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NORFOLK SCORED A SUCCESS.

Traveling Men's Day at the North Nebraska

District Fair.

Kansas and South Dakota Contributed

Generously to the Visitors-

Attractive Features of the

Great Occasion.

THOUSANDS

northern Nebraska.

OMAHA, SATURDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 26, 1891.

in gold would be the Nmit for export to New York is not disputed, but even this maximum is expected to entail an increase of the Bank

Austin Bidwelland Mrs. Maybrick.

well to Home Secretary Matthews to remit the remainder of Bidwell's term of impris-onment have failed, in spite of the fact that they were supported by high influence. Sec-cretary Matthews refuses even to reply to

The appeals of the friends of Austin Bid-

of England rate to 5 or 6 per cent.

NUMBER 100. 3

FOUND IN THEIR GRAVES Bodies of the Murdered Robinsons Unearthed Near Harlan. TEXT OF THE ASSASSIN'S CONFESSION.

Father and Son Deliberately Shot Down While Suspecting no Danger - Story of a Cold-

Blooded Affair.

#HARLAN, In., Sept. 25.- Special Telegram to THE BEE. - The bodies of the Robinsons. who were murdered two years ago, were ound at 2 o'clock this afternoon about where Cumberland, in his confession of their murder, said he buried them. The river had washed six foot of ground over the grave in the bank and a large amount of earth had to be moved. Hundreds of people have gathered around the hole from which the nearly decayed bodies are being removed. A coroner's

ury has been empanneled. The following confession has been made by Cumberland:

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day of September, 1891. F. A. TURNER, Notary Public.

Legion of Honor Flourishing.

DEs Moines, Ia., Sept. 25.-[Special Telogram to Tug Beg, I-The grand lodge of the Northwestern Legion of Honor closed a three days' session today in this city. There were about seventy-five delegates present and business of much importance to the welfare of the order was transacted. Ladies and gentlemen delegates were here from Minney

Shuman and Bert Gibbs of this city, charg-ENGLAND'S GRAND OLD MAN. ing them with bootlegging at an alliance pic-nic September 5. Both men were taken to Auburn tonight. The defeudants claim they

BEE. - The annual fair of Perkins county is now in progress at Madrid, having been opened Tuesday, September 22, and will close tonight. Such a display of agricultural products is very rarely seen at a county fair, and the exhibits of grain, vegotables and fruits, as also a fine lot of horses, cattle, hogs and sheep, would make a creditable showing for some state fairs further dast. This afternoon Hon. Thomas J. Majors ad-dressed the farmers at the fair grounds. The universal subshine of prosperity. The universal sunshine of prosperity throughout this region has dispersed the

Nonrolu, Neb., Sept. 25 - Special Telegram to THE BRE.]-This was the greatest day Norfolk has ever had, the occasion being traveling men's day at the great North Nebraska District fair. At an early hour special trains commenced arriving over all roads, loaded to their utmost capacity with visitingguests from all over Nebraska, Iowa and South Dakota, besides many wholes de jobbers from New York and Chicago. Two hundred and twenty-seven traveling salesmen registered, besides 700 merchants of Omaha was not as well represented as was desired. However, a goodly number from

the metropolis were present. The hundreds of traveling men, headed by the famous Knights of Pythias band of Stoux City, met every train and escorted their brethren and friends to headquarters. After making the high noon parade a visit was made to the Norfolk peet sugar factory.

when all wore surprised at the magnitude of the largest beet sugar factory in the world. The machinery was not in operation, but will be in a very few days. After visiting the factory the guests were all driven to the fair grounds where the best fair ever held in the state outside of Omaha and Lincoln was

No less than 7,000 people were assembled. The knights of the grip escorted their guests to an immense pavilion prepared especially for the occasion where free lunch, fruits of every description, lemonade and the finest Havanas, were served to the invited guests indiscriminately. After the races and re-turn to the city h most gorgeous display of fireworks was made. The ireworks were purchased by the traveling men and iremen. After the parade all assembled in Marts hall and the Masonic hall adjoining, where a most sumptuous repast was served and dancing was engaged in. All visitors agreed that the traveling men and Norfolk's citizens had surprised them in a most agreeable man-ner. The entertainment was far better than the most visionary had dared to hope. Super-intendent Reynolds kindly held all trains on his road until 8:55, allowing all to see the fireworks before loaving the city.

Beatrice News Notes.

BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 25.- Special to THE BEE.]-Mr. J. B. Carruthers of Grand Island arrived in the city Saturday to enter upon the discharge of his duties as general secretary of the Beatrice branch of the Young Men's Christian association, Secre-tary Carruthers comes to Beatrice highly recommended.

"Uncle" Dan Freeman, the first home-steader, has issued a call for the annual meeting and picule of the Gage County Pioneer society, to be held at the Beatrice Chautau oun grounds, Wednesday, September 30, The eligibles are those who settled in the county prior to 1870.

Gage county and Beatrice will, after considerable delibaration, take part in the Nebraska exhibition train, and arrangements to this effect are now ranidly progressing. Judge Seth H. Craig has been

can prove an alibi. They Like Nebraska. MADRON, Neb., Sept. 25 .- [Special to Tite opened Tuesday, September 22, and will

in the last few days by farmers from lilinois, who have prepared the following statement: who have prepared the following statement: We, the undersigned citizens of McLean county, Illinois being now on an investigat-ing trip of, the country in the vicinity of Madrid Neb, will say that we are more than pleased with what we have seen. It is cer-tainly a beautiful country - beasing to the cyc, same ther than McLean county and with a rich sward of buffalo, humen and other grasses, and such crops of corn, wheat, oats and rye would be a credit to McLean county. Illinois, oats zoing in some individual in-stances at high as seventy-three bushels per aere, white twenty to forty, barley forty to hilly, corn thirty to fity, when the land has been properly farmed. Vegetables of all kinds grow to perfection. Soll, rich, black sands loan, three to five feet deep. A most health of leanet. draw from the joint action projected by the powers. He arrived in Berlin today with the view of trying to influence Chancellor Von Caprivi, but it is certain that he will not alter the determination of the German government to co-operate with the British in taking decisive measures. The Pekin class of people note, as given to the papers, fails to indicate the real character of the appeal made by

Lincoln's New College.

Hsu Ching Chang to the European govern-LANCOLN, Nub., Sapt. 25.-|Special Telegram to Tast Bast.]-Union college, Lincoln's ments. latest educational institution, has been for-mally dedicated and will be thrown open immediately for students.

GAGE COUNTY POLITICS.

Actions of Alliance and Democratic Leaders Much Criticized.

defeat its object and bring China into anar-BEATUICE, Neb., Sept. 25.- [Special to THE chy. His communications distinctly suggest BEE. |-The strong democratic tendencies of the probability of such a potent political upa majority of the alliance county ticket, and heaval in China as might overthrow the a majority of the animatic country draws, and the subsequent unanimous endorsement of that ticket by the democratic county conven-tion, is creating considerable feeling against that ticket by some of the alliance people of former republican tendencies, which prom-ises to militate much in favor of the repub-icans. There is also some this of a straight Manchu dynasty. licans. There is also some talk of a straight democratic ticket yet being put in the field more friendly attitude. by the mossback democracy. A petition to this effect has been widely circulated and numerously signed in the northern part of the county. Whether it will ma a reality yet remains to be seen. Whether it will materialize into

Generally Commended.

FREMONT, Neb., Sept. 25.-[Special Tele-gram to THE BEE.]-Nothing but words of commendation are heard in Fremont for the action of the republican state convention. The opinions of some prominent citizens were obtained. They are as follows: L. D. Richards-I have known A. M. Post a great many years. No abler or cleverer man was ever nominated for any cfilce on any ticket in Nebraska and there is no doubt of his election. I also know both candidates for regents and consider them able young men. Arthur Truesdell-Post is all right. I Arthur Truesdeil-Fost is an Fight. I consider him entirely unimpeachable in character and ability. It was the best nom-ination that could have been made. L. M. Keene-I think it a juditious nom-ination. He is a man who will certainly bo

acceptable to the people. He is an able judge and a good lawyer. His career on the bench in this district is above reproach. R. B. Schneider-I am very much pleased. The convention could not have suited me any better. Post is positively clean and his

He Continues to Hold a Good Share of Englishmen's Attention.

HIS VIEWS ON SALISBURY'S DIPLOMACY. Trials and Tribulations of an Amateur

China Desires to Protect Foreigners

He has urged that the imperial government

was entirely honest in desiring to suppress

the disorders and seeking time to deal with

the anti-foreign movement, and that precipi-

tate action on the part of the powers would

the memorial. The efforts to secure there lease of Mrs. Maybrick will be equally fu ile. The convicts solicitor has been ad-leed not to proceed with the agitation or Photographer-The Cases of Mrs. Maybrick and Austin Bidwellcase in any form. China's Urgent Appeal.

Copyright 1891 by New York Associated Press. don. He says he was arrested at Mayence while taking a barmless view of the town from the fort works and was confined London, Sept. 25 .- The communication from the Pokin government, offering compensation to foreigners who have suffered in the recentriots in China, with the strongest assurances of future protection, are received with distrust in the foreign office here. Hsu Ching Chang, the Chinese ambassador to the European courts, has recently been in St. Petersburg, where he succeeded in inducing the Russian government to with-

> party at her husband's Irish seat, Avondalo. She does not go into society. The party consists chiefly of men. Mr. Balfour has registered himself as a roter in South Dublin. The conservatives propose his candidature for member of parliament for that seat.

which occurred in the Italian quarter of this city last night was more disastrous than at first reported, and the list of killed and badly injured is an appalling one. The exact cause of the accident cannot be learned, but it is thought to have resulted from the overoading of a emortar, used to discharge fire works into the air. Following is a list of the killed and a partial list of those injured.

The panicy feeling existing in Pekin is made known here by urgent telegrams sent through the Chinese embassy, imploring Lord Salisbury to instruct Sir John Walsham. the British minister to China, to adopt a Desires a Show of Force. Minister Walsham advises the foreign

office that persistent diplomatic pressure, combined with a naval demonstration at certain of the treaty ports will be the only effective means to prevent recurrent outrages. He complains that the promulgation of the emperor's edict against attacks on foreigners has been unnecessarily delayed. He asked the officials to use the telegraph in publishing the edict, but the officials refused, saying that there was no precedent for so doing and that the edict must be distrib uted by the ordinary couriers. The minister also complains of the uncertainty of the punishment of the real leaders of the outrages. If Lord Salisbury supports Min-ister Walsham's policy the powers will actively intervene in order to protect Euro peans, leaving the tartar dynasty to take care of itself. In spite of the chaotic state of the present troubles the foreign office here hopes that the ultimate result will be an ex-tension of trade to important centers on the

the home office will decline to re-open the Amateur Photographer Discouraged. The American tourist, Mr. Graves, who was recently arrested in Germany for taking photographs of scenery, has arrived in Lon-

for thirty hours in a cell fornished with only a dirty mattress. His food consisted of black bread, a mug of coffee-wash and rotten soup until he was allowed to buy his meats. He was released through the American consul and then wont to Metz, where ho was again arrested for taking photographs in the streets. From Metz he was hunted over the Preuch frontier. Mrs. Parnell entertains a large shooting

the people in a brief speech. He said the surveyors were hastening their work as rapidly as possible, but he could not say

NEWARK'S DISASTER.

An Appalling List of Killed and Wounded.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 25 .- The accident

The killed are: The killed are: CHARLES STEWART, MCHAEL O'NEIL FRANK MILLER, ARTHUR FLYNN LIZZIE HUGHES, LIZZIE MUR HY, HENRY BURGESS, FRED WEISS, ANTONIO CHEFFO, MICHAEL ANSALONA. PASQUALE REIZINO. GUSEPPA YARKOSA. The names of the injured, as near as can be learned, are as follows: ANTONE FRANTS, right hand blown off. ANTONE FRANTS, right hand blown off. JOHN CASTELLO, right arm blown aff. MAX PHUM, right foot torn off.

An unknown Italian had his foot blown g, and an unknown Italian woman had her head frightfully cut.

GUIASTANO AUZALONA. GEUTELLA AUROLONA, severely cut in head. NICOLA AUZALINA, slightly injured in the

GEORGE BROWER, part of foot torn off. Mono Chippo, left arm torn off. FHANCISCO ANTONIO, 40 years old, part of right hand torn off.

JOHN GALLSOHER, right hand injured and skull fractured. CHARLES S. GRIGGS, wounded in groin and

LIZZIE GOLDEN, Incerated lag.

JOSEPH TREPANO, Vounded in the stomach. A big copper casing mortar was used for the bombs. These were filled with colored fire and shot in the air, where they burst, throwing out a sower of vari-colored sparks. It was this mortar that exploded and aused all the harm.

gun. A manufacturing - spany has been TOWN LOTS AT A PREMIUM. organized here. Dr. C. 5, g has several pat-ents which cover both the composition and mechanical process. The former he declares mechanical process. The former he declares to be much greater in teasile strength than any heretofore known, as by the latter he colls molten metal about a core, securing the strength and clasticity of a wire wran, with none of its defects. The combastion has been subjected to the several, tests, which it has withstood even better the expected by the investors. by the inventor. DEFASTATED BY TH. MES. Fires in a Large Section of Minnesota Sweeps Everything Before Them.

St. PACE, Minn., Sept. 25.--J. A. Westby, who has large contracts for government surveying, came in last night from the upper Mississippi by way of the Duinth road and GUTHUE, Okl., Sept. 25 - The Associated reports terrible deviatation along the line pre s correspondent at Chandler, the site He says hundreds of cattle are burned and selected for the county seat of the upper many homesteads destroyed. The train on county of the Indian lands just opened to which he came down stopped at one place and took in seventeen men, women and children who barely escaped with their lives. Unless eavy rains fail at once all the fittle villages CHANDLER, ORL, Sept. 25. - Governor Steele and homesteads along the road for miles wil arrived here yesterday afternoon. As soon be burned. There is no doubt, he says, that

> ogging outlits burned. The country along the lake division of the Eastern Minnesota, particularly south of Hunckley, is suffering heavily. The country is sparsely sottled, generally, but the rail-road company has large forces of men at vaclous points at work in an effort to save their property and check the flames. The colony of the Mille Laes Lumber company at Milacca has been fighting fire for two days and still be danger is not averted. Oak Park, on the St. Cloud & Hinckley branch of the Great St. Cloud & Hinckley branch of the Great Northern, is reported in great danger and it will be miracolous if it escapes destruction. Asutano, Wis., Sent. 25.—Reports from along the line of the Omaha road are that the forest fires are rapidly advancing and eating up everything before them. Homesteaders surrounded by a wilderness of woods are be incloured out and accurate roads are being and eating.

ng burned out and arriving in town tell of arrow escapes from being burned to death. 'he high winds have been effective in spread ng the fires. To add to the discomfiture of he excessive heat, Ashiand is filled with smoke and navigation is seriously impaired owing to the heavy smoke.

Sr. Perrea, Minn., Sept. 25, -A disastrous fire which visited the village of Kasota destroyed the eating house, depot, f.emann ho-tel, the express office and several other small buildings, causing a loss of \$50,000.

REV. MR. BURGHARD DEAD.

The Preacher Politician Passes Quietly

former resident of Gutbrie, has been con-firmed. Another man was killed south of this place while engaged in the race Monday by his horse making a lunge over a deep gully. Horse and rider were both killed. An amusing feature of the preparations for the rush is the practicing for the race. Expectant claimants strip themselves of all superfluous clothing and with watch in hand tote the time it takes to make the race.

Revengeful Boomers. ARKANSAS CITY, Kau., Sept. 25,-A great many wagons are trailing back over the Cherokee strip with people who failed to get cialms in the Indian lards opened last Tuesday. Almost all of them will drift about living under canvas, waiting for the strip to They seem to feel that everyone or

Chandler, Okl., Will Be the Next Scene SOLDIERS AND MARSHALS TO KEEP ORDER. Unsuccessful Settlers Revenge Themselves for Their Failure to Secure Claims by Firing the Prairie-

as his presence became known a targe crowd any human lives were lost and expensive gathered around him to inquire when the town site would be opened. He addressed

Other Conflagrations.

Livencool, Sept. 25.-The Galety theater of this city burned this morning.

Away at Saratoga. SARATCOA, N. Y., Sept. 25.-Rev. Samuel D. Burchard of New York city, who has been unconscious since early this morning, died at 3 o'clock this afternoon. He attended the First Presbyterian church last Sunday and was taken ill in the evening, but he was

not considered to be in a serious condition until Tuesday. His illness developed into peritonitis, and last night he reached a critical stage.

performance and the regional of reached a crite-ical stage. Dr. Burchard was born in Stenben, N. Y., on September 6, 1812. He received an aca-dendle education and when its years old he re-moved to Kentucky. In 1811 he was gradu-ater leaving college he began to lecture on temperance slavery and religious questions and wide reputation in the state. He also won many friends in Kentucky by his services as a volunteer nurse during the cholera epidemic of 187. He was licensed to preach in 1868 and was instabled as paster of the Thirteenth Street Prosbyterian edurch. New York, on May 1, 183. During his pastorshiphe was made chancellor of inchan university at Leroy, N. Y., which office he filled in donnection with his church duties. Dr. Burchard was a postor of Murry Hill Presbyterian church from 1850 to 1855, when he gave up pastoral work.

have the military deployed facing both north and south and drive all the people from the townsite. There will be soldiers and deputy marshals enough to place the men at intervals of about twenty-five yards. The water supply is still a source of con-siterable annoyance. There seems to be plenty of water just below the surface and wells are now being dug. Considerable lum-ber is arriving and as soon as people who in-

tend to transact business get a location they will commence to put up buildings.

of Excitement.

1.000

Casualties of the Rush.

settlement, sends the following by courier.

Governor Steele Arrives.

when it would be completed. It is expected

the opening will take place tomorrow at

noon. The people are scattered about so that

it is impossible to make a very close estimate

as to their number. Enthusiastic men place

the number at 5,000, including the militry,

The northeast quarter of the northeast

quarter has been reserved for a public park.

possibly because it is so cut up with cliffs

and gullies, that it has been impossible to

survey it. The site occupies an edge of a

cliff. It is impossible to go a distance of

twenty rods without the use of a ladder. The

public square and principlo streets are to be located on the west half of the east half.

Opening of the Chandler Town Site.

Captain Styles, with his company of in

fantry, arrived this morning. Captain Hayes

arily relieved in order to take much needed

Governor Steele intends, just before giving the signal for the opening of the town site, to

with his troop of cavalry have been temp

1,500 seems to be a fair estimate.

Killed in the Rush for Claims. The reported killing of the man Wood, a

designated to accompany the Gage count, exhibit.

Beatrice has just concluded arrangem for the location of an extensive plow factory in the city. Contracts have also been en-tered into for a shoe factory, and it is also very probable that a distillery will be among the manufacturing acquisitions for the cur-rent year. The Board of Trade is doing some splendid work in behalf of the manu facturing development of the city.

Horrible Suicide of a Tramp.

DAKOTA CITY, Neb., Sept. 25.-|Special Telegram to THE BRE. |-Coroner Bates was notified to go to Emerson to hold an inquest on the body of an unknown man killed three miles west of Hubbard this morning by Omaha passenger train No. 1. On the approach of the train the man placed himself on his hands and knees in the center of the track evidently with a view of meeting by the engine route. He was undoubtedly a tramp tired of life and took this as a sure and swift method of dying.

Grand Island Highwaymen.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Sopt. 25 .- Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Lust night about ? o'clock, while on his way home in the west ern part of the city, Ed Lange was stopped at the point of a revolver and was robbed of his watch and a small amount of each he had about his person. The police were at once notified but no clue could be obtained. Thi is the second affair of the kind that has happened here within a week's time and the police are making strenuous efforts to discover the offenders.

Run Over by a Street Car.

Farmosr, Neb., Sept. 25.- Special to Tar BEE, -About noon today the 5-year-old son of Landtord Smith of the Eno hotel, was run over by a street car on the Broad street line and painfully, if not mortally, wounded. He fell from the front end of the car and relied under the wheels, which passed diagonally over his left hip and groin, crushing the bones and inflicting dangerous wounds.

Burglars at Tekamah.

TERAMAR, Neb., Sept. 25.-(Special Tele-gram to Tux Bue.)-Burglars continue to make nightly raids in this city despite the vigilance of the exasperated " citizens. time it is the lewelry store of B. I. Griffin. His place was robbed about a month ago. This morning lewelry and silverware was taken from his store to the value of about

Result of a Spree.

FREMONT, Neb., Sept. 25.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- Coronor Devries today held an inquest on the body of Andrew Benderof who died at Scribner yesterday. The evidence developed the fact that the deceased had been on a seven day drunk, and the verdict rendered was that he came to his death from that debauch.

Fremont Residence Burned.

FREMONT, Neb., Sept. 25. - Special to Tim BEE. |- A two-story residence belonging to Otto Magenau, situated in the south part of the city, near the creamory, was partially destroyed by fire last night. The damage is estimated to be about \$500, with that amount of insurance in the Home Fire Insurance company of Omaba.

Valuable Horse Stolen.

BRILLYUE, Nob., Sept. 25. - Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-A valuable horse was stolen from H. T. Clark's pasture at this place last night. A good description of the thief was obtained from parties who saw him ding the horse away, and the officers are in hot pursuit.

Important Question Settled.

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 25. - Special Telegram to Tus Bss. |- The important question of converting Lincoln into a sewer district was submitted to the people today and the vote was almost unanimously for it.

Accused of Bootlegging.

NEDRASKA CITY, Nob., Sept. 25.- Special Telegram to Ten BEE. J-Deputy Sheriff Culdwell of Auburn today arrested Lem delegates to the general conference,

body or any element. No faction of the re-publican party object to him. James Balding-Post just suits me. He

will be a magnificent justice of the supreme Mayor Fried-Years of acquaintance with Judge Post has shown me that he is a man of excellent character and a judge of exceptional

ability. John F. Shervin, democrat-Judge Post is a good man. I don't see how the party could have nominated a better man. Post would honor to the supreme bench. E. H. Barnard-Post stands very high in my estimation, both as a judge and a gentle-. He will ornament the bench. J. Lee-Post will fill the position in a

first class manner. He is a man who could neither be bought nor cajoled into doing a wrong. J. E. Frick-The bar of this district

esteems him most highly. He is a jurist of rare ability and a man of high integrity.

Platte County Citizens Pleased.

COLUMBUS, Neb., Sept. 25 .- Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-The depot grounds and platform was crowded with a dense mass of people when the Lincoln train pulled into being when the intermediate print and the Union Pacific depot in this city at 2:10 o'clock this afternoon bearing Judge Post and the Platte county delega-tion to the remultican state con-vention. When Judge Post was sighted on the platform a simultaneou cheer went up from a thousand throats. Th a simultaneous Columbus band was on hand and rendered several very appropriate selections. A dele-gation of the Columbus bar headed by Mayor Ragatz escorted the judge to his home. Platte county citizens seem jubmant over securing so coveted a plum.

Farmony in the seventh.

GENEVA, Neb., Sept. 25 .- Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |- The republican judicial convention mat here today and Judge Morris was nominated for judge of the Seventh judicial district without any opposition, no other names being presented.

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Omaha and Vicinity-Generally fair; warmor.

For North Dakota-Fair; warmer; southerly winds.

For South Dakota-Generally fair, except light local showers in southern portions. warmer; southerly winds.

For Nebraska-Local light showers; varia bie winds, shifting to southerly; generally warmer.

For Kansas-Light local showers; south easterly winds; becoming variable; warmen in northwest; cooler in southeast portion. For Missouri-Fair; northerly winds slightly cooler in northwest; stationary tem perature in southeast portion. For Iowa -Generally fair: northerly winds shifting to southerly; warmer in northwest; stationary temperature in southeast except in extreme southeast portion; cooler. For Colorado-Local showers; southerly winds; generally fair.

BURSTING OF A FLY WHEEL.

Remarkable Accident at Cincinnati-

Narrow Escapes.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept 25.-A remarkable ac dent, fortunately not attended with loss of life, happened this afternoon at the electric power house on the Reading road, near McMillanstreet. The ponderous fly wheel, weighing twenty tons, twenty feet in diameter and five feet in width at the rim, burst while making seventy revolutions a minute. The effect was disastrous. The flying pieces tore their way inrough the building to the roof, and out of the structure in two sections, one piece striking and badly damaging the great smoke stack. Six mon were in the building at the time, but only one was hurt, and he but slightly. The damage is estimated at \$30,000. The rower house furnished power for four electric car lines and was one of the largest in the city.

Will Admit Women.

Osugosu, Wis., Sept. 25.-The Wisconsin Methodist conference, by a vote of 100 to 39, voted in favor of admitting women as lay

Text of the Official Pekin Note. The following is a summary of an official Pekin cablegram received on Monday and anded to the foreign office authorities on Fuesday

Yang-tse-Kiang which are now closed, but where the government intends to establish

consulates.

Specific sums have been offered to the treaty powers by China as compensation of the loss of life and propercy at Wuhu Wusuch, Tanyang, Woosein and other places, where disorders have occurred. Four lead ers of rioters have been executed and twenty have been banished. Five mandaring

ropeans is still apparently threatened Though rumors of further troubles still ex-

cite uneasiness in certain places, the govern

ment has no doubt of its ability to effectively thwart attempts at gross breaches of the

eace, whether from the operations of secre

dental circumstances.

authorities to deal with.

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states

cieties or as the result of local or acci-

Nothing is known respecting the reports

cabled of an attempt to seize the Foo Chow

arsenal, but undoubted evidence of activity

of secret societies has been obtained in othe quarters. Thirty-five cases of foreign rifle

consigned to a British subject, employed in the imperial customs office at Chinkiang, have been seized by the customs officers at

Shanghai and the consignee has been ar-rested and sent to Shanghai for the British

The same man had in his possession

quantity of dynamite, which with the rifle

ic confessed was intended for the use of i

secret society at Chinkiang. The arms cam-from Hong Kong, Three other British sub

jects and six other foreigners (nationalit doubtful) residents of Shanghai, are impli

cated in this transaction, which is being in

Mr. Gladstone Arouses Interest.

that he intends to review Salisbury's foreig policy and declare what his own will be if h

foreign policy committing the liberals to ie of action directly opposed to that of Lord

Mr. Moriey has already declared that the next Gladstone administration will accom-plish the evacuation of Egypt with the brief-

st possible delay. Letters from Mr. Gladstone to the Servian

and the present conservative policy. Mr. Gladstone advocates the closest harmony among the Balkan states, repudiates Lord

for the future on the supposed contingency of their being in power by the autumn of

poning the general elections until the remo-est period, which will be April, 1893, in orde

o enable the government to get the Irish ocal government in working order.

An Increase in Bullion Shipments.

The conservatives now talk of post

in order

Mr.Gladstone's coming speech at the libera

adopting measures to preserve order and have been reported to the throne for punish-Report of Commissioner for the Fiscal nave occurrent of the inperial government, recognizing its entire responsibility for the preservation of order at the treaty posts for the protection of missionaries in the interior, has ordered the

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 25 .- Report of Commissioner Carter of the operations of the general land office during the fiscal year end ing June 30, 1891, was made public today. viceroys of Chinli and Nanking to despatch the northern and southern squadrons to patrol the Yang ise-Kiang and offer protec-tion wherever the life or property of Eu-

During the year cash sales of public lands amounted to 2,143,090 acres of miscellaneous entries (not cash), 5,040,393 acres, were homestead; 969,006 acres were entered under the timber culture law. Railroad selections amounted to 1,857,572 acres; state selections, 174,404 acres; Indian allotments, 117,485, and original swamp selections, 23,167 acres. Total cash receipts during the year \$5,429,220. Patents to land granted railroads during the year amounted to 3,088,679 acres. an increase over the previous year of 2,724,807. The vacant public lands in public land states and territories is 579,664,683 acres. The commisioner makes a strong plea for the irrigation of arid lands.

PUBLIC LANDS.

Year, Ending June 30.

The approvals during the year under the different grants to the several states for ed-ucation purposes and under the saline grant. having the effect of a patent, embraced an area of 756,173 acres. Of this amount Nevada received approvals for 15,864 acres: Orogon, 91,343; Idaho, 40,000; South Dakota, 44,382; Colorado, 37,438; Minnesota, 30,181; Missouri, 30,839; Louisiana, 10,445. The increase in the approvals for educational purposes during the year was 216,393 acres. Juring the year surveys have been accepted o the amount of 8,000,004 acres. The largest amount is in South Dakota, 3,346,63

cres, with Oklahoma next with 1,337,322 foderation meeting is invested with further importance by the authorized announcement acres. At the close of the fiscal year there were found to be \$3,055 final entries ending in the office, against 205,064 at the close of the should again be placed in power. The feder-ation proceedings are not likely to astonish the world with any startling variation from previous fiscal year, a decrease of 125,006 Railrond selections amounting to 28,846,577 acres were pending on July 1, 1891, which is the cut and dried programme, but if expecta-tions prove correct Mr. Gladstone will make decrease of 930,078 as compared with the ast preceding fiscal year. the meeting memorable by a statement o

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The following shows the vacant public lands in acres in asch of the public land states and territories: Alabama, 947,310; Arizona, 55,661,005; Arkansas, 4,998,308; California, 52,299,409; Colorado, 42,197,030; Florida, 3,465,381; Idaha, 33,781,851; Iowa, 6,000; Kansas, 799,078; Louisiana, 1,243,118; Michigau, 781,816; Minnesota, 6,849,975; Mississippi, 11,201,280; Missouri, 1,023,898; Montana, 74,372,760; Nebraska, 11,460,490; Nevada, 53,689,524; New Mexico, 54,893,679; North Dakota, 10,135,440; Oktahoma, 3,502,406; Oregon, 39,429,151; South Dakota, 14,085,394; Utah, 35,428,987; Washington, 20,401,691; Wiscon-sin, 1,002,133; Wyoming, 50,842,434. Total, politician, Yovomovitch, which will appear in tomorrow's issue of the Speaker, are likely to cause a sensation in Europe, as they show the widest possible divergence between the liberal 1,002,133; Wyoming, 50,842,434. Total 10, 1,002,183; W

Salisbury's diplomacy, as tending towards the supremacy of Bulgaria over the other states, and adds that he feels warmly with the subjected countries of southwestern Europe. As the last phrase can only apply to Austria's taking possession of Boania and Herrarying the latter is towarded to Mr. Carter protests that the unsatisfac-tory experience following the granting of swamp lands to the states cannot properly be urged against the plan proposed for the set-tlement of the arid land question and then says: "While the awamp lands grant states Herzegovina, the latter is interpreted to mean that Mr. Gladstone desires to oust the Austrians from Bosnia and to support the formation of a federation of the Balkan may have been indifferent and unwise in dealings with a grant which was but a mere incidental matter, the desert land g states could not afford to thus deal with grant onsider a question of such vital importance The Gladstone liberals continue to arrange Indifference would court adversity, and reek-lessness would bring ruin. When a proposi-tion of this gravity is submitted to any orcanned body of American citizens, directly interested in its wise consideration and solution, they will consider wisely and act well.

Troubles of & onnecticut Officials.

New Haves, Conn., Sept. 25 .- In the Economic experts agree that the net ad uperior court this morning the state's attordition to the normal imports of American grain has not exceeded \$100,000,000, of which ney informed the court that he had issued part will be taken in luxuries and part in gold. If the extravagant buying of Ameri-can railroad securities continues the English indebtedness will be further enhanced and will lead to an increment buying shipments two more writs of que warrante in the pelitical controversy against E. Stevens Heary, state treasurer, and R. Jay Walsh, secretary of state. They were made returnable Octo-bor 6. The papers were delivered to the will lead to an increase of buillion shipments. Mr. Giffen's recent estimate that £10,000,000 sheriff for service.

here were hundreds of men, women and the strip is their enemy and are said to be firing the grass in hundreds of places. They children standing sround watching with great expectancy. When it exploded the air was filled with the shrieks of the injured don't know when they are on the strip of when they are on the Indian reservations and dying. Intense confusion followed. A platoon of police were on the scene and they and the reservations along the Santa Fe have suffered greatly. About Ponca yes-terday the grass was burning on every side, had great difficulty in preventing the fright ned multitude from trampling the injured and it was only after a hard fight that the to death. The explosion is supposed to be houses, a little way from the station, were saved. To the west the whole line of the due to an overcharge of powder. It was rumored that dynamite had been placed in horizon was a wail of smoke. looking like, a the mortar, but the rumor lacks foundation reat chain of mountains covered with snow o their base.

The grass is getting very dry and burns readily and the fires are sure to cover the larger part of the strip and render it useless for winter grazing.

STRAIGHTENED OUT THE U. P. HITCH.

Drexel, Morgan & Co Agree to Take Collateral Notes.

BOSTON, Mass., Sent. 25-Union Pacific officials have received dispatches from New York to the effect that Drexel, Morgan & Co. have agreed to turn their \$2,000,000, endorsed by Gould, Ames and Dillon, and take collateral notes on the same basis as all the other creditors. This has removed the only hitch and makes the total subscriptions of creditors \$12,500,000. There will be a meet ug of the creditors tomorrow and it is be jeved if a further extension of the plan is necessary it will be granted. New YORK, Sept. 25.-A conference was held between the creditors' committee and

the directors of the Union Pacific company during the day, and this evening the crodtors' committee announced that at the di-rectors' meeting Drexel, Morgan & Co. will tomorrow offer the public \$5,500,000 collateral extension notes at $92\sqrt{3}$. These notes are part of the issue authorized for the purpose of extending the floating debt of the company and bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per aonum

Late in the day it was learned that Mr. lould had agreed to subscribe for \$1,000,000 of new collateral trust notes, besides accept ing the new notes for his unfunded oblig ations against the company. Russell Sage is also understood to have subscribed \$500,000. In turn, it is said, that a sterling loan to the Union Pacific company. Indersed by Mr. Gould, Sidney Dillon and Frederick L. Ames, made by Drexel, Morgan & Co., will be modified as to calculate the auditors from be modified as to release the creditors from penal obligations, and that the notes will be exchanged on the same basis as the other floating debt. It is understood that the amount is at least \$1,000,000and some authorities place the figures at from \$2,000,000 to \$1,000,000. There are believed to be large claims held by Mr. Gould against the company which will be unified with those of other floating debt claims. The amount of existing debts which will be exchanged for the new notes is estimated at from \$12,000,000 to \$13,000,000, leaving about \$6,000,000 of floating debt yet unfunded. The surplus totes to be issued to provide cash to pay off the creditors who reuse to accept the three year extension have been underwritten by Mr. Gouid and the bankers interested in carrying the scheme to uccess to the extent of over \$3,000,000. This

CARRIED AWAY BY RELIGION,

Mysterious Disappearance of a Greek

Missionary from Chicago.

CHICAGO, III., Sept. 25.-Some time ago Fares Anton Behannesey, a boy of 12 years, came to this city from Damascus, Syria. He had been converted to Coristianity and took t upon himself to do missionary work in the Freek colony in this city. This finally got him into trouble and he was beaten by his unwilling listeners. He disappeared on Weinesday evening and nothing has been seen of him since. His friends fear he has met with foul play. Two of his relatives left for Greece at about the time of his disap-bearance and are to sail from New York tomorrow. There are suspicions that he has been kidnapped by them.

Gitting Invents a New Process MARION, Ind., Sept. 25.-Dr. Richard J. Gatting, the inventor of the Gatting gun, has invented a process for the manufacture of heavy guns which he believes will be as great a success as his wonderful machine

give up pastoral work. Dr. Burchard came brominently before the public in 1851 when a reception to Mr. Blaine, the then republican candidate for president, was tendered at the Fifth Avenue hotel in

DRENCHING SHOWERS.

Rain Interferes with Railroad Travel

in New Sextco. ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Sept. 25.-Central

New Mexico has been without mail from the

east and west for several days owing to

washouts on the Atlantic & Pacific near

Luguna and Rio Puerco stations, Water

covers the track for several hundred yards

in many places and the bridge across the

Puerco is dangerously weak, and fears are

entertained that it will go down the stream

tonight. Manager Galiei of the road, how-

ever, believes that the worst has been

reached and that the bridge and the wash-

outs will be repaired by tomorrow evening

the breaks. This morning a bobtail train was

nade up here and sent to the scene of the

wrecks and passengers, mult and baggage brought it. On the Sauta Fe there is a wash-

out near Bernallilo. Two passenger trains have been abandoned on account of the de-

avs, but a special train with the passengers

mail and bargage arrived from the north

late this afternoon. It was turned back an

nour later containing the Pacific const pas-sengers and mail going east. The rains are

CANNOT PARTICIPATE.

James G. Blaine Writes a Letter to an

Ohio Republican.

AKRON, O., Sept. 25.-Colonel A. L. Conger

nember of the republican national committee

from Ohio, recently wrote to Mr. Blaine to see

if he could take part in the Ohio campaign

this fall. Colonel Conger today received the

Federal Appointee in Charge.

Dillas, Tox., Sept. 25.-Receiver Dilling

ham, the federal court appointee, took charge

of the Texas Trunk railroad this morning

and trains are now running. Receiver Moronev of the state courts retires, all claims

having been settled by the agents of C. P

Business Man's Froubles.

CADAR RAPIDS, IL., Sept. 25.- Special

Telegram to THE BEE. |-H. P. Holder, a

prominent business man at Central City, has

taining letters of Cornelius Merritt, a former

Steamer Arrivals.

At London Sighted: Montana, from

At New York-Britannic, Werra, from

At Liverpool-Gailia, from New York.

Langevin Goes Scot Free.

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 25,-The majority re-

port exculpating Langevin has been adopted.

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en arrested charged with opening

Baltimore; Umbria, from New York.

leavy and very general.

following reply:

Huntington.

partner.

by the house.

Several passengers are on the other

sota, Kausas, Nebraska and various cities in lowa Among the important items of legisintion was the lowering of the rate of assess, ment and provisions for the further building up of the reserve fund which now reaches was tendered at the Fifth Avenue hotel in New York by several hundred ministers of various denominations. Dr. Burchard was there and had been chosen to address Mr. Biaine in behalf of the clergy. As Dr. Burchard neared the close of his address he used practically these words: "And we admire and we welcome you, Mr. Riaine, as the steadfast opponent of Rum. Romanism and Rebellion. "Years later Dr. Burchard, while speaking of the incident, said: "Weil, I don't know but that I may have been the humble instrument in the hands of Divine power to effect evactly the contrary of what I had in may heart to do when I spoke that day." nearly \$20,000. The reports showed that \$46,000 had been paid out for beneficiaries mring the past two years and besides this large payment the order has placed \$12,000 in the reserve fund.

Various other reports showed flattering in-Various other reports showed flattering in-croase in councils and a sound condition of affairs generally. The following officers were elected for the coming two years; Grand commander, C. S. Byrkit of Des Moines; vice grand, H. Beek of Winfield, Kan.; pust grand, A. Y. Teeple of St. Paul; grand secretary, D. M. Rowiand of Marengo; grand treasurer, E. E. Alverson of Marengo; grand orator, H. J. Childress of Des Moines; medical examiner, Dr. A. J. Ryan of York, Neo.

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Injured by Heat.

DAVENFORT, Ia., Sept. 25.- [Special to Trm BEE.] - The corn crop of this section of the state seems likely to fall considerably below the estimates set upon it some time ago, not from the early frosts but from the opposite extreme, of late heat. Examination of the cornfields about here shows that the kernels are blighting on the cob. The heat seems to scald them, they survel up and ears that looked promising two or three weeks ago are low dwindling to mere nubbins or to cobs that contain no kernels at all.

Experienced farmers here estimate that the crop will be one-third short of that ex-pected, and it is feared that what is left will be affected so it will grade low. For a time in August the weather was unusually cool at the very season hot weather was needed to complete the development of the stalk. The heated term following this cold snap has done the damage. Similar reports are being received from other localities at varying distances, and it is believed that the damage will amount to a very large sum.

Left to Die.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Sept. 25.- Special Telegram to THE BEE, |-Thomas McGuire, a young man from Fall River, Mass., had an arm cut off by a Burlington switch engine here last night. The city authorities and railroad people were notified, but both re-fused to take the responsibility of sending him to the hospital, not wishing to risk the few dollars express that might be incurred. The poor fellow was left writhing upon the nd for two hours, until a disinterested following reply: STANWOOD, BAR HARBOR, Me., Sept. 22, 1801 — Colonel Al, Conger, Akron, O., My Dear Sir: Your favor received: I cannot take part in the Ohlo campaign this year for many reasons which I need not give, but I hope no effort will be spared to elect McKinley. His victory at this time is very important to the country and the party. He and Mr. Campbell represent the homest differences between the two parties, at this time. There is no dodging and no existion and the voter need not be deceived. The elec-tion of McKinley means the poley of protec-tion of McKinley means the poley of protec-tion of decirements. The decilor of Campbell means free trade and the corrup-tion of currency. I followe Onio will stand by McKinley. Very sincerely yours. JAMES G. BLAINE. gentleman sent him to the hospital at hus IWE expense.

Revolting Stories.

DAVENFORT, In., Sept. 25.-[Special Tele gram to THE BEE.]-Henry Carpenter, aged i3 years, was today held to the grand jury on the charge of assault, preferred by a girl 11 years of age. C. H. Lyou, a friend of Carpenter, is now on trial on a like charge pre-forred by another girl of 13. It is charged by these children that other crimes of this kind have been committed by these and other men about the city, and revolting stories are old by them. Carpenter declares his innocence.

Funeral Directors Organize.

FORT EODOR, Ia., Sept. 25.-Special Tele-grain to THE BEE.]-The funeral directors of all the fifteen counties comprising the Tenth congressional district met here today and formed a district organization. The officers elected were C. P. Lighthand of Rolfe, president; W. R. Sanderson of Livermore, secretary, and C. Laufersweiler of Fort Dedge, treasurer. Similar societies will be organized in every congressional district in the state to co-operate with the state assocration.

Goes to Cedar Bapids.

CEDAR RAFIDS, Ia., Sopt. 25.-It was des Dunkards, in session at Dallas Contes 'o hold the next national annual gathering in this city next June. From 25,000 to 40,000 people attend these meetings.

Closed the Session.

Warranoo, In., Sept. 25 - The Universals ist's state convention, in session here since Monday, closed today. Next year's conven-tion will be held at Webster City.

The Tribune will tomorrow print this

practically assures its success.