FREMONT DIVINE INVOLVED.

He Was Accused of Business Irregularities During Church Services.

BUT THE MINISTER DENIED THE CHARGE.

Though Successful in Religious Affairs He is Alleged to Have Conducted a Mercantile House at a Big Loss-Nebraska News.

FREMONT, Net., Jan. 7 .- Special to THE BEE. |-For two years past Rev. J. W. Robinson, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of this city, has been conducting the mercantile business operated for many years by J. V. N. Biles, a citizen as prominent in the religious circles of the Methodist church as in the business circles of the city. Biles turned over his store to Robison, who operated it under the firm name of J. T. Robinson & Co. Last week Biles took possession of the store again, the sequel to which was a startling denouement which took place last night, following the regular websiy prayer meeting at the Methodist church.

Mr. Biles caused a sensation by rising and stating that he desired in that public manner to tender the keys of the store to Rev. Dr. Robinson, stating briefly the story of his business relations with the reverend gentleman and claiming that in this business relation the pastor was snort \$1,500 in his ac-

The announcement fell upon the solemn The announcement fell upon the solemn sanctity of the prayer meeting like a thunder clap. Those present were called upon to witness the tender made to Rev. Dr. Robinson, which was not accepted. Today papers were being prepared by attorneys to prosecute the well known divine, and some more startling developments will doubtless come out in the suit. Biles has in his possession a telegram showing that a farm belonging to Roy. Dr. Robinson in Nance county was re-cently transferred to his wife's name.

Rev. Dr. Robinson adm'ts the transfer of the Nance county farm to his wife, but ex-plains that it was hers to begin with. He plains that it was hers to begin with. The said her father gave her a piece of land in Iowa which was traded in on this farm which Robinson mortgaged in his own name, until he paid the mortgage, when the property was transferred to his wife again. He also insists that he made no representation of any amount of goods in the store.

Beatrice Happenings. BEATRICE, Neb., Jan. 7-|Special to THE BEE.]-William McCarthy, a brakeman employed with the Rock Island, had one of his hands badly mashed between the bumpers while coupling cars yesterday morning. Part of the hand had to be amputated by reason of the accident. The injured man is a resident of Horton, Kan.

At the meeting of the County Board of Supervisors yesterday the boad of the new county treasurer was fixed at \$200,000. The new treasurer is I. J. Frantze. The bond of his predecessor, H. W. Davis, was \$250,000. The reduction in the bond is made because of the probability of the new treasurer handling a less amount of money than has Mr. Davis. During the latter's incumbency of the office the \$100,000 court house bonds were in his custody, and as the court house is now about completed the board deemed that so excessive a bond was unnecessary.

County Clerk A. G. Keim and Deputy In-ternal Revenue Collector Andy Kerr in-dulged in a lively scrap in the Paddock lobby Tuesday evening, during which Mr. Keim received a badly bruised optic at the hands of Mr. Kerr. The quarrel grow out of an animated political discussion.

Comrade J. C. Baird, ex-adjutant of Rawlins post, Grand Army of the Republic, died at his home in this city Tuesday evening.

after an illness of about a year, of consump-tion. The deceased was a member of the Ninety-third Illinois infantry, and served throughout the war as color bearer of that regiment. He was buried today under the suspices of Rawlins post.

Playing Checkers by Telegraph. FREMONT, Neb., Jan. 7 .- [Special to THE Bes. |-Saturday evening George W. Armstead of North Bend, who has the reputation of being a champion checker player, and who has won many laurels through hard fought battles over the field where men and kings are moved about in bloodless though deadly combat, learned that Agent Muir of the Fre mont, Eikhorn & Missouri Valley road at Cordova was also a checker player of some renown, and these two knights arranged for a trial of their skill, which took place las

Saturday night.
Mr. Armstead went across the river from North Bend to Morse Bluffs and the game was played by telegraph. This is a novel way or playing the game, but it is simple enough after all. The contest was carried on with the men seated sixty miles apart. Three games were played, each game occupying about one hour. The first game was a draw, the second was a victory for Muir and in the third Armstead outgeneraled his opponent that no decisive victory was gained by either man.

Almost Instantly Killed.

RED CLOUD, Neb., Jan. 7 .- Special Telegram to THE BEE.] - Dan Linden, a young man working on the B. & M. section at this place, was struck by the evening passenger train from Hastings today and almost instantly killed. The foreman of the section, with his men, was returning to this city from their work on the hand car, and when the passenger train was seen bear-ing down on them. They at once started to remove the car from the track, but before this could be done the engine was upon them. All the rest except Linden started toward the train while he tried to run away from it. The engine struck the hand car and threw it with terriple force against the unfortunate man, bruising his head and burting him internally. He lived about an hour after being brought to Rec The deceased was a married man and resided in this city.

Nebraska's Death Roll.

TALMAGE, Neb., Jan. 7 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-- A telegram was received here today from Ogden, Utah, announcing the death of Ira J. Puffer, son of Clark Puffer, one of the oldest citizens of this community. His father and mother were called to his bedside about three weeks ago and were with him at the time of his death, which occurred this morning. His remains will be brough to Talmage on Monday next for burial. was a general favorite in Talmage and had a host of friends who mourn his demise COLUMBUS, Neb., Jan. 7.—[Special Telegram to The Brg.]—G. C. Cleveland died very suddenly in this city at 10 o'clock this morning. He was 73 years old and lived in Platte county eighteen years. Heart dis-ease was the cause of his death.

It Will Cover All Deficiencies CHADRON, Neb., Jan. 7 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-The Board of County Commissioners of Dawes county, who are now in session, have prepared a nice little surprise for the people who have done work for the county. discovered an error today amounting to \$5,000 in the general fund. This will cover all the outstanding claims and place Dawes county on the good financial footing where she belongs.

Nebraska Mortgages

HOLDREGE, Neb., Jan. 7 .- | Special to THE BRE. |- The following is the amount of mortgages filed and released in Phelps county for the month ending December 31: Farm mort-gages filed, 82, \$50,674.91; released, 59, \$38,-095.44; city mortgages filed, 1, \$5,000; re-leased, 5, \$8,669.94; chattel mortgages 115, \$48,519.13; released, 158, \$25,598.27.

Hedlined-England, HOLDREGE, Neb., Jan. 7.- [Special to THE Bus.]-Fred England and Miss Ida Hedlined, daughter of M. Hedlined, both of this city, were married at the home of the bride last evening. Mr. and Mrs. England have a host of friends here who wish thom a happy

More Ald for Bussia. CLAY CENTER, Neb., Jan. 7 .- | Special to THE BEE. | - The Clay County Board of Super visors at their meeting on the 4th made an

Work of Friend Burglars, FRIEND, Neb., Jan. 7 .- [Special to THE BEE. |- The store of H. H. Phillips and Karl Kline was entered by burglars this morning and the cash drawer relieved of what change had been left over and some clothing taken. The ex-Industrial school lads are suspected of having done the work. Wilber Alexander has been arrested on suspicion and an officer is in pursuit of Herbert Cochran.

State Guards Elect Officers, NEBRASKA CITT, Neb., Jan. 7 .- (Special to THE BEE. !- Company C, Nebraska National guards, elected their civil officers at their meeting last night. New recruits are being received at each meeting, two being intiated at the last meeting. The following officers were elected: President, William Wymond; vice president, John Johnson; secretary, Robert Dalley; treasurer, Will

Business Complications. WEST POINT, Neb., Jan. 7. - (Special to THE BEE. |-Sheriff Sharp took possession of the stock of drugs and general merchandise of D. Vanderpool & Co. under writ of attachment taken out by Henry Killer of DeWitt, Neb., today. He did this to protect himself on a bond given Dr. Foster at DeWitt to re-

Daly Matched Against the Denver Kid. CHADAON, Neb., Jan. 7. - Special Telegram to The Ber. |- Danny Daly, the champion footherweight of the northwest, has been matched for a finish contest with the Denver Kid for \$250 a side, the contest to come off within two weeks.

lieve goods at that place.

Committed for Treatment. FRIEND, Neb., Jan. 7. - Special to THE BEE.]-Alexander McLean, a real estate dealer of this city, was taken to the Lincoln insane pospital vesterday. McLean has for erly been treated in a similar institution in Dakota and discharged as cured.

Agate bearing scales, coffee mills with foot power, grocers rolrigerators, butter coolers, catalogue of Borden & Sellock Co., Chicago. Use Haller's Barbed Wire liniment for

old sores and sprains-horses and cattle always get well. Wanted-Copies of the EVENING BEE of October 15 and MORNING BEE of October 16. Leave at BEE counting

MAKING A PLUCKY FIGHT.

room.

Three Leaders in the Bievele Race Working Hard for Glory. There was only the usual attendance at the Coliseum last night, which is way below the deserts of the plucky contestants, as a better 'cycle race was never run in the building. The lack of patronage, however, seems to have had no effect on the riders, and last night started out with as much dash and determination as would have marked their efforts had the building been packed. Prince did not start. After a few miles had been recled off, Ashinger spurted away with the evident intention of taking a lap from Wood, but the little Englishman clung to him like a shadow and he couldn't gain an inch. They both took a lap, however, from Stage and O'Flan-agan, who were unequal to the severe strain. It was a great burst of speed, and the spec-tators kept up a continuous shout until the feat above mentioned had been accomplished. Barring accidents the first honors now lies between Ashinger and Wood, with the chances all in favor of the Englishman, who is the speedlest man on the track. Eighteen miles and three-quarters was made in the first hour, with Wood, as usual, in the lead. Ashinger shows wonderful improvement in his riding, and is really a very speedy man. The Indians were in from the fort and seemed to enjoy the sport immensely. They velled wildly when the men made their spurts, and acted as if they wanted to jump down on the track and take part in the race. They will all be present again tonight, a Wood, who so far has hogged all the records, crossed the 200-mile post in the lead. Score

Miles. Laps

GUTTENBERG, N. J., Jan. 7 .- Racing was resumed today. The track was in fair condition, all the snow having been removed. The attendance was above the average. First race, six furiongs: Emma J won tackwood second. Matagora filly third. Time: 1:1545.
Second race, five furiongs: Hawkstone won.
Maxim filly second, Miss Olive third. Time:

7824.
Third race, seven furlougs: Text won, Early losson second Kafter third. Time: 1:784.
Fourth race, six and one-half furlongs: aber won, Prince Howard second, Marie Loslithird. Time: 1:22.
Fifth race, mile and one-quarter: Sir Race on, Cassella second, Iceberg third. Time: 114.

2:115. Sixth race.meven furlongs: McKeever won, Kingdom second, Nancy Hubbard, colt, third. Time: 1:30%.

Third Day at New Orlean New ORLEANS, La., Jan. 7.-The Louisians lockey club winter meeting third day. Weather cool and clear; track fast; attendance fair.

First race, selling, five furlongs: Purly yon, Redstone second, Perry third. Time: Second race, six furlongs: Eugenie won. Lady Unde second, Stevens third. Time: 1:164.
Third race, seven furlongs: Bon Air won
Marp Mae second, Antonette third. Time 1:2045.
Fourth race, handleap, mile and twenty yards: Mark S won, Duster second, Marie K third. Time: 1:44.

Garfield Goes to St. Louis. St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 7.-The East St. Louis Jockey club, which is constructing a race course in East St. Louis and will formally open it on the 23rd inst., has engaged Colonel J. P. Chinn of Garneld park, Chicago, as starter. This track will have stable accommodations for 300 horses and will be fur-nished with all the latest improvements for both winter and summer racing, and conven-iences for the comfort of the people in attend-ance not possessed by any other course in

the country. May Have to Fight. NEW OHLEANS, La., Jan. 7.-Captain F Williams, on the contest committee of the Olympic club, left here last night for New York via Chicago, with instructions to offer a purse of \$12,000 for a glove contest to a finish between Corbett and Maher; Siavia and Corbett; Maher and Siavia, or Choynski and either of the above named men, before the Olympic club earty in March.

Will Make a League. CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 7 .- Base ball men from Columbus, Milwaukee, Indianapolis, Omaha, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Kansas City and other cities met today for the purpose of forming another league. It is probable on eight club league will be organized.

Jack Frost has a special mission in winter-it's to chap up our hands and cheeks, and fack Frost says he don't like Haller's Aus salve a bit, it cures the "little chaps"

[FROM YESTERDAY'S SECOND EDITION.]

AGAINST THE ROCK ISLAND. Chairman Finley Renders a Decision and

Assesses a Heavy Fine. CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 6 -Two decisions. which the complaints were both against the Rock Island road, were given out today by Chairman Finley of the Western Passenger association. The first of these was respecting a charge preferred by the Burlington, accusing the Rock Island of violating the greement in the sale of October 23 at an outside office presided over by A. Mortensen, a ticket reading from Chicago to Kansas City on which a second party, who had ostensibly conducted the purchases to Mortensen's office, received from the latter a commission of \$1. Is this case the chairman concludes that the defendant company has violated rule 4 of the general rules of the association

and assesses a fine of \$600. In the second case the chairman dismissed complaint preferred by himself. The obarge was similar to the first, but a question arose as to whether the notice fixing the

appropropriation to purchase 600 hushels of time of urging the case was filed within the corn for the Russian sufferers which will be time required by the agraement, considering ready for shipment in a few days. time required by the agraement, considering that a Sunday intervened. Chairman Finley decides that he is precluded from entering into the merits of the question and dismisses

Right in the face of the meeting of the presidents in New York this week, called to insider the commission question and the attitude of the Chicago & Alton, two me eastern lines have resumed passenger rela-tions with the Alton, General Passenger Agent Holwell of the Delaware, Lackawanna Western has issued a circular to ticket agents, baggage agents, conductors and gatemen announcing that tickets issued by or reading over the Chicago & Alton road will be accepted by that company hereafter, and that the relations existing prior to April 14, 1891, are restored. The other road that has fallen into line is the the Buffalo, Rochester

& Pittsburg. At the meeting of the Western Passenger association today action was taken to adjust rates from lower Missouri river points to varrates from lower Missouri river points to various points in the east on the basis of recent differentials made from Chicago. For the convention of the people's party to be held at St. Louis, beginning February 22, it was decided to neet the action of the Alton and make a rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip. The question as to rates and arrangements for the republican national convention were agreed to conditionally and the result will be announced at an early date. It was announced that the reduced rate pre-vailing from St. Paul to St. Louis, which had consideration at the previous meeting, will

BLAINE RAPIDLY RECOVERING.

His Illness Not at all Serious-Startling Rumors.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Jan. 6 .- All sorts rumors were affoat tonight in regard to Br. Blaine's condition. .. The maority of them were of a most sensutional character, being that he had broken down completely and was in a most critical condition. Some of them went so far as to assert that he could not possibly recover. In order to ascertain the facts, representatives of the Associated press tonight interrogated the physicians connected with the case. They were interviewed separately, and each of them, without knowing what the other said, asserted positively, and without qualification of any kind, that Mr. Blaine was suffering from indigestion caused by overeatitg, and from nothing else.

Dr. St. Clair, who was the first physician in attendance and who was with him nearly an hour before the other physicians arrived, made the following statement of the case:

"Last night Mr. Blame complained slightly of a sense of uneasiness in his stomach. It was not sufficient, however, in his opinion, nor in the opinion of Dr. Hvatt, his family physician, who happened to be present, havng been called to see Mrs. Blaine, to require any medical attention. He arose as usual this morning, feeling quite well, ate an unusually hearty breakfast, came to the department at the usual time and began the duties of the day in the usual marner. Shortly after this he began to feel nauseated. He called General Foster's attention to his condition and General Foster sent for me. I reached the side of the secretary inside of two minutes. It was then about a quarter after 1 o'clock. The secretary was suffering from extreme nausea. With Mr. Foster's assistance I heiped him to the sofa. The nausea became more and more pressing, until finally vomiting commenced. It w asy and natural and the secretary succeeded in ejecting a large quantity of mixed and rich food. Thinking it advisable that his stomach should be thoroughly emptied, I ordered a tumbler of tepid water and added a little sait, in order that the dose might be thoroughly nauseated, and induced the secretary to drink it. Copious vomiting folowed, the last of the matter discharged indicating the stomach was then empty and

Within a few minutes the secretary's pulse began to rise until it was ab-solutely regular and normal, and he was, barring the natural prostration which always attends extreme nausea, as well a man as he had been for many months. His eyes were bright and his color good. Dr. Van Reypen, who came in about this time, applied a single mustard leaf over the larger curvature of the stomach to allay any irritation which might possibly remain after the vomiting. No further contraction of the stomach occurred, nor was there any indication that it was likely to occur. short time after this Dr. Hyatt arrived and found the patient in excellent condition, but from abundant caution prescribed a soothing draught of limewater with a few drops of carbolic acid. The secretary then got up and walked to his carriage without any apparent effort. He was then taken home and I have not seen him since." Dr. Van Roypen says he felt a delicacy in talking about the case, but upon being informed of the alarming rumors in circulation on the subject, dictated the following statement:

Chief Clerk Brown came to my office about 12:30 today and asked me to step upstairs and see the secretary, who was, he said, suffering from an attack of indigestion. Surgeon McClurg of the navy was in my office at the time and accompanied me to Mr. Blaine's office, We found him lying on the sofa, perfectly rational. He had recovered from an attack of nausea, having already ejected the contents of his stomach. His whole trouble was in conse quence of having eaten too much richly seasoned food for breakfast. He suf-fered the penalty of having a good cook. After he had vomited, his trouble was over. I applied a mustard plaster to his stomach to allay any irritation that may have been remaining and that was all the treatment he required. Dr. Hyatt called just as I had removed the plaster. I transferred the patient to his care. The secretary at that time had quite recovered from his attack. There were no other symptoms present at any time excepting those of an over-This concluded Dr. Van Reypen's state-

ment. He was then asked if there were, as rumored, symptoms of apoplexy in the case and he replied:
"None, whatever, nor indeed, were there symptoms of any trouble other than I have already indicated."

Frank Hyatt, who is Mr. Biaine's regular physician, stated in the most positive terms that Mr. Blaine's illness today was sulting from hard work, lack of exercise and a heavy breakfast and nothing eise." He said Mr. Blaine rallied quickly and thoroughly from the attack and was soon able to proceed home in his carriage without assistance. He said he called on Mr. Blaine about 5 o'clock this afternoon and found him n good condition, the nausea having entirely disappeared, his pulse and temperature being normal. He was not suffering in the least at that time, and the physicians added that there was nothing in his condition at present to require any further attention at his hands. He would not call again tonight, because he did not think it necessary, but he proposed as a matter of prudence to make another visit tomorrow about noon. He expressed the opinion that toay's attack was partially cold contracted by the secr the secretary two days ago while working for some time in a room with the thermometer nearly at 60°. This, together with bard work lack of his customary exercise, due to the bad weather, had made him more susceptible to indigestion than he otherwise would have

VETERAN FIREMEN ELECT.

Officers Chosen for the Ensuing Year and New Rules Proposed. The annual meeting of the Omaha Veteran Firemen's association was held in the police court rooms last evening. Fifteen members were present. After a small amount of routine business had been transacted the election of officers was called up.

John Baumer and Julius Treitschies were the only candidates for president. Mr. Baumer was elected on the second ballot. A motion was made to elect Mr. Treitschke first vice president by acclamation. This was carried without a dissenting voice. Sol Prince was elected second vice president; P. H. Koes rs, financial secretary; James Donnelly recording secretary and Joseph Schooly

treasurer.

Mr. Sol Prince offered a resolution making all active members of the association bonor-ary members during absence from the city. This was laid over until the next meeting. Two trustees were to be elected for a term of three years. Joseph Rowles and O. W. Fisher were nominated and elected by a unanimous vote.

IS NO LONGER A PROBABILITY

War with Chill Spems the Most Remote of All Possible Events.

SOME VERY TRIENDLY SENTIMENTS.

Warm Admiration for the United States Expressed by Deputies - French Money Put Into the Panama Cabill Is All Lost.

[Copyrighted 1892 by James Gordon Bennett.] VALPARATSO, Chili (viz Galveston, Tex.) Jan. 6. - By Mexican Cable to the New York Herald-Special to THE BEE. |- Naval officials and civilians generally applaud the action of the administration in instructing Minister Pedro Montt at Washington to withdraw the insulting letter of Senor M. A. Matta to him in reply to the references in Secretary Tracy's report and President Harrison's message to the assault upon the seamen of the cruser Baltimore. Matta's circular, which was sent not only to Minister Montt, but to all the Chilian representatives in Europe, was couched all through in an offensive tone. For some reason or other Matta had a grudge to work out against the United States, and he availed himself of this circular to do so. As I cabled you, the document was sent off by him with out having been submitted to President Montt or the other members of the cabinet.

What Masta Said.

In this dispatch Matta declared that Secretary Tracy's report and President Harrison's message were based on information which was erroneous or deliberately incorrect; that there was a want of exactness and frankness in the statements made in Wishington, and that Mr. Egan had purposely communicated to him a note in aggressive and violent language. The dispatch concluded by saying that Matta was as sure of Montt's punctuality as he was the right and propriety of Chili's acts and of the final revolt, in spite of intrigues that descend so low and of threats that come from so high. This was was the spirit in which the entire dispatch was written.

The British minister, Mr. Kennedy, has been ordered by his government to remain in Chill for a month longer, so that he may assist in settling the claims which Great Britain has against the republic for destrucion of British property here at Santiago and quique during the late war.

Jubilating Over the Revolt. Valparaiso, Santiago and fquique are celebrating today the inauguration of the revolt against Balmaceda. The festivities will be continued tomorrow. All business is sus-

pended. Tonight the ships in Valparaiso parbor and the houses of this city will be lluminated. In the Chamber of Deputies today a dieussion took place relative to the abolition of Chilian ministries in Europe on the ground that there were now too many diplomatic representatives in foreign countries, and also with a view to cut down expenses. In the course of the debate Sener Julio Zegara, while advocating the withdrawal of ministers from European and other countries, protested emphatically against degrading or shollshing the United against degrading or abolishing the United States ministry. He said that it would be poor policy to do so now or in the future. It was Chill's desire he added, to continue the most cordial relations with the grand republic of the western hemisphere. The Argentine boundary commission has arrived in Santlago.

NO HOPE FOR THE INVESTORS,

Panama Canal Scheme in France is Too Bead to Think About.

Copyrighted 1802 by James Gordon Bennett. 1 Paris, Jan. 6 .- New York Herald Cable-Special to Tax Bugd-The debate on the Panama question in the Chamber of Deputies, of which I spoke in my cable dispatch vesterday, leaves little hope for investors in tion to the government called on the ministry to use its influence for the formation of a new company, which should continue the work begun by the de Lessens concern. out the government decilned to assume the proposed responsibility.

It was the wish of the petitioners to sethe Credit Foucier and M. Christophie, the governor of that institution, take up the Panama scheme. Since the collapse of M. de Lesseps all the efforts of the Panama liquidation have led to nothing but the concession by the Colombian government of more time for the completing of the canal, This alone is not of much use without money, and no money can be raised without the formation of a new company, under the management of some man who inspires public confidence. The shareholders think they see this savior in M. Christophle. But he statutes of the Credit. Foncier as the now stand do not allow, the institution or its

governor to go into the venture. If the Chamber of Deputies has its way the prosecution of M. de Lesseps and his colleagues, which has been in abeyance for some months, will be pushed on to a conclusion. But the ministry cannot assist in the financial reconstruction of the company which M. de Lesseps has discredited, and as the Credit Foncier's hands are tied, it is hard to see what financial concern could take up the enterprise with any hope of success. The little king of Spain has fallen ill of in-fluenza. His condition is so serious as to cause some uneasiness, for his majesty's chest is far from strong. The malady is making steady progress in Europe and causing grave alarm, especially in Belgium and Italy, where the fatal cases have been nu-JACQUES ST. CERE.

Parisian Sensations.

[Copyrighted 1892 by James Gordon Bennett.] Panis, Jan. 6 .- [New York Heraid Cable Special to THE BEE. |-Guy Maupassant has left Cannes in charge of a nurse and a physician. On his arrival at Paris he will be placed in a private asvlum.

A young feliow named Raulott, nying in the Rue Ginout, Paris, resolved to commit suicide. As he was a bit of a poet, he wrote an announcement of his own death, inviting friends to assemble at the funeral, had this printed on black edged paper and sent it to ill his acquairtances. His funeral took all his acquairtances. His funeral took place today (Wednesday) and those invited

DOCKED THE BALTIMORE. Work Being Poshed in Putting the Cruiser

in Shape for Sea Service. VALLEJO, Cally Jan. 6 .- The cruiser Baltimore arrived at Mare Island navy yard from

San Francisco Late yesterday afternoon. Off South Vallejo she fired a salute of thirteen guns, which was responded to by a seamen's gun salute by the battery on the island. An extra force was put at work and the cruiser was hapled into the dock under the cruiser was hauled into the dock under the electric lights, france buring the gay conflicting rumors have been prevalent, the general coinion being that the apparently pacific turn of affairs in Chili, might entirely alter official plans, square relation to the cruiser's movements. The other views, taken by Admiral Irwin and his subordinates of every class, leaves no doubt that the cruiser Baltimore will be rushen through the dock and sent to see again within a w. ek

the dock and sent to sea again within a week or ten days. Every man of the crew of the Baltimore that could be spared was put to ork this morning cleaning the bottom of Fatalities of the Rail. FARMOUNT, W. Va., Jan. 6 -The Balti-nore & Obio Chicago limited passenger train was derailed near here today. Exp senger Charles Applegate and Baggage Master George Halsam were killed and En-gineer Scham fatally injured. Thirteen pas-sengers were more or less hurt.

Business Tro thies. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 6.-The firm of Lowenthal, Livingston & Co., grain and commission dealers, filed a petition of insof-vency today. Limbilities amount to \$308,000; sets, \$163,000. The largest creditors

the London & San Francisco bank, \$81,000; First National bank of San Francisco, \$20,000; R. Crooke & Co., Liverpool, \$100,000, and several Glasgow and Liverpool ship owners in sums ranging from \$7,000 to \$13,000. I.osses on account of speculation in charters of wheat carrying vessels is the chief cause of the insolvency proceedings.
Cucago, Ili., Jan. 6.—Creditors of Louis

Adler, the insolvent wholesale cloak dealer, today obtained judgments against him in Judge Hutchinson's court amounting to Yorkers who were not secured by the mort-gage given the Bank of Commerce. In none of the cases did Adler make defence.

WANTS MORE MARSHALS.

Latest Official News from the Texas Frontier About Garga. WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 6. - General Schofield has received the following telegram from General Stanley, dated San Antonio,

Tex., January 5: Captain Bourke, at present before the United States district court at Brownsville United States district court at Brownsville, telegraphs:

"On my way here with Leon Gorda, I tried to get information from him as to the people behind this Garza business who were supplying ammunition and war material, but he was at the time under the influence of morphine. He told me some things that may be of value, giving names of persons. Garza left Los Angeles with 271 men; did not wait for all who were to come; probably hurried from the fact that the Texas rangers and Hardle knew for his whereabouts. The day Leon fierda was captured there were still about 20 in the band, but they were beginning to scatter. Garza is said to be very despondent since the troops and rangers have begun to stir him up. Leon Gardla has been turned over to the civil authorities. In this connection my former application for funds from the Department of Justice for the employment of deputy marshals is renewed. shals is renewed.

Followed Diaz's Example, EAGLE Pass, Tex., Jan. 6.-So much has been written of the gravity of the Garza affair and such diverse opinions offered as to the importance that may justly be attached to the matter, that very few who have pursued the daily papers are able to form an intelligent opinion of the situation. President Diaz, the present incumbent attained his present position through precisely the same methods with which Garza now under takes his overthrow. The same piea was put forth by both Diaz and Garza, that the constitution was being vio-lated and the country was in danger of relapsing into dictatorship. Diaz met with that same paltry support at the beginning that Garza has received, and, like Garza, sought an asylum in Texas when pressed by the federal authorities of Mexico. Disz, like Garza, also inaugurated his movement in Matamoras, the hotbed of nearly every Mexican revolution. Both have preclaimed most lofty sentiments of patriotic devotion to the country in pronunciamento. Diaz has aiready achieved fame as a military general and had the confidence of his followers. Garza is an

unknown editor of a flery little country paper and outside of a limited circle of subcripers is an utter stranger to the people whom he now strives to lead into what if successfully inaugurated will be the most bloody of all Mexican revolutions. The dissatisfied element is of three classes, ambitions leaders who have failed to receive a portion of official emoluments and who, under the amended constitution, which permits the re-election of the who, which chief executive for an indefinte number of terms, see no hope for the future under the present state of affairs. These individuals embrace the most dangerous ele of the republic, being educated and in-fluential and at least possessed of enormous vealth. Next are the people of the middle class, who have at all times borne the burof government. The facilities of which railroads have afforded has placed them in possession of facts which the neats of free government vouchsafe to its nhabitants, and they are beginning to grow discontented with their lot. The third and most formidable class of enemies of the administration is the clerical or church party of Mexico. Since the patriot Juarez dissolved the union of church and state and confiscated all ecclesiastical property and devoted the proceeds to the state, the most bitter enmity toward the government has already been exhibited. On divers occasions the elerical party has attempted to override the law and reassert its power, but the iron hand of Diaz has warned them with unmis-takable significance that no such interference would be tolerated in the reforms which Juarez inaugurated. Danger most serious to the Diaz government rests here. Priests have the ear of the poorer people, and to arouse their zeal and enlist them in religious warfare would not be such a difficult Protestant religion and Masonry are both making rapid headway in

Mexico, and noth are regarded as dangerous enemies by the leaders of the clerical party If this faction is behind the Garza movement rouble may be anticipated.

KILLED BY THE SOLDIERS. Account of a Bloody Engagement in the New York, Jan. 6.—The United States and Brazil mail steamship Segurancea, which

arrived this morning from Brazilian ports,

brings news of an epidemic yellow fever that has been raging at Santes for some The Seguranea also brings the first in formation of a bloody encounter between the government troops and the people of Pernam ouce, in which thirty were killed outright and about 100 wounded. On December 17 the government sent a military governor ernambue to replace the former governor of that place. The people regarded this as an act of tyranny and oppression When the military governor appeared surrounded by troops they were pelted with stones and other missiles. The order then came to fire on the people, and at the first volley a dozen citizens fell deac, while a number were wounded. The revolutionists gave way, but quickly prepared to make renewed and desperate resistance. The troops charged upon them and drove them from street to street. Many citizens fell, pierced by havenets or bullets. A pitched battle took piace on one of the plazas, in

trained soldiers were too much for them. IT WILL BENEFIT SETTLERS.

which the citizens fought stubbornly, but the

Senator Kyle Will Amend the Act Admit ting the Sioux Reservation. CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., Jan. 6 .- [Special Felegram to Tas Bes. |-A letter has been received here from Senator Kyle stating that he will use every effort to amend the act under which the Sioux reservation was opened to settlement. The amendment to provide that settlers who take ctaims on the ceded lands can receive title to the same without the payment of \$1.25 per acre, as now required. An amendment of this kind will be appreciated by thousands of settlers on the Stoux lands and would also result in their speedy settlement.

WILL HAVE SAM DUNGAN,

President Krauthoff Makes Some Remark for Nick Young's Benefit. Curcago, Ill., Jan. 6 - Special Telegran to The Bee. | - President L. C. Krauthoff of the Western association, who arrived in the city tonight to attend tomorrow's meeting of the Central league, questions Nick Young' power to assign Fielder Dungan to the Chi cago club, and declares in the most emphatic terms that the player will wear a Kansas City uniform. Dungan was released during the season by Milwaukee to Omaha and played the season out there. At the end of it the Omaha club turned him and Pitcher Stein over to Kansas City, and Dungan was signed, October 10, to play in Kansas City This contract, Mr. Krauthoff states, stand the test of base ball and common Joseph Garneau of Omaha arrived last night to attend the meeting and representa-tives are expected today from St. Paul. Minneapolis, Grand Rapids, Indianapolis Columbus, Milwaukee, Detroit and Toledo The league promises to be a go.

Kilrain Talks of Sutlivan and Slavin BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 6. Jake Kliraln said today of the Portland, Ore., dispatch about Sullivan and Slavin: "I am pleased to see that Sullivan has settled down to business, and that he is ready to make a match with Siavin. I thought that Siavin would get away from this country without a match. That would be a disgrace to American fight ers. John L. Sullivan has proved himself champion so many times that he has only to meet Slavin and be champion stili.

John W. Lyons, a resident of Shenandoah,

Ia., was struck by a Council Bluffs motor car at the Douglas street bridge yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock and quite badly injured. Mr. Lyons was knocked down and austained several bad cuts about the head and face, which were sewed up by Dr. Sumney. After he had received medical attendance the patient was removed to Council Bluffs

WAPELLO'S DAMAGING FIRE.

Valuable Property Burned.

WAPELLO, Ia., Jan. 6 .- [Special Telegram

Phonix Block Totally Destroyed and Othe

to THE BEE |- A destructive fire broke out early this morning in the Phoenix block, the best business block in the town. It started in the building owned by J. S. Andrews, and iong before noon four two-story brick buildings and most of their contents had been de stroyed. The sufferers are S. J. Herrick hardware, loss \$3,000, insurance \$1,500, in the Keosuk Mutual. Larrabee's law office on the second floor was burned out, loss \$2,000, insured for \$1,500 in the Home. The Odd Fellows building was the second to burn, oc-cupied by Ruthenberg Bros., clothing, below. and the lodge rooms above. There was heavy insurance on the stock of clothing. The stock was mostly saved but damaged. The building has \$900 each in the Phonix and Ætna. There was no insurance on the lodge room furniture. Mark Davison's building, which was vacant, is a total loss with no insurance. In Keller & Long's drug store, part of the stock was saved in a damaged condition. The photograph gallery of H. D. Keller, on the second floor, was a total loss with no insurance. Insurance on the drug store was \$1,000 in the Ætna, and \$1,700 in the Phoenix. On the building there was \$2,500 in the Ætna. The building of George Schofield is somewhat damaged and no insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown. The

town is without any adequate means of fighting fire. There is talk already of re-building. The total loss cannot be less than \$30,000. Somewhat Similar to Nebraska's Case.

Mr. PLEASANT, Ia., Jan. 6. - | Special Tele gram to THE BRE.] -A case similar to that of the Boyd-Thayer contest exists in this city. George Van Beck was elected by the republicans of Henry county as sheriff last fall, but it has been discovered that, alhough a resident of America for forty years, a faithful soldier in the late war a iberal taxpayer and respected resident of the county, he is not a citizen of the United States, for the records at Burlington show that when his father took out naturalization papers Van Beck was just 21 years 7 months and 10 days old. Seeing that the evidence could not be discredited Van Beck has now taken out the proper papers and the local courts will decide his eligibility to the office to which he was elected.

It Means Many Votes. FORT DODGE, Is., Jan. 6 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- A novel election contest is in progress in Plymouth county. M. G. Mills, a democrat, who was elected to the state legislature last fall, has resigned, and will go to Florida. Governor Boies called a special election to be held January 11 to elect successor. In view of the close competition between both parties in the house, the election of this new member becomes quite important. The democrats and farmers allice were first in the field and the republicans not far behind. A close can vass is being made and a full vote is looked for.

Tired of Life. OSKALOOSA, Ia., Jan. 6 .- (Special Telegram THE BEE. |- Some time Monday afternoon Orville Ferree, son of Thomas Ferree, living four miles northwest of this city, in Madison township, hung himself in the barn on his father's place. As he did not return at supper time the family investigated and found the body. Orville Ferree was only 17 years old and had always enjoyed the best of health and was apparently contented and happy at home. The motive for the act is a

Help for the Destitute.

CEDAR RAPIDS, In., Jan. 6 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE, |-- In response to the appeal of Governor Boies for aid of the Iowa people for starving Russians, the Fifth district has fully organized with committees in each county. Today the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern road tendered its ser-vices in the conveyance of the offerings free over all its lines.

Made it a Draw Easily.

DAVENPORT, In., Jan. 6 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- Billy O'Brien of Minneapolis and Joe Fisherty of Lowell, Mass., ought six rounds with four ounce gloves at Armory hall tonight, the contest being de-clared a draw by consent. Neither man was badly damaged at the close, although O'Brien

complains of a broken thumb. RECENT ARMY ORDERS.

Changes of Interest Occurring in the Reguular Service Yesterday. Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.- | Special

relegram to THE BES. | -The following army orders were issued today: Leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Captain Jefferson R. Kean, assistant surgeon, September 17, 1891. is extended three months on account of sick ness. The extension of leave of absence on surgeon's certificate of disability granted Lieutenant Colonel John J. Upham, Third cavalry, July 13, 1891, is further extended

two months on surgeon's certificate of disability. The following changes in the stations and duties of officers of corps of engineers are ordered; Major James F. Gregory is relieved from station in this city and will proceed to and take station at Mil-Wis., and relieve Major Charles Davis of the duties under charge: Major Davis on being relieved by Major Gregory, will repair to and take station at Washington, D. C., and relieve Thomas Turtle of the duties lately under charge of Major-Lewis C. Overman; Major Ernest H. Rufner, now stationed at Quincy, Ill., will turn over the duties under his charge temporarily to Major Alexander McKenzie and proceed to and take station at Kenzie and proceed to and take station at Buffaio, N. Y., and relieve Major Amos Stickney of the duties under his enarge; Major Stickney, on being relieved by Major Ruffuer, will proceed to and take station at Cincinnati, O., retieving Major Daniel Lockwood of the duties lately under the charge of Lieutenant Colonel, William E. Merrill, corps of engineers, now deceased.

A is Right. OMARA, Jan. 7. - To the Editor of THE BEE: A says the supreme court of the United States is the highest court we have. B says the United States court of appeals can reverse the decision of the supreme court. Which is right! Please answer.

Steamer Arrivals. At London-Sighted: Bohemia, from New York; Virginia, from Boston. At Boston-Lake Superior and Michigan from Liverpool.

At New York-Freiburg, from Rio Janeiro NEWS OF YESTERDAY.

Evidences of an earthquake are being observed at Rochester. N. Y.

Hathaway, who murdered Alderman Whalen of Chicaro, has been sentenced to three years' imprisonment.

The Catholic congress will meet in Chicago on September 5, 1851, and will be in sess on for ity days. Representativa Catholics will be present from all over the world.

The Jackson browery of San Francisco has been seized for a violation of the revenue laws. It is cla med the brewery has defrauded the government out of at least \$50, 80.

The description of Carl Schmidt, the man who confessed at Deaver to the murder of Mrs. Greenwood, at Napa, Cal., tailies exactly with that given of the murder or hard freenwood, who had also been assaulted.

A man with a revolver held up a coach full of peop c on the Alieghany Valley railroad. The passengers were badly frightened but some of them mustered up courage to attack the fellow, who was soon overgowered and targed over to the Pittsburg, Pa, authorities. the fellow, who was soon overgowered and turned over to the Pittsburg, Pa., authorities,

Earthquake shocks have been feit in differ-Earthquase snocks have been test in different parts of Italy.

The south Ameralian ministry has resigned and a new cabinet has been appointed.

An unknown vessel has been wrecked off the Shetland islands. Wreekage murked "A. L." has noon washed ashore.

was tried and sentenced to the work house

for thirty days.

TROOPS TO ENFORCE THE LAW.

Kansas Outlaws Make it Necessary to Call Out the Militia.

SEWARD COUNTY A DANGEROUS PLACE.

Men Are Not Considered Well Dressed Unless They Wear a Sixshooter-A Conflict Between the Troops and

Outlaws Eminent,

ARKALON, Kan., Jan. 6 .- Forty as determ ined and desperate men as can be found on the border, and armed to the teeth. are parricaded behind the wall of the court house at Springfield. Forty soldiers are determined to dislodge them and bring them to justice. A number of soldiers guarding three of the murderous mob, arrested today, are under orders to shoot them before surrendering them to their companions in crime, who will probably endeavor to release them before the day dawns. More soldiers are still guarding the house of Judge Botkin from the attack of enemies, bent on taking his life. Such is the situation topight at the scene of the atrocious killing of Sheriff Dunn vesterday.

At 2:45 this afternoon Adjutant General Roberts reached here with seventy-five troops under the immediate command of Colonel Ricksecker of Sterling. The company was formed of parts of companies E, of Hutchinson, and H and F, of Sterling, of the Kansas National guards, and met General Roberts at the former place this morning.

The intention of General Roberts is to assist the only constituted authorities in the the execution of the law. He is not here, he says, to take anybody's part on any side. At Mineola word was received that the Woodsdale people had taken possession of the court house at Springfield, and that Judge

Botkin was at Arkalon awaiting reinforcements to help him open court. At Mead it was found that Botkin had asked that town for help chiefly in the way of arms. It will be remembered that his first telegram to the governor was not for troops but for arms. He seems to think that there are men enough here, but that they are not sufficiently equipped for the emergency.

Judge Ellis of Pract, where the family of the dead Sheriff Duon resides, came in on the train with the intention of taking the

Surrounded by Armed Friends

late sheriff's oldest son.

He was accompanied by the

At Arkalon Judge Botkin and his followers were awaiting the arrival of the train, all armed with Winchesters. Judge Botkin himself carried also a big sixshooter in his cartridge belt, and many others were sim-ilarly armed. His vest was unbuttoned to the cutting wind, and not one in the town wore any covering on his hands, in order that the greatest freedom might be pre-served and the quickest action admitted of in case of an emergency,

Botkin's first speech to Adjutant General
Roberts was that he wanted arms. He

would rather have fifty armed and mounted deputies than all the militiamen in Kansas. Today Botkin wired the governor again to send 100 stand of arms. He also wants the troops kept here three weeks and the county placed under martial law. General Roberts has telegraphed the governor for instructions on this point. Charles Orner and a man by the name of

Candt, both af Springfield, were arrested this morning by three deputy sheriffs from here. They were in hiding in a canyon near Judge Botkin's house three miles this side of Springfield. Yesterday afternoon Botkin himself ar-rested Bay Robinson of Fargo Springs on the

streets of Arkaten and placed him under

rate guards to prevent them from talking. To Be Shot If an Attempt at Rescue is Made, Word has been received here that an attempt will be made to rescue the prisoners tonight, upon receipt of which report Botkin ordered that they be shot before surrendered.
About 4 o'clock company H, in charge of Colonel Ricksecker, started for Springfield in bee, if necessary, in serving thirty warrants for arrests. Company E, the regimental band and General Roberts remained here to assist the deputies in guarding the prisoners and to be ready to repel any attack which may be made on Arkalona. Company H took plenty of provisions, and the remaining com pany established quarters in a vacant stora building. Part of company H was dropped

At sundown the judge started from here for his home, accompanied by his big revolver and his Winchester.

at the residence of Judge Bodkin to do guard

How the Trouble Started. Governor Humphrey arrived at the executive office just before noon this morning.
"If there is sufficient power in the state, I propose to have the leaders in this affair arested," he said. "This is about all that can be done. As was shown in the Brennan trial, it is impossible to secure a jury. It has been suggested that should the next legislature disorganize Stevens county and attach It to some other for judicial purposes, such a failure of justice as occurred in the Bronnan

case could not be repeated." remedy for the lawlessness in the southwest.

"The trouble in Seward county, as near as I can ascertain, began with an attempt by Colonel Sam Wood to resist what he claimed was a fraudilent organization of Stevens county, which organization was subsequently legalized by the legislature of the state There seems to be a general misconception of affairs in that county, and the trouble is usu ally attributed to a county seat contest be-tween Woodsdale and Hugoton. No such contest has ever existed. After the troubles resulting from an attempt to prevent the organization of Stevens county, rival propositions for bonding the county in favor of railroads intensified the feeling already started between the different factions of the county, which finally culminated in the murder of Sheriff Cross and others in the neutral strip, and the attempt to bring the alleged perpetrators of that crime to jus-tice in the United States court at Paris, Tex. subsequently personal troubles arising be-tween Judge Botkin, who had been appointed judge of the Thirty-third judicial district at the time of its creation, and Co Wood, who had been identified troubles in Stevens county, had a tendency to spread the hostilities existing in Stevens county over the whole district.

Fauned the Smouldering Embers

"The result of the impeachment trial of Judge Bodkin, which ended in his favor, seems to have fanned the smouldering embers into another flerce flame, which culminated in the assassination of Sam Wood the Brd of June. Subsequent failure to cotain a jury in Stevens county for the trial of Colonel Wood's alleged assassin, by reason of the lack of sufficient people in the county out of which an impartial jury could be obtained still added to the confusion which had existed in Stevens county, and had spread largely over the whole of the Thirty-second judicial district, produced a feelinsecurity among the law abiding portion of the inhabitants of the district and seems to have been taken advantage of by the lawless who see an opportunity to com-mit outrages for which, under the present state of affairs, it is impossible to bring them to the bar of justice. Such a condition of affairs has probably never before existed in any portion of the United States."

WORK OF THE DETECTIVES

Chief Haze's Annual Report Makes a Favorable Showing. Chief Haze of the detective force made his annual report to Chief of Police Seavey yesterday. The condensed report is as follows: Number of arrests in 1891, 716; number of convictions, 443; dismissals, 272; continued cases, 2; cases sent to district court, 87; fugitives from justice, 26; turned over to

United States authorities, 7. The amount of stolen property recovered is reported for the year as \$8,055,06.
A comparison with last year's report shows. that ton more arrests were made, but that the convictions this year exceeded those of 1858, and the department recovered property worth \$900 more than they did best year