A POOR DISPLAY OF STICK WORK.

Standing of the Clubs Williams Still in the Lead in the Six Day Bicycle Race-Torf News:

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Kansas City 6, Omaha 1. Taxsus City, Mo., April 24.—Special Telegram to Tax Bur |—The Omahas were third annual sale at Belle Meade began this morning. Sixty-one yearlings, the get of Refeated by the Kansas Citys today before Luke Blackburn, Iroquois, Bramble, Great one of the largest audiences that ever gath-Tom and Enquirer, passed under the hammer ered at Exposition park. The Kansas Citys for a total of \$64,365. Twenty brood mares took the lead early in the game, and held it also sold for a total of \$18,600. The sale will be continued tomorrow. Among the highest sales were: Bay colt, brother of Egmont, Dwyer Brothers, Brooklyn, \$1,500; bay colt, brother of Inspecthroughout the game. Both teams batted fairly well, but the local men did their stick work when it told, while Pears kept the Oma-Golf, Drother of Egimont, Dwyer Brothers, Brooklyn, \$1,500; hay colf, brother of Inspector B, Devyer Bfothers, Brooklyn, \$3,000; brown colf, by froquois, Sam Bryant, Louisville, \$2,000; hay colf, brother of Miss Ford, Jake Johnson, Fort Worth, Tex., \$2,000; bay colf, brother to Uncle Bob, Sam Bryant, \$1,600; brown colf by froquois, Marcus Daly, Butte City, Mont., \$1,000; bay colf by Iroquois, Jake Johnson, Fort Worth, Tex., \$1,800; chestnut colf by Iroquois, Marcus Daly, Butte City, Mont., \$2,500; brown colf by Iroquois, John Daly, New York, \$1,800; chestnut filly, sister to Blackburn, by Luke Blackburn, Marcus Daly, Butte City, Mont., \$1,700; bay filly sister of Hands Off, by Luke Blackburn, Marcus Daly, Butte City, Mont., \$1,700; bay filly by Iroquois, J. M. Brown, Fort Worth, Tex., \$1,700; chestnut filly by Luke Blackburn, C. Mueller, Kingsley, Ia., \$505.

Brood mares—Bonnie Lawn, b., m. C. Mueller, Kingsley, Ia., \$1,000; Bribery, b. m. General W. H. Jackson, Belle Meade, Tenn., \$1,500; Baedana, ch. m., General W. has' hits well divided through the nine in-Mings. Twice Pitcher Fanning had an opportunity to bring in runs, but he struck out each time with Omaha men on second and third. The only run made by the visitors was in the fifth inning, when Willis made the Circuit of the bases through errors by Man-hing and Donohue and a clean drive by Kearns. Canayan and Kearns did good bat-ling for their side, but they were the only ones of the visitors who batted effectively. Ranas City scored one in the second in-ning Donohue being hit by the ball, and scor-ing on a sacrifice and Bittman's single. Stearns hit safely in the third, and after stealing a base scored on a fumble by Walsh. Rearns' fumble and a base on balls placed Smith and Billy Hoover on the bases in the fifth, and they scored when Stearns hit to center for two bases. Singles by Mauning, Pears and Hoover, and a sacrifice gave the Ascal men two more runs in the eighth inving. Tenn., \$1,500; Bacdana, ch. m., General W. H. Jackson, Belle Meade, Tenn., \$1,800; Bric

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KANSAS CITY. OMAHA.

Farned runs - Kansas City 2. Two-base hits - Stearns. Canavan. Double plays - Kearns. Andrews, Walsh, Andrews. Bases on balls of Pears I. Fanning 3. Struck out - By Pears I. Hit by pitcher Doughue. Passed ball-lloever. Time-1:45. Umpire-Blogg.

St. Paul 5, Des Moines 4,

Sr. Part, April 24. Special Telegram to THE BELL | To-day's game between St. Paul and Des Moines was an interesting one from start to finish, and was replete with sharp fielding and heavy bitting by both teams. The score :

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\*Clare called out for foul strike, \*Burks out for running out of line. BY INVINGE

SUMMARY.

Runs curried—St. Parti f. Des Motues 2. Two-base bits Hawes 2. Murphy. Home runs—Burks and Fussellanch. Ruses on balls Off Viata 5 of Clare 5. Struck out—Ry Vian 4, by Clare 5. Left on bases—St. Partie, bes Molnes.

Umpire Tim Hurst.

## AT BUSTON

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The Brooklyn-Philadelphia game was postponed on account of rain. AT CLEVELAND. The Cleveland-Chicago game was post-

Doned on account of rain AT THESRUS The Pittsourget inclinate game was post-

Buffalo 2 7 0 7 2 0 0 0 0 18 Cleveland 1 0 1 0 2 0 1 1 7 15 Hits Buffalo 15, Cleveland 12, Errors buffalo b, Cleveland 3, Batteries Haddock Mack, Casey, Sutcliffe. Umpires Knight.

AT BOSTON.  $0 \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad 5 \quad 0 - 7$ Brooklyn Hits Boston 6, Brooklyn 7, Errers Boston 7, Brooklyn 8, Batteries Radbeurae, Murhy; Murphy, Cook. Umpires Gaffney.

The Philadelphia-New York game was postponed on account of rain.

AT PITTSBURG. The Pittsburg-Chicago game was postponed

American Association Games. AT ST. LOUIS.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

St. Louis 6, Teledo 5.

The Athletic-Syracuse game was postponed On account of rain. AT LOUISVILLE.

The Louisville-Columbus game was post-poned on account of wet grounds. Other Games. CEDAN RAPIDS, Ia., April 24. - Special Telegram to Tur Brz. |—The score: Burlington 12, Cedar Rapids 1.

A One Hundred Bird Shoot. John Dunmire, who is fast being recognized by the balance of Omaha's crack shots as a

good one, met Frank Fogg on the Gwin & Dummire grounds across the river vesterday afternoon in a one hundred artificial race, righteen yards rise, for \$25 a side. The .01110 11111 11110 11111 01110.

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Whirling Wheels at the Coliseum.

There was another large attendance at the female bicycle race last evening, and the numerous sparts of the fair contestants worked up considerable enthusiasm. Prof. Ley gave another exhibition of fancy riding, and the crowd was tiberal in bestowing its applianse on him. The riders in the race are all showing signs of fatigue as the weary chase draws on to a close, but none will give up. They are all determined to stick it out, and many yet expect to see O'Brien make it warm for Williams. The latter still continues to ride in splendid form, and is surely an area, where the score.



Will Sign Articles This Morning.

Owing to the inability of Regating's backer backer convention 326.

to be on hand yesterday, the final agreemen for a six day race between the soldier and Prince was not entered into. The gentleman will be on hand this morning, however, and will meet Prince and his backer at 1406 Far-nam street at 11:30 sharp, and consummate all details for the event.

THE SPEED RING.

One mile-Silleck won, Autumn Leaf sec-

Seven-eighths of a mile-Sea Drift won,

Esau second, Harzburg third. Time—1:30%, Seven eighths of a mile—Major Daly won, Stone Mason second, Watterson third. Time

Mile and one-sixteenth-Castaway won Golden Reel second, Salvini third, Time-

Seven-eighths of a mile—Bohemian won, Count Luna second, John Arkins third, Time—1:30%, Four and one-half furlongs—Lottic won, Best Boy second, Favors third, Time—50%.

Belle Meade Horse Sale.

a-brac, b. m., General Jackson, Belle Meade, Tenn., \$1,500; Boulette, ch. m., General Jack-on, Belle Meade Tenn., \$1,050.

BEATEN AT EVERY POINT.

Prohibition Cranks Sharply Rebuked

TEKAMAR, Neb., April 24.—The recent trial

During the Rosewater Trial.

of Mr. Rosewater on the trumped up charges

preferred by the prohibition intolerants headed by Helen Gougar attracted the

usual crowd of court room loafers, who

struggled for points of vantage long before

court convened. It was a motley assemblage

in which the female prohibitionist predomin-

ated, although there was a fair representa-

tion of gentlemen whose chief facial charac-

teristic was long tangled whiskers. Farmers,

ministers, the dilapidated village loafer,

small boys, yellow dogs and babies mingled

in the confusion and were there to get as

much enjoyment as possible out of the affair.
When the county attorney was presenting

the case to the jury the first outbreak of rustic merriment ruffled the dignified silence of the court room. Mr. Peterson made an im-

pertinent remark regarding Mr. Rosewater, accompanying it with a graceful gesture and

the audience, who evidently imagined that they had come to see a "show," laughed loudly. Judge Clarkson immediately called

them to order and severely rebaked them and declared that another demonstration of

dismayed them somewhat, as they had got in the habit of thinking that the Rosewater trial

was intended as a periodical circus for their

musement.
During his address Mr. Peterson solemnly

said to the jury. "If we cannot prove that this man Rosewater disturbed a religious meeting

by loud and boisterous talk then you have my

large number of lawyers in attendance. When Judge Savage presented his case he quietly thanked. Mr. Peterson for giving the

any happier.
It was left for Dr. Pierce to distinguish himself and his party during his examination. He leaned back in his chair with easy

an easy and confidential manner. He spoke of his various accomplishments and said that he had been com-

pelled to take the ushers in hand and instruct them in their business at the night of the

Gongar lecture and that he took upon himself

the task of at once quieting Mr. Rosewater and protecting the timid prohibitionists pres

ent. During his story of the uprour he said, "There was one feller there who used language not to be found in the prayer book." Judge Savage took him in hand and asked him what that meant, but he didn't seem to know. When asked if it was swearing that

he meant he claimed not to know what swear-ing meant. He finally acknowledged that he

knew the "feller" who had used the language

toward Mr. Rosewater and that it was H. Wade Gillis. This was a bomb-shell thrown

carry the large fruit into the district court. Incidentally during the day it leaked out that during the trial in the county court this august and dignified judge had amused himself and the audience by making paper pellets and fillipping them at Mr. Rosewater, whose

back was turned, while he was addressing the

Mrs. Bardwell, one of the witnesses for the

arose in her chair and with Deisartian gestures and elecutionary voice described the scene minutely. She was very much in earnest and created no little amusement out-

side of her prohibition confreres; they, how-

The prosecuting attorney all through the proceedings acted very nervously and amused himself by tossing a long Faber pencil into the air, catching it—sometimes—as it revolved; oftener than not it fell on the floor

and rolled around or dropped into a cuspidor

causing his neighbors to feel more or less

When objections to Peterson's nucstions

when operations to Peterson's questions were coming thies and fast Mrs. Parmalee and Mrs. Woodward were sitting in the front row in the audience indigmantly discussing the court's decisions and showing on their faces their disgust at

the way the case was going. His honor stood it for some time and then, pointing his finger in their direction, stated that the court was trying the case and that he needed no assistance from "bleachers" as it were. This was a poser for the ladies and they subsided,

but it eventually resulted in retaliation in the form of the resolutions passed by the local W. C. T. U. and their visitors from abroad

when the trial was over.

A feature of the case that will not prove so amusing to the citizens of Burt county when they day of settlement comes is the costs, which will amount to between \$200 and

830. About 884 costs were carried up from the lower court. This is paying the fiddler with a vengrance, but the citizens of Teka-mah have had their side show. One of the witnesses who approached the eleck of the court for his fees and mileage

was given the comforting information that of course the warrant would be issued, but that

it was extremely doubtful if it was ever paid.

"I have between \$20 and \$25 coming to me in fees," said the clerk, "and I will sell the bunch for twenty-five cents."

After the case had been dismissed Mr. Ros

vator was generally congratulated by people who had not dured to fly in the face, the pro-

hibition feeling before, but who now came forward and declared that their sympathies had always been with him; a sert of "I knew-

South Dakota Democrats.

HURON, S. D., April 24.—The democratic

sinte central committee today decided to hold

a state convention at Aberdeen on June 11, to

RICHARDSON.

it-all-the-time" congratulation.

prosecution, gave a very graphic picture of the disturbance at the rink.

ever, took it very soberly.

nonchalance with his head resting on wall paper and told his story

his permission to acquit an innecent This did not make Mr. Peterson look

permission to acquit him." This morse condescension was hugely enjoyed by

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that kind would clear the court room.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 24.—The twenty-

Linden Park Races.

ond, King Idle third. Time-1:44 4.

of today's races.

FROM THE HAWKEYE STATE.

Preliminary Examination. OTTUMWA STARCH WORKS SOLD. LINDEN PARK, N. J., April 24.-Summary

A Fontanelle Youth Makes a Desperate but Unsuccessful Attempt at Suicide-The State Pharmacy Commissioners.

Elbons, In., April 24.- Special Telegram o The Bee. |-The preliminary examination of Charles Marx and N. J. Rice, arrested two weeks ago in California and brought here on the charge of murdering Henry Johns, in this county, five years ago, came to a sudden and nexpected stop today. The prisoners, who had said they were anxious for their prelim-mary trial to begin so that they could find out what the state had against them, waived ex-amination when arraigned and their cases will come before the grand jury, which meets May 13. Their bail bonds were fixed at \$1,000 cach. They are still in jail, but will no doubt be released within a few days.

Marx still owns a good farm in this country
and stands high in the community. He will have no trouble to give bail. The detective who arrested Marx and Rice has warned them that an attempt would be made upon their lives by the vigilance committee.

Gone Into the Trust, Ottumwa, Ia., April 24.—(Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The Ottumwa starch factory was sold to the National Starch company, the New York syndicate, today. This makes the

twentieth in the trust.

A Desperate Attempt at Suicide, CRESTON, Ia., April 24.-[Special Telegram o The Bes. |-Yesterday a young man named Heizer, living four miles west of Fontanelle, in Adair, county, attempted suicide by cutting the arteries of his wrist with a razor. He made frightful cuts on both arms, cutting the cords and smaller arteries, but not fatally injuring himself. Three years ago a brother of young Heizer, aged eighteen, committed suicide by hanging. Temporary insanity caused the trouble in both cases,

State Pharmacy Commissioners. Des Moines, Ia., April 24.-[Special Telegram to The Bee. ] - The state board of pharmacy commissioners was organized today by the election of Commissioner Snyder as chair-man, Commissioner Harrison vice chairman, and ex-Commissioner Weaver secretary and treasurer.

The County Superintendents. DES MOINES, Ia., April 24.-[Special Telerram to THE BEE. ]-In the district convention of county superintendents Superintendent Moore discussed the question of "How County Superintendents Can Best Serve Their Teachers." Superintendent Anderson of Hamilton county read a paper on "The Relation Between the Rural and Town or City Schools." He thought the town school abould be taken as the unit and the rural schools should grade from it. committee on uniformity of normal insti-tutes reported that no person should be con-sidered as having finished his course until he shall have finished his last year's work with an average of 90 per cent and have taught regularly at least eighteen months of school. Superintendent Fogg of Marshall county was elected chairman for the next convention Mrs. Tanner of Hardla county was elected secretary.

Breaking Up the Gang. Das Mornes, Ia., April 24, - Special Tele gram to The Bee. |—The police have captured two toughs, named Doud and Doty, who are supposed to have committed a number of the burglaries that have occurred here recently. One has already served a term in the penitentiary. This morning two ladies whose houses had been invaded by burghes identi fied them as the men who came into their houses. They are both old offenders. The city has been having an epidemic of burglares, and it is thought that this capture will

egram to Tue Bee. | Louis Ruben, a young man of twenty-two, shot himself here last night and died this morning. He left two letters, one in Hebrew and one in English, stating that he felt he was in danger of becoming insane and he preferred death.

An Elevator Burned. HAMPTON, Ia., April 24.—[Special Telegram to Tan Ber. | - A fire early this morning destroyed the Nosthey & Harrison elevator, and ond owned by Mr. Beed. Loss, \$10,-000; insurance, \$5,000.

Signed by the Governor. DES MOUNES, In., April 24.—[Special Telegram to Tun Ber.]—The governor today signed the bill providing for a soldiers' monument, also the bill for a state weather service.

Coup's Equiscurriculum. DES MOINES, Ia., April 24. - [Special to THE BEE. ] - The W. C. Coup equiscucriculum, with its remarkably educated animals, has been turning people away here at every per-

wate Gaus. This was a bomb-shell thrown into his own camp to judge from the astonishment on the faces of the "elect." Judge Gillis, it will be remembered, is the county judge whose rank decisions in the in the lower court made it necessary to carry the farce trial into the district court. SHAKEN BY AN EARTHQUAKE. A Severe Shock Felt in San Francisco

and Vicinity. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 24.—One of the most severe shocks of earthquake experienced here for a long time was felt in this city and neighboring localities a little after 3:30 this morning. Buildings were shaken perceptibly and persons aroused from their sleep. The plastering fell from walls in places. No seri-

ous damage is reported yet.

Disputches from Mayfield state that the shock was very severe there. The railroad bridge was rendered impassible as piers sixty feet high settled four inches and the rails spread apart a foot. The ground in places settled six to twelve inches. Italiroad travel was delayed a forch inches. was delayed a few hours.

The earthquake was generally felt throughout this section of the state, but no serious damage is reported. Several buildings were somewhat cracked here. At Gilroy and Watsenville the gas mains were disjointed and chimneys thrown down.

Nebraska, lowa and Dakota Pensions. Washington, April 24.—[Special Telegram o The Bee. |-Pensions have been issued as follows to Nebraskans: Original-Francis L. Allen, Harvard; Louis J. Graul, Tamora. Increase—Daniel Mullen, Crete; Byron D. Bates, Mullen; William H. Sturtevant, Beaver City; William T. Bullis, Valentine; Albert Boswell, Plattsmouth; John Suderow, Preston; David L. Greiner, Chapman. Re-issue—Barnabos Welton, O'Neill,

Iowa pensions: Original invalid—John W. Pollock, Clinton: James F. Dame, Nevada; Pollock, Clinton; James F. Dame, Nevada; Asea D. White, Cincinnati; William A. Wells, Pleasantville; Isaac A. Bird, Burrell; Benja-min Applegate, Council Bluffs, Increase William J. Hudgel, Sioan; Jonathan Wise, Villiscu; Jerome B. Omers, Des Moines; John A. Arnold, Fairfax; Winant De Hart, Hastings; Stephen Bricker, Fort Madison, Reissue—Thomas C. Schooley, Abingdon, Reissue and increase—E. M. Hickman, I is-comb. Original widow—Rebseca, widow of Sandford H. Aleshire, Red Onk, Mexican widow—Mary, widow of Mathias, allas widow-Mary, widow of Mathias, alias Michael Fell, Muscatine South Dakota pensions: Original Levi Barton, Centreville.

Want Pay for the Whisky. LATHROP, Mo., April 25.- The sheriff has

served papers upon a number of people who were either directly or indirectly interested in the whisky war, waged last February, to appear at the next term of court to be held in May. The petitioners ask for damages in the sum of \$1,200 for the whisky, beer and cigars that were destroyed at the time of the raid,

A Bright Crop Outlook.

CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., April 94. [Special to THE BRE.] - At no time during the past four years have the indications for a large crop been as favorable as at the present time. The farmers in this section have completed seeding, and the grain that was first put in has already appeared above the ground. Re-

ports from the river counties below us and from Buffalo county north of us on the Mis-souri river state that favorable indications also exist there. Eligners whose crops were souri river state that tavorable indications also exist there. Eligibers whose crops were almost a total failure last season have taken courage, and a larger agreage than usual is being put in throughout the state. Frequent Marx and Rice, the Eldora Suspects, Waive rains have fallen and the ground is in excel-

ANOTHER REDDLE TO SOLVE.

The Cut of the Wahash Puts the Mis-Souri River Roads at Sea.
Chicago, April 21 - Special Telegram to
The Bee. - The cut of the Wabash road in the through cattle rate has again put all the Missouri river roads at sea. The actual cost to the shipper on Kansas City or St. Louis is still about the same, but via Kansas City the old rate is still quoted with a rebate of \$7.35 in mileage, while vis St. Louis the \$7.25 is taken off the published rate. This must be remedied in some way, and the Western Freight and Trans-Missouri roads will meet next Tuesday to solve the riddle if possible. In any event the Alternative will be a solve the riddle if the solution of the riddle in possible. In any event the Al-ton will pay the mileage from tariff rates so that a reduction in the tariff will not change the situation a particle. The problem cannot be solved unless the Wabash agrees to restore its rate and deduct the mileage as is done by the Kansas City roads.

Will Insert the Differentials, CHICAGO, April 24.—All the western roads of the Central Traffic association have written to chairman Blanchard agreeing to insert in their rate sheets the differential fares of the eastern lines. The Missouri Pacific also acceded to the proposition.

BRAZIL AFFAIRS.

A Crisis Reported in the Ministry-Revolution Rumors False.

RIO JANEIRO, April 24.—The idea of dispensing with the constituent assembly has been revived and it is now proposed to establish a constitution by provincial government subject to the ratification of the plebiscite. Its advocates claim this to be more expeditous than any other method and that it will effectually preclude any attempts to revive mon-

The opponents of the idea say a constitution The opponents of the idea say a constitution framed by persons not clothed with constitu-ent authority by the people is not binding and would merely preserve and prolong the pres-ent military provisional government. Wild rumors about riots, revolution, etc., continue to be circulated frequently, but when run down always prove to be jests or to have been circulated with a malicious motive.

The government supposes the authors of the reports are monarchists.

Yesterday a placard was posted in many parts of the city decryng the present government and inciting to revolution. Its author was not found. It is reported that on the 21st there was an attempted revolt of the troops at Bahia and it is asserted that much disaffection exists in the army.

A Brazillian Crisis. Montevideo, April 44.—A newspaper here

says a telegram from Rio de Janeiro anannounces a crisis in the Brazilian cabinet; that Berboza and Bocayuva, secretaries of state and foreign affairs, are about to resign.

Washington Notes.

Washington, April 24.—Chairman Conger of the coinage committee today introduced in the house the bill agreed upon by the republican caucus last night. It was referred to the coinage committee, which will have a special meeting tomorrow to act upon the bill.

Mr. Kerr of Iowa foday reported to the house a bill to prolifit the transportation of intoxicating liquors into any state or territory contrary to the law of such state or terri-

A bill reported favorably by Senator Cul-lom today from the committee on interstate commerce gives the interstate commerce commission authority to prosecute inquiries into the alleged violation of the law by means of special agents, to beappointed by the commission, and who shall have power to administer oaths and send for persons and papers. Senator Teller tolay introduced a bill as a ubstitute for the Jones silver bill, now on the senate calendar.

Fatal Anti-Semitic Riot. VIENNA, April 24, At' Baila, in Galicia, a mob numbering 4,090 persons made an attack upon the Jewish quarters and wrecked and

order before eleven of the mob had been killed and many injured.
Flater reports from Baila show that the jest statement regarding the number of killed was exaggerated. It has now bee carned that only three rioters were and twelve wounded. Ten of the leaders of

the rioters have been arrested. Lexion, April 24.—The Standard's Vienna correspondent says foreign agitators have been at Bial several days exciting the mob against the Jews. Women inflamed with drink excited the men against the troops. Uncasiness is felt throughout Austria.

A Big Rubber Purchase. New York, April 24.—It was announced on the street late today that a purchase of 2,000,-000 pounds of rubber, amounting to \$1,550,000, had theen made within othe past two days at the market values of the day, by a few large manufacturers who must have the rubber to run their factories regardless of price The holders of the balance of the stock now raised the price 5 cents a pound, with prospects of a further advance. The total available stock of all kinds of rub-ber in the world is 3,010 tons, against 7,708 lons at the same time last year.

Another Dakota Cement Factory. Yankton, S. D., April 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- A syndicate of Cincinnati capitalists closed a deal here today for 1,500 acres of chalk rock bluffs, about six miles west of this city. It is understood the purchase is made for the purpose of establishing cement works thereon on an extensive scale. About \$50,000 was paid for the tract. This will be the second plant for the manufacture of Portland cement located near this

Wrecked by Dynamite. DELEVAN, Wis., April 94.—An explosion of dynamite in H. R. Doan's drug store this afternoon completely wrecked the building, breaking the windows in stores over a block away. There were four men in the building at the time of the explosion. Two, "H. R Doan and an unknown man, were instantly killed. The other two were badly hurt Heavy fire walls prevented a conflagration.

Attempted Assassination. Toreka, Kan., April 24.-[Special Tele gram to The Bee. ]-News was received here this morning of the attempted assassination Judge Botkin at Ulysses, Grant county, last Saturday. It is reported that an attempt was made to force his decision on a point in the preliminary hearing of the county com-missioners implicated in the wolf bounty frauds in opposition to his judgment. His refusal resulted in the attempted assussination

Has Two Sons in Nebraska. DAYTON, Wis., April 94. - [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- David Sullivan, aged seventysix, an old resident of this county, who was burned to death yesterday while burning brush and grass of a prairie, was alone at the time, and it is supposed was overcome by smoke. He has two sons residing in Ne-

braska.

Will Sign the Saxton Bill.
ALBANY, N. Y., April 24.—The senute re called from the assembly the Saxton ballot reform bill and again, passed it, changing it so as to agree with the amended Saxton bill, which was agreed upon last Friday by the governor, Saxton and others. It is understood that the governor will sign the bill and that the long fight over ballot reform will be

Five Russian Sisters Suicide. Moscow, April 24. - Five sisters named Domovieroff, the youngest nineteen years old, committed suicide today. Ash s found in their apartment showed that they had burned a number of papers before taking their lives. It is believed that fear of arrest nihilists led to the commission of the deed

Bond Offerings. Washixorox, April 24.—(Special Telegram to Tun. Bes. | Bonds offered: \$800 at \$1.22; \$101,000 at \$1.00].

DEATHLY INITIATION WORK.

Inhuman Acts of Wild and Reckless Students at Rutgers College.

SOME OF THEIR VICTIMS MAY DIE.

Eleven Men Marched Naked Through Briars and Bogs, Ducked in the River and Then Filled Up with Whisky.

New York, April 24 .- (Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The members of the Theta Mu Epsilon fraternity of Rutgers college at New Brunswick, N. J., had what they call a high old time Tuesday evening. The fun, however, may cost the lives of several of those whom they initiated into the mysteries of their cirele. Eleven men had been chosen as members without their knewledge or consent and Tuesday evening was selected for the initiatory ceremonies. At 11 o'clock a concerted raid was made on the sleeping places of their victims and the candidates captured. They were blindfolded and their hands tied behind their backs. Then each man was stripped entirely naked and marched into the street. At a certain point the cleven were brought to-gether and tied in line like a chain gang. They were then solemnly walked through the streets, receiving chastisement from switches which their drivers held. There are several small streams in the neighborhood of the college, and one or two pretty bad bogs. Through these the naked boys were urged, and then they were brought to the bank of the river and walked over the sharp stones till their feet bled, and through briars and underbrush until their bodies were lacerated. Even this did not satisfy the thirst for excitement and deviltry, and the poor victims were untied when in the center of the the Albany street bridge, and one by one, by means of a long rope, were lowered down into the river and held there for a few minutes with the water just to the level of their mouths. The shivering set was then taken to the place of rendezvous, dressed and forced to drink large quantities of bad whisky on the pretense that it would counteract the bad effect of the dipping. The men were then taken to the hall, where they were again stripped and on the back of each was tattooed in India ink the sacred each was tattooed in India ink the sacred mark of the Theta Mu Epsilon. The initia-tion closed with a general shaving of hair from the face, head and body. A wild and hilarious debauch called a banquet ended the night's orgies.

LOOKS BAD FOR PAT CROWE. Four Indictments Returned Against

Him by the Chicago Grand Jury. Chicago, April 24.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The grand jury this morning returned four indictments against Patrick Crowe, the murderous young man who robbed Annie Hall, of 441 Clark street, of diamonds alleged to be worth \$1,500 and in trying to escape arrest shot and nearly killed Officer Briscoe and shot Officer Linville and Charles Cole. Three of the indictments charge as sault with intent to kill the three men named, and the fourth is based on robbery. On that he can be sent to Joliet for life, as he shot at the woman in committing it. Linville and Cole and Miss Hall testified before the grand

jury, but Officer Briscoe could not be moved from the hospital. LAST OF A FAMOUS GANG. Arrest of the Sigsbys in Alabama for

Making Counterfeit Money. Brightsham, Ala., April 24.-J. N. Sigsby and his son William have been arrested on the charge of making and passing counterfeit money. The Sigsbys are the last of the once ous Joe Bennfield gang of counterfeiters and outlaws who operated in Georgia, Tennessee and Alabama. They made and passed thousands of dollars of counterfeit money, and killed six detectives who attempted to capture them at different times.

Counterfeiters Captured in Chicago. Circago, April 24.—Two important arrests were made here today. For months the Feared He Was Going Insane.

CENTERVILLE, Ia., April 24. [Special Telthe German National Bank of New Orleans, but which were plainly bogus. Two men were taken into custody while passing the bills and over \$200 in counterfeits were found

KILLED HIS THREE CHILDREN.

A Farmer Drowns His Little Ones in a Barrel and Then Suicides. Sheemerker, Out., April 24.—Word reached here this morning that a well-to-do farmer living two miles from here, after drowning three of his children in a barrel of rainwater, attempted to drown himself in the creek. Some of the neighbors found him lying in the creek in a precarious condition. There are no hopes of his recovery. No reason can be assigned for the terrible tragedy.

A SOCIETY EVENT.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurston's Reception to Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Thurston gave a very brilliant and what proved to be a most thoroughly enjoyable reception last night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Holcomb. From 8 until 11 o'clock their parlors were thronged with invited guests, among them the leading professional, railroad and business men of Omaha and their wives. The handsome residence, corner of Farnam and Twenty-fourth, presented a scene of gaiety and life equal to any of the many notable social events of the on. An excellent string band discoursed lively music, nice refreshments were served, and Joy unconfined ruled the flecting hours.

Oregon Democrats:

PORTLAND, Ore., April 24.-The democratic state convention this evening nominated R. A. Miller of Jacksonville for congress. Sylvester Pennoyer was renominated for gov-The platform favors eight hours as a ernor. day's labor; the Australian ballot system and the free coinage of silver.

A Call.

WASHINGTON, April 24.-A call will be is sued tomorrow for a meeting of the executive committee of the republican national comittee to be held in Washington May 7. Among the members of this committee are Senator Quay, J. S. Clarkson of Iowa, W. W. Dudley of Indiana, Samuel Fessenden of Connecticut, George R. Davis of Illinois and M. H. Deyoung of California.

Arrested for Embezzlement. CHICAGO, April 24.—It was stated here to night that Lafayette Cole, a well known Peoria young man has been arrested in New York city by a private detective agency on the charge of embezzlement. It is asserted that he made away with funds of the Peoria gas light and coke company and another firm by which he was employed.

A Hundred and Ten Years Old. Mr. Vernos, Ky., April 24.-William Reynolds died at Pine Hill yesterday. He was 110 years old. He was borne in Hawkins county, Tennessee, in 1779.

For a Little Thing Lake That? ARERDEEN, Miss., April 24.—Two men named Rowell and Johnson were convicted today of having shot at a colored mail agent named Blevin, and were sentenced to three years in the penitentiary,

The McCalla Trial.

New York, April 24.—In the McCalla trial today the testimony, as yesterday, was largely a reproduction of that of the pre-liminary hearing, and for the most part was strong against McCalla. Earl of Glasgow Dead.

London, April 24. - The earl of Glasgow is

The three outlets for disease are the bowels. the skin, and the kidneys. Regulate their action with the best purifying tonic. Burdock Blood Bitters. THEY WERE NOT DIVORCED.

Remarkable State of Affairs Brought About by a Lawyers Rascality. Proceedings in a divorce suit will be instituted in the courts here in a short time which will reveal a state of affairs rarely

heard of except in scusational novels. In brief, the history of the case is this; Fifteen years ago John Smith was a young lawyer in St. Louis who had been more than usually successful in accumulating the root of all evil. He became infatuated with a young lady, presumably beautiful, and they were married. Shortly after the marriage Mrs. Smith discovered that her liege lord was becoming lukewarm in his affections for her, and investigation showed that he was in the company of another lady more than was nec essary. The wife remonstrated and threat ened to leave her husband. He promised bet-

This state of affairs did not last long, how ever, and she discovered that he had resumed his old tricks. The wife became exasperated and announced her intention of applying for a divorce. To this the husband consented and offered to pay all the necessary expense and give his wife

ter things, however, and a truce was patched

Mrs. Smith consulted a lawyer, made her petition for a divorce, and the husband accepted summons. In a short time the law yer exhibited to Mrs. Smith a decree of divorce. By her direction he took the decree to Mr. Smith and received the promised One-half of this amount the lawyer etained as his fee, and he has not been seen r heard of since that time.

Mrs. Smith came to Omaha and was mar

ried to Mr. Millman, who has since died. Mrs. Millman is supporting herself by doing fressmaking, and lives in the northern part Mr. Smith was married to the woman who had been the cause of the separation of him-self and his first wife, and the couple have

seif and his first wife, and the couple have several children. Not long ago Mr. Smith sold a piece of real estate in St. Louis, and in looking up the ab-stract it was discovered that no decree of divorce had ever been recorded. Further investigation showed that no petition for a divorce had been filed, and, in fact, no divorce

proceedings had ever been begun between the To say that Mr. Smith was astonished To say that Mr. Smith was astonished would be to put it mildly. He had taken the decree shown him as genuine, and had never searched the records to see if everything had been done properly. He concealed the fact from his wife and children and, nearly prostrated at the thought that these same children were illustrated by the property of the content o children were illegitimate, he came to Omaha to seek out the wife of former years. She was easily found, and together they sought a lawyer and made arrangements to have the wife, who is still his legal wife, begin pro-

seedings for divorce. The strong man's heart was nearly broken and his head was bowed with grief at the thought of the disgrace which had come to his children. He entreated that his name be suppressed and that the proceedings be private in order to prevent the dear ones in St. Louis from learning the dreadful truth.

The case will be commenced in a few days and will be quietly carried through. As may be imagined, the names as given here are not the true names of the parties con-cerned, but the facts are as obtained from the husband, now a man of middle age, portly and intelligent, and one of the most prominent men in St. Louis. The first wife s well known in this city.

STOLE THE CHILD,

Detectives Hunting for an Iowa Woman Wanted for Abduction. William Harris, the head porter at the Board of Trade restaurant, is silently nursing

his troubles and revolving in his mind the

question as to whether he shall take life as

it comes or do something desperate. Ten years ago, in Pennsylvania, William wedded Elizabeth Minton, and for seven years she proved a true and loving wife, while a daughter came along to help cement

the bonds of the union. Three years ago the family moved to Omaha, and having some wealth were enabled to move in society that was far above the average. William was a traveling man, woman of his choice, refused to believe them, until at last, some two years ago, the comely Eliza packed up her trunk, sold the household furniture, drew out the bank account and skipped with a better looking man. Return-ing to his deserted fireside, the husband and ing to his deserted fiveside, the husband and father instituted a search, and at last was rewarded by locating his faithless wife in an lowa town, where she was living with her paramour, and by a system of strategy he succeeded in getting his child away from the woman, bringing her to this city and placing her in charge of a friend, Sheldon Nat, who resides on Nineteenth street, between Leavenworth and Mason.

Nothing more was heard of the wife until yesterday afternoon, when she suddenly arrived in the city, and learning where Harris was employed, called upon him with the re-

was employed, called upon him with the request that she be allowed to visit the child. This was refused, and the woman left the restaurant, muttering to herself that she would yet get even with her husband of other

In the afternoon, by some means, the woman ascertained where the child was lo-cated and in a carriage she drove to the house, and telling Mrs. Nat that Harris had sent her, the child was dressed in her best clothes, her, the child was dressed in her best clothes, placed in the carriage and rapidly driven away. For an hour or more Mrs. Nat thought nothing of the circumstance, but as night approached, the woman and child not returning, she telephoned Harris, who informed her that he had issued no such orders. Harris, nearly beside himself with grief, put detectives on the case, but up to a late hour the whereabouts of the woman had not been discovered, though from a description of the parties and the team from a description of the parties and the team troin a description of the parties and the team it is believed that late yesterday afternoon they crossed the bridge and flew to lowa. Today Harris will decide upon what course to pursue in the matter, and it is more than

probable he will swear out a warrant for his wife's arrest, charging her under the state law with the crime of kidnapping.

AMUSEMENTS. Fascination means the exercise of a pow

erful or irresistible influence on the passions -an unseen, inexplicable influence; a charm, a spell. This is why Robert Buchanan's comedy drama in which Cora Tanner and an excellent company appeared at Boyd's opera house last night was thus named. The story is based upon the fascination of an artful woman, Mrs. Delamere, over a young man, Lord Isely, who is engaged to his charming cousin, Lady Madge Slashton. It is fully as interesting and entertaining as the title implies. Miss Tarmer, who impersonates Lady Madge, disguises herself in male attire and sallies forth to ascertain whether or not the reports of faithlessness on the part of he reports of faithfessness on the part of her lover are true. In the double role she displays versatility and does some clever work. With her splendid combination of natural gifts, a fine form, a good voice and charming grace. she displays those delicate feelings which are amongst the first properties of an artist These are the tools and material of her trade and she possesses the happy faculty of applying them to the best and most effective advantage. In a brief chat with Miss Tanner she said: 'How do I feel in trousers! Simply delightful. The sense of freedom that comes to a woman when the description is the work of the sense in this way is heaven in the comes to a sense of the description. sense of freedom that comes to a woman when she dresses in this way is beyond my power to describe. There are no changes in the company since last season. Miss Eleanor Cary as Mrs. Delamere is always strong and never fails to capture the admiration of an andience. There is probably not an actress on the American stage who can play as many parts and play them as well as Miss Cary. Harold Russell, as Lord Isley, was also well liked. He is a handsome man, and very pleasing in his manner of becoming fascinated. The strong character part. Count La Grange, is still in the hands of P. A. Anderson, who made such a favorable impression as an actor when here before. Charles Coote, Augustus Cook, W. F. Blande, Miss Maggie Dean, and in fact the entire company as sumed their several characters very satisfactorily. Mr. Cootes as Rev. Mr. Colley is one of the features of the performance. of the features of the performance.

The Valdis Sisters drew a large audience at the Grand last night end the entertainment they gave was greatly enjoyed. It is one of

the eleverest, neatest, most respectable variety shows seen here for many months. All the specialty artists in the company are first class and several of them do some wonderful things. They have Carr and Tcurgee, \*a fine team of musical comedians; Sam and Kitty Morton, lightning change and dance artists, whose lightning change and dance artists, whose turn won two or three encores; Bobby Ralston, the dwarf vocalist and dancer, who is a marvel; Bellac, the great Parisian necromancer; Melville and Stetson, female dialect artists; Keller, the human enigma, and John E. Drew, an Irish and German comedian, a very clever one, too. The great act of the evening, however, was the Valuis sisters, in their acrobatic and trapeze performance. They are tho most daring and skillful performers ever seen in this country in their particular line of talent. No written account will give any idea of the work they do on slender rods, wires and ropes as high above the audience wires and ropes as high above the audience as the theatre will permit them to go. As a finale to their act, one of them makes a head-long dive from the highest point she can get nto a big net stretched just above the heads

Dissension in the French Cabinet. Pants, April 24.-It is rumored that there are serious dissensions in the French ministry. The early collapse of the cabinet is

VANCOUVER.

This Writer Thinks It Will Become a Great Scaport.

of the spectators.

The scaport of the twentieth centucy! the Constantinople of the west! are the names which suggested themselves to me the moment I set eyes on Vancouver,

Nature and circumstances have been prodigal to Vancouver, says a writer in Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly. Nature has given her the situation of Stamboul-the Turkish part of Constantinople—with the deep waters of Burrard Inlet to replace the Sea of Marmora, and the False Creek to rival the Golden Horn as a natural dock. Like Stamboul the City of Vancouver stands on a peninsula, with the cypress groves of Seraglio Point represented by the forest primeval of Stanley Park, and with a "hog's-back" running the whole length, on which it is to be hoped that the publie buildings will break the sky-line, as it is broken by the domes and minarets

of the mosques of the capital of Islam. Across the Golden Horn of False Creek is not only the slope (reminding one of the lie of Galata and Pera) comprised in the Canadian Pacific raffroad grant, but roads leading across to the rich alluvial lands at the mouth of the Frazer, which will be occupied in the immediate future by countless fruit and hop ranches, pouring their produce into Vancouver for the consumption of its growing thousands, and for transportation to the ungardened cities of the prairie; while by sea all the booming cities of the sound, from Seattle and Tacoma downward, act as feeders to the traffic of Vancouver, as witness the crowds traveling over the Canadian Pacific railroad to and from them and the eastern states, and the steamers connecting them with the Canadian Pacific railroad, and acting as tenders for the China mail ships trading from Vancouver.

So much for the south side. On the north side, across Burrard inlet, are myriad islands and inlets destined to be the seat of a fishery trade as important as the bone of contention owned by eastern Canada, not to mention lumber and minerals.

All these places, north and south, find their natural focus at Vancouver, the head of navigation and the terminus of the only transcontinental line of the continent—belonging to a single company—the Canadian Pacific.

Poisoned by a Cyclone.

The family of Tunis Prewitt, living at La Grange, Ky,, thirty miles from Louisville, was attacked by a violent disorder a week ago which puzzled the physicians, says a Louisville, Ky., spec-ial to the Chicago Tribune. Despite and while away from home on his long trips | ind to the Chicago Tribune. Despite the wife now and then chose stranger gods. every effort two of the daughters died These reports came to the ears of the husband, but he having implicit confidence in the are at the point of death. Dr. Porter are at the point of death. Dr. Porter says the affliction is the result of "tornado poisoning." His idea is that some poisonous matter had been brought from an unknown quarter by the recent tornado and deposited where it would inoculate the Prewitt family. He thinks the disease germs were carried by the eyelone on some debris from an epidemic stricken community, probably hundreds of miles from Louisville.

Died to Please His Wife.

J. S. Skidmore, a well known architeet and engineer, was found dead in his office recently. A letter was found on his desk explaining that he had taken his life because his wife had frequently wished he was dead and he did it to gratify her, says a New York World Fort Smith, Ark., special. He had taken twelve grains of morphine. Skidmore was given to drinking at times, and was intoxicated when he took his life. He was a man of considerable means and his wife a most estimable woman.



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