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### MINOR MENTION.

Council Bluffs Lumber Co., coal. Craft's chattel loans, 204 Sapp block. Wanted A girl for general housework at 616 Bluff street.

If you want water in your ward or house go to Bixby's, 302 Merriam block, Ellie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Parish, died yesterday at the residence in Hazel Dell township. The funeral will take place this afternoon.

A writ of attachment was issued from the superior court yesterday afternoon in favor of Groneweg & Schoentgen against Robert Currie to satisfy a claim of \$255 due on a

There will be a nusicale next Thursday evening at the Methodist Trinity church, corner of Fourth street and Ninth avenue After the close of the programme there will

The reunion of the Twenty-ninth Iowa infantry will be held at Glenwood today and tomorrow. A fare of 95 cents for the round trip has been secured and there will be a large attendance from this city. Bessie, the 7-months'-old daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. George Clay, died at 11 o'clock Sun-day night of cholera infantum. The funeral will be held Tuesday at 10 o'clock from the family residence in Hardin township. Lydia Emerson's case on the charge of maintaining a public nuisance, was up for a tr'al yesterday in Justice Hammer's court. The prosecuting witness, A. C. Ellsworth, was not on hand and she was dismissed on the payment of the costs.

The Baptist Young Peeple's Union of the First Baptist Church, will hold a basket social at Fairmount Park today. All young people of the society and congregation are cordully invited to attend. The party will leave the church at 3:30 p. m.

Charle Heisler is greatly annoyed by having his name appear in the list of those arrested for selling liquer at Monawa. As he is not in the business, and as he was not arrested, he is at a loss to know how his name was given publicity therewith.

Bud Burk, the stage carpenter at the New Broadway, denies that Carlos Woods, who was arrested for grand larceny last Sunday, has ever been connected in any way with the theater. Woods' case was continued yesterday morning by Judge McGee until this Dr. Jeffries, who formerty lived in Council

Bluffs, but has for several years past been at Cut-Off island, claims that he has discovered a sure remedy for hog cholera. The discovery was a pure accident, and it is stated that none of the diseased animals which were

Mrs. R. M. Sprague entertained a large party of her friends last evening at her resiparty of her friends and her residual friends and her res dence, 411 East Washington avenue, who were brought there by the report that a night blooming cereus was in full bloom. The lower was one of the largest of its kind, heastering nearly nine inches across. The fragrance filled the whole room.

Alexander Gillam, who is employed about the Sanborn building, which is being moved at the corner of Broadway and Rryant streets, met with an accident yesterday. He dropped a heavy timber upon the ground, when one end of it flew up and hit him just above the eye, inflicting a terrible bruise. The rest of his face was also somewhat scratched. If the timber had struck him half an inch lower it would in all probability have put out

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Drs. Stewart & Patty, veterinary sur. geons, 45 Fourth street, Council Bluffs-PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

T. C. Dawson is in Des Moines.

Dr. J. H. Cleaver returned Sunday from a A. C. Graham and wife have returned home from Spirit Lake.

Mrs. M. E. Smith and children are nome

from Spirit Lake. A. W. Johnson has returned from a business trip in the eastern part of the state. Miss Mate Raker has ham, where she spent a few weeks visiting

T. J. Evans and family are home from Okoboji, where they have been spending the

Miss Edna Van Arnem has returned home from a visit with relatives in Chicago and Hon, Fred W. Kehmann, formerly of Des

Moines but now of St. Louis, was a Bluffs wisitor yesterday. Officer Kelley started yesterday afternoon for Marysville, Mo., where he will spend a

few days' vacation. F. B. Warner has been called to the east part of the state by a telegram announcing the dangerous illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Devine left vesterday for Jacksonville, Ill., where she will remain with friends while Mr. Devine goes farther east on business. L. C. Baldwin, one of the directors of the

State Board of Agriculture, started for Des Moines last evening. He will remain there until the close of the state fair. O. E. Gaston, district court reporter for

Judge Thornell, and wife, of Tabor, were in the city yesterday morning on their way to McCook, Neb., where they will visit friends. Mr. and Mrs. George Monroe of Butte, Mont, are in the city for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Terwilliger and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis. Mrs. Monroe is a sister of Mr. Terwilliger.

Bort Arthur is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Arthur. He is now filling the position of private secretary to W. J. Hancock, superintendent of the Wells-Fargo Express company at New York city.

Course of Police Court Justice. John Smith was brought up in Justice Hammer's court yesterday for trial on the charge of having conspired with Frank Kane to get the latter out of the city so as to avoid a trial for grand larceny. It was supposed that there was a very strong case against Smith, but it seemed that for some reason or other the city did not desire to prosecute him. It also turned out that there had never been any information filed against him nor any warrant issued for his arrest. If Smith had known enough he could have made it decidedly warm for the officer who had made the arrest, but for tanately he did not and he therefore refrained from perforating the officer's skin. Smith spent two nights in the city jail without any complaint being formally lodged against him, and at the end of that time he was discharged

Swanson music company, 435 Broad-

Sunday Game.

A game of ball was played at Manawa Sunday afternoon between the Models of this city and the Diamonds of Omaha, resulting in a score of 23 to 4 in favor of the Models.

The Lone Stars defeated the Twenty-sixth atreet team by a score of 24 to 11. The bat-teries were Barghausen and Brown for the Lone Stars, and Duncan and Whitback for the Twenty-sixth streets.

An amateur game was played between the Council Bluffs Juniors and the Sixteenth avenue Victorials, the latter winning by a score of 24 to 10.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Custoria, When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,

## THE OMAHA BEE. NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS.

OFFICE: - NO. 12 PEARL STREET. | Chautauqua Feople Get Tangled Up with a Constitutional Amendment.

> IT WAS SIMPLE ENOUGH AT FIRST But it Proved Double Barrelled and

Double Acting and Altogether Dissatisfactory - Another Mortgage Decided On.

The Chautauqua board of trustees held a neeting last evening in the Board of Trade The main object of the meeting had been announced to be the adoption of the amendment to the constitution which was submitted to the board at its last meeting, changing the time of the annual meeting for the election of officers from January to the third week following the close of the assem-

According to expectations, the amendment was brought up for consideration. Some one suggested that in the event of there being no assembly at some time in the future, there could not be any annual meeting, and that it would be better to change the wording of the amendment by changing the time to the third Monday in August, as that was sure to come around about every so often, without depending upon the assembly or any other coatingency. Some of the members objected, or the ground that any change of that kind would have to be laid over another ten days, according to the constitutional provision for amendments, so the original amendment was adopted.

No sooner had the amendment been adopted than complications began to arise. There were twenty-one trustees already, and this would necessarily add seven more, unless those whose terms do not expire until next January would be kind enough to resign at once, in order to reduce the board to its normal size—a thing which they had no as-surance would be done. And even if the extra trustees did resign, there would have to be an election of officers, in order to live up to the provisions of the amendment, and as the officere now elected hold over for several months yet there would be two sets of officers, unless one of them could be legis-lated out of office. And this could not be done without hurting the feelings of the officers who would be ousted, as well as transgressing all parliamentary rules.

Some of the members held that these objections had no weight, inasmuch as the inten-

tion of the board in passing the amendment had not intended that it should take effect until next year. Others, however, were honest enough to admit that the idea that these complications might arise had never entered their heads, and that they had fully intended

that the new provision should take effect as soon as passed.

After ever an hour had been spent in discussing the affair in all its bearings, it was decided that the quickest way out of the difficulty was to rescind the motion that had been carried, adopting the motion, and place the whole business exactly where it was two weeks ago. This was done and the amendment was referred back to the same commit-tee that dished it up in its present unsatisfactory way, and another meet-ing will be held next Monday evening to hear the report of the committee. It will be nearly three weeks before the amendment can be finally passed and the executive committee put to work on the prepa-

rations for next year.

The secretary was nuthorized to execute a mortgage to some one in trust for the eighteen members of the board who had given their individual notes to secure the note of the corporation for \$3,600 now held by Officer and Pusey, the mortgage to cover all the real estate of the association, subject to the mortgages which there are now on the property.

### ONLY FIVE DAYS MORE.

The Great Seven-day Blanket Sale at the Boston Store Closing August 29. The great seven-day sale is now in progress at the Boston store. You will not during the winter have a chance to get blankets at such prices as these. It's getting cool, so you better take advantage of this sale and buy your inkets now while you can get them at half price. Just glance over these

figures: 100 pair 10-4 gray blankets, 90c; worth 100 pair 10-4 gray blankets, \$1.10;

worth \$1.50. 100 pair gray blankets, extra heavy. \$1,25; worth \$1.75. 75 pair 10-4 gray blankets, extra super,

\$2.75; worth \$3.75. 50 pair 10-4 gray blankets, all wool, \$3.75; worth \$5.00 WHITE BLANKETS.

11-4 extra large blankets, \$5.25, worth 125 pair 10-4 all wool, \$3.25, warranted.

125 pair 11-4 all wool, \$4.75, worth 125 pair 11-4 all wool, \$5.00, worth

20 pair 12-4 California all wool, \$10.50, worth \$15.00 RED ALL WOOL BLANKETS.

10-4 all wool red, \$3.25, worth \$4.25, 10-4 all wool red, \$4.00, worth \$5.25. 11-4 all wool red, \$4.75, worth \$6.50 12-4 all wool red, \$7.00, worth \$8.50, ALL OUR COMFORTERS AT COST DURING THIS SALE.

ROSTON STORE. FORTHERINGHAM, WHITELAW & CO. Council Bluffs, Ia.

They Will Smoke. Burglars got in their work Sunday night on two grocery stores at 1611 and 1635 Broadway. The combined haul consisted of nearly a hundred pounds of tobacco. At 1635 Broadway, which has been kept until re-cently by a man named Watson, a lot of knives were also taken. Watson traded the stock off some time ago to a man from the west, and the new owner had not yet taken possession, so the stock has been standing idle ever since the trade. There is no clue to the burglars, but it is thought that they are the same ones who robbed Mandel's grocery, at the corner of Fourth avenue and Seven-teenth street one night last week. At Mandel's also the loss was almost entirely in tobacco line. A track of a barefooted boy was found in the soft earth in the basement, where they got in, and the opinion of the po-lice is that the thefts were all committed by some boys who wanted to be men, but had not the necessary funds.

Removal sale. Bargains in shoes. L. Kinnehan has removed from 323 Broadway to No. 11 Pearl street.

Pienie at Manhattan beach. Round trip tickets from Omaha, including boat ride, 50c; on sale at news stands at Millard and Murray hotels.

## Police Court Grist.

J. W. Dorrell was on hand at the opening of police court yesterday morning, with two eyes surrounded by beautiful rings of an azure blue, which he exhibited to the court as an evidence that he had been slugged and robbed by James Maher and Lee Foreman one night last week in the vicinity of the Northwestern depot. The defendants showed that Dorrell was the last man in the world any highwayman who had the slightest judgment in such matters would ever think of attacking with a view to robbers. They also stated that they only took Dorrell's gun away from him is order to prevent his using it on them. After all the evidence nat been taken both defendants were discharged.

John Kane and James Quirk were given a preliming evanuation on the barrier of preliminary examination on the charge of robbing J. W. Sawyer about two weeks ago. The prosecuting witness was there, and told his story. After all the evidence was heard the defendants decided to waive examination. They were accordingly bound over to await the action of the grand investments. and Charles Harrington were fixed for drunkenness, the amount assessed against each ranging from \$10.20 to \$23.70, the prize p.c. age being presented to Smith, who had a charge of indecent exposure entered against him, in addition to that of drunkenness.

when the case will be tried and a more serious charge will probably be entered against one or more of them. The disturbance which resulted in the arrest of the quartette took place at Big Lake, where a party of Scandinavians were holding a pienic. All four of them were arrank and they raised a great deal of trouble among the picnickers, resulting finally in the sending of a delegation to the police station for help. The four were met on the road by the officers who were sent to quell the disturbance and were placed under when the case will be tried and a more ser the disturbance and were placed under arrest. It was afterwards found that William Still, a railroad man, Peter Peterson, a track walker for the Northwestern and sev-eral others were badly burt. A couple of eral others were badly burt. A couple of watches belonging to members of the crowd were also stolen, and it is believed that they are in the possession of Harter and his gang.

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The C. M. & St. P. ticket office has been removed from 506 Broadway into the elegant new quarters in the new Baldwin block, 5 Pearl street.

Mrs. Blackburn, who was at the time unmar-ried, became very much attached to each other, judging from appearances. Three children were born to her during her stay there, and Giles claimed to be father of all of them. Nearly a year ago Giles took the boy Willie with him, and has kept him ever since, against the ma's will. Mrs. Blackburn claims that Giles is no fit person to keep the hoy and she wants it decided which of them boy, and she wants it decided which of them is to keep him.

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the country.
Connecticut and all New England have suffered greatly from losses in Kansas, and are disposed to condemn western investments generally. Nebraska's newspapers and her business men should unite as one man in the determination to scatter broadcast throughout the east tho facts (the facts are good enough), regarding Nebraska's climate, soil and location. The enclosed figures, which I have gathered from the Government Statistical Abstract, finding the avorage and per cent of increase, bringing Nobraska into comparison with other western states, tell a story which has surprised me. I think & Sullivan's "Mikado" is rehearsing, and

following crops, for the ten years, from 1880 to 1890, over the ten years, from 1870 to 1880; Corn-Hinnois, 19 per cent; Iowa, 70 per cent; Kansas, 100 per cent; Nebraska, 498

Potatoes-Illinois, 14 per cent; Iown, 65

per cent; Kunsas, 99 per cent; Nebraska, 350 per cent; Iowa, decreased 2 per cent. Nobraska's vield of corn for twenty years averaged, to the acre, one-half bushel more than Iowa, five and one-half more than Kansas, three and three-eights more than Illi-

time, to the acre, was eight bushels more than Iowa, Kansas and Illinois. cent; Colorado, 350 per cent; Himois, 80 per cent; Kowa, 142 per cent; Kansas, 929 per cent; Minnesota, 454 per cent; Nevada, 938 per cent; Oregon, 334 per cent; Texas, 265 per cent; Neuraska, 1,500 per cent. Neuraska's per cent of increase for the

evening at the Farnam. "The Martyr," strong impersonation of the Countess de Moray. Miss Devlin, who enacted Paulette de Moray, is a young actress of promise, and did clever work. Harry Robinson did not have much to do as Sir Elie Doack, but did it artistically and was a favorite with the audience. Martin Golden's personation of Count de Moray lacked somewhat in intensity of feeling and pathos.

Miss Emma Butler played the scheming, blase Countess de Lucca with great spirit. The other characters were too heavily cast and a little out of their line, and in consequence the actors were unable to do them.

MEDICAL AND SURGICAL INSTITU

Fred Harter, William Jeffries, John Sauber and Frank Brady were up for a trial on the charge of disturbing the peace, but develop-ments made since the arrest resulted in a con-tinuance being taken until this morning,

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War Between Parents. A peculiar case will probably be aired in the superior court in a few days, the first step being taken yesterday in the filing of an application for a writ of habeas corpus by Mrs. Elizabeth Biackburn for her son, Willie Blackburn. She wants him brought before the court for the purpose of having it de-cided whether he bolongs to her or to some-one else. According to the story told by Mrs. Blackburn, she used to live on a farm in Garner township with a couple named. Giles. There was a son in the family named Paul Giles, and the young man and Mrs. Blackburn, who was at the time unmar-

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NEBRASKA LEADS ALL.

Some Flattering Official Figures Concerning the State's Growth.

WALLINGTORD, Conn., Aug. 21.-To the Editor of THE BEE: I am here in the interest of a large enterprise for Buffalo county. The Ber of the 15th has been forwarded to me, and I read with pleasure the suggestion of a train through the east, with Nebraska exhibits. Such a scheme, well planned and carried out, would I believe be of incalculable advantage to the state. I am of the pelief that Nebraska is the least known of any state in the country in proportion to its marvelous growth and its possibilities, present and future. The east, as a rule, knows no difference between Kansas and Nebrasika. But Nebraska is abundantly able to demonstrate, if she will, that the conditions which exist are bound to make of her the greatest and richest agricultural state in

suffered greatly from losses in Kansas, and a story which has surprised me. I think they fully substantiate what I said at the commencement, that Nebraska is the least known. I tegret that I am not in Nebraska to help, however little, to push the project that I am not in Nebraska to help, however little, to push the project to E. M. June.

referred to. The figures Mr. Judd refers to are:
The per cent of increase, in bushels, of the

er cent; Kansas, 70 per cent; Nebraska, 305 Wheat-Illinois, 17 per cent; Minnesota, 50

Nebraska's yield of potatoes for the same The per cent of increase in population for the twenty years from 1830 to 1880 was: Arkansas, 65 per cent; California, 127 per cent; Colorado, 560 per cent; Illinois, 80 per

same time was more than double that of any of the territories except Dakota.
The percent of increase in number of swine:

1870-80, 1880-90, 87 655

Illinois	97	5
Kansas	560	514
Missouri	0714	1154
Nebraska	2.10	86
Indiana	75	501
lowa	448	*4
Ohlo	85	*30
Wisconstn	102	*3
CATTLE,		
Arkansas	.08	29
Hillinois	99	17
lowa	106	3324
Kans is	400	79
Missouri	68	-1
Ohio	- 3	76
Wisconsin	98	30
Teens	16	98
Nebraska	953	139
HORSES.		
Arkansas.	48	28
llimois	19	10
Indian	18	14
lows	87	27
Missouri	115	10
Ohlo	1367	*13
Wisconsin	36	25
Texas	1933	63
Kansas	370.	-70
Nebraska	673	260
*Decrease.		
AMPRENIENCE	5	

## AMUSEMENTS.

The Goldens played to a good business last D'Ennery's emotional drama in five acts was presented. The play is a translation from the French. Miss Bella Golden gave a de Moray, is a young actress of promise, and

quence the actors were unable to do them-selves full justice.

along without a hitch, and the

year's experience.

chorus and orchestration showed a marked improvement over the inaugural performance. Several new female voices have been added to the chorus, which improved that very essential adjunct wonderfully. The orchestra has been strengthened by the introduction of several instruments, and Director Fred Siminnson wielded & Sullivan's "Mikado" is rehearsing, and will be produced Thursday evening with Charles Drew, who originally created the

character as Koko. RAILROAD RATES.

General Manager of the B. & M. Road Expresses Views on the Subject. OMARA, Aug. 24.—To the Editor of THE Bee: I respectfully ask space in your columns to correct a serious misapprehension that may arise from a statement made in your editorial columns under the head of 'Rate Reduction' in your issue of this date. You state that-

You state that—

The State Board of Transportation cannot escape its duty by any sort of subterfage. It has already postponed action so long that the presenterop of small grain will be largely marketed before action is amounced. It is clear to the average observer that the board is far more anxious for an excuse not to modify existing schedules than to provide relief. The rates upon coal, lumber and building material west-bound and of coal from Wyonding and Colorado, and the rates upon stock and grain east-bound, are those in which the people are chiefly interested. They do not ask the board for a reduction of average charge per ton upon all classes of freight. They are willing epough to pay the present charges upon ordinary merchandise if the commodity tariffs are made reasonable.

You evidently misuaderstand the facts.

You evidently misunderstand the facts. Applied to the facts as they exist today, the above quotation from your editorial is a good argument against rate reduction. It is very true that the people of this state do not ask for a reduction in the tariff upon increhan-dise, and that a reduction of this kind would be of no use whatever to the farmers or to other classes of people in this state. Freight rates constitu-tute so small an item in the price of groceries, dry goods, and even farm wagons and implements, that the prices cannot be affected to any reduction in the freight rates. That this statement is absolutely correct is evidenced by the fact that groceries, dry goods and farm implements are retailed today at as low prices in Nebraska as in contral and western lows. You make a demand for reduction in rates upon farm produce, lumber and coal, evidently supposing that upon these articles the rates in Nebraska are high. The fact is that these articles are moved in and out of this state at rates considerably lower per ton per mile than the rates paid by Iowa towns. The rate upon corn, for example, from the Missouri river to Chleago is 19 cents per 100 pounds, or for 482 miles .0078 cents per ton

From Hustings, Neb., to Chicago, 639 miles, the rate is 33 cents per 100 pounds, or .007 cents per ton per mile.

No reduction that was proposed by the regislature of last winter, or that has ever been suggested by the most ardent advocate for rate reduction, can in any way affect the rates upon grain from Nebraska points to the markets. The rates per ton per mile upon coal and lumber are also less from the points

of production to Nebraska points than to points in Iowa, and cannot be affected by the State Board of Transportation. It has been shown at the recent hearing be-fore the State Board of Transportation in Lincoln, that the average rate paid upon all tennage to and from Nebraska points is less than the average rate paid on all tonnage to and from lowa points.

The republican platform, which you quote from time to time, recommends rates comparing favorably with neighboring states. The railroads in their own interests have made rates that compare, at this time, most favorably with neighboring states. If you will investigate the matter, you will find that, for several years, grain has brought as high prices in Neoraska as in central and western lows.

The railroads of this state have not for

several years earned a reasonable rate of tion. They were accordingly bound over to await the action of the grand jury, and their bonds were fixed at \$500 aplece, in default of which they were sent to the county jail.

James Forris, James Harrison, Bert Smith

selves full justice.

The Garrow Opera company repeated its splendid success in "The Bohemian Girl" revenue can be forced upon them, at this again last evening at the Grant to a magnificent audience. The opera power to serve the people of this state, and

that will not further delay all railroad construction and prevent investments of capital in Nebraska for manufacturing and other purposes. Yours truly, G. W. HOLDREGE.

INTERRUPTED THE SERVICE. Hostile Factions in South Carolina

Fight it Out in Church. GREENVILLE, S. C., Aug. 24.-At Mountain Hill church, a rude place of worship, used by foot-washing Baptists, in the heart of the Blue Ridge mountains, twenty-five miles above this city, there was a bloody affray yesterday. The mountain people of that neighborhood are generally moonshiners and two leading families - Durhams and Howards -are divided into hostile rings. Howard led a party of his kinsmen on a raid on the church yesterday while the congre-gation was assembled. Luther Durham and Richard Gosnell, who is a deacon of the church, undertook to arrest them. Joseph Howard fired on Luther Durham wounding him mortally but he then shot and killed Masena Howard. Dick Howard was also snot but has disappeared. The Howards were routed, but the congregation dispersed without concluding communion service. This nakes five men killed in this feud in that neighborhood within three years and one of the Howard clan is now in jail here

under sentence of death for murder. Set the Will Aside.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Aug. 24.—[Special Telegram to The Bee.]—The Cowbick will case was decided in the district court today. Rev. Dr. Cownick, a retired Presbyterian minister, died some time ago, leaving property valued at over \$100,000. He left a will in his owa handwriting, but the signature was not witnessed by two persons, as is required under the Wyoming law. The will was consequently set aside so that the beirs, three of whom was live here, will share equally under the will in the property with the exception of \$1,000, which went to Dr. Cowhick's sister, who lives in Indiana. The case will probably be taken to the supreme court.

Stole His Feam.

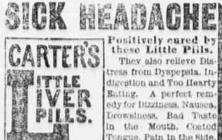
Fate pursues Councilman Pat Rowley of South Omaha relentlessly. Or maybe it isn't fate. At any rate his barn burned Sunday night, and with it a nice horse. Then last night, while he was engaged in wrestling with paving bids and things at the council meeting, some unregenerate cuss stole his team, which was hitched in front of the council room. The thief was seen heading for Omaha with the stolen team and buggy.

Booming the Third Party. PERTLE SPRINGS, Mo., Aug. 94,-The convention of Farmers' and Laborers' union of Missouri will be held here tomorrow, and the prospects are that the convention will be a large one. It is expected there will be a fierce struggle between the sub-treasury and anti-sub-treasury factions. The former will attempt to amend the constitution so as to

are successful it is expected there will be a boom for the third party movement. A New Ministry. LIMA, Aug. 24.—The Peruvian cabinet has resigned, the ministers having refused to answer the senates interpellations in regard to the attempted revolt of December 3. A new ministry has been formed, with Senor Borgono as premier and minister of war, Senor El More as minister of foreign affairs,

and Senor Carpajal as minister of finance.

admit politics into the organization.



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NEWS OF YESTERDAY.

This afternoon Harry Williams identified be man shot dead in the Causeway early last friday morning in Wilmington, Det., as his prother, James B. Williams, aged 25 years, of

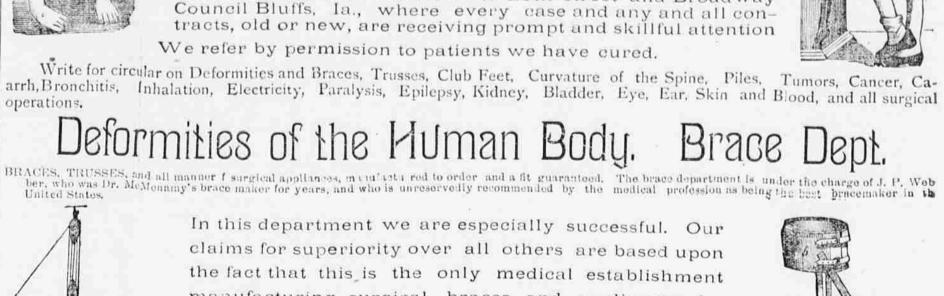
Frevolver demanded (?) money of several per sons and got it. He then went outside of the village and shot himself dead. There is no means of identifying him.

A dispatch from Santiago de Chill says

Among the arrivals at the New York barge office today were Mr. and Mrs. Reubenstein from Odessa and their twenty-four children, ranging in age from 1 to 25 years. They are well-to-do people and will settle in this city. Mrs. Reubenstein is 45 years old.

St. Louis Mining Quotations.

bids were made on call. Adams by Little Albert American Nestle 50 Montrose Fincer Bracetalile 850 Michey Breen Central Silver 22 Silver Age 150 Krante Mountain 2000



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A. T. Allison, jr., in an altercation, at Quincy, Fla., with Dr. C. A. Gee, horsewhipped him and was then shot dead by the latter.

A dispatch from Nuesatz, a town on the Danube, says the boiler of the Danube company's steamer Apostag exploded today, killing five persons and seriously injuring two others.

The remains of D. R. Musgrave, a real estate dealer, who, because of some crookedness, disappeared two years are, were found in the ashes of an old burned cabin near Terre Haute today.

In Milford, O., a young man at the point of

An iron company at Chatanooga, Tenn., made a successful test of a new steel making process, making a good quality of bessener basac from southern white pig with no mixture. The product was of the best quality. quality.

that on the 19th inst. sixty unarmed youths belonding to good families while holding a political meeting were massnered by a de-tachment of cavalry by order of President

Mrs. Reubenstein is 45 years old.

Contestants in the Davis will case at Butte.

Mont. rested today, concluding with a lot of
depositions of flows people to impeach Sconce's
veracity. Most of them wouldn't believe him
under oath. Proponent's counsel then moved
to strike out testimony relating to will of 1880,
on the ground that it takes two witnesses to
establish contents of a will. The matter is
still under argument.

Explorators Royle, who, has been to Sara

still under argument.

Ex-Governor Rowle, who has been to Saratoga, where Senator Gorman now is, is authority for the statement that Gorman told a prominent Connecticut politician who spokes o him about the presidency that Maryland's vote in the next national convention would be cast for Cleveland as her people recognized the fact that Cleveland is the popular choice of the country and would support him in the convention so long as he had a chance of winning.

A private letter from Albert Garcia a prom-

chance of winning.

A private letter from Albert Garcia a prominent citizen of the state of Chihuahua, Mex., to a friend in San Antonia, tells of the most widespread and pittable familie in that state. There has been no rain in many sections of the state for nearly two years. Cattle are dying by the thousands and men, women and children are driven to madness by hunger, President Diaz has suspended the customs ductes for that state in order that brendsting from the United States can be gotten to the starving people at the jeast cost.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 24. There was neither strength nor activity to the mining market today. Orders were scarce and the tendency toward lower prices. The following

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When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

without a trial, the prosecuting witness being unwitting to prosecute. Smith was somewhat wrathy over his treatment, and it is said be contemplates an action for damages against the city officials.