BIG NEBRASKA SHOW ENDED.

Very Successful State Exposition Brought to a Close Yesterday.

ABOUT THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Officers and Members of the Board-An Exhibitors' Society Organized-Parade of the Prize Winners.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 10 .- Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The state fair of Nebraska closed this afternoon at 4 o'clock. At that hour the gates were thrown open and everybody was allowed to enter or make his exit, as suited his disposition. The fakirs commenced to pull up their stakes, the restauranteurs to demotish their flimsy structures and the managers of county exhibits to pack up their products for

trans-shipment to their native fields. Some of these exhibits, which are not of a perishable nature, will be taken in charge by the Nebraska World's Fair commissioners and held until they may be utilized in the great show at Chicago. This is in pursuance of an agreement between the commissioners and county superintendents entered into some days ago, when Messrs. Greer of Kearney, Strang of Omaha, Mobley of Grand Island, Brass of Juniata and Powers of Hitchcock made the selection.

Quite an amount of the displays will also be taken in charge by the B. & M. and exhipited at other fairs in the east.

The fair has been considered one of the most successful held in the state. Some poople held that it was really the most successful held in the state. This may prove to have been the case when the proceeds shall have been ascertained. At present, however, it is known that at proceeding fairs there have been days on which a larger number of people has been on the grounds than has been recorded this year. From the treasurer's books it is ascertained that there were several record breakers. The showing is made on Wednesday of each week since the return of the fair to this city. The attendance has been as follows: 1887, 51,964; 1888, 35,848; 1889, 20,488; 1890, 37,845; 1891, 34,928. The great attendance in 1887 was due to the presence of J I C, the noted racer, which attracted the attention of people from all parts of the state.

The receipts of the fair this year, at the gates, exclusive of the coupons sold in connection with railroad tickets was as follows: Friday, \$440; Saturday, \$960; Sunday, \$851; Monday, \$1,028.25; Tuesday, \$2,731.75; Wednesday, \$6,574.60; Thursday, \$7,419.30. It is estimated that the attendance for the week will reach 125 (%).

week will reach 125,000.

The management of the fair was an arduous undertaking. And yet, the general opinion expressed is that it was admirably accomplished. Every officer was on hand and worked with a will, as did also the assistants and employes, most of whom were well known people from various parts of the state. The officers and members are: J. Jonsen, president, Goneva: Eli A. Barnes, first vice president, Grand Island; E. N. Grennell, second vice president, Fort Cal-houn; Edmund Melntyre, treasurer, Sew-ard; Robert W. Furnas, secretary, Brownville; Austin Humphrey, general superintendent, Lincoln; William R. Bowen, superintendent of gates, Omaha: A. K. Marsh, superintendent of police, Sutton; O. M. Druse, master of transportation, Lincoln; E. A. Park, superintendent of agricultural hall, Alga; H. W. Parker, superintendent of art hall, Beatrice; H. G. Clark, superintendent of merchant's hall, Omaha; R. R. Greer, superintendent of amphitheatre, Kcarney; Charles E. Bessey, state botanist for the board, Lincoln; Lawrence Bruner, state etymologist for the board. West Point: Lewis E. Hicks, state geologist for the board, Lincoln; Goodwin D. Swezey, state meterologist for the board, Crete. The board of managers is: R. H. Henry, chairman, Columbus; J. B. Dinsmore, Sution; M. Dunham, Omaha; L. A. Kent, Minden; Mil-ton Doolittle, Atkinson.

The terms of the following members expire

January next: L. A. Kent, Minden; J. D. Maefarland, Lincoln; Ed McIntyre, Seward; J. B. McDowell, Fairbury; S. M. Barker, Silver Croek; J. M. Lee, Oxford; L. A. Becher, Neligh; R. R. Greer, Kearney; M. L. Hayward, Nebraska City; W. L. May, Fremont; P. H. Parry, Greeley Center; R. D. McGowan, Thedford; E. L. Vance, Paw-nee City; M. Doolittle, Atkinson; W. R. owen, Omaha.
The terms of the following expire January

1, 1893; R. W. Furnas, Brownville; E. N. Grennell, Fort Calhoun, J. Jensen, Geneva; E. A. Barnes, Grand Island; J. B. Dinsmore, Sutton; M. Dunham, Sutton; R. H. Henry, Columbus; J. S. Hughes, Hayes Center; W. H. Barstow, Crete; A. Humphrey, Lincoln; Frank H. Young, Custer; J. C. Warner, Red Cloud; Lee Roy Judd, Verdon; H. W. Parker, Beatrice.

Beatrice.

The superintendents of the various departments to whom the exhibitors have expersed their thanks, are: Horses, N. M. partments to whom the exhibitors have expressed their thanks, are: Horses, N. M.
Doolittle, Atkinson; cattle, J. B. Dinsmore,
Sutton; sheep, W. Duniap, Silver Creek;
swine, F. E. Brown, Syracuse; poultry and
pet stock, J. R. Megahan, Lincoln; farm
products, W. D. Wildman, Culbertson; textile goods, Miss Rebecca Watkins, Grand
Island; fine arts, Miss Lou Bauer, Columbus; dairy, S. C. Bassett, Gibbon; educational A. Stephens, Sutton; bees, honey and ndistry, S. C. Bassett, Globon; educational, A. Stephens, Sutton; bees, honey and aplary goods, E. Whitcomb, Friend, champion, J. S. Hughes, Hayes Center; mechanical arts, E. N. Grennell, Calhoun; machinery, J. Doolittie, Lincoln; instruments, E. N. Grennell, Calhoun; agricultural sociatios E. I. Vacca Dauron Citro, vaccaling and control of the cont eties, E. L. Vance, Pawnee City; special premiums, J. M. Lee, Oxford; speed, D. T. Mount, Omaha.

Exhibitors' Society Formed.

At a meeting of the exhibitors in agricul-tural hall the following farmers were pres-ent: J. D. Schultz, Keith county; T. Zabel, Kearney county; Samuel Warrick, E. C. Lip-Kearney county; Samuel Warrick, E. C. Lippincott, Washington county; Fred E. Bollard, Keya Paha county; Andrew Lotter, Kearney county; W. S. Fletcher, Washington county; B. Buchanan, Lincoln county; W. R. Beum, Dundy county; L. Kinsman, Furnas county; R. Van Meter, Perkins county; W. R. Artman, Cuming county; L. D. Stilson, York county; G. A. Heywood, Sheridan county; Isaac Willard, Buffalo county; R. H. Blanchard, Alonzo Sherwood, Smith P. Tuttle, Box Butte county; D. H. county; R. H. Blanchard, Alonzo Sherwood, Smith P. Tuttle, Box Butte county; D. H. Kingery, W. H. McCowan, C. A. Purson, Chase county; Mrs. C. H. Morosch, Greeley county; J. W. Coulter, Adams county; John R. Maxson, Minden; J. R. Jappleby, Stanton county; J. H. Hart, Colorado; A. P. Job, Te-kamah; Charles T. Griffin, Oakland; L. R. Fletcher, George W. Clark, L. L. Mixfield, August Schmitte. J. M. Schultz was elected chairman. In

J. M. Schultz was elected chairman. It was decided to form an association, the name of which should be the Society of Nebraska State Fair Exhibitors in Agricultural hall.
J. M. Schultz of Keith county was elected president and E. A. Parks of Alda vice presi-

A vote of thanks was extended to ex-Governor Furnas for the kindly interest he had taken in the exhibits and the good will he had shown the exhibitors throughout the

A vote of thanks was also tendered to E. A. Parks, the general superintendent of Agricultural hall, for his kindness and care in behalf of the exhibitors in Agricultural hall and the board of managers was requested to retain Mr. Parks in his present position.

The association will meet in Agricultural hall on the evening before the last day of the

Prize Winners' Parade.

The annual parade of the prize blooded stock took place this morning at 11 o'ctock. It was one of the most interesting features of

latter place ex-Governor Furnas and the other officers of the board were stationed. The cotumn was headed by the Humboldt band. Behind the latter walked the stalllions, praneing gaily, with decorated manes and tails, their sleek hides glistening from the faithful grooming they had received at the hands of devoted attendants. Each seemed to feel that he was the object of special attention, and bore himself with the gallantry of a beau in the glances of his inamorata. Each pulled his halter and pretended a desire to roam free through the grounds, but it was only a pretense. There grounds, but it was only a pretense. There wasn't one of them which could not have pulled his attendant through the throng if he had felt so disposed. But the grooms kept them well in hand and maintained a line of horse flesh which alone, in the words of the showman, was worth more than twice the price of admission.

As the animals passed the stand General Superintendent Humphrey and Superintendent Doolittle of Atkinson stood on either side, ascertained the name of the prize winner, communicated it to Colonel Hastings who stood upon a massive boulder and by him in clarion tones the same was proclaimed to the throng.
After the stallions and horses and mules

and asses came the bulls and cows.

The bulls moved along slowly, in most cases pulled by their keepers by means of ropes and chains attached to massive rings in their nostrils. They walked in a sullen and defiant manner as if the parade was entirely unsolicited on their part and the currosity of the onlookers was a species of vulgarity which they did not feel satisfied to gratify. There were Polled Angus, Here-fords, Galloways, Rod Polled, Holsteins and Jerseys, every one of which was a beauty, both of development, variety and

Jams of Howard county bore a banner on lains of Howard county bore a banner on which was blazoned the fact that he had taken twenty-five first prizes and had 100 horses on the ground, and the long line of prize horses which he led was deservedly

Ed Pyle, the well known horseman, speaking of the display as a whole, said that he had been all through Missouri, Kansas and Iowa, and that in all their fairs they had fewer cattle than had taken prizes here and had taken prizes here and

had passed in the review.

Captain Jordan, who has attended as many state fairs as probably anybody alive, said the exhibit of prize cattle was the finest he had ever seen. It must be remembered that while this show was a great one, there were in the stalls around hundreds of horses and cattle which to the average eye were of equal merit and from which it was only with the greatest difficulty that the judge could select the prize winners.

These Got Premiums.

The following are among the prize winners:

Mary Wininger, Lincoln, oil portrait, second
premium; Mrs. M. C. Lewis, Lincoln, portrait
in water colors; Sarah A. Reilly, Lincoln, portrait in crayon, free hand, second; George H.
Rathbun, Omaha, portrait in pen and ink,
first; Eddle Higgins, Grand Island; second;
Mrs. A. L. Guile, original landscape
in oil, first; Mrs. F. W. Draemel,
Fremont, second; Miss Edith C. Russell,
Lincoln, original landscape in water colors,
first; Mabel L. Clason, Lincoln, second; G. R.
Rathbun, Omaha, original landscape in pen
and ink, first; Eddle Higgins, Grand Island,
second; Mrs. Anna Junk, Shelton, still life
study in oil, first; Miss Edna Davis, Omaha,
still life study, pen and ink; Charles Weber,
Lincoln, wood engraving from nature; Mabel
Merrill, Lincoln, original decorative design
for fire screen, first; Mrs. M. B. Chapla, Lincoln, landscape copy in oil, first; Mary J.
Brown, executed work in hammered brass,
first; Ed th E. Russell, hand painted china,
first; Mrs. Lydla Bohannan, painting on silk,
first.
Mare, any age, Clydesdale, George N. The following are among the prize winners:

Brown, executed work in hammered brass, first; Edth E. Russell, hand painted chinn, first; Mrs. Lydia Bohannan, painting on silk, first.

Mare, any age, Clydesdale, George N. Wright & Co., Beatrice, first; stallion, any age, A. H. Mctlelland, Trumbull, first; mare, any age, Suffoik Polk draft? Peter Hoply & Co., first; stallion, any age, same; stallion, any age, English coach, A. L. Sullivan, first; French coach, Berg & Story, first and second; German, Sam Irwin, Beatrice, first; single animal to harness, C. W. Cockerell, Lincoln, first; H. Fry, York, Second; pair of fint-footed walking stallions, N. P. Judd. Dawson, Frank James, St. Paul, second; Jennet, any age, Robert Brothers, Ashland, first; herd of horses, M. M. Coad, Frenont.

Boar over 2 years, Berkshire, N. H. Gentry, Sedalla, first; sow, same, B. F. Dorsey & Sons, first; boar over 2 years, Poland China, Marsh farm herd, Jessup, Ia., first; sow, same, A. M. Edwards, Fremont, first; sow, same, A. M. Edwards, Fremont, first; sow, same, A. M. Edwards, Fremont, first; sow, same, firm; Chestnut White, boar, Vanderslice Brothers; sow same, H. A. Stoll, first; Jersey Reds, boar, C. H. Searles, Edgar, first; sow, same, H. A. Stoll, first; Victorias, boar, G. F. Pavig & Sou, Dyer, sow, same firm.

Shorthorns, cow any age, T. R. Westrope, Harlan; buil, 3 years and over, G. W. Lyle, first; Old Herd, cow, any age, M. E. Moore, Cameron, Mo.; buil, T. J. Higgins, Council Grove, Kan., first; Young Herd, buil and four females, W. A. McHenry, Dennison, Ia., first, Best display of plants grown in greenhouse, Cameron, Mo.; buil, T. J. Higgins, Council Grove, Kan., first; Young Herd, buil and four females, W. A. McHenry, Dennison, Ia., first, collection of cut flowers, Omaha, first; collection of roses, B. Haas, Omaha, first; collection of of all kinds of fruit, E. F. Stephens.

Best display of plants grown in greenhouse, third; Hess & Swoboda, Omaha, first; collection of fruits by counties, Johnson county, first; Filmore, second; Paw-

Stephens.

Best general collection of fruits by counties,
Best general collection of fruits by counties,
Johnson county, first; Filmore, second; Pawnee, third; Burt and Richardson, tied for
fourth place. The following are the prizes awarded ounty collective exhibits: Burt county, first prize: Chase, second; Kearney, third; Cuming, fourth; York, fifth; Washington, sixth; Dundy, seventh; Red Willow, eighth; Keya Paha, ninth; Furnas, tenth.

For the best county display of agricultural products, referring solely to the appearance, arrangement and uniqueness of the collection, the award was made to Dundy county, the prize being a silver medal. The officers of the Nebraska State Bee-

keepers' association for the ensuing year are: President, E. Whitcomb, Friend; vice president, Mrs. J. N. Heater, Columbus; secetary, L. D. Stelson, York; treasurer, J. N. Heater, Columbus.

HUNTER'S HORRIBLE FATE.

Found Dead with the Clothes Burned from His Body.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Sept. 11 .- Peter Fitzgerald, aged 26, went hunting near Mallard yesterday. Today his dead body was found on the prairie. He had accidentally shot himself through the body, the discharge of the gun ignited the clothing and the poor victim wandered about until his clothes were ourned off and he fell dead. He lived until recently in lowa county.

Leaving Democratic Ranks. BUHLINGTON, Ia., Sept. 11 .- [Special Telegram to Tue Beg. |-Hiram C. Wheeler, candidate for governor on the republican state ticket, was tendered an impromptu recep-tion at the rooms of the Commercial club today. Many prominent politicians called and greeted the next state executive with every assurance of support. A large num-ber of republicans who voted for Boies two ears ago declare their intention of supporting Wheeler now. Mr. Wheeler is confident of election by 25,000 majority.

Clear Title Secured.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Sept. 11.—[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]—The Market square littgation is at last ended. This block was seected by the government as the site of the new federal building, supposing it to be owned by the city. Claimants to the land soon rose and a long wrangle in the courts was predicted, but today the city paid a sum to the heirs in satisfaction of their claim, and now there is a clear title. The work of erecting the building will be commenced at

Acceptable to His Friends. BURLINGTON, Ia., Sept. 11.- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE.] -A special dispatch from Washington says ex-Governor Gear's name is being freely used in connection with the chairmanship of the Interstate Commerce commission, made vacant by the resignation of Judge Cooley. Mr. Gear is at present out of the city and a statement could not be ob-tained. His appointment would be highly acceptable to both the railroad and commerthe fair and was witnessed by several thous-and people. It required half an hour for the stock to pass the reviewing stand. At the

MUST ANSWER FOR MURDER.

Dennis O'Flaherty Bound Over to the District Court.

BLOOMFIELD'S FATAL SHOOTING AFFAIR.

William F. Seidel, the Slayer of J. H. Paulsen, Released on Bonds-Very Cool and Collected About the Matter.

HARTINGTON, Neb., Sept. 11 .- [Special lelegram to THE BEE. |-Dennis O'Flaherty will have to answer to the enarge of murder in the district court. Such is the decision of the county judge. At the conclusion of the preliminary hearing he was bound over in the sum of \$5,000. Hail was promptly fur-

HERE'S AN INTERESTING RUMOR.

Supreme Court Said to Have Practically Decided in Boyd's Favor. Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 11.-[Special Telegram to Tue Bee. |-It is reported here on high authority that the supreme court of the United States has already come to a decision in the Boyd-Thayer contest, and that it has leaked out that the decision is favorable to Boyd and that Thayer will be ousted. It is further reported that the supreme tribunal will hand down a decision in the case immediatelyconveno ning.

Reunion at North Platte.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Sept. 11.-[Special o The Bee, |-- Active work is now going on at Camp Logan, and by Saturday night everything will be in readiness to receive the Grand Army of the Rebublic boys from abroad. The camp has been located on a level prairie in the outskirts of the city and the tents are being rapidly pitched. There will be a main pavillion in the center of the camp, capable of accommodating 1,000 people, Arrangements have been made in tents and barracks to accommodate 20,000. The adjacent counties which have applied for and been assigned quarters have taken twice the space occupied last year and the reports coming in from this and other states indicate that 30,000 people will be in attendance, Governor Thayer, Lieutenant Governor Majers, Paul Vandervoort, Senator Van Wyck, Fighting Chaptain Lozier and other prominent men have signified their intention to attend Camp Logan next week.

Five or six bands have been secured for the week and several others are expected to be at the camp for a day or two. The Lin-coln County fair will be held during Septem-ber 15, 16, 17 and 18, and the trotting association has arranged for races every day. Sev-eral notable horses will be here and the fact that more than twice as many horses have been entered than at any previous meeting assures a lively time to those of the veterans as desire to attend at the fair ground a part of the day. The Ancient Order of United Workmen ball will be a social feature during the reunion. Stephen A. Douglas post has also prepared the grand war drama, "The Recruit of 1812," which will be put on at Lloyd's opera house one or two nights next week. Fuel and forage will be furnished the veterans at Camp Logan free. The grounds are well watered from the water works sys-tem and the camp will be brilliantly illumi-nated with electric lights. The entire city is preparing to put on gala attire and to give the visitors a cordial welcome. Those who were bere last year will return and bring hundreds with them, and all will be received asr oyal guests. Transportation has been

made one fair for the round trip. Supposed Burglar Captured. St. Paul, Noo., Sept. 11.- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- Speriff McDonald arrested two parties today suspected of the robbery of the Union Pacific office at Ord last night. One has been released, but the other lies in the local jail waiting the arrival of officers who have ordered him held. The prisoner says his name is Ed Dunn and claims to have been in the employ of the Nebraska Telephono company at Omaha, Lincoln and Hastings. He acts very peculiar for an innocent man. When arrested his answers to questions only strengthened the officers' suspicions. A brakeman saw the party go north with only 10 cents looking for work recently. He had \$50.26 when arrested. The sheriff thinks he has a tramp worth keeping and has him in the iron cage of the jail.

Cause of a Fatal Accident. BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 11 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-The coroner's jury in the case wherein the Union Pacific train No. 42 killed two men and demolished a handcar at the paper mill curve, two miles and a half below the city, Thursday, rendered a verdict this afternoon, blaming Engineer Jobson for not sounding the whistle on approaching the curve and Foreman Lindlay of the section crew for failing to flag the train at the curve and for not informing himself of the running of that special train before starting out to

work that morning. The coroner's jury empanelled to ascertain the cause of yesterday's collision will conene at 9 a. m. tomorrow.

Physicians in Session. YORK, Neb., Sept. 11.—[Special to THE BEE.]—The York and Hamilton County Medical society met in this city Thursday and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, G. W. Shidier of York; vice president, W. F. Morris of McCool; treasurer and secretary, D. Boswell of The next meeting will be held De cember 8, at which time the society the organization into a Central No craska Medical association and extend an initation to all physicians in adjoining counles to become members.

Seidel Gives Bonds.

NIOBRAHA, Neb., Sept. II. - | Special to THE BEE. |-William F. Seidel, who shot and mortally wounded J. H. Paulsen at Bloomfield, this county, yesterday, was brought here last night and is under \$1,000 bonds. County Attorney Houston left this morning for Bloomfield to investigate matters. Seidel is very cool and collected and the occurrence is taken as a very small matter.

Held for Trial.

OSCEOLA, Nob., Sept. 11.- [Special to THE BEE.]-James B. Hyatt, who had been arrested, charged with disposing of mortgaged property, had his preliminary examination before Judge Sheesley Thursday and was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$600. He was unable to give bonds and will get a chance to board at the expense the county until the meeting of the district court October 5.

Child Strangled to Death. BEATRICE, Nob., Sopt. 11.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Teddy, the 6-year-old son of Henry Davis of West Beatrice, was strangled to death this afternoon by a bean getting into his winapips. He had been sent out to gather beans in the garden and, child like, put two of them in his nostrils and in haled them into his throat. He strangled to death before medical aid could be sum-

Mrs. Goudy Will Help Her Husband. Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 11.- Special Telegram to The Ber. |-Prof. Goody, superintendent of public instruction, has chosen his wife, Mrs. Alice Goudy, as deputy superintendent. The position is worth \$1,500 per year.

Nebraska City Reunion Closed.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Sept. 11.- (Special Telegram to Tus BEE.] - The Grand Army of the Republic encompment closed here tonight. It was a big success. The attend-

ance has been large and the gentlemen who have interested themselves in the encampment are satisfied. General Van Wyck talked to the old soldiers, but he said nothing about politics. At the meeting this morning but little if any business was transacted, as the roll call showed that several posts were not represented. On motion it was decided that each post should elect delegates to a meeting to be held at Auburn on the second Wednesday in January, when the time and place of holding the next reunion will be decided upon. Also officers will be elected. Those in attendance represent themselves as in favor of this city and the indications are that Nebraska City will be chosen as the place for the reunion. The counties recog-nized as in this district are Otoe, Cass, Johnson, Nemaha, Richardson, Pawnee and

Recruiting Indian Soldiers. NIOBRARA, Neb., Sept. 11.-|Special to THE Bre.|-Lieutenant S. Seay, jr., U. S. A., is at Santee and Ponca agencies recruiting Indians for Fort Randall. He will succeed in taking from these two agencies about twenty-five and the remainder will be taken from Yankton agency. The citizens here are encouraging the Indians to take advantage of the excellent opportunity, which will not interfere with their allotment of lands, rations of other interests their tribes

Sheridan County Gets the Prize. GORDON, Neb., Sept. 11.- Special Telegram to Tun Ben. | - Sheridan county secured the two first prizes at the Nebraska State fair. Wheat in this county averages from twenty-five to forty-five bushels per acre. Sheridan county's fair opens nere Septem ber 26. One and one-third fare for round trip tickets has been granted. Visitors are invited to take a look at the greatest productions of the richest soil of Nebraska.

Bridge Broke Down. BANCROFT. Neb., Sept. 11 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-Last evening as Mark F. Codes of Fremont was driving about 200 cattle from Farley's pasture north of town to this place for shipment, in crossing the Logan river the new bridge broke down, precipitating a number of cattle into the stream re-sulting in the loss of three head and greatly damaging the bridge.

Destroyed by Fire. WALLACE, Neb., Sept. 11 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |- Two cars loaded with lumber went up in smoke here this morning at an early hour. They had been sidetracked the evening before, and it is thought that the fire was communicated from a passing loconotive. The loss fails upon the B. & M., as the cars had not been delivered.

Severely Injured at Peru. PERU, Neb., Sept. 11 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-While riding on a wood rack two miles west of here this afternoon Harry Bradford, a boy of twelve years, sustained a very painful wound, his leg being almost severed below the knee.

Irish League Delegates Elected. Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 11,-The Lincoln branch of the Irish National League of this evening elected ten delegates to the Chicago convention of October 1. Resolutions of regret over the iliness of President Fitzgerald was adopted.

FOUND IN CINCINNATI.

more, in charge of the central police station.

eccived the following telegram from Cincin-

R. W. McLaufilly-We have Miss Vera P.

Ava, residing 348 Monroe street. Answer what to do with her. Philip Deitsch.

following:

Sergeant Cudmore at once wired back the

PHILLIP DETECH—Release Miss Vera P. Ava. We do not want her. R. W. McLaughey. "The only effect of this Cincinnati tele-

gram," remarked Sergeant Cudmore, as he

tucked it away in a pigeon hole of his desk.

"is to satisfy our curiosity, as to Miss Vera's whereabouts. We have no charge against

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 11 .- A representa-

tive of the Associated press has heard Vera

Ava's story from her own lips. She told her story fluently and, consequently in elegant

language. By way of introduction she said

she was a Roman Catholic and was starting four homes for homeiess, degraded

children in Chicago, This, she said, dis-pleased Archbishop Fechan and he ordered her to a nunnery. She refused to go, and

then he ordered her to appear before a council at the Jesuit College church on Twelfth street last Wednesday. She went in her carriage. Mrs. Bolton, of 438 West Monroe street was with her, and

Tom was the driver of the carriage. Tom and Mrs, Bolton in the carriage waited out-side. Archbishop Feenan and Father Kelly

were present. They presented a paper to sign which she refused to do saying

that as a prospective American citi-zen she meant to use her money as she pleased. Thereupon Father Kelly arose and said: "This has gone far enough."

that she knew nothing more until she felt as if she was in the lake. She thinks that was last night, and that she had been over-

dosed with chloreform and water was applied as a restorative. The next she

remembers was, she thinks, about a clock this afternoon, when she was taken from the depot in a carriage to a cer-

tain house in this city, though she did not then know what city it was. Here she stopped with her story and went to praising

the kindness she had received at the House of Detention in being allowed to remain in the office and not being colleged to occupy a

When asked, "Were you turned loose in

the street!" she replied apiritedly, "No, in-doed. I escaped, and tomorrow I'll show Chief Dietsch what house they took me to."

Sne said, however, previous to Wednes-day, she had received an anonymous letter

threatening that she would be treated as Dr. Cronin had been, and this she took to the chief in Chicago, but he was not in and she

She was asked by telephone later, plumply, if she was the Miss Dis Debar of New York,

and she said: "No, sir; that is a gross mis

take."
She is a fleshy woman, has fair skin and

short, curly blonds hair that comes down on

And her narrative ended.

her forehead to her eyes.

did not leave it.

At that moment two men same in at a door and threw a cloth over her head.

her and hence cannot order her arrest."

Miss Ava Turns Up in a Demented Condition. CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 11.-Miss Vera Ava. if her own testimony is to be credited, is here in the Cincinnati House of Detention. She is a rather large woman, apparently 38 years old, has light blue eyes and rather closely cropped hair, well sprinkled with gray. She talks some-times rationally and sometimes with wild incoherence. She says her name is Vera Ava, that her native place is London, Eng. and that lately she has been in Chicago and somebody brought her from that city to this place, but who brought city to this place, but who brought her, and when she was brought she seems

unable or unwilling to tell. It was nearly 9 o'clock tonight when this woman from the sidewalk at Ninety-third and Elm streets, this city, called a cabman and got in the cab and ordered him to drive her to the St. Nicholas. She were a black woolen dress, was in her stocking feet and was without a hat. From her waist to above her shoulders her body was bare. The St. Nicholas, the Burnet and the Gibson houses all refused to receive her. In the cab at the Gibson the detective force took her case in hand and removed her at once to the House of Detention. Examination there revealed the fact that she had not a cent and not a scrap of paper or her person and that all her effects were her black dress and stockings. The police have been unable to discover how she got here. When she was asked about it

ing ones" have substituted General Land Commissioner Carter of Montana for Clarkshe got here. When she was asked about it she would say, "I came from behind a gray stone wall and went up hill, but they pushed me down whenever I went up," Nothing satisfactory can be learned from her. She said she had been at 320 or 420 West Monroe street. Some officers think her insanity is feigned. It is surmised here in certain quarters that she is son as secretary of the interior, and no doub there will be quite a boom in Carter stock Mr. Carter's chances for preferment are t be given extraordinary strength by the wel known fact that he has made a most excel lent record as commissioner of the genera land office, is a fine lawyer and is well ac-quainted with the work of the interior desurmised here in certain quarters that she is Miss L is Debar, late of New York. Chicago, Ill., Sept. 11.-Sergeant Cudpartment business.

EXTENDED MAIL PACILITIES. Postmaster General Wanamaker when of his clerks announced the other day

When Mr. Wanamaker went into the Postoffice department he was possessed of the idea that a free delivery service could be of say 1,000 or 2,000 inhabitants in thickly populated sections of the country, especiall where there were large commercial inte ests, so he set about experimenting. He picked out a dozen or two places in states for the purpose of trying it. pense he has found to be beyond the rev-enues, of course, but much to his surprise he has found that the revenues come much nearer the point of self-support than he ex-pected. The service has given great satis-faction in every instance to the patrons. It is Mr. Wanamaker's belief now that it will pay the government to extend the free delivery very materially—to put it in places of at least 5,000 copulation, and that it should be worked with the idea of extending the service uitimately to the villages of 1,000 or 2,000 souls. In England the mail is de livered by mounted carriers in the country. wherever the population is dense enough We have whole states where the mail migh be delivered even in the country, so that the farmers could have their letters and papers delivered every day, as in town. Mr. Wanamaker has this service in mind for no distant

ENFORCING THE ALLEN LABOR LAW, If anyone believed for a moment that the alem labor law was not being enforced now-adays so as to give full advantage to American laborers, that idea could easily be dispelled by a visit to the Treasury department Secretary Foster gave directions when the Bureau of lumigration was established some weeks ago for the vigorous enforcement of this law. He not only desires that improper characters shall be excluded from this coun-

SOUTH DAKOTA'S POLITICS.

John H. King of Chamberlain Fully Explains the Situation.

REPUBLICANS CAN CARRY THE STATE.

No Fusion Probable Between the Alliance and Democratic Parties-Some Racy Rumors of Cabinet Changes.

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE BEE,

518 FOURTEENTH STREET, WASHINGTON D. C., Sept. 11 Ex-State Railroad Commissioner John H. King of Chamberlain, S. D., who is now chief of division in the register's office of the Preasury department, has just returned from South Dakota, where the people are preparng to elect a successor to the late Representative Gamble. Mr. King was quite prominently mentioned as a candidate, but he says he will not enter the list. He believes a republican will be elected although the alliance are making a strong fight. The latter, he says, are campaigning before the convention, and at the Harvest Home festivals are putting forth a great deal of alliance doctrine. He expects a small vote to be polled. South Dakota has, ne says, been election ridden for the past three years and the people are getting tired. The hopes that the democrats entertained that the alhance would fuse with them is not to be realized Mr. King says, although the democrats claim it because they helped the alliance elect a senator inst winter, but even if the leaders did agree to fuse, the rank and

file of the alliance would not follow them.

They claim that as they are much stronger than the democrats, it would be foolish for them to elect a democrat. Mr. King says there will be three tickets in the field and the republicans have the most votes if they will come out. Among the candidates mentioned by Mr. King who are in the field for the republican nomination are W. E. Lucas, now of Hot Springs but formerly of Cham-berlain, Edwin Vancise and E. B. Martin of Deadwood and Colonel Gardner of Kapid City. These are all from the Black Hills, while L. B. French of Yankton, L. M. Pres-ton of Mitchell and J. M. Greene of Cham-berlain are among those who are in it from the eastern part of the state. The northern portion of the state concedes the second member to the southern portion, for although the state is not divided, Major Pickler is from the northern part and it is good policy on the part of the republicans to select their candidate—from the other sec-tion.—Ex-Representative Gifford and ex-Deiegate Mathews will not be candidates, nor will the brother of the late Mr. Gamble, as has been reported. Mr. King says that Senator Pettigrew is not mixing in the fight be-fore the convention, but says ne will do what he can to elect the republican nominee as

soon as he is nominated.

The big crop which South Dakota has raised this year makes the calamity campaigners feel discouraged, but they are circulating loads of literature in every part of the

state. RUMORS OF CABINET CHANGES. Rumors of impending changes in the cabinet take root nowadays on the slightest provocation. A correspondent who was at the War department early this afternoon re-ported in Newspaper Row that he had just seen there General Lew Wallace of Indiana and that he appeared to be deeply interested in the routine of the department work. The statement went like wild fire among newspaper men and others and two hours later the positive statement was made that General Wallace was to be the successor of Se retary Proctor and that he was being pitoted through the War department for the pur-

pose of getting an insight into the business he was expected to perform. Along with this report was soon coupled the report that Attorney General Miller was for the new circuit embracing Indiana created in the supreme court organization law passed by the last congress, and that General Wallace was to be the Indiana rep resentative in the cabinet. These two state ments were put together and soon were added various tails, all of which finally found num lication in this evening's Star, which relate further that after the appointment of Attor nev General Miller to the United States cir cult court, Secretary Noble is to be trans-ferred to the Department of Justice and ex-

Assistant Postmaster General secretary of the interior. The publication of the statements has caused a great deal of talk and the "know-

It was indeed a very provoking matter to he had found the free delivery which he es tablished in a number of very small towns unsatisfactory, for the very contrary was

day. That is his aim. He will ask congress to give him further support.

try, but he wants pameer labor kept out of competition with American labor. It has now become a very dangerous thing to hire a man in Europe to come here to labor unless he possesses the peculiar exclusive knowledge of the work which precludes the possibility of competition with American labor or skill. Much to the surprise of the treasury officials it has been found that a great deal of slien labor has been coming into this country on our Canadian borders, and farm laborers have suffered by the competition. More than a dozen men have been sent out of North Da-kota alone during the last month for having violated the alien labor law. One of these days the native citizens who hire allens will be punished severely. Here are a few of the characters who were sent out of North Da-kota; James Wood, employed by a Mr. David, returned to Ontario; McFarland of Park river, sent back to Canada: M. Johnson, William Cochran, returned to Ontario from Pittsburg, N. D. There is a roster in the departi which is being filled with such cases les, places where found, what doing. The returned to, and such other inwill be of use in locating their t they come back agiin. An in-rt will be made on this subject.

CASE NOT DECIDED. Clerk Me sey of the supreme court of the United stated to Tue Bee corthe United tes stated to THE BEE correspondent to that he step had been taken in Go or Boyd's case by the supreme court any member of it. That Judge Brewer the testing the case and that he had issued no order nor had be given any sign that he would do so before the court convenes its session in October. There has from time to time been rumors of an intention on the part of Justice Brewer to issue an order which might oust Governor Thayer, but nothing can be learned tonight which would warrant the statement that such a move was about to be taken.

MISCELLANKOUS.

MISCELLANEOUS S. C. Boerstler was today appointed postmaster at St. Lawrence, Hand county, South

Dakota. Assistant Secretary Crounse of the treasury department has left Washington for a visit to his home at Omaha. He will be absent ten days.

Hou. W. D. Owen telegraphed to his office in the in the Treasury Department this afterneon the following from Council Bluffs, Ia.: "Mrs. the following from Council Diagram, Owen very ill, but slightly improved."
P. S. H.

MONARCHY'S DEATH KNELL.

In the English Trades Union Congress it Can Be Heard.

[Copyright, 1891, by New York Associated Press.] LONDON, Sept. 11.—Although the new mionists held an overwhelming majority n the trades union congress they used their with moderation and discretion, in marked contrast with flast year's meeting. The democratic character of the congress was never more pronounced, though socialstic views were less obtrusive. The pervad ing tone of the speeches showed an absolute conviction that labor will within the near future, dominate parliament and make the country's laws. The moderates, nowever, could not prevent the ultra-democrat section from passing some erratic resolutions. The proceedings culminated today in a contest between the old and new unionists over the election of a parliamentary committee. The existing committee has a large element of old unionists and moderate men desiring to reform the constitution. The congress gave the ultras less power.

The report of the committee on constitution proposed to base representation on the numerical principle, each society having dele gates in the ratio of its membership. The whole question was finally referred back to the parliamentary committee, with instruc-tions to prepare a constitution on the princi-ple of "One man, one vote."

Their recommendations, which were sub-mitted to the trades councils throughout the country before the congress, view the re-vision of the constitution, the coming gen-eral elections and the appointment of a parliamentary committee as of leading impor-tance. The voting proceeded quietly. The results will be declared tomorrow. Report credits the new unionists with having a majority of the committee.

The rumor that the Dardanelles question has subsided is untrue. Lord Salisbury is actively taking diplomatic steps. The porte's ambassador here was summoned to Constantinople yesterday to give an account of its The personnel of the Chilian legation here

act in conjunction with Augustin Root, the junta's agent. The members of the legation here predict that the finances of Chili will be organized within a year and that the business will soon show a surplus. It is semi-officially estimated that the revolution costs the country \$70,000,000. As the normal revenue of the state is \$52,000,000 reuperation will be speedy.

The prince of Wales is about to visit Sir

Frederick Johnstone, at Dumfries, and Lord Lousdale, at Lowther castle. Both the latter are noted sportsmen, fond of play, shooting by day and playing baccarat by night. In view of this fact the watchful suspicions of the religious classes are keenly fixed on the prince, who seems to disregard evil reports and to take his own course in associating with pleasant companions at the risk of a further weakening of devotion to the throne. He will probably join the duke of Clarence at Curragh in October and wi

told receptions in Dublin.
The marriage of Mr. Tennant, brother of Mrs. Henry M. Stanley to Miss Lizzie Til ton, a Washington belle, is fixed for Decem

The delay in the marriage of Lord Hart ington to the dowager Duchess of Manches ter, is due to deference to the remonstrance of the duke of Devonshire, who is an earner opponent of second marriages, holding that the sacrament is therefore violated. Th age and feebleness of the duke, whose death is inevitable before long, causes Lord Hartngton in the meantime to respect his wishes

Grand Lodge Adjourned.

CLINTON, Ia., Sept. 11 .- | Special Telegram o THE BEE. |-The Grand lodge of the Order of the Eastern Star has closed its three days session here, the last day being devoted to routine business. The following officers were elected and installed; Grand matron, Mrs. M. Jackson of Council Bluffs; grand patron, F. M. Howard of Clinton; grand assistant matron, Mrs. Lizzie Carbart of Man-chester; grand assistant patron, Dr. A. J. Salts; grand secretary, E. B. Dyke of Charles City; grand treasurer, Mrs. Jennie Rule of Mason City; grand conductor, Ada M. Davis Slear Lake; grand Ada, Kate Ball of Moun Pleasant; grand Ruth, Allie Baxter of Sac lity; grand Esther, Mrs. F. E. Inman of Sanborn; grand Maritha, Mrs. F. E. Inman of Des Moines; grand Maritha, Mrs. Taylor of Des Moines; grand electators, not filled; chap-lain, E. S. Johnson of Daubury; grand warden, Mrs. A. M. Sabin of Norway; grand sentinel, Theodore Schreiner of Mount Picas-

ant.

Iowa Road's Gauge Changed. BIRMINGHAM, Ia., Sept. 11.-[Special Tele gram to The Bee. - Last night was made lurid with rockets, red fire and roman candles, and the air was rent with roor of cannon and small arms. It was all on ac ount of the arrival in this city of the first passenger train over the newly broadened Chicago, Fort Madison & Des Moines railway. The train bore a special party of Chicago and Fort Madison railroad men in-terested in the read. It is the object of the company to extend the line to Des Moines and thence to Sioux City, to ren from that point to an entrance into the Dakota wheat country. The lately incorporated Beards town & Fort Madison road, running from Beardstown, Ill., to Fort Madison, is in-tended as a connecting link between the Baltimore & Ohio and this new road,

Talks at the Mining Convention. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Sept. 11 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- At the mining convention yesterday George F. Canis, editor of the Saratoga Sun, read a paper on the Gold Hil district. E. C. Bartlett of Omaha spoke of the Wyoming oil floids. He said they were from 100 to 150 miles wide and extended from the northeast to the southwest corner of the state. He predicted that the time was now close at hand when the business world would demand this oil. H. F. Mead of Omaha urged that miners and business men join the Cational Miners' association, an outline of which he presented.

Steamer Arrivals.

At Browhead - Passed, Etruria, from New York for Liverpool.

At Bremerhaven - Werrs, from New York.

At New York - Germania, The Queen,

At Rotterdam-Obdam, from New York. North Dakota's Wheat Crop. GRAND FORKS, N. D., Sept. 11.—The Herald ass crop reports from correspondents at fifty different points in the state which show the yield of wheat is underestimated. They agree that the yield is unprecedented and of high grade.

M. B. Curtis, "Sam'l o' Posen," Acts the Principal Part in a Tragedy.

DROPS THE CURTAIN ON A HUMAN LIFE.

While Resisting Arrest He Kills a San Francisco Policeman-A Night Pleasure Ends in

Murder.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 11.-Late last night a policeman was shot in front of the station house and killed by a prisoner the officer had under arrest. The man tried to escape, but was captured. He turned out to be M. B. Curtis, well known as "Sam'l o' Posen." He denied the shooting of the policeman. Why Curtis was under arrest is not known, but it is thought he was creating a disturbance while under the influence of

Curtis tells the following story of the affair: "I was at the Grand opera house inst night with my wife to see Bern-hardt in Camille. I left there about 10 o'clock to go to the Tivola theater with one of the proprietors, William Keeling. We drank together and I left him to return to the opera house for my wife. When I reached Third and Mission streets I was suddenly tumbled into the gutter, and after that remember nothing, only some one pulling me about, until I found myself in the wagon

with handcuffs on my wrists." When Curtis was taken to jail last night se appeared to be under the influence of iquor and told of his doings during the night, and that he had no weapons and was anocent of the murder of Officer Grant, Officer Grant was about 38 years of age,

and had been on the police force about five years. He was much liked by his brother Curtis lives at Berkley, Cal., where he built a hotel, which has since been converted into a seminary. He began life as call boy in

the old California theater, this city, working his way up.
The pistol which Curtis shot Officer Grant with was found in the street some distance from where the tragedy occurred.

The arrested comedian, booked for murder, was a pitiable object as he sat in the Southern police court wringing his hands in despair or running from one officer to another to protest his innocence and telling in an in-coherent way his doings of the night. He was intoxicated.

was intoxicated.

"My God," he cried, "if I could only recall the last four hours of my life. I'm no
murderer, gentlemen. I had no pistol. I
shot nobody. I have not an enemy in the world.

Vainly he protested his innocence of any offense and wanted to go home to his wife. offense and wanted to go home to his wife. In a rambling way he told the story of his business and his affairs. He came to this city from his home in Berkiey across the bay on the 7:30 boat with his wife and Dr. Cook and his family of Berkley. He had purchased a box for the Bernhardt performance and left his wife and those with her at the Granc opera house. Then he went to the Tivoli, where he met William Keeling and a person whose name he could not recollect, but who spoke French and represented himself to be a grummer for a liquor house. The trio reformance. After leaving the Tivoli he started formance. After leaving the Tivoli he started to go to the Grand Opera house to meet his wife. While on Mission street he was caught in a crowd. Some one struck him in the back of the neck and he fought his way out to the street. There he found himself in the nands of Officer Grant. Why he was arrested he did not know, but he protested that he went with the officer without making any opposi-

"Why did you draw your pistol on him?" "I had no pistot," he exclaimed, "I did not shoot any one. I am sorry it happened. I wanted to have a good time and never harmed a man in my life. I'm no train rob-ber, gentlemen."

Over and over again he resterated his ignorance of the affair until he was handcuffed and taken off to the Central station. The only known witnesses of the shooting were two young men, Thomas Maller and El Foomey, who stood directly across the street, and heard the policeman say "Come along

There was no reply, but at almost the same instant the young mon saw a flash. A pistol shot rang out on the quiet street, followed in mick succession by two more reports. The officer fell to the sidewalk without a groan and Curtis, who a moment before had been his prisoner, turned and fled up Folsom

The scene of the shooting was not more than 250 feet from the station doors. Hearing the pistol shots Officers Allen and Bodie ran out of the station and found a great crowd gathered about the prostrate form of the dead policemar. He was lying face downward in a pool of blood and life was already extinct—Curtis had not yet gained the corner of Folsom and Fifth street. The officorner of Folsom and Fifth street. cers gave chase, accompanied by half a dozen men. Curtis ran around the corner of Fifth street closely followed, and was overtaken when he had turned down Shipley street. There the two policemen seized and hand-cuffed him and walked him back past the place where the shooting had been done. The hippers which Policeman Grant had twisted on Curtis' wrist were still there in evidence that he was the man he had in custody. The weapon with which Officer Grant was killed vas found shortly afterward near the corner of Fifth street, where he had thrown it as he

William Kreling, proprietor of the Tivola theater, states that Curtis visited the Tivoli shortly after 10 o'clock last night. Curtis had had several glasses of liquor in Kreling's ompany and when he left the theater, about 1:30 o'clock, was showing excitement in his

Police officers state that Officer Grant had inquestionably placed Curtis under arrest, owing to a disturbance he was creating on the street, and that Curtis shot him white he officer was quietly taking him to the sta-

The dead officer was a native of Nova Scotia. He was a resident of California for seventeen years. He was a member of Cali-fornia Commandery, Knights Templar. The case of Curtis was called before Police
Judge Worley this afternoon. Curtis looked
pale and troubled, and evidently had not
slept much since the time of the shooting.

Hy consent the case was postponed until
Monday next to await the action of the confonday next to await the action of the cor-

pare their cases. WEATHER FORECAST.

jury and allow the attorneys to pre-

For Omaha and Vicinity-Fair, slightly For Missouri-Local showers in northwest, fair in southeast portion, clear in northern, stationary temperature in southern portion, For Iowa-Light local showers, generally

vesterly winds, generally cooler. For Kansas-Local showers, generally poter, variable winds. For North Dakota-Generally fair, westrly winds, stationary temperature. For South Dakota Fair variable winds, ightly warmer in western portion; cooler in

For Nebraska-Generally fair, cooler in For Nebraska—Generally fair, cooler in southeast, stationary temperature in north-west portion, variable winds.
For Colorado—Local showers in southern, fair in northern portion, cooler in southeast, warmer in northern portion, variable winds.
Washington, D. C., Sept. 11.—Rain has prevailed in the south Atlantic and cast guiff states and local showers are reported from the Missouri valley and Minnesota. Fair weather continues in all districts. There is high temperature generally throughout the

high temperature generally throughout the central valleys, lake region and New England, but it is clear in the extreme northwest and in the southern states cast of the