BEATRICE'S DAMAGING FIRE.

Entire Plant of the Oat Meal Company Destroyed by Flames.

NARROW ESCAPE OF THE EMPLOYES.

Several Members of the Fire Depart ment Precipitated to the Ground by Tumbling Walls-Only Partially Insured.

BEATRICE, Neb., Nov. 13,-|Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The works of the Beatrice Oat Meal company, for stories in height and one of the largest concerns of the kind in the west, was destroyed by fire this afternoon. The fire originated on the second floor, and in an almost incredible short time the entire building was ablaze. Nothing was saved but a few barrels of the manufactured product.

The workmen on the upper floors had a narrow escape. Several firemen working on a ladder when the roof fell in were precipitated to the ground, receiving slight injuries. The fire is believed to have originated from

a steam pipe. The loss on the building, machinery and stock is \$20,000, with \$6,000 insurance on the building and machinery and \$1,000 on the stock, divided about equally between the Phoenix of Hartford, Ætna of Hartford, Commercial Union and the Liberty of New York, German of Peoria and the New Hampshire.

The mill was recently refitted and was running night and day to its fullest capacity of 100 barrels every twelve hours. The company already had orders on its books that would have kept them running through the entire season, the product being sold as far west as the Pacific coast. It will be rebuilt

The Beatrice Canning company's works, gas works and an electric light and power house, located near the buraing building, were saved with much difficulty. Several freight cars on the company's side track were considerably damaged.

The stockholders of the concern destroyed are all Bentrice capitalists.

TWO BANKS CLOSED.

Kloman & Arnold Embarrassed but

Depositors Will Lose Nothing. BROKEN BOW, Neb., Nov. 13 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. | - The banking house at this place and the Farmers bank of Anselmo and the Anselmo Roller mills, all owned and operated by Kloman & Arnold of this place, were closed this morning. It is thought the assets are sufficient to pay depositors in fuil. The Omaha National bank and Mr. Miliard of the same are the principal creditors. The state examiners will arrive this evening to take charge of the several in-

Manufactures for Fremont. FREMONT, Neb., Nov. 13 .- | Special to The BEE.]-One of the most largely attended and enthusiastic meetings of the Fremont Board of Trade ever held took place last night, when delegates accompanying the advertising train through the east in Framont's interests made their report, which was most gratifying. As a result of this representa-tion Secretary Hanson had no fewer than seven different proposition from manufacturing companies desiring to locate here, which were submitted to the board for consideration, it was the best showing of opportunities in this direction the city has ever had, and it was profoundly gratifying to the business men. The meeting raised \$2,000, which will be increased to \$3,000 later, for the purpose of procuring a salaried secretary and operate a bureau to carry on negotiations with the men and firms making these and other propo-sitions which are expected to be made. Fremont is thoroughly aroused on the question of manufacturing, and will doubtiess show

Neligh's New Road.

good results.

NELIGII, Neb., Nov. 13 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- Vice President Hitchcock will be here tomorrow to commence the preparatory work on the Pueblo & Duluth railroad. The drafting, specifications and contracts will be prepared and work let so that building may be commenced as early as frost is out of the ground. The necessary means are on hand to build and equip 300 miles of the road from Sioux City to Cul-bertson next spring. The road is to be laid with sixty-pound steel rails in first class

Rooms have been secured for headquarters and will be equipped as soon as Mr. Hitch-cock arrives. The engineering corps wil again be put on the road this season to make few changes on the line and prepare the road for work.

Neligh News. NELIGH, Neb., Nov. 13.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- Farmers are busy busking the largest crop of corn ever harvested in

Antelope county. The three car loads of horses shipped from here to Philadelphia, Pa., netted the shippers a good return.

The city engineer is laying an extension of two blocks of water main.

Messrs. Graves and Milis' new elevator here is about completed.

Passed the Queer. FREMONT, Nob., Nov. 18 .- [Special to Tur

BEE. |-A trio of strangers were arrested in Fremont last evening by Officer Wintersteen on suspicion of having passed counterfeit money and are now lodged in jail. Their names are given as J. Harlow, Frank Burt and Frank Johnson. They claim to have been engaged at work on the B. & M. road, themselves. They will have a hearing to

Hastings' Paving Plans.

HASTINGS, Neb., Nov. 13.—|Special Telegram to Tue Bee.|—Grading on paving district No. 1 has been begun. The work will be pushed to completion as soon as possible. The work on district No. 1 will probably be completed before snow falls,

Snow at Columbus. Columnus, Neb., Nov. 13.-[Special Tele

gram to The Ber. |-Two inches of snow fell this evening, the first of the season. Why He Calted the Meeting. DENVER, Colo., Nov. 13 .- In reply to an in quiry as to the importance of the meeting of the deep harbor committee, called to meet it this city on the 18th, ex-Governor Evans

today sent the following letter to Howel Jones, esq., committeeman, Topeka, Kan.: Jones, esq., committeeman, Topesa, Man.

DEAR Sin.-I was requested to call the committee together by the secretary at the instance of prominent members, on account a advices that certain parties were preparing toppose further appropriations for the construction of the Galveston barbor, and to consider other important questions pertaining the wors. Avery respectfully yours.

John Evans. Chairman Interstate Deep Harbor Committee

V rock and Loss of Life. Caumanan Point, N. B., Nov. 13.—The British ship Sarah, belonging to Yarmouth, and bound from Manilla for Port Townsend, is ashore at Carmanah and is a total loss. Two of the crew were drowned. The others are safe at the lighthouse.

Death of eventh-Day King. Meanure, Tenn., Nov. 18 -R. M. King, the Seventh-Day Adventist who acquired fame through being arrested over a year ago | tions.

for working on Sunday, died near Dyersburg Tuerday night. King was arrested and fined for the offense named, and the at first trivial case has been in the state and federal courts case has been in the state and receral courts ever since and is now pending in the United States supreme court. The original sentence was affirmed by the state supreme court. Then the defense was undertaken by the National Secular association, who employed Don M. Dickinson and carried the case to the United States circuit court on a writ of habeas corpus. Judge Hammond ruled that the federal government had no right to re-view the state's decision and the case was thereupon appealed to the supreme court of the United States. It is not unlikely the Adventists will still push the case to a con-clusion in spite of King's death.

CHICAGO'S ANARCHISTS.

Policy the City Authorities Will Pur-

sue in Dealing with Them. CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 13.-Seventeen alleged anarchists, arrested at last night's meeting, were arraigned in justice court this morning. Complaints were made against them, some for resisting officers, others for carrying concealed weapons and for disorderly conduct. Several police officers were examined and

their evidence was practically the same as the story of last night's arrests.

When the court assembled again the crowd of on-lookers was somewhat loss. Lawyer Cox began the examination of the seventeen defendants and completed that of four of them. Each will be examined singly and the case gives evidence of being a long one. The defense attempted to prove by its wit-nesses that the meeting raided by the officers

was a peaceable one and had no connection with any anarchistic movement whatever, being merely a regular business meeting o the Socialistic Publishing society.
This evening a bill was filed in the circuit court by Thomas Grief to restrain Mayor Washburne, Superintendent of Police Mc-Claughrey, Inspector Lewis and Captain Mahoney from entering upon the premises owned by complainant, or from interfering with any meetings or assemblys held in his

hall. The case will probably come up before Judge Tuliey tomorrow morning. Both Mayer Washborne and Chief Me-Claughrey today, in speaking of the arrest of anarchists at Grief's hall, advanced the belief that the object of the meeting and the organ-ized plot of the anarchists was not to commit any acts of violence nor to throw bombs, but to keep up an anarchistic agitation to con-vince foreigners that Chicago will not be a safe place to come to in the World's fair vear, either to exhibit goods or see them.
"The action of Inspector Lewis in break ing up the meeting has my entire approval, said the mayor. The incendiary utterances of the anarchists must be stooped, for they are likely to do Chicago incalculable injury injury far greater than any damage they could do by overt violence.

"What will your policy be!"
"To suppress with a firm hand all meetings held to advocate anarchistic principles."
"Will you revoke Grief's license for his saloon and hall if the policemen recommend

"Will revoke any license that the police

recommend."
Major McClaughrey expressed the same view of the purpose of the present agitation.
"What reason have you for this belief?"
"We are justified in drawing the conclusion from the remarks of the speakers at the meeting. They all cry for revenge on the meeting. They all cry for revenge on

Moses Solomon who applied to the circuit court for an injunction to restrain the police from interfering with the meetings in Grief's hall called on the chief with his client Grief and with Assistant Corporation Counsel Chetwin to inform him of the agreement that had been entered into by himself and Mr. Chetwin that the police should interfere with no peaceable meetings there until the courts should hear the application. Mr. Solomon objected to the word "peaceable," claiming there were no other kind of meetings so it was unnecessary, but Mr. Chetwin would not agree to the stipulation without As the stipulation did not restrict the right of the police to decide what is and what is not a peaceable meeting, the chief agreed to it.

BOUNTIES OF GOD'S PROVIDENCE. President Harrison's Thanksgiving

Proclamation. WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 13 .- The following was issued this afternoon by the president of the United States:

dent of the United States:

A Proclamation: It is a very grateful incident of the great prosperity of the year now drawing to a close that its helpful and reassuring touch has been felt by all our people. It has been as wide as our country and so special that every home has felt its comforting influence. It is too great to be the work of man's power and too particular to be the device of his mind. To God, the benedicent and the all-wise, who makes the labors of men to be fruitful, redeems their losses by His grace and the measure of whose glving is as much beyond the thoughts of man as it is beyond his deserts, the praise and gratitude of the people of this favored nation are justly due.

due. Now, therefore, I. Benjamin Harrison, president of the United States of America de hereby appoint Thursday, the 25th day of November, present, to be a day of joyful thanksgiving to God for the bountles of His provivember, present, to be a day of joyful thanksgiving to God for the bountles of His providence, for the peace in which we are permitted to enjoy them and for the preservation of
those institutions of civil and religious liberty
which He gave our fathers the wisdom to devise and establish, and us the courage to preserve. Among the appropriate observances of
the day are rest from toil, worship in public
congregations, the renewal of family ties
about the firesides and the thoughtful helpfulness towards those who suffer lack of the
body or of the spirit.

In testimony hereof. I have hereunto set my
hand and caused the seal of the United States
to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington this 15th day
of November, in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, and
the independence of the United States the one
hundred and sixteenth.

BENJAMIN HARRISON,
By the President: James G. BLAINE, Secretary

By the President: James G. Braine, Secretary WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF WEATHER BUREAU,)

OMAHA, Nov. 13. The storm developing in the middle Rocky nountain region is slowly impinging into the area of high barometer and causing mod erating weather, but also increasing cloudiness and light snows from northwestern lowa westward to Wyoming. The high barlowa westward to Wyoming. The high barometer area is drifting eastward upon the
lake regions, resulting in threatening easterly and northeasterly winds over the Missouri valley. The temperature has generally
moderated, although it remains below freezing in the northwest. Fair and warmer
weather prevails south of the lower Missouri. The present outlook for good weather
on Sunday is unfavorable.

For Omaha and vicinity—Slightly warmer and fair to cloudy, with prospects of light now, turning to rain Washington, D. C., Nov. 13.—8. p. m.— The area of high barometeric pressure continues to overile nearly the entire country, There is an indication of storm developments in eastern Colorado, also far north of Montana. Generally fair weather with a slow return of seasonable temperature will con-tinue Saturday and Sunday in most districts. For Misseuri-Slightly warmer; southerly

on Sunday is unfavorable.

winds and fair weather Saturday and Sun-For Kansas-Fair weather, slight change In temperature, probably fair Sunday. For Colorado Continued cool and fair weather; variable winds; probably fair

For lows, Nebraska and South Dakota-Cloudiness and flurries of snow, except fair weather in eastern lowa; no decided change in temperature; winds becoming southerly warm and generally fair. For North Dakota—Generally fair weather: stationary temperature; fair and slightly warmer Sunday.

Ministers Get Personal.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 13 .- The session of the Methodist general mission committee today was unusually lively. Dr. Buckley and Bishop Fitzgerald had a debate which became very personal before it was inter-rupted. The distribution of the appropriaon for home missions was continued, considerable debate taking place concerning those in England and the Indian reserva-

HARMONY RESTORED AGAIN.

President-Elect Montt Smoothes Out the Chilian Cabinet's Wrinkles.

MATTERS SATISFACTORILY ADJUSTED.

Minister Matte is Not Very Popular On Account of His Queer Ideas-Late South American News.

[Copyrighted 1891 by James Gordon Bennett.] Valpanarso, Chili, (via Galveston, Tex.) Nov. 13 .- By Mexican Cable to the New York Herald-Special to THE BEE. |-There is a general understanding here, though it has not been officially announced, that Admiral Jorge Montt will appoint two conservatores as state councillors. This leaves the liberals in a majority of three in the council, but it is said to be satisfactory to Senors Walker, Martinez and Irrarazabal, and they will probably withdraw their resignations and remain in the ministry until December. There is general gratification at the fact that Admiral Montt has called Senor Altimirano in consultation, and it is the belief that he will be called upon to form a cabinet when Montt has been formally installed as president.

Some of the foreign ministers find a good deal of difficulty in getting along with Minister of Foreign Affairs Matte. He has very peculiar ideas of diplomatic usages. The dip omatic corps generally concur in the opinion that Senor Isadoro Errazuriz, who held the portfolio of foreign affairs under the junta at lquique has the best knowledge of international affairs of any of the Chilian statesmen and is well fitted for the post of foreign min-

Pushing the Baltimore Investigation. Judge Foster is making all due progress on the investigation into the recent attack on the Baltimore's sailors. He is now engaged in examining foreign witnesses of the affair. There seems to be every disposition to bring the investigation to a close as quickly as possible, and the feeling against Americans has toned down in a marked degree.

Gauderillas, it is now known, was in the haclenda Penelon, the property of the Uruguayan minister, about two leagues from Santiago. He had been very much depressed since the suicide of Balmaceda. The tragic fate of his chief had evidently preyed on his

BRAZIL'S REBELLION GROWING.

Confined to Rio Grande do Sul, but

Becoming Warmer Pourly. (Copyright 1891 by James Gordon Bennett.) VALPARAISO, Chili, (via Galveston, Tex.) Nov. 13 .- | By Mexican Cable to the New York Herald-Special to THE BEE.]-News has been received here to the effect that the revolt against de Fonseca in the state of Rio Grande de Sul has been so far successful in a fight in which 5,000 men of all arms were engaged. It is reported that the government troops under General Isadoro Gonsalez were defeated and the insurgent cavalry started on a move toward the north. It is also reported that Governor Castilho of Rio Grande do Sul has decided to join the insur-

rectionary movement. The revolutionists claim that the dictator is so sick that he finds it impossible to continue the campaign with any degree of activity. These statements are evidently made by enemies of da Fonseca. for the news comes from Rio Janeiro that he is displaying great energy in his efforts to crush the revolt. He is massing troops and preparing his warships for an early attack on the revolutionists. He has applied to the government of Uruguay for permission to allow the passage of troops through that country in order to reach the state of Rio Fraude do Sul. Uruguay, it is said, has

granted the permission requested. Revolt is Spreading.

The revolt now involves all the towns of the state with the exception of Porto Aliegre. General Astrogildo commands the insurrectionary forces in the field. The people of the country generally favor the revolt and give the rebel troops food and other assistance in their power.

At Ynguaron the troops were kept order by the national guard, who prevented them from becoming seditious. Of the entire navy only the gun boat Camoen has taken up the cause of the revolution. The balance of the navy has remained faithful to da Fonseca.

In all probability there will be a crisis in the affairs in Rio Grande do Sul before the end of the next week, for it is expected in Rio that the forces sent there by the dictator will reach the borders of the state by that time.

Fonseca's Move Expected.

(Comprisht 1891 by James Gordon Bennett.) RIO JANEIRO, Brazil (via Galveston, Tex-Nov. 13. - By Mexican Cable to the Herald -Special to THE BEE |-The official announcement has been made that Governor Castilho of Rio Grande do Sut has resigned. His resignation was requested by da Fonseca. It is not definitely known why the governor was practically removed, but it is generally believed that his sympathizers were with the insurgents in his state. A committee of safety has been appointed by the commercia bodies of Rio Janeiro. Complete quiet reigns here now. Business has been generally resumed and affairs are apparently is pretty much the same shape as they were before the declaration of the dictatorship by President da Fonseca. There appears to be an almost universal feeling of content with the solution of the difficulties. In fact it occasioned little or no surprise in ordinarily well informed circles.

(Congright, 1891, by James Gordon Bennett.) VALPABAISO, Chili, (via Galveston, Tex.) Nov. 13 .- By Mexican Cable to the New York Herald-Special to THE BEE.]-Serious disturbances are reported at the polls at the election in Buenos Ayres yesterday. It was not until the police took vigorous measures that order was restored. The elections resulted decidedly in favor of the radicals.

Many surmises are current about the heavy purchases of Mannlicher rifles by the government. It is the general impression that the purchases indicate that the government anticipates trouble in the near future and that a war is not improbable.

TWO STORIES.

Lave Arrivals from Chili-A Good Word for Minister Egan. New York, Nov. 13. - The City of Para arrived from Colon yesterday, having on board C. A. Sweat, a railroad engineer who has passed the last two years in Chili. This is what he had to say of the Chili incident: "I do not believe the trouble will end in war. Chill is not in condition for war.

The Chillan navy is a peculiar one.

Her vessels are all commanded by

foreigners. I do not believe there is a Chilian competent to navigate a vessel. Their soldiers, however, are a brave, fearless lot of fellows. All they want are leaders. Let Minister Egan be recalled and I think

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the war talk would subside."
Max Lowenstein also arrived on the City of Para. He was a Balmacedist. He was obliged to flee from Valparaiso when Bal-maceda was routed. He was one of the refugees sheltered on the Baltimore, "I am a British subject," he said yesterday, "but as an Englishman I want to speak a few words for an American naval officer. That officeris is Captain Schiey, who is now at Valparaiso in command of the Baitimore. A more courteous, more prudent officer I have never met. He is an honor to the American never met. He is an honor to the American navy. All during the trying times he has borne himself with dignity and in a true American spirit. His conduct was absolutely neutral. He favored neither one side nor the other. Those who took refuge in his ship will never forget his extreme gindness. He and his officers strained every nerve to make us comfortable. I am not inlined to criticise Minister Egan. I think he being very greatly misrepresented some of his own countrymen. It is not true that he is hated by Chili. There was a little feeling against him, but I do not think it exists any more."

BURNED TO A CRISP.

Fate of a Family of Four-They Lose Their Lives in a Fire. COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 13.-The whole Betherd family, father, mother and two children were burned to death in a fire that destroyed a row of cheap frame houses early this morping. The whole family being destroyed the fact was not discovered until this afternoon

whon the firemen found the four bedies.

The fire occured at 4 o'clock in the morning and neither the firemen or the police knew anything of the loss of life until their attention was called to the fact by a friend of the burned family. As soon as the discovery was made the police and firemen were

When the firemen climbed into the room hey were greeted with a horrible sight. The father was on the floor with his eldest daughter in his arms. They were both burned to a crisp. Mrs. Betherd, the mother, was lying partially on the bed and partially on the floor. Her body was perfectly nude, It appeared as if all of her clothing had been burned off and ner flesh cooked by the flames, The other two children were lying face downward on the bed where they had met their death. The loss by fire was about

The Fire Record.

TAMPA, Fla., Nov. 13 .- Fire in the Aurelia estaurant in a suburb of Tampa caused a loss estimated at about \$70,000, with little in-

PITTBURGH, Pa., Nov. 13 -Fire in the Lawrenceville district early this morning destroyed a number of buildings. The flames started in a boarding house and spread so rapidly that the boarders barely escaped with their lives. The total loss is \$75,000; insurance, \$50,000.

Sr. Louis, Mo., Nov. 13.—Fire started in the St. Louis Children's hospital at 6 o'clock this morning. There were forty-two child-ren in the building, who were all rescued by the bravery of the matron, nurses, firemen and neighbors. No one was hurt. The damage to the building is slight.

— Duluti, Minn., Nov. 13.—The fires on the

DULUTH, Minn., Nov. 13.—The fires on the the coal docks, which have already done damage amounting to \$100,000, took a fresh start this morning. The docks of the Northwestern Fuel company caught fire and are blazing underneath the coal. Laborers are busy saving what coal they can. Several piles of coal twenty feet high and thirty feet or more in diameter have sunk as the dock beneath was harned and other as the dock beneath was barned and other large piled are a mass of red fire. Two fire tugs and a city engine and fire apparatus of the Lake Superior Elevator company, as-sisted by 200 men, are fighting the fire. The

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 13 .- Fire broke out late this afternoon in the lumber yard of Bills & Koch on the Ohio Central docks, East side, and destroyed about \$15,000 worth of lumber before it could be got under control. The lumber was fully insured. About 500 feet of the dock, which is built on piles, is burned to the water's edge. It was worth between \$30,000 and \$40,000, which loss falls on the Ohio Central road. The dock is fully in-

sured. DENVER'S MURDER MYSTERY.

Arrangements for the Trial of the A! leged Murderer of Mrs. Barnaby. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 13,-District Attorney Stevens of Denver and J. H. Conrad, son-in-law of Mrs. Josephine A. Barnaby, for the murder of whom Dr. T. Thatcher Graves will be tried in Denver on the 24th instant, left this city tonight for New York, having occupied two days in the examination of witnesses from Connecticut and this state to appear for the prosecution, Superintendent Cornish of the Boston Pinkerton agency has been in consultation with them, and as the result of their investigation it is said that the government will introduce forty witnesses at the trial. It is said considerable evidence has been secured from Danielsonville and neighboring towns in Connecticut which, it is claimed, reflects seriously on Dr. Graves' putation while residing there, based upon

llegations of malpractice, District Attorney Stevens says that the trial will probably occupy four weeks and that Judge Rising, one of the ablest and most prominent jurists in the west, will preside over the trial. The counsel for the government will include District Attorney Stevens, Judge Bedford and Thomas Ward r., chief assistant in the attorney's depart-ment, while Dr. Graves has retained the law firm of Wells, Macom & Furman, Colonel Dan R. Ballou of this city will be associated with the defendant's counsel.

This evening Colonel Ballou brought a the sum of \$100,000, pased upon an article published in an evening paper upon the alleged collusion of Colonel Ballou with Dr. Graves in securing possession of Mrs. Barn-aby's property. Postmaster C. H. George was accepted as bondsman and the case will ome up for trial at the April term of the common pleas court.

TRISH LACES.

Handiwork of Irishwomen to Be Exhibited at the World's Fair. CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 13,-The countess of Aberdeen has unfolded a plan which promises to add a very attractive feature to the Columbian exposition. In company with the earl, and their daughter Marjorie and attended by Bishop McGolrick of Duluth, the countess today visited the convent of the Sacred Heart and proposed to bring a number of Irish girls to Chicago, install them in the convent under the care of the sisters and have them make a beautiful exhibit of Irish

ce and needle work for the fair of The project was enthusiastically received by The countess of Aberdeen then paid her respects to Archoishop Feehan, to whom she outlined her design. The prelate was much delighted with it and promised to aid her in the extent of his power,

OMARIA BILL RAISE THEM

San Francisco Raises \$50,000 Toword Securing the Conventio San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 13.-The local finance committee having in charge the collection of funds to secure the holding of the national democratic and republican conventions here, has received a total of \$50,0.0, which was the sum considered nicessary as a basis for efforts to be made in the east to secure the location of the conventions here.

Closed With a Banquet.

be held in Chattanoogs, Tenn.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 18, -The forty-fifth convention of the Delta Kap a Epsilon fraternity closed here last sight with the usual fraternity banquet. Thirty-one chapters nave been represented at the convention by over 100 delegates.

The next convention of the fraternity will

WILL NOT IGNORE IRELAND.

English Conservatives Experience a Change of Heart in Irish Affairs.

PROGRAM WHICH THE PARTY WILL FOLLOW

England's Big Warships of Little Practical Use-Their Heavy Guns Are Worthless-Have No Use for the McKintey Law.

[Copyright 1891 by the New York Associated Press.] London, Nov. 13 .- The executive committee of the conservative associations has drafted a platform to be adopted at the party caucus, which opens in Birmingham November 23, as the final program of the party for the coming elections. The distinctive name given to the National union conference does not apply the inclusion of the liberal union element. The caucus will be purely conservative and will consist of joint delegates drawn from the English and Welsh constituencies. The executive committee, in view of the momentous character of the

resolutions, as embodying authoritative party

utterances, have been long discussing them

and finally approved them vesterday. A perusal of advance proofs of the resolutions shows that the leading proposal concerns Ireland and discloses the fact that the conservative leaders have resisted the appeal of an influential section of the party to ignore Irish affairs. The conference will be asked to endorse the intention of the ministers to extend local government and promote technical education in Ireland. As a con-cession to the labor vote the conference will declare in favor of the principle of labor representation, and will urge the conserva-tives to support labor candidates everywhere who appeal to enter public life upon no party

A resolution proposed by H. Vincent, M. P., an eaper advocate of imperial federation, who has just returned from America full of weath against the McKinley law, favors a preferential tariff throughout the British empire, the adoption of which will not commit the party leaders. Next, the "one man, one vote" principle is denounced, while it is declared that the ballot act must be amended to exclude illiterate voters. Lord Salisbury, Prime Secretary Matthews and Sir J. E. Gorst will deliver addresses at

the meeting. The liberal unionists, under the leadership of Mr. Chamberlain, will entertain the delegates.

The conservative pribes to the labor vote will energize the Gladstonian movement to establish a 'labor candidate fund.'' Mr. Schnadhorst finds that grants of

noney to labor aspirants are largely wanted. It is reported that Andrew Carnegie offers to place in the hands of a trustee a large sum as the nucleus for the proposed fund.

Startling evidence has been laid before the labor commission in regard to the condition of the operatives in the textile trades in Lan-

cashire and Yorkshire.

The British admiralty is much excited over the growing record of defects in the great guns on English war ships. Five vessels have recently been officially declared to be carrying unreliable guns. In the 100-ton gun on the ironclad. Ben Bow, which has been in commission only a few weeks, a crack developed in the inner tubes after firing a few rounds of 960 pounds each, constituting the full service charge. Similar actoria and Sans Parell.

The duc de La Tremoille and the duc de Noulles, prominent Orleanists, have arrived at the Sheen house for a conference with the against the due d' Orieans in connection with the Melba divorce case. The duc d' Orleans insists that his relations with Mmc. Melba have been purely platonic.

RUSSIANS PLOTTING.

Arrest of Prominent Peop'e-A Representive Assembly Demanded. LONDON, Nov. 13, -Some surprise was expressed in this city upon the receipt of a dispatch announcing the extraordinary activity which was being displayed by the Russian government in connection with the internal disturbances which are known to exist in the empire. It was thought at first that the government's action was due from the trouble arising from the scarcity of food existing in many districts of Russia, as for some days past dispatches have been received in this city depicting with minuteness the terrible sufferings of the starying peasants. Many acts of lawlessness have been reported as having been committed by men rendered desperate by the pangs of hunger and the statement made that the marshals of the no-bility would be held to a strict accountability for any disturbances in their districts was taken to mean that the starving peasants and

small farmers were assuming a threatening A dispatch received this evening stated that a short time ago it came to the knowledge of the police that a conspiracy was under way. The authorities were able to learn who the conspirators were, their places of meeting and everything connected with the plot. While secretly pursuing their in-vestigations in St. Petersburg tney ound that the conspirators in that city only a part of a very numerous band, the headquarters of which was located in Moscow. They learned also that the conspirators had been very active in securing adherents to their plan and that the conspiracy had ramifications which spread to all the principal cities of the which spread to all the principal cities of the empire. The object of the conspiracy just unearthed, unlike a majority of the plots discovered in Russia, was not to kill the czar, but was the organization of a movement having for its end the creation of a repre sentative assembly—an object which has been the dream of many Russians for years. Sixty members of the nobility and of the upper and middle classes, who are charged with complicity in the conspiracy, have been The discovery of the plot and the arrest of

so many prominent subjects has caused a decided sensation to Russia.

WRECKAGE FROM THE STORM. Reports of More Vessels Lost and

Sailors Drowned. London, Nov. 13 .- The bark which yester day stranded off Kinsale, Ireland, is the Gylfe, from Quebec October 1, for Liverpool, The life saving crew at Kinsale finally suc ceeded in rescuing the captain and four of the crew, but all the other men on the bark

were drowned. number of those who lost their lives m the stranding of the Gylfe is seven Stories of the wreck and disaster caused by the storm continue to be received. News has just reached this city of the loss at sea of the British steamer Fairfield. No lives were

Panis, Nov. 13 .- The recent gale caused an immense amount of damage in all parts of France and a number of persons were killed. Several vessels were wrecked at Fecamp on the English channel, but only one man was drowned. Two smacks of Cherbourg, with drowned. Two smacks of therbourg, with their crows, numbering ton men, are missing. The town of Lismore, ill miles southwest of Dubin, has suffered enormous damage from the strin. Last night heavy rains accompanied the gale. As the fishing boats continue to arrive after riding out the gale

disarmament, the creation of an internalishment at Berne of a permanent interna-Death i , the Cruel Sart.

Panis, Nov. 18,-News was received here

International Peace Congress.

ROME, Nov. 13. -At today's session of the

today that a fishing lugg, a tich had been caught for the furious gal, ich have been prevailing in the English a rel, had been driven ashore at the vilit of Berck-Surdriven ashore at the vill Mer, near Boulogne. One her crew succumbed to the until sixteen of them had bee death by the resistless surf. another of tept to their

OPPOSE FONSECA'S COUP.

More Provinces and Troops Turn Against the Dictator. London, Nov. 13 .- A dispatch from tilo Janeiro states that the governor and provincial assembly of Grao Para oppose coup

d'etat of President da Fonseca. The Santiago correspondent of the Times says further advices have been received from RIo Grande do Sul to the effect that the garrisons at San Gabriel and Page have also revolted against the dictatorship of Fonseca. A later telegram says that in Rio Grande do Sul the opposition to Fonseca is triumphing almost wholly throughout the province without serious fighting.

Published in London.

London, Nov. 13 .- The Chronicia's Vienna correspondent says that the Austrian government will shortly abolish the prohibition of the importation of American pork into

Austria and Hungary
The Chronicle's Shanghai correspondent says: Quietude prevails here, but in Hunan the people are seething with discontent and are likely to break into revoit at any moment. No indemnity will be paid to Europeans who suffered in the Tohang riots. The American admiral has left in the cruiser Charleston for Honolulu. He has been from the first very beliicose toward the Chinese, and has not concealed his belief that extreme measures are necessary. It is understood that under cover of the protection of Americans he will seize Honolulu in the name of his

RUTH'S SPOON.

Her Father Acknowledges the Gitt and Thanks the Donors. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 13.-Ex-Presi-

dent Cleveland has written a letter acknowledging the receipt of the spoon presented to Baby Ruth at the last dinner of the Clover club, in accordance with the custom of the organization of sending such a gift to each little one born to any of its members. Mr Cleveland is an honorary member, Mr Cleveland says:

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I need not believe that the ordinary and expected joys of new paternity so exclusively pertain to the incident itself and will so completely fill the cup of a father's happiness as to leave no room for the gratification not necessarily growing out of the situation. At any rate, while I intend to be entirely loyal to the concededly wonderful child which has come to my home, I will not be dealed the satisfaction in acknowledging that the pleasure attending her advent has been greatly enhanced by the delicate remembrance by the members of the Clover club of the mother and child.

Ploase express to my good friends of the club the thanks of the deligated parents, who ask them to accept a lien upon the future gratitude of their child. Yours very sincerely.

BOIES' SENTIMENTS.

He Expresses Them in a Letter to the Kansas Bandana Club. LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Nov. 13 .- The an nual banquet of the Bandana club, democratic, was held this evening. A letter of regret was read from Governor Boles of lows, the reading of which was greeted with great applause. The letter dealt principally with the prohibition and tariff questions. The letter stated that both Kansas and Iowa had been led into the adoption of sumptuary laws, governing the liquor traffic, at variance with the enlightened sentiments of a rity of the civilized world. The result had been a tacit assent to the open vio-lation of those laws in the large cities, or a substantial barrier to their growth and prosperity, while not diminishing the evildetailed what the governor believed to be various oppressions of the protective tariff and urged the democrats of Kansas to re-

main steadfast in their fight against that

system. RAILWAY TROUBLES. Threatened Strike on the Entire Southern Pacific System. Houston, Tex., Nov. 13.-A conference was had today between committees repre senting all the trainmen, except the engi neers and firemen, of the Southern Pacific system and General Superintendent Van Vlick. The conference lasted all day, but so far as can be learned no progress was made in the situation, which threatens a strike on the entire system from New Orleans to San Francisco. The trainmen are still making efforts to have the engineer: and firemen join in some demand so that should a strike be ordered the entire system would be tied up. There is always friction between the engineers and the road, and should they join with the other trainmen and their demands be refused the greatest strike ever seen on the American continent wil ensued-one which would test the strengt

of both sides, just as the Knights of Labor strike did here. RIGHT ROYALLY RECEIVED.

Marie Van Zandt Captures the Audi ence at the Chicago Auditorium. CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 13 .- Marie Van Zandt nade her American debut tonight at the Auditorium. The great building was crowded with a fastionable audience equaling if not surpassing the opening night of the season and the in-terest displayed in the fair young American was something remarkable. Miss Van Zandt achieved a decided triumph as Amina in "La Sonambula," fully sustaining the reputation gained by her in Europe. Th immensostage of the Auditorium was literally buried by the floral offerings in her honor, and after the performance was entirely ended the audience declined to retire

until she bad reappeared before the curtain

TOOK POSSESSION OF A TRAIN. Bold Tramps Make Things Lively in

Indiana.

DANVILLE, Ind., Nov. 13. -Tramps of all sizes and descriptions are overrunning this part of the state. Yestorday as a Big Four west bound passenger train to St. Louis stopped at a small station west of this place five ugly hoboes came out of the woods, entered the train and for a short time took possession of the ladies' coach. They demanded of the passengers money and got the amount they wanted and had the passengers ther-oughly frightened. The trainmen finally suceeded in ejecting the mob after a very stub born fight.

Took Possession on a Mortgage. CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 13.-The wholesale cloaking business owned by Louis Adier and conducted by him at 203 and 205 Madison street, is in the hands of the Bank of Com merce. This afternoon the officers took possession on a chattel mortgage for ₹42,000 covering the stock and fixtures. The mortgage was dated and recorded today and the transfer was made without delay. The mortgage was given to secure notes executed to the bank curing the last few months. The action by the Bank of Commerce in taking possession is said to have been precipitated by a demand for payment of other notes made this week by New York and Chicago banks. The stock is worth \$250,000.

International peace congress resolutions FAYETTE, Miss., Nov. 13.—Alexander Chambers, alias Tom Sutton (colored), was were adopted in favor of partial military hanged here today for the murder of Robert theory of the fold of last July.

Chanteron, S. C., Nov. 13.—William Someract (colored) was hanged at Marion this afternoon for the murder of Ed. M. Fore.

The murderer protested his innocence to the

GONE INTO A DEEPER AFRICA

Explorer De Brazza Pinnges Deep Into an Unknown Country.

INTERNATIONAL RACE FOR LAKE TCHAD.

France Has a Long Start on Germany -News from the Expeditions

-No Move Made on Touat.

[Copyrighted 1891 by James Gordon Bennett.] Paris, Nov. 13 .- | New York Herald Cable -Special to THE BEE !- A startling rumor ran through Paris yesterday. It was to the effect that M. de Brazza, who was said to have left secretly for Africa at the head of & new expedition, had been massacred. This morning I called on M. Etienne, minister for the colonies, to ask him if he had any con

firmation of the report. "We have heard nothing," replied M. Etienne, "Wishing to see for himself what was going on in the unknown region which lies between the seventh and eighth degrees orth latitude and the eleventh and sixteenth degrees east longitude | Paris meridan], M. de Brazza left Banghi some time ago with a force of 350 men, intending to push on as far as Lake Tchad. He was convinced that he would find the murdered body of Lieutenaut Crampel on his route. He took the initiative of his expedition himself, and if anybody living could attain the object aimed at it is

certainly M. de Brazza. "You see there is a good deal of liberty allowed in such matters on the Congo. M. de Brazza was bent on exploring a region which even Stanley had not ventured to traverse. It is inhabited by Mussulman Arabs, fanatical foes of civilization. On leaving this region, he meant to visit Bergami, where a great deal is

going on of which we know nothing. Other Exploring Expeditions.

"Another explorer, Lieutenant Mesin, Is low at Yale, near Lake Tchad, ready to brave all risks. In his last letter he writes, 'This is an affair of honor to me. I will die or I will raise the French flag on the shores of Lake Tchad.' A third French expedition led by Chef de Battailon Monteil of the marines is also marching toward the lake. The starting point of this force was Seregal. By the last reports to hand twothirds of the journey had been accomplished."

"Have you any news of the German expeditions?" I inquired.

"Yes," replied M. Etienne. "We know that one German force is crossing the Cameroon country and making direct for Lake Tchad. It will probably meet with nsuperable difficulties in the mountains. Another expedition has taken the same route as M. de Brazza-the Bergami route. The Germans have bought 500 slaves in Dahomey

to act as escorts." "And what of Touat," said f. "There is no news for the said the minister. oment," We have confined ourselves to fortifying our Algerian outposts, and despite all con-

trary reports we have no intention of send-After this ministerial statement, the importance of which will be clear to all who take an interest in African affairs, we may wait further developments with patience, 1 can assure you positively that until yester-

day at all events, no confirmation of do-Brazzas' death had reached Paris. JACQUES ST. CERE.

Dangerous Strike Threatened. [Copyright 1891 by James Gordon Benne t.] Paris, Nov. 13 .- | New York Herald Cable-Special to THE BEE. -A serious strike in the Pas de Calais mines is announced for Monday next, Over 40,000 workmen have resolved, by a series of votes aken in the mines last week, to go out. The ompanies concerned had been allowed till November 15 to accept the proposals of the strikers. This evening it decided not to yield one article of the men's demands. It

is hoped that the government will interfere to prevent the strike from spreading, Grave rumors are affoat tonight here, with regard to the position of a prominent financial establishment which was in difficulties. three years ago. It was bolstered up at the time by friendly bankers, and reorganized.

The duchess de Montpensier, mother of the countess de Paris, is dangerously ill. End of a Royal Romance. (Copyright 1891 by James Gordon Bennett.) Panis, Nov. 13 .- | New York Herald Cable -Special to THE BEE. |- Gaulois, this (Satirday) morning, announces the death of Baroness von Waldersee, the morganitic wife of

Louis, duke of Bavaria, Sue was Fraulein

Mendel, and until her marriage in 1837, was

one of the best artists of the Munich comic

stage. To marry her the duke renounced his right of succession in favor of his brother Charles. Training Ships Coming Rom . Copyright 1891 by James Gordon Bennett, 1 Nice, Nov. 13.— New York Herald Cable -Special to The Beg. |- The training ship Monongahela arrived at Villa Franche, five days from Port Mahon. All well. Under

cable orders from the Navy department the Monongahela sails on November 17 for Hampton Roads.

ALLEN G. THURMAN. He Celebrates the Seventy-Eighth Anniversary of His Birth.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 13 .- "The Grand Old Man," not merely in Ohlo, but of the United States, is 78 years old, but the anniversary is shorn of much that would be bright and cheerful to Allen G. Thurman, for the willow rocking chair that has stood so long by the side of the open fireplace in the old English sitting room that leads out of the hall on the first floor is empty, bearing testimony to the fact that his venerable partner in iifo's joys and sorrows will be seen no more on earth, The Thurman club had intended to give an claborate banquet in bronor of the day, but the death of Mrs. Thurman has caused a ever celebration may take place will be

Allen W. Thurman today denied the telegram in regard to Judge Thurman's health, sent out last night. Judge Thurman has not been in better health for years. He said last night if it continued so he would live top

years longer. PROPHE IC WORDS.

Closing Words of Don Piate's Last Public Speech. CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 13.-Archbishop Elder of the Roman Catholic church, this

city, has been called upon to officiate at Don Piatt's funeral and has accepted.

Don Piatt was a member of the Cincinnati Literary club along with Saimon P. Chase, Rutherford B. Hayes and General Lyle. He was at the meeting of the club on October 31 and he made quite a little speech. His last words were: "My doctor forbid my coming this time, but here I am. When next year, your forty-third anniversary is commemor ated, Don Piatt will have joined the silent material."