OMAHA HAS THE BEST SHOW.

Our Chances Most Favorable for the Republican National Convention.

CHICAGO'S BIGNESS DOES NOT COUNT.

New Yorkers to Invest Millions in a a Garden City Elevated Road-Smooth Scheme of Chinese -Odds and Ends.

> CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE BEE. CHICAGO, Aug. 4.

Colonel D. R. Scott who has been doing such good work for Omaha before the executive committee of the national republican committee at Washington, arrived in Chicago this morning on his way home.

"I think Omaha has every reason to feel encouraged," said he, "I believe that city stands a better chance of getting the national convention than any of her competitors. The mere fact that Chicago is the larger doesn't count for everything. Several other things besides size will be taken into consideration and many of these things Omaha has in her favor. One of the most influential members of the committee told to me privately just before I left that he felt the weight of the arguments Omaha had to offer and that the other members were also giving them serious consideration. I expect to be able to visit Omaha soon,' said be, and you may rost assured that her claims for recognition will have a great deal of weight when it comes to making the final

The project for the construction of an ele vated road on the West Side in which Jay

MILLIONS FOR AN L ROAD,

Gould is said to have been the prime mover is on foot and an ordinance will soon be is on foot and an ordinance will soon be introduced granting a franchise to the corporation. City Attorney Douglas says the men who have made the proposition for the construction of the road are four prominent business men in New York city. Said he: "They are very well known in fluancial circles and are immensely wealthy. I suppose they can handle at least \$100,000,000 together, and they was they may not \$2,000 mm, into and they say they may pat \$25,000,000 into the road. I don't suppose, however, that they would invest that much personally. Their friends and business associates will probably take a good deal of stock." HERE'S YOUR ENTERPRISE.

An illustration of dauntless Chicago enterptise was furnished in the big State stres ptise was furnished in the big State street fire yesterday. As soon as the flames sub-sided sufficiently, J. W. Berdy, whose build-ing adjoined that of Siegel, Cooper & Co., where the fire raged hottest, and who suf-fered considerable loss, hung out a streamer anneuncing that he was ready for business. In his smoke-stained ice cream parfors an orchestra was stationed and the creak of orchestra was stationed, and the crash of falling wails next door kept time to the soft strains of the music they furnished, while hundreds crowded in to partake of refresh-ments provided under exceptional circum-stances. When the heat had to some extent subsided the Leader hung out numberless signs asking passors by to wait until an ad-justment of their loss gave them a chance to offer unlimited bargains at a fire sale, odds and ends.

Sim Cov, the notorious democratic politician of Indianapolis, who served a term of eighteen menths in the peniteatiary at Alichi-gan City for being convicted of changing tally sheets, proposes to enter Chicago ties by opening a saloon on West Madison

Ed Kelly, a local bruiser, fought six rounds to a draw with Pat Eurles, a deaf and dumb pugilist of Pullman, in the city last night. Letters have been received from all the leading literary men of Wales endorsing the proposal to hold the National eisleadfod in Chicago in 1893.

GUILELESS CELESTIAL TRICK. The treasury officials here have discovered what they claim to be a new and elever trick by Chinamen to evade the Chinese exclusion laws. They received information that sever Chinamer were stopped on the northwestern border last Wednesday as they were about to enter this country. They had certificates signed by Chicago citizens averring that they were Chicago merchants. The officers also have advices from Montrealthat twenty six of these alleged merchants had left there for this city, each with a certificate. certificate bears a photograph of the holder, and these photographs are secured in the certificate by the scal of the United States commissioner here. It is per-sumed these certificates were obtained here and sent on to China. This could easily be done, as the application for a certificate reed not be made by the person intending to re-turn to America. Special Agent Crowley says it has been discovered that schools have been established in China where i tending emigrants are taught minutely the names of the streets, the locations of houses, the furnishing of rooms, etc. in San Fran-cisco and other cities, so that when they ar-rive here under the guise of returning merchants they can describe perfectly the loca-tion and appearance of the alleged quarters

they formerly occupied. MORE TROUBLE FOR HOWELL, The North Wisconsin lumber company of Hayward, Wis., filed a petition here today to declare the acts of Spooner R. Howell, the lumber merchant, as constituting voluntary assignment. The charge is made that the First National bank of Chicago was ap-prised of his insolvency prior to the failure and the bank was made a preferred creidtor It is alleged that the instrument of conveyance was held by Howell's attorney without public record, that Howell might continue in business with nothing to show his solvent condition, and that Howell did continue in business and contracted indebt-edness with the petitioners amounting to \$5,964 between the time of the conference

with the bank and the failure. The court is asked to restrain the bank from disposing of the assets and to compel it to submit to the voluntary assignment law. WESTERN PROPLE IN CRICAGO.

The following western people are in the etty;
At the Grand Pacific—E. H. James, C. S. Comstock, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Detson Pickreil, Beatrice; I. N. Ghin, Des Moines, Ia.; A. V. Larimer, James V. Mahoney, J.

R. Kathrens, Sloux City, Ia.; Miss Louis Johnson, Omaha. At the Auditorium-Paul Lansing, Ana-conds, Mont.; J. S. Cameron, C. S. Hayward, At the Leland-Mr. and Mrs. William

Ferdon, Montana.
At the Wellington-Henry Memory, Ar-At the Wellington—Henry Memory, Arthur Johnson, Omaha.
At the Palmer—Colonel C. R. Scott, Omaha; Mr. rnd Mrs. W. A. Lanahan, Dos Moines, Iowa,
At the Tremont—L. F. Weeks, Omaha; Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Day, Rapid City, S. D. At the Sherman—F. F. Beck, Sioux City, Ia.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate Relieves the Feeling of Lassitude common in midsummer, and imparts

Western Patents. Washington, Aug. 4 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The following list of patents granted is reported by THE BEE and Ex-

aminer Bureau of Claims: Nebraska-Martin Burns, Platte Center, corn harvester; Dwella Clapp, Blue Springs.

corn harvester: Dwella Clapp, Blue Springs, device for holding sickles to be ground; William R. Funk, Nebraska City, railway spice; William A. Hall, Ruskin, end gate.

Lowa—Charles J. Clark, Keokuk, fire escape; Charles M. Dodson, Des Moines, road grading machine; Andrew P. Hanson, Sergeant Bluff, velocipede; Henry J. Mohne, Sigowrney, stump puller; Maurice Wollman, Council Bluffs, watch majors' tool. Council Bluffs, watch makers' tool.

The distension of the stomach which many people feel after eating, may be due to improper mastication of the food; but, in most cases, it indicates a weakness of the digestive organs, the best remedy for which is one of Ayer's pills, to be taken after dinner.

Needed in Ohio.

Jacob Hauck of the county surveyor's of-Ace has received a bid from Governor Campbell of Ohio to stump the state against Mo-Kinley, Mr. Hauck has the reputation of being one of the most famous German orators of the country. During the Cleveland cam-paign he stumped Indiana and New York, where he delivered 200 speeches to German

SOUTH OMAHA.

St. Agnes' Pienie. At a meeting held in St. Agnes' hall Monday to make preliminary arrangements for the fourth annual picnic and lawn party to be given by St. Agnes' congregation in Syndicate park, Saturday, August 15, the following committee appointments were

On Arrangements-Fathers D. W. Moriarty On Arrangements—Fathers D. W. Moriarty
and Charles Mugan, and Messrs. Joseph J.
Breen, Thomas J. O'Nell and John G. Irwin.
Amusements—Messrs. Morgan, Heafey,
Rev. Father D. W. Moriarty, Patrick F.
Holpeny, Thomas J. O'Neil, Judge Patrick,
J. King, Hon. Joseph J. Breen, Frank Wallweber, Edward Burke, and John G.
Ivin. Dancing—James T. Donahoe,
Alfred M. Keenon, Morgan Heafey,
John J. O'Morke, Robert Parks, Miss.

Neight Dancing—James T. Donahoo, Alfred M. Keenon, Morgan Heafey, John J. O'Rourke, Robert Parks, Mises Weish, Thomas Flynn, John J. Ryan, Robert Larkins and William Brennan, Reception—Messrs, Benjamin S. Adams, C. A. Melcher, Daniel Rafferty, James H. Hote, Richard Swift, Michael Lee, Patrick Rowley, Waliam J. Mongan, Hon. John Mc-Millen, Andrew B. Holey, John C. Carroll, Joseph Koptz, Patrick L. Monukan, P. Caosey, M. Casey, William P. Euright, William Brennan and Thomas Hoctor, Stands and Piatforms—Hon. Joseph J. Breen, Michael P. O'Dennell, James Carroll, John Wara, Judge Patrick J. King, Daniel Hammond, Francis Boyle, William Rowley, Patrick H. Toner, William Forgey, Jeremish Howard, John Murray, William Murray, James Devancy, James Brady, William Murray, James Devancy, James Brady, Milliam Rowley, James Devancy, James Brady, Milliam Proposite Publication, John Murray, James Brady, Milliam Physical Research Murray, James Devancy, James Brady,
Mitchell Rvan and Dennis Flaberty,
Printing — Rev. D. W. Moriarty and
Thomas J. O Nell. Refreshments—Messes,
Thomas Flanerty, William Rowley and
Phomas Geary.
The committees will need the

Thomas Geary.

The committees will meet this evening in St. Agnes' hall to complete arrangements. Every member is expected to be present.

Amended the Rule. At the adjourned meeting of the Live stock exchange yesterday afternoon rule No. was amended by adding sections 2 and 3 md rule No. 9 by adding section 13, as fol-

and rule No. 9 by alling section 13, ar follows;

Section 3. No person shall be eligible for membership in this exchange who in any manner represents or acts for, either as officer, agent, broker or commission merchant, any other live stock coronation or exchange, whose charter, regulations, rules or my-laws provide for a discrimination in rates of charges or commission between steckholders or other patrons or customers, whether under the guise of dividends, drawbacks, or any scheme or device whatever.

See 4. If any member of this exchange shall hereafter act for, either as officer, agent, broker or commission merchant) any other live stock corporation or exchange, whose charter, regulations, rules or by-laws provide for a discrimination in rates of charges or commission, between stockholders or other patrons or customers, whether under the guise of dividends, drawbacks, or any other scheme or device whatever, shall be liable to suspension for the first oftense and to expaision for any subsequent offense.

See 12. No member of this Exchange shall

or device whatever, shall be liable to suspension for the first oftense and to expaision for any subsequent offense.

See, 13. No member of this Exchange shall buy or cause to be bought, any 1 ve stock at the Union stock yards of South Omaha, Neb., from any agent, individual, firm, incorporated or other stock commission company, who are, or may be, regularly selling live stock for non-residents on commission, unless some one or more members of such fir, a or stockholders of such stock company are members in good standing in this exchange; provided, however, that any party or parties beginning a live stock commission business at said stock yards, shall not be considered subject to this rule, antil thirty days from the date of their beginning such business; and provided further, that nothing herein contained shall be consisted in any manner prohibiting any party from selling his own live stock on the market at the said stock yards, or any member of this exchange from buying such stock from such owner. m such owner.

Got the Thieves and Chickens. Paul Henni yesterday was attracted to his ackyard by the squawking of his chickens, and on making his appearance found Car-penter Piper and Albert Zimmet there and certain chickens gone. An inspection found the fowls in their possession.

Notes About the City. Justice A. L. Sutton will visit Battle Creek and Detroit, Mich.

John Maher of the Cudaby force, who has been visiting in Chicago, has returned. Frank Heady, son of Squire Heady of the yards, is visiting friends in Villisca, Ia. James Corby of the Delmonico hotel will isit his old home in East Arcade, N. Y.

oseph Marketon and Fannie Pasilek, both of this city. Misses Belle and Jennie Taylor of Shenan

are the pleasing guests of Miss Nora Snider. Samuel Nevins, who has been very sick with malaria, was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, Omaha, yesterday.

Cashier J. S. Bangs of Swift & Co. will take his family and go to Manitou Springs, Colo., for a fortnight's vacation. Baby Decker was buried from Heafey & Heafey's unitertaking rooms in St. Miry's cometery yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Attorney Theodore F. Elliott has purchased the residence on Twenty-seventh and H streets from M. Peden of Council Bluffs. A social dance will be given this evening is the hall, Ainscrow building, Twenty-seventh and L streets, at the east end of the L street viaduct.

The ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mr and Mrs, Dwight L. Holmes, No. 2408 N street.

Miss Jennie Kelley of the G. H. Hammond force, one of the popular ladies of the city, has gone to Tekamah for a ten days visit with friends.

Miss Nellie Doty, daughter of Dr. Doty of Oxford, Ia., is the charming guest of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Brewer, Twenty-fourth

and N streets. Gus Wardenman will give a social dance Saturday evening, August 8, in the old Knight of Pythias hall, Mahoney building, Twenty-

fifth and N streets. The Swedish Norden singing society picnic, to be held Sunday, August 30, in Wood-bridge park, will be attended by a large dele-gation from this city.

The family of Oswalk Hyde left yesterday for Providence, R. I., where Mr. Hyde is stopping. The united family will spend the summer visiting in the cast.

At the last meeting of Robert R. Livings-on post, No. 289, Grand Army of the Repub-ic, two new recruits were mustered in and several applications were received.

Edward Kelly, employed in beef room at the Cadahy packing plant, had his butener knife slip off a rib and run through his left band making a painful and ugly wound. Miss Huldah Lamber, the popular chief elegraphic operator at the G. 11. Hammond

company's plant, after a fortnight's vi with her parents in Purceil, has returned. Messrs, Peter Cockrell, C. C. Cliffon and GoorgesW. Howe have been elected a build-ing committee of the First Christian church and work on the new edifice will be commenced at once.

James Phillips of the Cudahy packing company, has returned from Davenport, Ia., bringing Mrs. Phillips, who has been spend-ing a month visiting relatives in Chicago, Milwaukee and Davenport.

Robert R. Livingston post, No. 282, has directed Chairman Captain John E. Hart to turn over the drums and fifes to camp E. K. Wells, No. 72, Sons of Veterans, to organize a martial band for the camp.

A pretty good price for Wyoming cattle is \$02.45 per head, range cattlemen would say, and yet that is the price paid at the yards yesterday. R. S. Van Tassel of Cheyenne had a lot of 1501 beeves that sold at \$4.80 and netted Mr. Van Tassel \$62.45.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Huntley have gone to Denver. Colo. Miss Julia A. Kyne and Miss Anua Dillon went to Omaha to see Mr. and Mrs. Huntley off and decided to run down to South Omaha with the excursionists, but fluding they were on the through train the ladies went a score of miles past the city be-fore the train made a stop. They arrived nome safe, having enjoyed the mistake very

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Eby have gone on trip west and will circle round and go back to their old home in Lancaster, Pa., for a visit. Mr. Eby has been one of the pop visit. Mr. Loy has been been to the following and trusted employes of the Cudaby packing plant and Mrs. Eby was the model matron of the fine hall and restaurant. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Eby will regret their going, but with them will go the best wishes of all who were fortunate enough to know

Over 450,000 Howe scales have been soldand the demand increasing continually, den&Selleck Co., Chicago, Ill.

GIGANTIC SWINDLE EXPOSED.

Startling Recital of the Fraud of Bogus Claim Agents.

PREPARATIONS TO STEAL MILLIONS.

Fair Specimen of the Snares Prepared by Dishonest Persons for Unwary Individuals Who Employ Toem.

CHICAGO, Aug. 4 .- (Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-A reluctant but none the less startling recital of almost incredible fraud was elicited today from one of the victims. Not the least interesting feature of the case is the fact that the chief personage is a typical Washington claim agent, whose operations have been so extensively curtailed of late by Tue Bee and Examiners' newly established Bureau of Claims at the national

The arrest at Washington of Loring B. Loomis and his compulsory return to Chicago to stand trial for a number of embezzlements committed here has, it would seem, broken up one of the most cunningly devised plans yet uncartned to fleece persons who hold claims against the United States. Loombs had his scheme aiready under way and in in a few months he would have drawn untold thousands of dollars from unsuspecting people who confided their claims to his "agency. Loomis was arrested in Washington about July22 by Detective Greehalgh of Chicago on arcquisition issued by Governor Fifer of Illinois conformably to the finding of two indictments for embezzlement against him by the Cook county grand jury.

His career in Chicago, prior to his flight with some \$14,000 of other people's money, seemed to be a sort or preparatory school for his more extensively planued bogus claim 'agency" in Washington,

William H. Douglas, the greatest sufferer by Loomis' rascalities here, was seen today by a representative of Tug Bug, Mr. by a representative of Tirg Bur, Mr, Douglas holds an important position in the central grain and stack exchange and owns a fine residence in Hyde park. "Now I do not want to say anything against Leonis for his family's sake," said Mr. Douglas, "but what I will say will be facts. In the fiest place the published statement that I was in the land claim business was not correct. Not being in the cusiness myself of course Loomis could not have been in it with me. Neither had I at any time any connection as pariner with Loomis, As far as I know Loomis first came here a year and a half or so ago. He had been, so he gave it out to those whom he came here a year and a half or so ago. He had been, so he gave it out to those whom he met, in the claim agency business in Washington, in parmership with one Clarke, but the scheme did not seem to pay. He brought here with him so it was given out, some \$10,000 which had been furnished him by his father. Soon after coming here he started in the stock and grain brolerage business having an offer, in the brokerage business, having an office in the Royal insurance building. He leased wires and did a big business and was very successful for a while Most of his customers were out of town people. I guess things went against him, because one day he went to the hard and draw out all the means belowing bank and drew out all the money belonging to his customers and skipped.

to his customers and skipped.

"In the sum be took was \$8,000 of mine, which I had put up with him as margins on trades which he had made for my account. That was the only connection I had with him. He was my broker and he ran away with my money. I and others whose money he had taken went before the grant jury and on our evidence two indictments were found against him. I two indictments were found against him. understand that after leaving Chicago with the stolen money he traveled considerable, and then went to Washington, where he resumed the claim agency' business in Washington with Clarke. They made a specialty of Indian claims and they sent out thousands on thousands of circulars. Leomis followed the circulars of Toyan where he per travel. the circulars to Texas, where he went around getting people to assign their claims to him. The agreement was that he or the firm was to retain a stipulated percentage of the amount as compensation if the claim was collected by them from the government. But the contracts had a little provise which looked harmless but meant a great deal. It was to the effect that no other charges would be made by the agency unless extra service was rendered or extra expense incurred. This provision or clause, you see, was so vague and indefinite that under it the 'agency' could make any charges it pleased and the people who nad assigned their claims could not object, of course. Loomis' arrest stopped the fruition of the schore but that the scheme but it had great possibilities for a man of Loomis' peculiar ideas. Loomis is now at Manchester, Ia. The case is not set-

tied as was reported and he will be tried in court on the two charges of embezzlement." A man who was well acquainted with Loomis said that if he not been arrested he would have cleared \$1,990,090 or more on his "agency" scheme because every dollar col-lected for the claimants could be retained by him ander the ingenious "extra expense

The American Eagle must be a gay old bird—he is bald. If you don't want to be bald, use Hall's Hair Renewer, and you won't

The Circulat ng Medium.

Washington, Aug. 4.-A statement pre pared at the treasury department shows that the total circulation August 1, was \$1,500,-022,812, being a net decrease since July 1 of \$14,743. The principal changes in circulation were a decrease of \$5,525,010 in gold certificates and of \$1,220,913 in treasury notes and of \$5,909,000 in currency certificates. The circulation of gold coin decreases \$448,794. The amount of money and bullion in the treasury August 1 was \$085,274,424, a net increase of \$000,715 since July 1. The changes are stated as follows: Decreases—In gold coin, \$2,338,922; subsidary silver, \$288,553; trade dollar bullion, \$809,750. Increases— Standard silver dollars, \$405,202; treasory notes, \$1,544,705; United States notes, \$1,821,-708; national bank notes, \$264,773; gold bul lion, \$669,213; silver bullion, \$5,634,832.

A very small pill, out a very good one, DeWitt's Little Early Risers.

The Howell Case.

S. R. Howell of Chicago, the head of the great lumber concern, has retained United States Attorney Baker to look after his interests here, and will at once institute proceed ings to test the legality of the saie of the Omaha branch of the Howell lumber com-pany to C. L. Chaffee, by Howell's partner, H I leavest H. L. Jewett.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Best little pill ever made. Cure constipation every time. None equal. Use them now.

BEATING PLATTE RECORDS. The Sharpshooters at Bellevue Excelling Competitors of Other Years.

The second day of the competitive rifle practice of the troops of the department of the Platte, at Bellevue rango yesterday, was the occasion of some excellent skirmish firing. The work commenced early in the day and continued till the afternoon, when the soldiers took a well carded rest. The score is appended. It shows the number of points on Monday at known distances, and in the next column, the order of the marksman at the close of that firing. In the next column appears the record of yesterday's skirmish work, in the fourth the aggregate of yesterday's and Monday's shooting, while in the last column is shown the standing of each competitor after two days' work on the range.

It will be seen that the Seventeenth infantry men of Fort Russell still lead, having five men among the first ten, or, in other words, with a first class opportunity of getting five men in the department team.

This showing was especially grateful to the Fort Russell boys, who failed not to make capital out of it, as they anxiously scanned the bulletin which was posted near the tent of Captain Guilfoyle and Lieutenant Bookmiller, the statistical officers, Several of the other regimental representa-tives made great efforts to dislodge the Seventeenth men from their present lead with out success. Among these were the Second

infantry men, the Sixteenth and the Twenty-

great deal may beginne.

NAMES

Prvt. Davidson,G. John.
Sat. Mayor, G. 17th.
Cor. Draney, D. 18th.
Corp. Sponser, E. 17th.
Prvt. Jensen, E. 7th.
Lt. Chynoweth, E. 17th.
Corp. Ohrenberg, 2d.
Prvt. Hill, G.7th.
Corp. Loughlin, C. 17th.
Corp. Loughlin, C. 17th.
Corp. Wilson, A. 18th.
Prvt. Drexler, C. 18th.
Musiculan Pellon, B. 18th.
Sat. McCaffrey, Uh.
Corp. Spoil, C. 2d. B. Snell, C. 2d Harker, E. leth. rp. Shultis, D. 17th.

The day was an excellent one for good work. The sky was clear even of flercy clouds. The sun was warm but the men pand out little attention to the heat. They have so long inured to outdoor work and to est literal baking under many climes that they have actually become a species of human they have actually become a species of human adobe. This indifference to the elements was shown by the excellent scores made by nearly all of the men, while those of some of the latter almost reached the topmost notch.

Private Jensen, E company of the Seventh, bore off the honors, scoring 13s points, the largest ever made on the range. This has been excelled in other departments where the

been excelled in other departments where the

been excelled in other departments where the atmospheric conditions, are much more favorable for shooting.

The second best run was made by Lieutenant Cheynoweth of the iseventeenth, who second 130 points, a number of which were made on the lying down shouette.

Corporal Spencer of E company of the 17th infantry made a growth the latest particular to the control of the company of the 17th infantry made a growth less than the latest particular than the control of the company of the 17th infantry made a growth less than the latest particular than the control of the contro infantry made a remarkable showing having out thirty-one bullets through the kneeling silhouette, while Sergent Mayer of the same

regiment sent thirty bullets through the same kind of target. A part of Private Jensen's work was peppering eighteen times the lying-down figure. For the benefit of the unnitiated it may be stated that the kneeling figure is a silhouette stated that the kneeling figure is a silhouette of a man, life size in that attitude of firing, while that of the lying-down figure is also the life size of a soldier in that attitude, firing upon the enemy. There is still another-y-silhouette. It is that of a man standing and firing, but soldiers prefer to shoot at one or the other of the prone or kneeding figures. When perforted the last mentioned counts four and the ated, the last mentioned counts four and the prostrate figure five, while the standing

one counts only three points.

These are only a few examples of the good firing done which tended to give elasticity to the spirits of both privates and commissioned officers. This spirit it is thought will animate the marksmen throughout the remainder of the competition, secure for the men good range records and for the department a team which will doubtless reflect credit upon the Platte in Chicago.

The shooting of the soldiers last year was

awarded by a larger number of points than was that of the competitors in any preceding meeting. And yet there is a good chance that the best record of last year will be ex-ceeded by the record of a half dozon mon this 1 1890 the highest score in four days' fir

ng was 560. That was on an average of 140 points per day, or 280 points for the first two days of the competition. Yesterday's shooting closed the second day and there are four men who have reached 280 points already and three who exceed it, the first man at this writing having made 288 points. At this rate, unless bad weather in-tervene, if the present leader should coutinue ne will have 570, or sixteen points in excess

of the highest score of 1890.

The lowest total secured by a member of last year's team was 511, an average of 121.75 points per day, or 255.50 points for the first two days of the competition.
This year, the lowest of the ten leaders has in two days, made 267 points, or 12 more

than the average of his prototype of one These figures emphasize the fact that the nen are doing excellent shooting, and what is more, that they are likely to continue to do it during the competition.

The shooting of yesterday was witnessed y a number of ladies and gentlemen from the city who had driven to the place in carringes Among the visitors were Colonel and Mrs. M. V. Sheridan, Mrs. Captain Worden, Miss

Worden and Mrs. Hubbard.
On next Thursday the last skirmish firing of the competition will take place both in the morning and the afternoon. At the conclu-sion of the firing in the latter period the medals prescribed by the government will be awarded to the ten marksmen who shall have earned them by their good work.

earned them by their good work.

This will be an occasion of great interest.
The second infantry band from Fort Omaha will be in attendance, as will also a number of distinguished civic and military gentlemen. A large number of ladies and gentlemen from social circles in this city have also declared their intention to be present. For the accommodation of the public, the Burlington & Missouri will run a special train on that day Missouri will run a special train on that day to the range, leaving the union depot at 1 p. n, and returning at the conclusion of the exercises, which will be about 6 p. m. The lare for the round trip will be 35c.

Major Baker yesterday visited the range and paid the officers and men leaving several housand dollars in the possession of Uncie am's defenders Today the shoeting will be at known dis-

Constipation poisons the blood; DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure constinution. The cause removed, the disease is gone.

WANTS THE RULES FIRST.

Mayor Cushing Will Not Name a Sanitary Commissioner Yet. The man who sees his name written on the wall for the position of sanitary commissioner will be doomed to suffer disappointment for

time at least. Some people thought that Mayor Cushing would send the name of the nicky party to the council for con-firmation last night. The mayor will nothing of the kinii and what is more no will io: introduce his man until the council adopt the rules for the government of the board of health. Three months ago these rules went to the council, were referred to the committee fithe whole, but since that time no person has ever heard of them.

Small in size, great in results: DeWitt's little Early Risers. Best bill for constipation, best for ick healache, best for sour

first, and these claims that of the competition two days yet romained, and, in that time, a STATE HORTICULTURALISTS,

Annual Session of the Body Being Held at Hastings.

MANY INTERESTING PAPERS READ.

One Hundred Nebraska Citizens Present - Fine Display of Fruit Presented-Details of the Meeting of Yesters

day.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 4,- Special Tetogram to Tue Bee. |-The Nebraska state horticultural society began its annual session here today, President F. W. Taylor of Omaha presiding. The display of fruit is the finest that the society has ever had, Adams count y being well represented.

The meetings are held in the Bostwick hotel pariors and about an hundred members are in attendance. Papers were read by several members, "Successful Straw berry Culture," by R. D. McGeehau, "Strawberry Picking and Marketing," by L. O. Williams, Council Bluffs; and "Best Old and New Variety of Cherries," by E. F Stevens of Crete were included in the

Hastings Notes. Hastings, Neb., Aug. 4.- [Special to The BRE. |-D. W. Palmer went to David City

vesterday on a business trip. The sad news was received in this city vesterday that the wife of John W. Harris, a prominent business man, died Sunday of consumption at Denver, The funeral services were held in the Methodist Episcopa church at 11:30 this morning, Rev. L. F Britt preaching the sermon. Will Cline and family are in Kansas City

on a visit.

The Adams county teachers' institute began a two weeks' session in the high school building Monday. County Superintendent Bettys, Prof. J. B. Moolux of the city schools, and Profs. W. E. Andrews and F. A. Wayne of Hastings college are the instruc tors. It is expected that the enrollment will

The present weather is the best imaginable for corn and harvesting in this vicinity. If these hot days continue the independents will not poll as large a vote as they did last

The eight hour law is creating some The eight hour law is creating some trouble in Hastings. When the law went into effect, August I, Sewerage Superintendent Barris changed the verbal contract with the diggers so that work would be paid for by the hour. The diggers struck for eight hours work and ten hours pay. This was their third strike and it is liable to be three strikes and out.

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J. B. Campbell has preferred charges of malfensance in office against Dr. Putt, superintendent of the Parkview cemetery. The matter is now being investigated.

Prof. Harthy of Lincoln is in the city attending the state horticuliural society meet ing here, he guest of Dr. Schaufelberger.

Will be Buried Tod tv. Hastings, Neb., Aug. 4.-|Special Telegram to The Ban |-The body of William Berdine, the B. & M. brakeman who was killed near Crete, was brought to this city at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The remains were met by the Red Men lodge, who will conduct

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the funeral services tomorrow afternoon.

need of a faxative and if the father or mother be costive or billous the most gratifying re-sults follow its use, so that it is the best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle.

BOHEMIAN TURNERS.

Plans for the National Meeting at Milwankee This Month. This year the national association of Bohemian turners will hold their annual convention in the city of Milwaukee, beginning August 20 and continuing for four days Omaha, South Omaha and all other principal cities in the United States will enter team the contest. It is expected that more than three hundred active turners will take part in the contest. It is also expected that at least five thousand Bohemians will be in at-

The programme will be a very interesting one from start to finish. The first day will be devoted to welcoming the visitors and in the evening a grand banquet will be given. On Sunday there will be a parade, a picnic and a tug of war between the Bohemian and German sakels. Monday the delegates will

indulge in a drive about the city.

Omnha will send a strong delegation which will be composed of the following well known gentlemen: Joe Pecival, Rud Havelia, Frank Jelen, Joe Koran, Frank B. Finla, Joe Dverach and B. Ninger. The boys are in active training and propose to bring home some of the prizes. In order to give the Omaha team a send off, a benefit will be given at Metz hall on South Thirtsenth street on the evening of August 15, at which time one of the features will be a tug of war contest between the active and

the veteran turners. The Latest Connadrum. Why is Hatler's Sarsaparilla and Burdock like the most popular soap of the day!

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Western Pensions Washington, Aug. 4 .- Special Telegram to THE BEE.] -The following list of pensions granted is reported by The Ben and Examiner Bureau of Claims.

Nebraska-Original; George A. Frost, Isaac A. Rice, Edward Amman, Alex R. Scott, George L. Saunders, James Lilley, George W. Hudson, John Fietscher, James A. Leipps, Nicholas Castlek, William Fan-ser, James E. Miller, Willard Pierce, Thomas S. Ball, David Combs, Loman Porser, James E. Miller, Willard Pierce, Thomas S. Ball, David Combs, Loman Porter, Marion Trott, Jerome Alien, Henry Wattbridge, Dewitt C. Towne, Clemmens Bortis, David Voris, John H. Kurtz, Rudolph Dolt, Isaac G. Thompson, Stephen D. Becktey, Truman Booth, Josiah McCartaey, Edrick H. Keeney, William Talbott, William H. Wigant, William Wright, William R. Me-Coy, George W. Saler, Original widows—George W. Brown, Father, Iowa—Original—John C. Whitney, Moses Waterman, Mathias Biligen, Jordan F. Sanford, Charles H. French, Lewis Schneider, Uriah Milten, John Hines, Josiah R. Clawson, John Carson, Thomas J. Tobiason, William Willigmain, David Taylor, Nelson Manchester, Isaac High, James Williamson, Nathaniel Baughman, John A. Anderson, Timothy Killeriain, Charles W. Artkills, Wade H. Jordan, Peter Falben, William G. Coffey, Benjamin O. Cook, Rosewell Corbett, John Long, Thomas C. Kidd, George T. Fry, James T. Wise, Eli Heath, Jacob Kurtz, Patrick G. J. Guthrie, Increase—Samuel Cavender. Cavender.

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Building Permits. Two minor permits aggregating \$400 were issued by the superintendent of buildings

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Court News.

Allen Koch vesterday secured an injunction restraining V. G. Langtry from moving the old Hauscom house that stood at the corner of Nineteenth and Douglas streets to a location on Half-Howard street, within the fire

Mary Bierbach has commenced a suit to secure a divorce from her husband, Becker Bierbach. She charges adultery.

It was Ben Johnson, we be-

lieve, who, when asked Mal-

lock's question, "Is life worth living?" replied "That de-pends on the *liver*." And Ben Johnson doubtless saw the double point to the pun.

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15 Rheumartism, Rheumate Pairs ... 25
16 Fever and Agne, Chills, Maiaria ... 26
17 Piles, Ritnd or Bleeding ... 20
19 Catarrh, Influenza, Cold in the Head ... 20
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