messrs, A. H. Mer-rill and A. W. Hibbard.

Magio City Pleasure Club. At the meeting of the Magic City Pleasure club Thursday evening it was decided to hold a picnic at Germania gardens, Tweatyfourth and J streets, Sunday, August 11. Messars. Rodil Red-mond, Andrew H. Donelly, Edward Gallagher, D. D. Donovan and Larry Noonan were appointed a general committee of arrangements, with power to appoint sub-

committees. The committee will meet Thursday evening of next week to complete arrangements. Y. W. C. T. U. Entertainment. Messrs. E. S. Daniels, Howard P. Savage Willis H. Stowe, William R. Dunroy, and Misses Grace Richardson, Cora Parish and Alice Bever have been appointed a commit-tee on arrangements for the Y. W. C. T. U. entertainment to be held Thursday evening, August 1. The committee will meet Satur-day evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Presby-

terian church to complete arrangements. Scalded Both Feet. Frank Hermi, employed at the packing houses of Swift & Co., while cleaning up Thursday noon, had some hot water thrown on him, scalding both feet and ankles The scald was not serious but is painful and will lay Mr. Hermi off for some days. He was taken to the Benson hotel and a surgeon

summoned who dressed his injuries An Omahan Injured. James V. Ohlson, of Omaha, was driving under the Q street viaduct Thursday and his horse became frightened at the pile driver,

throwing him out. Mr. Ohlson received painful but not serious injuries. He was sent home and cared for. Cut With a Butcher Knife. Martin Walker, employed in the ham pack ing gang at the Armour-Cudahy packing

houses, had a butcher knife slip, through his

right hand Thursday afternoon, nearly

cutting four of his fingers off. A surgeon South Omaha Notes. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Christ Frank S. Dewcy, of the exchange, has returned from Chicago. William Bussard, of Albright, has re-turned from Dubuque, Ia. A dance will be given by Volcov Pivorka, in the National hall, Sunday evening.

The young men at the Exchange are ar ranging to organize a gymnastic club. Medford Cross, formerly a resident, is back from San Francisco, visiting friends. A. E. Davis was fined \$5 by Judge King for slapping his wife, Lizzie, of Albright no

toriety. A. V. Miller, who has been confined to his room for some weeks, is better and able to The Swift and Armour-Cudahy ball clubs will play in the Third ward park Sunday af-The Papillion and Sobotker clubs will play

ball at Sarpy Mills, Sunday, August 4, at 2:30 o'clock. ous and James Lowry had him run in for disturbing the peace. Thomas W. Whittlesey, superintendent of

the machinery at the George H. Hammond & Co. packing houses, is ill. James Murphy, of the clerical force at Swift & Company's packing houses, received an accidental cut in the leg with a razor by B. D. Davis, a carpenter working at the packing houses of George H. Hammond &

Co., stepped into a catch basin Wednesday and sprained his ankle. The Reserves of Omaha and the Sobotkers of this city, will play ball in Hascall's park, Fifteenth and Vinton streets, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

At the Forester's picnic at Waterloo, August 4, Captain John J. Sexton and Joseph L. Anderson will run a foot-race for \$25 a side. The money is up. Two clubs from Omaha dry goods houses will play ball in the Third ward park Saturday afternoon after the game between the fats and leans is finished. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Eversole, through THE

Bee, wish to return thanks to the many neighbors and friends who were so kind in their troubles and bereavement. Mr. John Toner and Miss Ella G. Bates will be married in St. Bridget's Catholic church August 1, at 8 o'clock. The Rev. Father D. W. Moriarty will officiate. John Toner's horse, driven by Edward Corrigan, ran away on Twenty-sixth street Thursday morning. Captain Sexton caught the animal before damage was done.

Wednesday evening, after the council adjourned, Mayor Sloane and Councilman Fen-vo locked horns on the streets and the old rag was chewed at both ends till the crowd Martin Dunn and Timothy Kelly became too big a crowd Thursday evening, and were run in for being drunk and disturbing the

peace. They will explain before Judge King Friday morning. A well attended meeting of the committees to arrange for St. Agnes' second picnic, was held in A. O. H. hall Wednesday evening. All sub committees were appointed and final arrangements made for the occasion. A lamp in the barber shop of Anderson Brothers, under the National bank, Yell,

Wednesday evening, causing a slight fire, Rescue hose was out in a moment, but the flames were extluguished before the firemen could do anything. No damage. Tuesday evening a picasant social dance was given by Michael Connors in his new brick house, in the southwest part of the Third ward. Mr. Connors has his house completed and furnished, and will marry in

a few days an estimable Wisconsin lady. The injunctions served yesterday evening on the mayor and members of council and on the Motor and Street Railway companies stopped all work and have so tied up things that no man know-eth the outcome thereof. The ill feeling ex-isting between city officials nearly resulted

Frank Snodgrass, the man who so myster

iously disappeared from this city some weeks ago, and left his bride wife and child at the

Reed hotel, has not been heard from. His parents in Council Bluffs have no traces of his whereabouts, and the opinion is evenly divided between deserting his family and foul play. Mrs. Snodgrass has gone to Sioux The Indians and the Earthquake. The Indians hereabouts are badly frightened over the recent shakeups, and fear that this portion of California will be ingulfed, says the Susanville (Cal.) Advocate. There is an old Indian

in Willow Creek valley who has seen the snows of ninety odd winters, and who declares that he can remember when a mountain near Frank Perry's place on Willow creek sank and water surged up. covering the whole country, and that the water again subsided and the moun-tain rose once more. There is a tradi-tion among the Indians here that such a thing has occurred many times, but this old fellow declares that he can remember such an occurrence. in the midst of a volcanic region, in fact all this portion of the country is of vol-canic origin, and the frequent and severe shocks certainly indicate a re-

newed activity somewhere.

THE SAMOAN SAILORS' CASE

Not Quite So Sensational as Has Been Reported.

A REPORTORIAL EXAGGERATION.

An Investigation Into the Complaints of the Discharged Seamen-The Officers Justify Themselves-

All Claims to Be Satisfied. Serious Charges. WASHINGTON, July 25 .- On the 15th of June the San Francisco papers contained

statements of certain survivors of the disas-

ter to the American vessels at Samoa, enlisted on the Trenton and Vandalia, which, if true, presented a severe indictment against the navy department. The papers reported that about thirty of the men were roaming around San Francisco unable to secure the wages due them, destitute and dependent upon charity. The charges of the men were in substance that they had not been paid "bag money," about \$60, which the United States contracted to allow them in case of the loss of their clothes by the sinking of the vessel; that their wages prior to the date of the disaster had not been paid, that they had been discharged and sent adrift, none of them with more than \$25; that the clothes furnished them in Samoa were charged for at regular rates, leaving them little or nothing to live on; that Lieutenant Carlin, executive officer of the Vandalia, refused to sign their certificates to be presented to the fourth auditor. Six of the sailors joined in a auditor. Six of the sailors joined in a petition to Secretary Blaine that he use his influence. Copies of the newspaper articles were also sent the president. The matter was referred to Secretary Tracy who ordered an investigation and the papers have just been returned to the navy department. Commodore Benham, of the Mare island navy yards, as a the newspaper articles have a grain of says the newspaper articles have a grain of truth and a great deal of exaggeration in them; that the attack upon Lieutenant Carlin is unjust in the extreme for the reason that he remained in San Francisco by his own request in order that he might be able to look after the interests of the Vandalia's men. The commodore further furnishes a statement made by Lieutenant Burnett showing the amounts paid to men who reached San Francisco, ranging from \$36 to \$272. Eighteen of the men are reported as having deserted after the arrival and of course they received nothing. Lieutenant Carlin, in his report, says that of the nineteen men the San Francisco papers claim are roaming about the water front of that city, one was discharged at his own request at the expiration of his term of enlistment, three were discharged by sentence of court-martial and thirteen were deserters. The clothing issued to the men was charged to them at a count 66% per cent. It was good clothing. worn alike by officers and men. The claims of the men were excessive as a rule. As to the statement that he had fold the men he

would help no one until he got his own money, Lieutenant Carlin says: "I will say that I am here at my own request for the special purpose of putting wrecked sailors in shape so that the fourth auditor may properly settle the men's accounts. This work is now finished. Applications for indemnity (bag money) has been nade out for all the men, dead or alive, and I have as yet taken no step toward getting

ny own money.' Of the six men who signed the petition to Blaine, McCluskey was not at Samoa at all. Lane was discharged by court-martial. He was on board the Nipsic, which was not sunk and has not a shadow of a claim for anything. Boyle and Stewart were discharged at the expiration of their enlistment. All of them, except Boyle, were paid in full, but some of them had a claim for personal effects.

BRIDGING BEHRING STRAITS. Explorer Muir Says It Is Feasible-

Mastodon Remains in Alaska. John Muir, according to a San Fran cisco letter in the Portland Oregonian that he has by no means yet completed his explorations in Alaska and that in regard to certain elephant remains there, the bridging of Behring rea, and other matters, he hopes soon to add information that will be of great value to science. Although the bridging of Behring straits has been widely ridi-culed Muir is inclined to think that such a feat will one day be accom-

plished He says: "Senator Stanford's girdle of steel around the earth via Behring sea is a perfectly feasible scheme. Behring straits can be bridged. It is only sixty miles across in the narrowest place and there are three islands strung along in it. This would divide the bridge up into four divisions, but besides this the water is very shallow. In many places it is not over twenty feet deep. I undertake to say that if a man was strong enough to take one of our California red wood trees in his hands he could put it down anywhere over the 600 miles of Behring sea and yet have 100 feet of it left above the water. This shows how easy it would be to bridge the straits. The only trouble would t from floating icebergs, but that could be easily overcome by constructing swinging bridges, like that they have across the river at Chicago. way the straits could be kept clear all the time and trains of cars could run

ight along. There are so many strange things in Alaska," added the discoverer of the Muir glacier, "that have not yet come to the knowledge of the public that one who has seen them hesitates where to begin. Elephant remains are found all over the valley of Yukon. As a matter of fact they are found every where throughout the great western slope of Alaska. Dana and Sir Charles Lyle startled the world by announcing that hairy frozen elephants were found wedged among Siberian icebergs. But scarely any-body knows that throughout Alaska are the remains of countless thousands of mastadons. You can dig them out and find them on the surface everywhere. I saw hundreds of them, possibly, on my last trip, and I am now anxiously trying to get there to complete my investigations. So thick are the elephant remains that the native Indians, on finding them buried partially in the ground, decided that they were some kind of great mole that burrows in the soil. This is the story given me. I collected a lot of remains. The collection of elephant tusks every summer is a regular business, just over Behring sea. We have just as many of them on the Alaska side as they ever had in Siberia. Ages ago great herds of ele-phants roamed over these shores. Perhaps they existed down to a comparatively recent date, for the hairy bodies and well-preserved bones were evi-

The Slave Trade as It Still Is. Cardinal Lavigerie, the well-known and much-respected archbishop of Algiers, who has made the question of African siavery a life-long and special study, estimates that the enormous num-ber of 2,000,000 of lives are destroyed every year on the African continent through the horrors of the slave trade. In a recent speech at London the cardi-nal declared that if a traveler lost the way leading from equatorial Africa to the towns where slaves are sold, he could easily find it again by the skele tons of the negroes with which it is

To Gild St. Paul's Dome.

It is proposed to gild the dome of St. Paul's cathedral in London. The expense is estimated at \$20,550. It would very picturesque object in the city's dingy atmosphere.