THE LITTLE FELLOW NEVER WHIMPERED.

A Gasoline Stove at Beatrice Explodes Pender Farmers Jubilant -The Crete Assembly-An Old Xenia Resident Dies.

Niorrara, Neb., June 18.—[Special to The Ber.]—A ten-year-old boy of Vac Hvizdalek, a Bohemian merchant here, had one entire cheek bitten out yesterday by a vicious horse hitched in front of the store, the animal eating the flesh. The little fellow underwent the surgical operation with scarcely a moun.

An Old Resident Dies.

SPRINGFIELD, Neb., June 18.—[Special to The Bee.]—Martha A. Bates, one of the oldest residents of Sarpy county, died at her home at Xenia, five miles southwest of this place yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Bates was born in Geneseo county, New York, October 6, 1816, and was seventy-four years old at the time of her death. She was a second cousin of ex-Secretary Salmon P. Chase, and moved to this county with her husband and family in 1859. She leaves a large circle of friends In 1899. She haves a large circle of friends and a family of seven children, her husband having preceded her some two years ago. She is the mother of Dr. H. Y. Yates of Council Bluffs. Mrs. Bates will be buried at Xenia tomorrow afternoon. Rev. C. W. Savidge of Omaha will officiate.

A Hotel Burns.

ALDION, Neb., June 18 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-A fire broke out in the Commercial hotel at 9:30 a. m. It originated at the east chimney and had run throughout the whole length of the roof before it was detected. The firemen responded quickly to the alarm and were soon at work, and were successful in saving the building from complete destruction. The roofs on the main building and wing were destroyed. The furniture was gotten out, but much of it was damaged. The house was insured for \$3,000. Some insurance will no doubt be allowed for damages done, yet it will be a great detri-ment to the proprietor, who has only been running the house a few months, and was building up a good business and giving good satisfaction.

Funeral Directors Meet.

Grand Island, Neb., June 18.—[Special Telegram to The Ber.]—The fifth annual meeting of the Nebraska State Funeral Directors' association commenced its session is the Grand Army of the Republic hall today. Following are some of the most prominent members present: James Heaton, Lincoln; M. Ried, Hastings; Bohne & Ryan, J. C, 'royer & Son, Grand Island; L. T. V. Tay-lor, Red Cloud; W. E. Ryan, Beatrice; J. Bodman, DeWitt; Henry Boesk, Platts-mouth; T. H. Brasser, Nebraska City; F. J. Switz, Koarney; F. J. Rodemacher, Crete; E. B. Warner, North Platte; J. A. Price & Son, Omaha, and about twenty-five others from the smaller towns in Nebruska. There were fifty applicants elected mem-

The officers of the present year are: George Brown, Superior, president; James Hezton, Lincoln, secretary and treasurer; F. J. Switz, Kearney; H. M. Humman, Fremont; H. Boesk, Plattsmouth, vice presidents. President Brown delivered the annual address. Closed doors prevents giving inside details. Prof. George H. Shrive of Boston, a member of the Egyptian chemical company, is in attendance, and will give a series of lectures and illustrations.

Various Matters at Hastings. Hastings, Neb., June 18,-[Special to THE BEL.]-S. H. Mosher, for eleven years agent of the Northwestern at Neligh, succeeds Mr. C. H. Hatchett as agent of the Northwestern in this city.

Theodore Banersachs left last evening for Cedar Rapids, Ia., with his famous trotter, Prince McMahon, which he has entered in the 2:34 and free-for-all trot. This is the horse that created such a furore in Deuver

recently
C. E. Styles, general passenger and ticket
agent of the Missouri Pacific at Atchison, was in the city yesterday, and in conjunction with Mr. Wycoffe is working to secure better night service out of Hastings.

The enumerators in this city in one or two

districts will not be able to complete their work before next week owing to the foreign element which predominates in these wards, Enumerator Fred Martin, who was inprelast evening while crawling under a freight train across Hastings avenue, sustaining a fracture of the left arm, is resting easily this morning. He was not knocked down or run over as reported.

Political Meeting at Hastings.

HASTINGS, Neb., June 18 .- [Special Telegram to This BES. |-The republican central committee of the Second congressional district was called to order today by Chairman Bostwick in the parlors of the Bostwick hotel. Secretary Stark being absent, Judge Abbott of Hayes county was appointed to fill the vacancy. By a motion of Sedgwick of York county the congressional convention will be held July 30 in Hastings. Mr. Carried of Lamborn, Red Willow county, moved that no proxies be admitted to

the convertion. General Dilworth of Seward county and Sedgwick of York entered into a lively discussion as to the advisability of admitting proxies and alternates. It was finally recommended that proxies be allowed. The motion of Sedgwick, recommending that alternates be admitted, carried.

The Crete Assembly.

CRETE, Neb., June 18 .- (Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-As the time for the assembly draws near new features are being de veloped. Yesterday it was almost absolutely fixed that Madam Carrington, who sang so admirably and captivated every one last year will be here again during the whole session

Miss Ida L. Chapin of Chicago will also be here throughout the whole assembly and will give lessons in oil painting and out-of-door sketching. This is a new feature and one that will be appreciated by all lovers of art. The departments of music and art will be doubly attractive this year. Other features are being arranged and will be announced

A Gasoline Stoves Explodes. BEATRICE, Neb., June 18 .- [Special Tele gram to The Bee. |-The residence of George

Smith at West Beatrice was damaged by a gasoline explosion to a considerable extenthis morning. The vapor had escaped through the burner during the night and upon Smith attempting to light the stove this morning an explosion followed. Smith escaped with trifling injury. The interior of the room was completely charred by the fire. Granted an Extension.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., June 18.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The census enumerators for Nebraska City have been unable to complete their work in the allotted time and an extension of twenty-four hours has been granted by Mr. Cooke. A meeting of citizens was held at the board of trade rooms tonight to assist the enumerators in securing a large number of names that were missed.

An Important Transfer. NEBRASKA CITY, Nob., June 18.- [Special

Telegram to THE BEE. |-Information received from Chicago says that the English syndicate known as the City of London Contract company has purchased the Chicago packing and provision company's large houses in this city. The consideration is not given. The packing houses will continue without inter-

A Comfortable Increase. BEATRICE, Neb., June 18 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The census enumeration of this city was concluded this evening and the figures, though not coming up to the expectation of the enthusiasts, show a very comfortable increase in the city's population. The sum total of the four wards is 14,312.

village proper fell far below the most conservative estimates. The returns show only 302. The incorporation fails to "take in" many who do business in the town and the total, including these, will reach 750.

Always in the Saddle.

Four Romisson, Neb., June 18 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-Troop F, Ninth cavalry, St. Edman's, received orders at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon to proceed at once to Beaver Creek, Wyoming territory, to investigate the cause of the alarm of the inhabitants of that vicinity, who claim to be in danger from a band of manrading Cheyennes, who are charged with killing cattle and threatening to kill the ranchmen in that neighbor

nood.
This troop was out of the garrison with fifteen days rations and forage in just two and one-half hours after receiving their order, which shows that the cavalry are always in the saddle whenever there is work for them.

Almost a Total Loss. VALPARAISO, Neb., June 18.- | Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-This afternoon a farm house belonging to E. T. Roberts, about two miles southeast of town, burned together with all household goods and a fine library. Cause, a defective flue. Loss about \$1,800

with only small insurance. A Fourteen Inning Game.

Lincoln, Neb., June 18 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The Lincoln giants today won their second game from Ulysses by a core of 4 to 3, fourteen innings. The feature of the game was the battery work of Castone and Mauphin and the hitting of Carr, Taylor and Lewis.

Jim Laird Will Have a Monument. Hasrings, Neb., June 18.-[Special Telegram to Tue Bee |- The matter of erecting monument to the memory of Hon. James Laird is left in the hands of the district cenral committee and three members from Hastings.

Pender Farmers Jubilant, PENDER, Neb., June 18 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-Pender was visited last night by a heavy rain, hall and electrical storm. The hall did little or no damage to the corn. Crops are looking fine and the farmers are jubilant.

The Water Was Shallow. GRANT, Neb., June 18.- Special Telegram

to THE BEE. |—A canoe containing D. J. Fink, C. G. Woods and C. C. Williams capsized while they were rowing on the lake today. The water was shallow and they were finally

Knox County Republican Convention. NIOBRARA, Neb., June 18 .- | Special to THE Bgg.]—The republican county central com-mittee yesterday made a call for a convention to be held at Yerdigre July 19. There will be forty-one delegates.

The Contract Let.

WYMORE, Neb., June 18.—[Special to The Brg.]—It is reported that E P. Reynolds of this city has secured the contract for build-ing the Missouri Pacific line from Union to

IOWA NEWS.

Shot a Peeping Tom.

BLOOMFIELD, Ia., June 18.-[Special Telegram to The Bee. | During the performance of some amateur theatricals at Belknap, Ia., Monday night, a number of young men were discovered peeping into the dressing room of one of the leading ladies. They were warned to leave the place and did depart, but shortly afterwards returned and began to annoy the young lady when she was changing her cos-tume. Becoming greatly provoked the lady procured a property pistol, and loading it with soap and blank cartridge let fly at the skulkers. The load took effect in the person of a young blood named Tool, whose clothing and flesh were filled with soap, causing him to run away howling with pain and mortifica-tion. The young fellow, in order to get even, had the lady arrested and brought to this city for trial before Justice Horn. When the jus-tice heard the evidence in the case he immediately dismissed it, using some very strong language in reprimanding the young man. He intimated that something harder than soap in the pistol would have done more satisfactory service. The young man is not seriously in-

A Row Over Prohibition.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., June 18 .- | Special Teleram to THE BEE. |-There was a lively row at the convention of Linn county republicans at Marion today over the prohibition question. The committee on resolutions presented two reports. The majority report favored a continuation of prohibition, and the minority report resolved that the republican party shall live though prohibition dies. A motion to substitute the minority report for the ma-jority report was voted down by a vote of 50 to 30, and after a long wrangle all resolutions, including the one declaring for prohibition, were tabled by a vote of 45 to 42. Bad blood was brewing, and an adjournment was taken as soon as possible to prevent further trouble.

Original Package Joints Raided. DES MOINES, Ia., June 18 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The searchers this morning began on the original package houses on warrants charging the proprietors with owning and keeping liquors and being concerned in their local sale. A number of places were visited and all the liquor not in original packages was seized. The searchers then ordered the proprietors out, closed and locked the doors and carried off the keys. It

is understood they only intend molesting the dealers who break original packages. An Electric Motor Accident.

DES MOINES, Ia., June 18 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The brake on an electric car refused to act this morning and the car came flying down Fourth street at a terrible rate of speed. It was raining very hard and the track was under water. Fourteen passengers were on board, all badly frightened and all afraid to jump. At the foot of the bill the car jumped the track and was badly wrecked on the curbing. Nabody was burt.

Their escape was miraculous

Supposed to Have Drowned. DAVENPORT, Ia., June 18 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-It is supposed that Frank, the twelve-year-old son of Dennis Clooney of this city, has been drowned in the Missouri river. He went on an errand with a horse and wagon early Sunday morning and did not return. The vehicle has been found in the river with the dead horse attached to

it. The river was dragged without success.

BEATRICE, Neb., June 18.- Special Tele gram to The Bee.]-The new trial of William Carson, colored, for the killing of Chaunce West at a negro dance in this city in May 1889, was begun in the district court today.

Business Changes.

BEATRICE, Neb., June 18 .- (Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-T. L. Mandlove today disposed of his extensive dry goods interest in this city to N. B. Falconer of Omaha, by whom the store will continue to be operated

Postponed the Hearing.

Iowa Cirv, In., June 18 .- Judge Fairall to day, by consent of counsel on both sides, postponed the hearing of the injunction case against the lowa rallway commissioners until

State University Commencement. Iowa Ciry, Ia., June 18.—The commence nent exercises of the state university closed today with forty-three graduates in the collegiate department.

By a Strict Party Vote. Washington, June 18,-The house commit

tee on the election of president and vice president and representatives to congress today formally decided to report to the house, with some amendments, the federal election bill agreed upon in the republican caucus Monday

A Florida Mayor Assaulted.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., June. 19.-Mayor Mo Quaid was brutally assaulted with a billy and seriously injured by City Marshal Wiggins yesterday. Charges of official misconduct were The Returns Didn't Pan Out.

Harrisoron, Neb., June 18.—[Special to Supposed he held Mayor McQuaid responsible for them. Wiggins escaped.

AT THE FOOT OF A CANYON.

There Lies Hot Springs of Dakota and Her

Soothing Waters.

RIPPLING STREAMS, CLEAR AS CRYSTAL.

Graphic Description of a Fourteen-Mile Ride By Newspaper Boys Over the Mountains and

Through the Vales.

Hor Springs, S. D., June 17 .- Special to THE BEE. |-The members of the B. & M. special newspaper excursion took a fourteenmile coach drive over the mountains vesterday in order to inspect the famous hot springs of this region. The town of Hot Springs lies at the bottom of a canyon, surrounded on each side by steep and precipitous hills. The scenery on entering this canyon is magnificent. Overhanging crags of a concrete-like formation threaten to fall at the slightest jar. This composition stone consists of large pebbles and other rock firmly cemented together as if by volcanic action. On the mountain sides the bright red gypsum soil frequently crops out, lending color to the view. Along the side of the canon runs a stream clear as crystal, rippling over its stony bed. This is Fall river, which gives its name to the county of which Hot Springs is the county seat.

The town itself comprises about one thousand inhabitants and is built mainly of wood. The line of building extends over a long narrow strip of land almost to the head of the canyon, yet the area is increasing, as quite a number of residences are being built upon the plateau above. Some of these are of sand-stone, of which a fine quality is found in the immediate neighborhood. There are several varieties. Some of it has a bright red color, presumably from the gypsum incorporated in it. Again it is a light pink, such as is used in the Gillespie; at other points it assumes a

white or creamy yellow hue.

Several public buildings are under construction. The Soldiers' home for South Dakota has been located at Hot Springs and is now nearing completion. It is a handsome white sandstone structure surmounting the crest of a hill, presents a massive style and consists of four stories, the last having a mansard roof. Not far from this is the Meth odist college for the Black Hills country. I is a neat, square building consisting of a white sandstone superstructure resting upon a creamy base of the same material. It is three stories in height and will be open next fall for the reception of students of both sexes. The stone is cut in rectangular blocks with a rough face finish. This college has been endowed with a large tract of land, a part of

which has been sold in order to furnish the money for running expenses.

Hot Springs has not yet been developed in muny branches of industry, but one of its interesting features is its stucco factory. This is manufactured from the white gypsum which lies upon the hills toward the north. It is visible at some distance, giving the appearance of snow. From these beds the pieces are gathered for transportation to the works in the town. No brick whatever is made in Hot Springs, that material being used for chimneys only. Brick is much more expensive than stone on account of the great distance from which it must be

Northeast of these gypsum beds rises a huge mountain to which the inhabitants ascribe a bit of Indian history. It is said that long before the white man set his foot within these valleys the medicinal properties of the springs were recognized by the Indians, and these lands were the highly prized terri-tory of the Cheyennes. But soon the Sioux came into power and yearned for the waters which were able to cure all their diseases and so they marched against their brethren. One party climbed up one side of this hill, the other passed up the opposite side, and then they met on the top of the mountain and fought long and flercely for the possession of the sur-rounding territory. Hence to this day the place is called Battle mountain. The Sioux were victorious. All this is said to have happened nearly fifty years ago, although it is claimed that the ruins of a stockade may still be seen upon the summit.

On every side of Battle mountain the hills and buttes rise to a considerable height. Hot springs proposes to celebrate Independence day in a novel manner and so novel manner ted stands up erected upon buttes, situated one upon each of the canon. These are loftv and of the canon. These are to serve the speakers in the day time, but at night the inhabitants intend to illuminate the whole ravine by a tremendous display of

Yet it is the springs and mineral waters which have made Hot Springs attractive. Besides the famous hot springs, the water is in some places tinged with the taste of sulphur and of salt, but the former are in greater abundance. They are found all along one side of the ravine and the same water is obtained from wells sunk in the plateau upon that side of the canon. The temperature varies from lukewarm to 90 or 96 degrees. The main

springs discharge finally into Fall river.
This river is formed by the junction of two small streams which unite after flowing about two sides of the same mountain. The one to the right is called Cold creek, that to the left Hot creek. These names are appropriately Hot creek. These names are appropriately applied, for the water of one is entirely cold, and the springs of the other well-forth warm water. This can only be explained by the theory of volcanic action.

Where the water discharge is sufficient for bathing purposes bath houses have been built and furnished with individual marble tubs. Those who undergo treatment usually take a daily bath in this water, besides imbibing a a huge quantity of it internally. On one bank of Hot creek's large plunge bath has been constructed. The basin is rectangular, extending a distance of eighty bet and varying in depth from six to four feet. The bottom of deposited pebbles can be seen distinctly through the water. Here the temper ature almost reaches blood heat.

Quite a number of people from all parts of the country come to Hot Springs to reap the benefit of its situation. It is becoming not only a summer but also a winter resort, inasmuch as the city, surrounded on all sides by high mountains, does not suffer from as great cold or snows as is usual in other parts of South Dakota. With the advent of the Elkhorn railroad access to the town will be much easier. Besides this the Deadwood branch of the Burlington line runs within ten miles of Hot Springs and a spur line to this place

is in contemplation.

Hot Springs seems to be quite a resort for Omaha people. Among those which the Omaha people. Among those which the hotel registers show to have been here thus far during June are: At the Gillespie, W. H. Franklin, E. E. Stewart, J. A. Kellar, J. E. Carson; at the Minnekahta, C. O. Hoagland, W. B. Hogan; at the Sanatorum, G. H. Cheever, W. H. Duncan.

Cowboys Killed by Indians.

El Paso, Tex., June 18 .- A freight crew which arrived over the Southern Pacific road report that when they arrived at Sepore station, N. M., yesterday, they found the town wild with excitement over the arrival of a cowboy, who had just reached there from a ranch ten miles north, where he and ten other men camped. He stated that last night a band of Indians surprised them and shot them down. He thought there were about thirty Indians. The cowboys had been abed but a short-time when the attack was made. Some of them were armed, but gid not have their guns handy, not expecting to find Indians on the warpath in that section. He saw three men drop and thinks the rest shared the same fate. A posse has gone after

Arkansas Democratic Nominees. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 18.—The demoratic state convention nominated: For governor, James P. Eagle; secretary of state, B. Schlsin; auditor, W. S. Dunlap; attorney general, W. F. Atkinson; superintendent of public instruction, J. H. Shinn; treasurer, R. B. Morrow; land commissioner, C. B. Meyers; commissioner of agriculture, M. F.

Fatal Election Fight.

BAYOU SARA, La., June 18.—The election for tate senator yesterday was hotly contested. As the result of a fight is the Niath ward Hillard Richardson and Edward Taylor, prominent young men, were fatally injured. FAST TIME BY SUNOL.

Bonner's Four-Year - Old Makes a Quarter in 31 1-5.
TERRE HALLE, Ind., June 18,—A distinguished party of lovers of light harness horses, consisting of Robert Bonner, C. J. Hamlin, Hamilton Bushby and W. R. Allen, which arrived 'yesterday, were treated to a genuine surprise this morning. Bonner came here to see his great four-year-old filly, Sunol, now in Charles Marvin's hands for training. Marvin gave the filly an easy mile about 9 o'clock and an hour later brought her out

an hour later brought her out again. She was jogged the reverse way of the track, taken back of the half-mile post and headed for home. The first quarter was an easy one, but at the three-quarter pole Marvin gave Sunol her head. She came so smoothly that few supposed it would be a very fast quarter, Faster and faster she came around the turn and in a breath almost she had done the quarter in 31 1-5 came around the turn and in a breath almost she had done the quarter in 31 1-5 seconds, or at the rate of 2:04 4-5 for a mile. Nine watches caught the time and all agreed precisely. There was suppressed excitement among the spectators and joy in Bonner's face. The track was soft with exercise and the harrow and in no condition for fast trials. All the horsemen daily that the trials are claim that the last quarter was at least a sec-ond slower than the third quarter, and that had the track been prepared for fast work Sunol could have stepped the third quarter in thirty seconds.

WESTERN PACKING INTERESTS.

Operations Show a Slightly Larger

Number of Hogs. CINCINNATI, O., June 18.- Special Tele gram to The Beg.]-Tomorrow's Price Current will say: Packing operations in the west have been only moderately reduced the past week in the aggregate, and show a slightly larger number of hogs in comparison with the corresponding period last year, the week's total being 310,000, against 300,000 a year ago, making an aggregate of 3,875,000 since March 1, against 3,350,000 last year. The leading places compare as follows:

Citios.	1830	1889
Chicago	1,320,000	1.060,00
Knnsns City	585,000	560,00
Omalia	835,000	293,00
St. Louis	175,000	228,00
Indianapolis	145,000	136,00
Cincinnati	104,000	90.00
Milwaukee	140,000	124.00
Sloux City	186,000	145.00
Cedar Rapids	122,000	99.00
Wichita	90,000	31.00
Nebraska City	68,000	59,00
All Others	60,000	50,00

Nebraska, lowa and Dakota Pensions Washington, June 18.-[Special Telegram to The Beg. |-Pensions were granted to Nebraskans today as follows: Original-Nathan S. Bristol, Hot Springs; Benjamin F. Parkhurst, Ravenna; Ezekiel Vincent, Hastings. Increase-Martin Van Buren Rice, Neligh; Judson A. Hall, Newport; Beujamin Dye, Chapman; James Clark, Battle Creek; John W. Williams, Geneva; Amos Graham, Kearney; Alex McKee, Broken Bow.

İowa: Restoration—Charles M. Brown, Clearfield, Increase—Robert McClintock, Clearfield. Increase—Robert McClintock, Charles City; Jackson C. Hupp, Guthrie Ceutre: Martin Miner, Corning; David C. Hearne, Missouri Valley; John W. McMeans, Maquoketa; John McQuilkin, Laporte City; Thomas J. Warner, Keokuk; Henry S. Bow-ers, New Hall; J. Bilsand, Rockwell; Alleu C. Cartney, Mount Pleasant; Henry Durkee, Charles City; Richard H. Buckley, Valeria; Lewis Cavenna, Des Moines: Nathan H. Snmmerbill, Dunlam; Star B. Welcher, Star. Lewis Cavenna, Des Moines: Nathan H. Summerbill, Dunlap; Star B. Welcher, Star. Reissue—William D, Hatch, Northwood, Reissue and increase—William Fischer, Marshalltown; Jacob Woodward, Des Moines. Original widow—Nancy, widow of James H. Krown, Clearfield.

South Dakota; Original invalid—George M. Nelson, Wilmot; Robert H. F. Shufelt, Jefferson. Increase—Daniel Price, Cort-land; Israel S. Welch, Watertown. Reissue —Ole Sjurson, Norden. Original widows, etc.-Mary, widow of George M. Nelson,

American Prize Winners.

BREMEN, June 18.—The American prize winners in the shooting contest are: First bird-Raddoff, gold crown; Martin Fricken, imperial globe; and Zimmerman, the champion of North America. Second bird-Schroe der, sceptre and tail, two prizes. All the foregoing are New Yorkers. At the Bremen field target Jordon of New York made 215 points, Utschig of San Francisco 359 and Jacoby of San Francisco 383. At the Weserfield target Zimmerman was 58 rings, Schroe der 55, Jacoby 50 and Busse of New York 38.

An Interesting Find.

LUSK, Wyo., June 18 .- | Special to THE BEE.]-Miss Laura Bradley, a teacher in Laramie county, while having a picnic with her pupils on Arbor day, found two silver medals of the same size and bearing the same inscription.

On one side of each medal is the profile of Thomas Jefferson and beneath it the date 1801. The reverse sides are ornamented with a large Indian pipe and tomahawk crossed. The word friendship is clearly outlined be

The Weather Forecast. For Omaha and vicinity-Fair weather For Nebraska and Iowa-Fair weather, followed in eastern Nebraska and Iowa by showers; stationary temperature, except in eastern lown and slightly cooler in northern Nebraska: variable winds. For South Dakota—Fair weather, followed by showers; slightly cooler; variable winds.

Brakemen Strike. PITTSBURG, Pa., June 18 .- The through brakemen on the Pittsburg, Virginia & Charleston railroad struck today for the same wages the Pennsylvania pays on its other branches. All through traffic is sus pended.

Commencement at Rutgers College. NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., June 18.-This was mmencement day at Rutgers college. The endowment fund has been increased by \$60,000 and Garrett Wynants, Bergen Point, N. J., presented deeds for a \$100,000 dormitory.

Eyrand Sleeps Tranquilly.

CHICAGO, July 18.-Yesterday afternoon the other carrier pigeons taken on the steame Lafayette returned to this city. They brought a dispatch saying: "Eyrand sleeps tran-quilly and looks resigned to his fate."

Still Striking at Cleveland. CLEVELAND, O., June 18 .- Notwithstanding the rumors of Tuesday that an attempt would be made to resume operations in the railway yards this morning, no work was done by the

switchmen on any road. Ohio Prohibitionists. COLUMBUS, O., June 18,-The prohibition state convention met today. Candidates for congress were named in eight districts.

The others will be named tomorrow Another Fire Damp Explosion. Pittshuno, Pa. June 18. - By an explosion of fire damp in the Milesville coal mines yesterday Samuel Carney and two sons were badly burned, perhaps finally.

Von Caprivi Honored. BERLIN, June 18:- Special Cablegran to THE BEE. |- Emperor William has conferred the decoration of the order of the black eagle upon Chancellor von Caprivi. Five More Deaths from Cholera.

Madnin, June 18 .- There have been fiv

The disease is decreasing in Velencia. No minated for Congress. CAIRO, Ill., June 18 .- W. S. Morris of Gala conds was nominated for congress at the democratic convention here today

Gold for Europe. NEW YORK, June 18 .- Five hundred thousand dollars in gold has been ordered for shipment to Europe tomorrow.

The Paris Bourse Depressed. Pants, June 18 .- The bourse was depressed wing to fears that cholera will reach this

MASONS BY THE HUNDRED.

They Come from All Parts of Nebraska to

the Grand Lodge.

Questions Having a Direct Bearing on the Peace and Harmony of the Craft to Come Up

For Consideration.

PROSPECTS OF A LIVELY SESSION.

The grand lodge A. F. & A. M. of Nebraska convened in annual session at 4 o'clock vesterday afternoon.

The attendance was much larger than usual owing to the vital importance of the questions which will come up for consideration. Members of the order were in attendance who had not attended a session of the grand lodge for years. All had come with the avowed intention of taking part in the discussion which will be had upon the questions to be presented to the grand lodge. These questions have a direct bearing upon the peace and harmony of the craft in this jurisdiction, and the grand lodge will weigh the matter very carefully before taking action.

The lodge was opened in due form by Grand Master Mercer at 4 o'clock and a committee appointed to make arrangements for laying the cornes stone of the new city hall

this afternoon.

The grand master then proceeded to read his address to the grand lodge. It was a very lengthy document, containing thirty-nine pages in minion and nonpareil type, twentytwo of these pages being devoted to the con-sideration of Scottish Rite Masonry in No braska. The grand master then reviewed a length his action upon this question, justifying his course and controverting the report of Luka A. Lockwood to the grand master of Connecticut on the resolution passed by the grand lodge at its last session. He concluded by asking the grand lodge to adopt such resolutions on the question as would leave no room for doubt as to their meaning.

The lodge then adjourned until 8 o'clock.
When the lodge was opened in the evening the hall was filled to suffocation. A large number of delegates had come in from the outside towns, and a great many were present from the city. A few minor matters were referred to committees and the lodge adjourned until this

Among those who are in attendance at the Among those who are in attendance at the grand lodge were noticed P. G. M. Hayes of Norfolk, P. G. M. France of York, P. G. M. Hill of Nebraska City, P. G. M. Hastings of Lincoln, P. G. M. Rees of Lincoln, P. G. M. Valentine of West Point, Judge Davis of Blair, Cyrus Hunter of Wakefield, F. E. White Plattsmouth, F. H. Gilerest, Kearney, Judge S.

held, F. E. White Plattsmouth, F. H. Gilerest, Kearney; Judge S. M. Chapman, Plattsmouth; L. P. Gillette, Beatrice; R. E. French, Kearney; E. F. Warren, Nebraska City; Lewis A. Kent, Minden; ex-Governor Robert W. Furnas, Brownsville; W. T. Scott, Kearney; O. F. Hillhouse, Creighton; Attorney-General Leese, Lincoln; C. H. Shummel, Grand Island; O. F. Turner, Fremont, and many others.

There are nearly six hundred delegates to the grand lodge, and this is largely aug-mented by those who are not delegates, but are drawn thither as interested parties in all that concerns the craft.

O. E. S. Grand Officers.

The following officers were elected by the grand chapter, Order Eastern Star, yesterday afternoon: Mrs. E. J. Scott, Osceola, G. W. M.; Thomas Batterton, Omaha, G. W. P.; Mrs. J. B. Bruner, Omaha, G. A. M.; A. Roberts, Rising, G. A. P.; H. A. Guild, Lincoln, G. S.; Edwin Davis, Omaha, G. T.; Mrs. E. M. Steele, Hebron, G. C.; Mrs. F. E. Coon, Omahu, G. A. C.

After the close of the afternoon session all

the delegates were driven about the city in a couple of Jim Stephenson's tally-ho coaches at the invitation of W. N. Nason, the retiring

grand worthy patron.

The evening session was taken up by the degree work, which was followed by refresh-

Several People Mourn the Disappearance of "Drs." French and Miller. There are several hundred peofilled with grief over the thought of having been taken in by a pair of smooth schemers. About three weeks ago two men, one tail, the other short and fat, came to Omaha, secured rooms on Douglas street, advertised themselves quite liberally and commenced treating

TAKEN IN BY QUACKS.

people afflicted with catarrh and other chronic Last Tuesday they disappeared, and since then no one has been able to ascertain what became of them. Their scheme worked well, probably three hundred, principally poor and

easily guilled persons, being taken in, and they got away with something like \$2,000. The treatment consisted of free examina-tions, a charge of \$6 cash in advance for medicine and profuse promises of sure cures, three months' doctoring without anything extra, and many other things that an hones physician would not think of doing. The long one called himself Dr. French, and the short one went under the name of Dr. Miller. Where they came from is a mystery. Shortly before their arrival in Omaha

a gang of traveling quacks was run out of St. Louis, and it is supposed that they be-longed to it. While here two or three strangers with whom they seemed to be on intimate terms, and whom they addressed as doctors visited and were with them a day or two at : Dr. French left last Sunday on the preten tion that he had been summoned to

town not far away to perform a very difficult and dangerous surgical operation. The other one left Tuesday evening. Yesterday about fifty of the victims called to see them, and upon learning that they had gone were very much disappointed.

A DEACONNESS HOSPITAL.

Steps Taken to Establish One in This City. There was an important meeting held at the First Methodist church last night, the ob-

ject of which was to listen to a lecture by Mrs. L. Ryder Myer upon the advisability of building a (Methodist deaconness hospital in this city. The large reception room of the church was comfortably filled, and at the close of the meeting it was unanimously de ided to at once begin the work of establish-

The plan outlined by the speaker was to conduct the work under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal church, establish a temporary hospital, and as soon as the ends would justify purchase grounds and erect a build This movement has been discussed by the church for several months, but until now the

movers have never arrived at any fixed conclusion. The idea now is to have the tal ready to receive patients as early as the first of October. It will be a general hospi-tal, open to all creeds and will be supported by the church, though there will be pay wards for those who are able to pay. The care of the sick will be under the supervision of a number of trained nurses from the deaconness schools of the east.

Not Enumerated. At 701 Webster street there are sixteen mer who have not been enumerated.

Decided Not to Agree. The celebrated grain case, in which Elmer

dorf, Walter & Co. of Lincoln were sued by McHeer & Co., the Chicago brokers, was dismore deaths from cholera at Puebla de Rugat. posed of in the federal court last evening. After being out forty-eight hours the jury decided not to agree. The men were brought before Judge Dundy and discharged. Didn't Want to Be Counted.

> who did not want to be counted. He is the proprietor of the American house, and when Enumerator Tompkins called yesterday he refused to be seen. A warrant was issued and the man was placed under arrest.

Joseph Weirhorlinger was unother man

A Sudden Death. Mrs. C. W. Swanson, Twenty-eighth and Webster streets, died very suddenly yester- 1 with the world's fair

day morning. The day before she had been down town, returning to her home just at dusk. Four hours later she was a corpse.

POVERTY AND SICKNESS.

They Lead Ora Ashton to Attempt to

Take Her Own Life. Ora Ashton, a young girl who came to this city some six months ago from Fort Madison last night took forty of laudunum with suicidal intent. Poverty and sickness was the cause Poverty and sickness was the cause of her attempt to take her life. She lived in a hovel in the alley north of Cass, and between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets. Owing to the fact that she took an overdose she will probably live.

At 10 o'clock City Physician Gapen was telephoned, but he refused to attend the case, stating that it properly belonged to Dr.

stating that it properly belonged to Dr. Kehoe, the county physician. Dr. Kehoe was then telephoned, but he was not found, though his assistant refused to attend, giving as his reason that the case belonged to Dr

Dr. McManigal was called, but was in different until his fees were guaranteed by the policeman on the beat and the newspaper reporters.
At 1 o'clock this morning Dr. McManigal put in an appearance and relieved the girl's

A New Pastor. Rev. Dr. Ware of Clinton, Mo., has accepted the call of the Second Presbyterian thurch of Omaha and will soon remove with his family to this city. Dr. Ware is a nephew of Associate Justice Miller of the nephew of Associate Justice Miller of the United States supreme court and is a pleasant, genial gentleman of fine presence. His coming will be heartily welcomed not only by his congregation but by the general church

A New Bank. It is rumored that a new state bank, with \$100,000 paid up capital, will be organized soon and open for business on North Sixteenth street, taking the place of the branch National Bank of Commerce. The new bank will virtually be a branch or connection of a leading down town national bank, and its of-fleers will expect to obtain a majority of the deposits from North Omaha.

A Wife Beater Sentenced. Preston L. Reeve, the paper hanger who Wednesday night varied the monotony of every-day life by beating his wife, was tried and convicted in the police court yesterday,

after which he was sent up to the county jail to do a term of thirty days. The Veteran Firemen. The veteran firemen met at the police court coom last evening and after transacting the

isual routine business decided to go in a body to the Plattsmouth tournament. PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

R. H. Palmer of Minden is at the Paxton. E. O. Hostetter of Shelton is at the Paxton. H. H. Wilson of Lincoln is at the Paxton. George Adams of Talmage is at the Merch-F. G. Dana of Fremont is a guest at the

J. H. Dempster of Geneva is a guest at the C. A. Hammond of Niobrara is at the

D. K. Rinehard of Fullerton is at the P. W. Hays of Humboldt is stopping at the Millard. J. W. Harris of Hastings is a guest at the

P. M. Green of Aurora is registered at the

Edward E. Lawrence of McCook is at the Murray. C. H. Sloan of Fairmont is a guest at the N. J. Rouin of Fremont is a guest at the

D. A. Holmes of Norfolk is stopping at the Merchants. J. R. Allen of Osceola is registered at the Merchants. E. A. Richardson of Clarks is stopping at

J. C. White of Lincoln is among the guests W. L. May and wife of Fremont are guests at the Paxton. Charles H. Lowle of Ann Arbor is regis-

tered at the Casey. William Waterman of Hay Springs is stopping at the Millard. W. C. Mills and wife of Lincoln are registered at the Murray.

at the Richelieu in Chicago. DOWN THE MOUNTAIN SIDE. Terrible Accident on the Western North Carolina Road.

Asheville, N. C., June 18.—A terrible ac

A. B. Roeder was among Tuesday's guests

cident occurred on the Western North Carolina road, on the southern side of Saluda mountain, last night. From Saluda mountain to Melrose, about three miles, there is a fall of fully six hundred feet. Owing to this tremendous grade an engine is kept there to help trains up and down the mountains. On account of heav-rains the track was very slippery las night and when a twelve-car coal train started down the mountain it got beyond the control of the engines, with all brakes set. The speed quickened until a tremendous rate was reached, when suddenly the rails spread and the en-tire outfit plunged headlong down the mount-hin side. Engineers Slyra and Tunstell and Fireman Taylor were killed. Others of the crew escaped with broken bones and serious

Husbanding Their Resources.

Berlin, June 18 .- [Special Cablegram t THE BEE |- In the reichstag the estimates for an increase for salaries for government officials, military and naval officers was referred to the budget committee. Most of the

speakers opposed any increase of the army and navy officers' pay. Baron Maltzahn, secretary of the treasury, pointed out the necessity for creating freshources of revenue. He said it was impos sible to reduce the duties on grain. The cus-toms duties, increased 45,000,000 marks, would help to cover the 60,000,000 marks of creased expenditures which the session's

credits demand. The Anglo-German Agreement. Beelin, June 18.- Special Cablegram to The Bre. |—The Pressinnige Zeitung regards

the Anglo-German agreement as a recognition of England's preponderance in Africa to the letriment of German interests. The Fremdenblatt and other Austrian pa pers and the Riforma of Rome comment upor the fairness of the agreement and upon its removing the causes of friction between Eng-land and Germany and, therefore, tending to

Mystic Park Races. Boston, Mass., June 18.-Summary of today's races at Mystic Park

2:29 class, \$50.)—Semicolon won, Stevens

econd, Emma B third, Chenolita fourth. Best time-2:23. 2:25 pace, \$500-Miss Paulcy won, Sabatia second, Lexington Chief and Touchstone distanced, Best time -2:254, 2:23 class, 8:00 - Lottic J won, Gratz sec-ond, Arthur Wilkes third, May fourth. Best

Mad at the Whisky Trust. New York, June 18.—The wholesale liquo calers of this city are thoroughly in carnest n their fight against the whisky trust neir meeting today they decided to raise

found of \$500,000 with which to buy one or more distilleries. When fluished they will

bind themselves to seil no whisky but that

made in their own distillery.

17:39.

Cornell's Crew Wins. ITHACA, N. Y., June 18.—The Cornell-Bowoin eight-oared race this evening was won by Cornell by four lengths. Distance, three miles. Time of Cornell 17:30 1-5, and that of Bowdoin, as near as could be calculated,

International Engineers' Congress. Chicago,, June 18.—The Western Society of Engineers has decided to hold an internana) evelopers' congress here in connection

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NO EFFECT ON WALL STREET. Passage of the Silver Bill Creates

Very Little Excitement. NEW YORK, June 18 .- News of the passage by the senate of the bill providing for the free coinage of silver had no effect on the stock market and excited no influence on Wall street except among dealers in silver buillion, who regarded it with complaisance The opinions of bankers and brokers as to its ultimate effect were very diverse, but the general impression is that it means a wild inflation of the currency and an advance in every community dealt in. Russell Sage and other poople as prominent say that they look on the bill with apprehension and fear ill effects will follow its passage, Some bankers said the adoption of a free coinage measure would adoption of a free coinage measure would bring disaster and work a great injury. The effect of these unfavorable opinious put a damper on the little boom that started just after the opening and believers in an advance decided to refrain from any active move-ment intil the passage of the bill through both houses was an assured fact. Russell Sage says: "I look with apprehen-sion on the action of the senate in the passage of the free coinage bill. If the law should ever become operative it would create such

ever become operative it would create such an inflation that a panic would be sure to follow. I believe the ill effects of the law will be felt immediately on its passage, because European holders of our securities would be almost certain to throw their holdings on our market, at least all securities not payable in

John H. Inman said: "It looks to me like bad legislation. The effect can only be in-jurious. Of course there might be a tem-porary boom in business if free coinage was dropped, but the final wind up will almost

certainly be disastrous."
D. F. Doshay of Zimmerman & Doshay, bullion dealers, regarded the passage of the free coinage bill with great complaisance. "The trouble is," he said, "the house may not follow in the senate's footsteps. We want more money in this country, and free coinage is a practicable and legitimate way of securing it."

MAJOR KIMBALL.

The Court-Martial Trial Develops Evi-

dence in His Favor. Treson, Ariz., June 18.- Special Telegram to Tue Bee. |-At the court-martial trial of Major Kimball, chief quarter master of the department of Arizona, today, Colonel George H. Weeks, chief quartermaster of the de partment of Texas, a member of the court testified that it was customary for and the duty of the local quartermaster to provide quarters for the disbursing officers of his sta-tion, and the course followed by Major Kimball in the execution of leases was identical

with that pursued by him.

Major Kimball then submitted letters from Major General Nelson, A. Miles, San Francisco, and Brigadier General Grierson, Los Angeles, to the adjutant general of the army at Washington. General Grierson states that in his judgment Major Kimball has not been guilty of any negligence justifying his trial by court-martial, and he requests that the order for his trial be suspended, and that the charges against Major Kimball be investi-gated by some disinterested officer.

General Miles invites the attention of the adjutant general to papers recently forwarded to Washington showing the details of the renting of offices at Tueson. General Mile-also sets forth the nature of General Kim-ball's complaint, and calls attention to the fact that Major Kimball was ordered to Arizona when a terrible Indian war was in progress and discharged his duties with marked ability and strict fidelity. He recommends that, if his explanation is satisfactory, the secretary of war direct that further action in Major Kimball's case

The Vesuvius Went Aground. PHILADELPHIA, June 18.—The dynamite cruiser Versuvius started from League island for Brooklyn this morning. In a short time she grounded on a spit of land at the point where the Schuvlkill enters into the Delaware and could not be gotten off until late in the afternoon. She then proceeded on her

royage, and it is not known whether she was

Building Inspectors in Session.

injured or not.

CHICAGO, June 18.—Superintendents and inspectors of buildings from nine of the principal cities of the country are conferring here with a view to establishing, as far as possible, uniformity in building laws throughout the United States. Illinois Congressional Nominees. Cmcago, June 18 .- The republicans of the

nominated Representative Hitt. At Fair-burg the democrats of the Ninth district nominated W. H. Saow. One Killed and Seven Injured. Berlin, June 18 .- Special Cablegram to The Bee. | During militia practice at Swinemunde today a shell exploded while being rammed into a gun. One person was killed

Sixth Illinois district at Freeport today re-

and seven others injured. American Institute of Homospathy. WAUKESHA, Wis., June 18. - Dr. T. T. Kinne of New Jersey was elected president of the Anercan institute of homepathy today. The next meeting will be held at Atlantic City, N. J., in 1891.

At Queenstown-The Majestic, from New One Thousand People Homeless. BUDA-PESTH, June 18. The town of Felsaemisly has been burned. One person was

killed, many injured and many are missing.

Steamship Arrivals.

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At New York-The State of Nebraska,



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