WESTERN MEMBERS WERE INSTRUCTED.

The Treasury Shall Buy Four and a Half Million Onnees of Silver Monthly-Certificates Pull Legal Tender.

WASHINGTON, July 7. -- An agreement upon the silver question has practically been reached. It will provide for the parchase of 4,500,000 ounces of allver per month. No bul-Hon redemption cartificates are to be redeemable in coin and to be full legal tender. A meeting of the full conference committee has not yet been held. But as an agreement on this basis has been reached by the republican members, all that, will remain to be done at the formal meeting will be to ratify the agreement and order its report to

the senate and house.

After the first ineffectual conference last Thursday the republican members, decided an agreement could be more speedily and sutisfactorily reached by a party consultation than a conference open to both political par ties. Accordingly Senators Sherman and Jones and Representatives Conger and Walker entered about the task of drafting a compromise measure. They greatest so rapidly in this that the confere

gressed to rapidly in this that the conference substitute was completed in all essential points save one and sent, to the printer yesterday. One point left open related to the amount of silver ballion to be purchased.

Sherman, Walker and Conger thought 4,00,000 ounces monthly a fair commonise, but Jones declared for 4,700,000 ounces. Such was the state this morning when overtures were again made to Jones to never four and a quarter million owners. The western senators were in receipt of telegrams urging them to hold out for the full amount of 4,500,000 out hold out for the full amount of 4,500,000 out hold out on the full amount of 4,500,000 out hold out of the full amount of 4,500,000 out hold out on the full amount of 4,500,000 out hold out on the full amount of 4,500,000 out hold out of the full amount of 4,500,000 out hold out of the full amount of 4,500,000 out of on an order of the first amount of 450.25 on the bill. So the everture was rejected and when the proposition was made to take up the tarif bill in the senate this afternoon the silver men manifested their power to check the flow of party legislation unless their de mands were suct.

mands were not.

Soon afterward the republican members of coogress were again called together and the words "five hundred thousand" were added to the four million omess contained in the printed conference substitute and the agreement completed. Senator Sherman spent a few minutes in drafting formal a report to the senate and the motified the democratic members. Sonathen notified the democratic members. Senato Harris and Representative Bland.
The agreement was formally ratified, al-

though the democratic members refused to sign the report. The substitute pro-vides that the secretary of the treasury shall purchase from time to time silver bullion to the aggregate amount of 4,500,00 ounages or so much thereof as may be offered in each month at the market price thereof not exceeding one dollar for three hun-dred and seventy-me and twenty-five moderalths grains of pure silver. Treasury notes in payment to be re-deemable in coin and legal tender in payment of all debts, public and private, except where otherwise expressly stipulated in the contract, and be receivable for customs, taxes and all public duties upon the demand of the holder of treasury notes. The secre tary shall, under such regulations as he may prescribe, redeem such notes in gold or silver coin at his discretion, it being the es-tablished solicy of the United States to minimal the two metals on a parity with each other upon the present legal ratio or such ratio as may be provided by law. The secretary of the treas ury shall each menth coin 2,000,000 cunce the silver bullion purchased into standard silver dollars until the first day of July, 1891 ver bullion purchased as much as may be need essary to provide for the redomption of treas-ury notes. Present law is repealed.

Hot Weather and Accidents.

Take no chances on headaches or sunstroke This hot weather is fearful, but if you will take a few of Krause's Headache Capsules each day you will find the temperature will be re-duced and the likelihood of sunstroke or sale by all druggists.

The Solid South

Is solid on the great "German Remedy." Telegrams and letters are received every day during this heated term for Krause's Head-ache Capsules. The people from that section say they reduce the temperature and prevent sunstrokes and headaches. For sale by al

Now is the time, the accepted time, to prevent sunstrokes, headaches, etc. By reducing the temperature all these distressing evils will be prevented. Krause's Headache Capsules are the thing.

One or two Krause's Headache Capsules taken during the day will prevent any head-ache, also attacks of sunstroke. All druggists

Grand Lodge B. P. O. E.

CLEVELAND, O., July 7.—The grand lodge meeting of the Benevelent and Protective Order of Elks will convence tomorrow and will sit with closed doors. The most important matter to come before the meeting will be the fight which is on with New York Lodge No. 1, which has been suspended for insubordination. The trouble grew out of the grand lodge meeting being held at Cleveland, trouble about which was set forth in these dispatches a short time ago.

Stampeding for Gold.

Denves, Colo., July 7.—A special from Tin Cup, Colo., gives an account of a most wonderful discovery of gold. The find is six miles from Tis Cup on Cross mountain, and is owned by McCormick & Lewis. The lowest assay of this rock is \$44 per ton, and there are specimens which return \$2,000 in gold per ton. Two men are now taking out \$5,000 each perday. The excitement over the discovery is intense and thousands of miners are rushing into camp.

Business Troubles.

Sr. Louis, Mo., July 7.—Edmund T. Allen, representing the Farmers' loan and trust company, today filed a bill in the United States circuit court asking for a receiver to take charge of the St. Louis ore and steel company's properties. Troubles in the man agement of the company began some time ago. It owns a large amount of property in Jackson county, Illinois, besides that in Mis-

A Jealous Husband's Deed.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 7.—[Special Telegram to Tue Bee. |- Insane jealousy, induced by a request to leave her home this morning in search of work, caused Daniel Mason, colored, to shoot his wife, Sarah, in-flicting a flesh wound in the shoulder. He then blew his own brains out.

Murdered by Indians.

CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., July 7 - D. B. Spalding, clerk of the court of this county, who went on the reservation to prospect for coal, a companied by an Indian, several days ago, is reported to have been murdered by In-Great excitement prevails and a posse has been sent out.

Demand Revision.

TOPEKA, Kas., July 7 .- The grievance conmittee of conductors and brakemen of the Santa Fe system appeared before General Superintendent Sands this morning and de manded a revision of the present schedule of wages as already explained. The matter was taken under consideration.

Formally Accepted.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., July 7.—[Special Telegram to The Ben.]—The sewer system and waterworks for the exclusive use of Fort Russell were formally accepted on behalf of the government from Keefe & McGarvey, the contractors, today. The total cost of the work was \$43,000.

Ask your grocer for Cook's Extra Dry Imperial Champagne. Its boquet is delicious, and it is perfectly pure. Try it.

LOUISIANA'S SHAME.

Vigorous Words on the Lottery from Governor Nicholls. Baros Rouge, La., July 7.-Governor Nicholls this afternoon returned to the house, without approval, the famous lottery bill. In

his veto message, which is of great length, he refers to his message at the opening of the session anticipating this legislation and orging its Instant rejection for various reasons then set forth. In the present message he says his views heretofore expressed not only remain unchanged, but his convictions have deepened and

strengthened. "The persistent efforts which have been made to present Louisiana as a pauper, unable by and through her own legitimate resources to sustain and carry out the duties of her statehood are utterly without foundation. The state and the different parishes

of this state were never since the late war in better condition than they are today. They are moving forman they are today. They are moving for-ward to an era of assured prosperity, when suddenly the dark shadow of a deep disgrace is thrown across their path and the honor of Louisiana maintained in the past on the field and in the council by the patriotism and valor and sacrifices of her sons, living and died in of her sons, living and dead, is to be tarnished forever. Her position among her sister states, not by what she has been, her sister states, not by what she has been, but as a degenerate partner in a gambling corporation, designed, organized and to be carried out, not for her good or her advancement, but, as I have before smill, for the personal and selfial interests of a handful of men, and selfial interests of a handful of men,

namy of them connected with the darkes ings of the reconstruction period.
"I roped it is for them, and to them, we

are selling out our inchiring to rease, we pottage. Who are the six unnamed men who are to join with a seventh and known one to constitute the new lettery company? How comes it ware not informed as to their identity and e died to know their antecedents and fix their records? There is a world of meaning in that silvace. In the most trilling affairs of life men seek to know with whom they deal. How comes it that in a matter of this importance the general assembly has been willing up till now in close its eyes and move blindly in the mark: I call upon it to pause before it takes, finally, that step and plunges the state into untold trouble. Is there nothing significant in the two-thirds vote by which is hill has passed!

this bill has passed?

'I say to this general assembly in all carnestness that should this measure be passed
we will enter upon a series of strifes
such as has never been seen before in
Louisiana and should this contemplated corporation be formed upon an era of corruption and degradation, besides which the era of reconstruction will appear

one of honor and happiness, "And let me say to you that should this neasure be adopted and carried, in my opinoner and our liberty, Extravagance, prop is sure as night follows day. I believe at the end of twenty-five years we will not only find constitutional bonds outstanding to the utmost limit of the funding law, but. I believe there will be an additional immense interest bearing debt which by that time will be acknowledged and provided for as to interest but not as to empiral, and that in those twenty-five years a vist amount of interest will have been paid out unnecessarily, improperly and illegally. bonds will be found time will develop, the end of twenty-five years there will

the same claim of the poverty of Louisiana and the same claim on its behalf for the continued existence of the lottery."
Governor Nichols concludes with a most urgent protest against this assumed condition of poverty of the state and says the measure will continue to meet his most de-termined opposition. The bill was made a special order for tomorrow afternoon.

THE COAL RATE REDUCTION.

It will Result in the Lowering of Every Coal Tariff in the West. Circago, July 7. - [Special Telegram to Tue Bre. |-The reduction in com rates, which the St. Paul road has announced from Milwantee on July 10, will end in the reduction of every coal rate in the west whether on through shipmeets or from the Illinois and Indiana mines. The Northwestern has announced the Milwaukee rate from Spring Valley, but it will also make proportionate

rates on through shipments via Chicago, The Northwestern has heretofore insisted that Spring Valley coal should take the Chicago rate, and now the demand has turned into a two-edged sword. The Lake Superior lines are thus compelled to take the initiative. They will meet via Duluth the Northwestern's reduction via Chicago and the rates will drop 25 cents a ton at a time by e reductions of the St. Paul via Milwauke

n attempting to equalize rates.

In fighting this battle is the only way the St. Paul road can stay in the coal business. Its shipments from Milwaukee last year amounted to only 30,030 tons, but with equalized rates the St. Paul expects it to go p to 100,000 tons.

Deci ded Not to Sell. CHICAGO, July 7.-- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- It is reported that the Milwaukee & Northern railroad people have refused to renew their offer for the sale of their road to the Northern Pacific company, whose option expired July 1. They have, it is said, de-cided to keep the road themselves. The Milwankee & St. Paul is said to have made better offer for the road than Villard, and it is not accepted it is expected that a close traffic arrangement will be made between the two reads.

Legal Notice Given.

CHICAGO, July 7 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE]-All the Kansas City lines have now given legal notice of the reduction of the to Chicago to \$16.70. The reduced rate will xpire by limitation on August 17, unless comething occurs meantime to spread the de moralization. The western lines were in session all day checking rates to trans-Mis-souri points to correspond with the contemplated advance to the 70 cent basis.

A Deep Slash in Rates.

Cincago, July 7 .- | Special Telegram to The BEE.]-Owing to the low rates made from Kansas City to points in the south on provisions and packing house products, Chicago packers were almost driven out of that market. All this will be changed on July 10, however, by a deep slash in the provision rate from Chicago to points in the south, which will in all cases be 5 cents a hundred ower than the corresponding rate from Kan-

The proportion of the reduction to the roads between Chicago and the Ohie river is 4 cents, a reduction of 33% per cent on their rate. The Kansus City lines have heretofore stood by their shippers, and it is fully ex-pected by the Chicago southbound lines that they will have an expensive warfare on their hands before they are allowed the differen

Extensive Improvements.

Sr. Paul, Minn., July 7.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha and the Chicago, Milwankee & St. Paul railroads have begun extensive improvements along the east levee of the Mississippi river. Heavy retaining walls are to be built along the base of the bluffs, a large freight depot is to be built just east of the Robert street bridge, for the Omaha, and the space covered by the old Sloux City depot is to be cleared for tracks. The grading is to be carried farther out and the track room

A Novel Scheme. Curcaso, July 7.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE !- Although it is scarcely a week since President Stuyvesant Fish of the lilinois Central issued a circular letter to the employes urging them to invest their savings employes urging them to invest their savings in the stock of that corporation, the responses have been so extremely large as to indicates that the men are decidedly impressed with the proposition. Many of them indicated that they will take a certain amount of stock, the cost of which is to be deducted from their pay in monthly instalfments, and the total cost will be considerably

lessened by the dividends to which they will

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be entitled from the stock.

Mr. Fish's idea is to induce the employes of the road to take a personal interest in its earnings. Although the scheme has been successfully carried out in many manufacturing and other enterprises throughout the country it has never yet been applied to a railroad and its results in the case of the nois Central will be watched with siderable interest by the managers of the trunk lines east and west. It was stated semetime ago that the officials of the Pennsylvania railroad were contemplating putting a similar scheme into practice, but so far it has made no authorized announcement of any

Determining the Best Route.

CHICAGO, July 7 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- Colonel Clough of the Great Northern is given as an authority for the statement that the \$10,000,000 needed to extend that road from Helena to Seattle has been provided and the only delay in beginning the work is in determining which is the best of several surveyed routes The Hearing Begun.

motion before Judge Fairall to dissolve the injunction to restrain the railroad commissioners from promulgating a joint rate act against the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern began today. The attorney gen-eral's opening was brief. He was followed by counsel for the road.

Iowa City, Ia. July 7 .- The hearing of the

BIG FAILURE AT KEARNEY.

The Clothing House of F. M. Harter & Co. Gives Up the Ghost. KRARNEY, Neb., July 7. - Special Telegram to Tim Bee.] - The clothing firm of F. M. Hacter & Co., falled today; liabilities about \$10,000. On Saturday a chattel mortgage in favor of the Kearney National bank for \$3,000 was fited and this morning attachments in favor of two Buffalo firms were filed amount

ing to \$1,800. The stock was taken charge of this morning by an agent of the Kearney National bank, who will proceed to make the amount of the mortgage. Charges of fraud were preferred by the agents of the Buffalo firms.

TOWA NEWS.

Shot in a Saloon Row. Drs Motnes, In., July 7.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—James Smith, brother of a Des Meines alderman, was shot by Robert Rumbo and seriously injured last evening in a quarrel over who should pay for a few

trinks of beer which Rumto had illegally on tap. Rumbo and his wife were arcested. A Des Moines Man Suicides. Drs Moines, In., July 7.- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The dead body of a man about fifty-six years of age was found on the river bank yesterday about five miles below the city in a badly decomposed condition The body was nude, but the clothes were found a short distance away. A bullet hole through the head and a revolver near by indicated suicide. The body was identified as that of two different men, both of whom have been missing for about a week, one being Isaac McCullen of Runnells, in this county, and the other David Bacon of East Des Moines. Sons of the latter say they are

would ever return. Killed by the Cars. CEDAR RAPIDS, In., July 7.—|Special Telegram to TRE BES.]—Lew Michaels, a rail-

road employe, was run over and killed in the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern yards this morning.

ng him say that he did not know as he

The Dakota Tornado.

St. Paul, July 7.—The Pioneer Press has dispatches from many points in the vicinity of Fargo telling of farm houses, barns and outbuildings in all directions being destroyed. Trees along the river banks for miles from Furro are broken off or shorn of their foliage Wheat, as a rule, escaped. Casselton reports bridges in all directions washed out or blown away, and at Mableton nearly every building in the town sustained some damage and a number of people are slightly hurt. Dispatches from Wheatland, Durbin, Ayer and some other points tell the same story. No additional fatilities are reported, but many points are to be heard from yet. The wires are badly demolished.

The Visible Supply.

CHICAGO, July 7.—The visible supply for the week ending July 5, as compiled by the secretary of the Chicago board of trade is as

14,403,000

A Wall of Water. Canson City, Mo., July 7 .- A dam at Price's lake, between Washoe and Carson, broke last night. A wall of water thirty feet high and 100 feet wide swept trees, rocks and deposits of earth before it. Three men camping in a ravine had a narrow escape. A large flume was carried into a field two miles nway and the Virginia & Truckey road's track was covered with sand. The water finally flowed into Washoe take.

The Educational Association. St. Paul, Minn., July 7.-Tomorrow aftersoon the first session of the educational association proper will begin in St. Paul. The most conservative estimates of the number of teachers to be in attendance is 12,000, though the number may reach 15,000. The national council which has been in session for the past three days will conclude its sessions tomorrow with the election of officers and transaction of other business.

Left For St. Paul. Deadwood, S. D., July 7.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—County Superintendent Sue J. Niell left today for St. Paul to attend the meeting of the National Teachers' association. By request of a number of the lead ing citizens Miss Niell will make a strained effort to have the next national session held in Deadwood, or at least in the Black Hills,

The Weather Forecast.

For Omaha and vicinity-Fair, followed by showery weather. For Nebraska and Iowa-Fair weather, exept showers in northern Iowa, northwesterly vinds, lower temperature. For South Dakota—Cooler and fair weather,

orthwesterly winds. A Simi-Official Denial.

Benjan, July 7.—[Special Cablegram to The Bee.]—The statement published in Frezinnige Zeitung that Emperor William on his trip from Berlin to Kiel on the night of June 24, had an interview with Prince Bismarck at Schwarzenback station near Friedricks-rula is semi-officially denied.

Roard of Trade Returns. London, July 7.—[Special Cablegram to The Bee.]—Returns issued by the board of trade show that during the month of June imports increased £3,600,000 and exports increased £2,840,000 as compared with the cor-responding month last year.

Merchants' hotel,Omana, \$2 to \$3 per day. Nat. Brown, propr, Ira P. Higby, mgr.

Russian Consuls to Be Appointed. St. Petersaung, July 7. - [Special Cablegram to The Bee.] - Russia will appoint consuls at all the principal ports on the east coast of Africa from Capetown to Zanzibar.

VIENNA, July 7 - Special Cablegram to THE BEE. - General Count Nikalous Pejaczeviten von Verocze, commander of the Fourth army corps, is dead.

Death of a Russian General.

Burned the Court House. LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 7 .- It is reported on

good authority that the warring factions at Harlan court house on Thursday night burned the court house and all the records. No con

A CONCLAVE OF THE SACHEMS.

An Emergency Meeting of the Twenty-Eight Club Held Last Night.

VANDERVOORT BRINGS BAD NEWS.

The Seventh Ward Republicans Have Knifed Tammany's Chief and

> Declared Unanimously for Mercer.

It was a great big meeting that the Twenty-Eight club held in the Paxton hotel last night.

Chief Breatch had issued a general invitation to his henchmen, and they were on hand to a man.

It was an emergency meeting. Vandervoort had been fired from the republican county committee meeting; some of saloon men had refused be bought; some of the erstwhile faithful

henchmen were reported to be getting weak-

kneed, and something must be done. Chief Broach and Major Dom-Wheeler avrived early. The "vigilant predecessor" espied the democratic state central committee session and went into the room. He thought he saw a chance to turn a trick and he began industriously button-holing the country members. Major Wheeler helped him. They didn't meet a very cordial reception, however, and soon returned to room 48, where the Tammanyites were con-

Blumer, Chaffee, Davis, Jones, Cone and

Soward arrived early. Tom Golden was sta-tioned in the rounda, to pilot the faithful to the readexous and keep his good eye out for Gene Mayfield, who helped Broatch defeat annexation in South Omaha arrived. He didn't bring a very encouraging report, however. The South Omaha voters, he told his chief, were not straddlers. They had been opposed to annexation, with Broatch, but it would take work and staff to get the floating vote down there to swallow Broatch with his prohibition inclinations Mayfield's report was rough, of course, the chief saw a remedy for the cyll. With his mind's eye on "Friday" Clarke's bar't he unnounced that he could dispel any such

illusions, and that he would capture South Omaha all right after all. But there was another report that was not so easily laughed off. Birkhauser's neighbor—Vandervoort—came in and fell into a chair. He looked into his chief's face with a guilty yet supplicating expression.
"They've done it." he gasped. "Done what?" demanded the Sachem,

"The Seventh ward republicans have endorsed Mercer without a dissenting vote, said Paul. "Eller did it. They all did it. ould not help it."

That report took a good deal of the life ou of the meeting. Chaffee and Vandervoort were blamed for the loss of the Seventh. After a lengthy discussion of the best methods of regaining the lost ground the

FAVOR MERCER FOR GOVERNOR.

meeting adjourned for one week.

positive it is their father, who left home last Tuesday morning to hunt for work and took a revolver along with hun. They remember Seventh Ward Republicans Again Knife the Tammany Gang. Another meeting of the republicans of the Seventh ward was held last night at 1212

> The crowd began to assemble early, the Broatchites being headed by Vandervoort and Chaffee, while Birkhauser passed around speaking words of encouragement to the weak-kneed members of the Broatch crowd. These latter were small in number, only about eight or ten being present:

The meeting was a very harmonious one. the Broatch satellites maintaining a discreet silence during the entire session. The most vociferous applause greeted every mention of Dr. Mercer or any allusion to him. The ward is almost solid for Mercer and is radically opposed to Broatch and his methods. Chairman Lee called the meeting to order

and announced that the meeting was an adjourned one, and was for the purpose of conto the dissension which had arisen at the last meeting, and said he hoped the same would

The temporary organization was then made permanent.

J. W. Eller was the first speaker, and said he had been amused by reading the reports of the last meeting in the newspapers. He announced that he was still on-earth, and as there was no one who seemed ready to speak he would say a few words. He then intro-duced the following resolutions, and moved

duced the following resolutions, and moved their adoption:

Resolved. That a secret political organization having for its principal object the control of all branches of the city government, distributing the offices to its members and others who subject themselves to its dictation, combining with certain contractors and corporations for the plumder of the city treasury, is a menace to good government; is against the interests of the common people; is conductive to fraud and corruption; and that its representatives should in all cases be prevented from obtaining an office of homer or public trust.

Resolved, that an organization of such character, whether composed of republicans or democrats, or both, should be openly opposed by the people until it disbands.

During the reading a deep silence reigned.

During the reading a deep silence reigned. At its conclusion Mr. Eller advocated the adoption of the resolutions. He said he would give way until all who cared to do so should express themselves.

The chairman put the question on its adoption and asked for remarks. No one responded, but instead a deep silence prevailed. The question was put and carried unani-

Mr. W. H. Alexander was foundly called for, but begged to be excused. The excuse was not granted and he was again loudly called

Chairman Lee announced that the speakers need not confine themselves to local or ward politics.
Mr. Alexander finally addressed the meet-

arr Alexander imag hands and one of an arrival ing, starting out upon the topic of prohibition. He said he was sorry to see the fanatical position taken by people in some sections of the state. The position taken by the prohibitionists was a false one, and they were ready to shoot off a lot of platitudes which every one had heard since they were boys. But when other speakers, like Messrs, Rosewater and Webster at Bentrice gave them a lot of statistics they

Mr. Alexander said he did not wish to be understood to be a prohibitionist. He had remarked that he did not think the passage of the prohibition amendment would result in the total destruction of the industries of the state, but he was far from being a prohi-bitionist. He then proceeded to give his views of the best method for urging this matter, suggesting that local option be adopted in one place at a time and then if there was any good in it, it would be seen, but it would never do to force the thing onto the people all

Mr. Alexander said he was personally Mr. Alexander said he was personally in favor of Broatch, but he did not think it was necessary to fight over personal feelings. If some were in favor of Mercer let the matter be quietly argued without any

Mr. B. S. Baker, the United States district attorney, was then leadly called for. He responded by recommending that the matter of a choice of a candidate for governor be settled amicably, and when the delegation went to the convention let them be united on some one and not lose all their power by being

one and not lose all their power by being divided.

Mr. Barker spoke strongly in favor of harmony in the party, and then branched off on to prohibition. Everybody would acknowledge that a saloon was not a good thing, but that was not the question. The question to be considered was, what was the best method to remedy the evil as far as possible! The present law on this question was the best he had ever seen in any statutes. If the majority of a community would have it. If the sentiment of the majority was opposed to prohibition, that community would have it. There was no use in trying to force this thing on the people, for it would not change their sentiments. Under the present law the saloonkeeper is responsible for any

law the saloonkeeper is responsible for any damages which may result from the sale of liquor from his saloon, but if a prohibitory law was passed, which would not prohibit, then there would be no recourse.

He was of the opinion that prohibition would not carry. It was evident from the re-

sults in adjoining states that the thing was not a success, and be thought this would have a strong effect on the people. He had voted to submit prohibition, and would do it again under the same circumstances. If the majority of the people wanted prohibition they should have it, but he did not think the majority wanted any such thing. However, may voted as he any such thing. If every man voted as he really thought, prohibition would be lost by 20,000 majority. There was not the feeling in favor of prohibition that there was a year ago. He had been over the state and had seen that the sentiment had greatly changed. Mr. Baker closed by again advocating

harmony in the party.

Judge Duffy was the next speaker. He speke at length of his experience during a residence of twenty-two years in Iowa, and recited a number of instances showing prohibition in Iowa did not prohibit. and been on the beach in the criminal courts of lowa for eight years and he had seen more perjury on the question of prohibition than in all others combined. He gave several incidents showing that beer and whisky were sold as freely as in any other state.

Judge Duffy followed the example of the

previous speakers and advocated harmony in the party Charles Burmeister told a funny war story showing that men who wanted whisky would

Mr. Eller then took the floor and said be Mr. Eller then took the floor and said be didn't believe everybody had come there to talk harmony or prohibition. He thought it best to discuss the question of candidates. He then proceeded to discuss the two candidates for governor. He advocated the selection of a man who had backbone instead of one who wheelled first one party and then another. He said he did not intend to hurt another. He said he did not intend to hart the feelings of any man present, but he wanted to discuss the merits of the candidates. The republicans of the Seventh ward did not want a man who had created a faction in the party. What was

wanted was a man who was not under obliga-tions to the democrats. Dr. Mercer was a man who had made no compromising the up. The party did not want a man who field up with the democrats to get an office for which he had been defeated in his few seconds.

his own party.

The *peaker then proceeded to score the campaign, when they tried to defeat the republican candidates for council and city frea-surer. Ac then referred to Dr. Mercer and the great amount of good be had done for the city in the way of improvements, and closed by moving that it be the sense of the meeting that Dr. Mercer be the candidate of Douglas. county for governor.

The question was loudly called for, and was

carried unanimously.

When the result was announced cheers and yells shook the building.

Mr. Eller then moved that all persons interested in favor of Dr. Moreor's candidacy meet at the office of M. L. Roeder, on the

ourth floor of the Paxton block, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Chairman Lee announced that an anti-prohibition meeting would be held at Granck's hall, Twenty-seventh and Walnut streets, to night, after which the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION. August 14 Fixed as the Date by the State Central Committee.

Thirty-six gentlemen crowded into the music room of the Paxton hotel last night, hung their coats over the backs of thirty-six chairs, and began the work of mapping out a plan of action for the democrats of Nebraska in the coming campaign. The gentlemen were members of

the democratic state central comand among them were: Euclid Martin, J. J. O'Connor, C. S. Mont-gomery, W. R. Vaughan, C. H. Brown, Omaha; Matt Miller, David City; James M. Tanner, Fullerton; Ed P. Smith, Seward; T. B. Parker, Dorchester; O. I. Blendhern, Nebraska City; W. H. Platt, Grand Island; George W. Davy, Fremont; John McManigal, Lincoln; R. B. Walquist, Hastings; J. W. Barnhardt, Auburn; L. J. A. Vallers, Benkle Barmardt, Annurn; L. J. A. Vallers, Benkle-man; C. W. Sherman, Plattsmouth; J. D. Hubble, Fairbary; Hon. H. E. Bonested, Niobrara; F. McGiven, Stanton; R. S. Proudit, Guide Rock; C. E. Forbes, St. Paul. In the absence of Hon. J. A. McShane, chairman of the committee, Major Matt Miller of David City was asked to preside. The matter of representation was discussed at length, and finally decided on the plan of two delegrates from each county and one for each 200 votes cast for Grover Cleveland for

resident in 1888.

Two hours were spent in discussing the time for the holding of the convention. Some of the committeemer favored an early convention and an aggressive campaign, others advocated the old plan of waiting until the other parties had leeted their tickets and showed t strength.

Among the early convention advocates were Euclid Martin, J. J. O'Connor, Judge Platt and Judge Vaughan, while Miller, Brown, McManigal and Davis wanted the convention held in September in order to make the agony as brief as possible.

It was finally decided to held the convention in Omana on Thursday, August 14, at 7

o'clock in the evening. COFFEE'S NARROW ESCAPE.

He Nearly Loses His Life in Attempting to Board a Motor. A narrow escape from what might well have been a fatal accident was witnessed at the corner of Sixteenth and Farnan streets last evening. Thomas Coffee, whose home is at Toronto, Can., and who has been working on a branch of the B. & M. for Templeton & Maurer, arrived in the city yesterday on his way home. He attempted to board a Six-teenth street motor car, and fortunately he will live to tell his experience. The trailer was one of the old open horse cars, with a chain stretched along the side. Coffee thought it was an ordinary open car, and taking hold of the chain attempted to step on the footboard, which of course wasn't there. Coffee's foot went under the wheel, and but for an unusually heavy new shoe he would have been compelled to go through life hereafter on the other foot. He was thrown to the paving and the ear passed over his left

He was removed to the pelice station and the was removed to the pence station and medical aid summoned. It was ascertained that the only injury was to the foot. It was swollen to twice its normal thickness and it was impossible to tell whether or not any of the bones were broken.

After the injured member was dressed Coffee rested very comfortably. He will be delayed here but a few days.

Two Men Shot. At a row in Cut-off island Sunday night, two brothers named Casey, living at the corner of Fifteenth and Locust, were terribly pounded, and both were shot, one through the thigh and the other through the hip.

Beatrice Government Building. Washington, July 7.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—Senator Paddock has secured an amendment to the sundry civil appropriation bill, appropriating \$25,000 for the purchase of a site for and beginning work upor the federal building at Beatrice.

Won by an American. [Copyright 1800 by James Gordon Bennett.] BERLIN, July 7.—(Special Cablegram to Fur Ber.] -The first prize for off hand shooting was won yesterday by Gustave Zimmer-

CINCINNATI, July 7.—The freight handlers' strike continues. Some of the roads are trying to do business with a small force, others are shut down altogether.

Freight Handlers Strike.

Prize Winners at Berlin. Benus, July 6. - In the rifle contests here yesterday the prizes were won by Zimmer-man and Klein of New York and Jacobi of San Francisco.

George P. Rice, the father-in-law of Lyman W. Case, died at the residence of Mr. Case at 1124 South Thirty-first street yesterday afternoon at the age of seventy-eight. The remains will be shipped to Monmouth, Ilis., this after-

THE BEE acknowledges the receipt of a box of fine cigars from the committee who had the drammers in hand at Columbus on the Fourth. Pears' Soap is the most elegant tollet adjunct

THE BORBIES ON STRIKE.

Great Uncasiness Over the Outcome of

the London Strike. Losnon, July 7, -The agitation among the police force is increasing. A constable attached to the Bow street station who was transferred to another division attempted to make a farewell address to his comrades in the station house today, but was ordered to desist by the inspector. A disorderly scene followed. The assembled constables elected the inspector from the room in which they were gathered. He was then seized by some of the men and thrown over balustrade and narrowly escaped being killed. Another inspector, while parading a number of men in the yard, narrowly escaped being bit on the head by a

spittoon thrown from a window. This afternoon Chief of Police Bradford had a conference with the Bow street offi cials and afterwards summoned before him singly the men who had refused to do duty and instantly dismissed them from the force. The news of the dismissals spread rap idly, Policemen in uniform and civiliar clothing assembled on the streets. Delegation from other divisions reached Bow street late in the day and it was declared that a strik of the entire metropolitan police force would occur tonight. Constables telegraphed Home Secretary Matthews "that at a meeting today it was resolved that you be respectfully asked to reply today to the moderate demands of our petition. If the abswer is in the affirmative a disastrous strike will be

It is stated that the new chief of police adopted an unusual mode of pro-cedure. Ordinarily reports of of-fenses against discipline are submitted to the Scotland yard officials, and the men in plicated appear, when their cases are to be settled. But now it is alleged such cases are handled bastily and the men are not given a fair opportunity to make explanations. There di uneasiness among the merchants of Strand and other West Endstreets. men are guarding their shops and in the banks clerks will remain all night to protect the property of their employers.

In anticipation of the strike a riotous mob of roughs blocked up Bow street and vicinity this evening, preventing the constables from reaching the station. The crowd becoming turbulent mounted officers endeavored to clear the passage and were received with hosts and pelted with bags of flour, sticks, etc. At 9 o'clock the Prince of Wales, escorted

by the Life Guards, arrived at the open-house. The crowd thickened and the turbu lence continued until a late bour. A few persons were slightly injured. A tavern, which closed in consequence of the excitoment was wrecked by the mob and the windows of other taverns were broken. At midwight the crowd was undiminished

and the hooting was unabated.

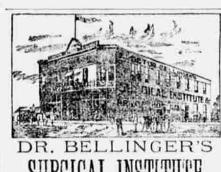
The home secretary, chief of police and other high officials met at Bow street station last night to discuss the position. It is reported the constables evinced much repug namee to going on duty, but yielded to the pressure of their officers. The streets are low quiet and the military has been with-

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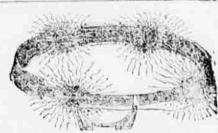
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