## SWINGING STONE AND BROOM

Brawny Caledonians Engaged at St. Paul

WORK DID BY THE RINKS YESTERDAY

in a Great International Bonspial.

National Association of Trotting Horse Breeders Decides to Ostrasize the Pacer -Results of the Horse Ruces Yesterday-Other Sports.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 4. - In the national bonspiel today the third draw in the challenge contest was completed. Games in the Jobbers union contest was also resumed.

Tom Hastings of Minneapolis and A. J. Craig of Fargo, who were in the first draw last night but did not play, had their game this morning. Three of the rinks matched in the second draw for this contest also played off their games. The St. Paul curling club contest will be finished tonight, and it is also probable that the second draws in the Jobbers union competition will be completed. With these events over, playing for eitner Governor Merriam's medal or for the Merz consolation prize will commence

the Merz consolation prize will commence. This morning the games were as follows:

S. S. Hatstone, Winnipeg. 28, vs. W. W. Lorimer, St. Paul, 18; John Wilson, Portage. 15, vs. Alex McCulloch, St. Paul, 19; Mark Fortune, Winnipeg, 14, vs. John McCulloch, St. Paul, 15; F. Patten, Winnipeg, 20, vs. L. E. McKenzie, Winnipeg, 13.

The jobbers union trophy: Tom Hastings, Minneapolis, 20, vs. A. J. Craig, Fargo, 8; H. H. Harvey, St. Paul, 23, vs. Alien Brown, St. Paul, 90; O. W. Robertson, Milwaukee, 24 vs. Dr. McDonald, Brandon, 5; Harry Hunton, Dulutn, 17, vs. J. B. Hill, Chicago, 7.

The result in the third draw in the challenge cup contest leaves two Winnipeg.

challenge cup contest leaves two Winnipog and two St. Paul ranks in the night. This afternoon the game between Hartstone and afternoon the game between Hartstone and Alexander McCulloch and F. L. Patton against John McCulloch will be played. The winners of these events will play off tonight for the first and second prizes. The winner of the St. Paul challenge tankard will be decided by a single game to be played tomorrow the contest having been narrowed down to two teams today.

Still Attracts Interest.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 4.-The Berry combina tion sale of trotting stock, now on the third day, continues to draw big crowds and develops lively bidding. Sixty head sold today for \$32,100. Among the best of which were Buckstone, 4-year-old by Buckeye Wilkes, to S. H. Rickart, East Bridgewater, Pa., \$1,000; Hugh Gay, 4-year-old by On-ward, to J. V. Saffans, Palmyra, Mo., \$1,475; ward, to J. V. Saffans, Palmyra, Mo., \$1,475; Rosalie, the well known Chicago pacer, record 2:4454, for \$730 to E. C. Clark of Eau Claire, Wis.; Bacon, 7-year-old, pacing, record 2:23, to F. J. Berry, Chicago, \$1,000; record 2:23, to F. J. Berry, Chicago, \$1,000; Erma P. 2:25½, by Director, to J. O. Smith, Chicago, \$1,575; Creole, 4-year-old by On-ward, J. P. McCullough, Cedar Falls, Ia., \$925; Hope, 3-year-old by Onward, E. C. Clark, Eau Claire, \$900; Miss Guy, 4-year-old by Guy Wilkes, Budd Doble, Chicago, \$205. Thus far 181 head have been sold for a

total of \$98,465. The sale will be continued Friday and Saturday.

Results at New Orleans. NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 4. - Results todav:

First race, five furlongs: LaPunete won. Billy second, Lady Moore thrid. Time: 1:03. Second race, selling, five furlongs: Annie Moore won, Leia B second, Sophia Haray third Time: 1:03.
Third race, selling, six and one-half fur-longs: Gaylord won. American Lady second, Yankee Boy third. Time: 1:16.
Fourth race, one mile: Warren Leland won. Sunnybrook second. Marie K third. Time: 1:43%.

Going at Guttenberg. GUTTENBERG, N. J., Feb. 4.-The track was in good condition today.

First race, five furlongs: Ivanhoe won. Marty B second, Jay F. Dee third. Time: Second face, one mile: Anophone won, Nar-bonne second, Granite third. Time: 1:33.

Third race, six furion is: Azrael won, Prodi-gal second, Bob Arthur third. Time: 1:224.

Fourth race, five furions: Rancocas won, Fleurette second, Basil Duke third. Time:

Figure 1:03,
Fifth race, mile and a furiong: Sir George won LnGrippe second, Eleve third. No time.
Sixth race, seven furiongs: Bill Barnes won, Longstride second, Corinne third. Time: Will Ostracize the Pacer.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4. -At a meeting of the executive committee of the National Association of Trotting Horse Breeders, held today at the Fifth avenue hotel, it was quanimously decided to establish a new stud book for the registration of high class trotters exclusively. This movement is the sequel to the recent action of the American Register company of Chicago in admitting pacers to the register on an equality with trotters. The sentiment among eastern breeders is almost a unit against the admission of the pacer to the trotting standard. Headquarters will be located in New York with G. C. Gue, now of Desmoines, Ia., as recording secretary. Rules governing the making of records and ad-mission to the stud book were adopted.

Another Fight Fails. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 4.—The Smith Keogh fight, which was to have taken place at the California Athletic club on the 9th inst., has been declared off, as Keogh is ill. Frank Keller of Michigan will meet Smith and has been allowed a week in which to t rain for the match.

Results at Gloucester. GLOUCESTER, N. J., Feb. 4.-Weather cloudy. Track heavy.

First race, six and one-quarter furloags, selling: Wanderer II (the favorite) won, Blue Grass second, Edgar Johnson third.

Blue Grass second. Edgar Johnson third. Time: 1:274.
Second race, three-quarters of a mile, selling, i-year-olds: Klazdon (the favorite) won, Jersey second, Selah third. Time: 1:25.
Third race, one mile, selling: Brown Charlie (the favorite) won, Eblis second, Corticelli (third. Time: 1:38.
Fourth race, seven-eighths of a mile, handicap: Cartoon won. Belisarius (the favorite) second, Piny third. Time: 1:384.
Fifth race, five-eighths of a mile, selling: Penzance won. Censor (the favorite) second, Piligrim third. Time: 1:374.
Sixth race, thirteen-sixteenths of a mile, selling: Edward F won, Sam D (the favorite) second, Carnegie third. Time: 1:314.

Tug of War at Fremont. FREMONT, Neb., Feb. 4 .- (Special to THE BEE. 1-Jack Prince of Omaha is managing a tug of war contest in Fremont this week. The series will close Saturday night and on Monday night the winning team of the Fre-mont tournament will pull the champion Swede team of Omaha. On that occasion a special train will be run from Omaha to this city to bring up the friends of the Swedes. The Fremont contests now stand as foi-

Ireland from America
Denmark from England
Sweden from Germany
America from Germany
Denmark from Ireland
Sweden from England

Tips for Today. Following are the horses whom the knowing ones pin their faith to for the races

GUTTENBERG. Patrick—Vanquisher.
Early Dawn—Urab Cider.
Jay F. Dee—Objection.
Sir George Q.-Brusselia.
Maud P. filly—Forty.
Longstride—Joe Courtney.

Brown Charley—Prince Charming.
Morrisiana—Woodbury.
Crispin—Jack Murray.
Jackstaff—Eblis.
Hawkeye—Red Flm.
Defendant—Austral.

Will Attend the Dedication. PHILADELPHIA. Pa., Feb. 4.-Mr. George W. Childs will attend the dedication ceremonies of "The Childs-Draxel Home for Union Printers" at Colorado Springs, Colo., on May 12, the anniversary of his birth. This will be Mr. Childs' first visit to the far

Charge Fraud. Louisville, Ky., Feb. 4.- A meeting of the depositors and stockholders of the Masonic

Savings bank, which assigned last August, held a meeting last night. They claim that the affairs of the bank are not being so managed as to net them the largest retures on the assets, and may ask that a receiver be appointed in place of the assignee. They named a committee to look after their intereses. Ugly charges are afton and developments of fraud, it is claimed, will be made.

CHEYENNE'S BIG SMELTER.

It Will Be Constructed on the Plan of the Omaha Plant.
CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 4.—[Special to

THE BEE. |-At a mass meeting held in the opera house here this evening the sale of eighty acres of city land at the government price per acre to complete the bonus for the smelter plant was unanimously endorsed and will be formally approved at the city council meeting to be held tomorrow even-ing. The bonus which the city and citizens give foots \$200,000, about one-fifth in money and the balance in real estate at its present market value. This proposition was received from Hen Blanchard, back of whom is a syndicate of castern capitalists. The proposition was to construct here a smelter on the plan of the Grant smelter in Omaha, the plan to cost \$050,000 and employ not less than 450 men ten months in the year.

The specifications for the machinery have

been received here together with the plans of the buildings. The latter will cover nine acres of ground and according to the plans will actually cost over \$500,000 and employ

Under the terms of the agreement the work is to be commenced in ninety days after the signing of the contract at which time the bonus, which is in the meantime to be kept in escrow, will be turned over, bends to the amount of \$300,000) being given as security.

The town is overjoyed tonight because of the successful termination of this scheme upon which several others were contingent, among which are an iron blast furnace and reduction works. Last fall a tine body of fron ore was discovered forty miles north of here on the Cheyene & Northern and de-velopment work is now being vigorously,

It is expected that the force at the Union Pacific shops will be doubled in the spring, and the Burlington, which has been given a free right of way, will be extended north from here to Alliance, and thus bring north-ern Wyoming into direct communication with

Negotiations are about completed for the sale of a body of 50,000 acres of irrigated lands eighty miles north of here. About \$1,000,000 will be expended in making the purchase and in constructing a flour mill, electric plant, beet sugar factories and such like enterprises. It is now evident that Chevens will be one of the most prosperous towns in the entire west for several years to

AMUSEMENTS.

What a blessed relief it is to turn from the lurid vice and hysterical virtue, from the obtrusive paint and rasping rant of the average melodrama to the intellectual delights of "The Struggle of Life" as produced by Mr. Frederick Paulding! The Omaha engage ment began at the Boyd last night, and the production was notable for both dramatic

The play is an old one, but it carries moral, which is developed in an action of sustained interest and abounding in strong climacic situations. Mr. Paulding has toned down the melodramatic exaggeration dressed the play with mountings that are

It is a bit odd that an actor who has achieved Mr. Paulding's distinction in tragic roles should turn to melodrama, but the publie with whom he has been a favorite in legitimate may console itself with nformation that by this excursion into the heroics of common life he is merely pluming his wings for higher flights into tragedy. Mr. Paulding brings to a rather common place role the arts of a consummate actor the expressive play of a mobile face and the magnetic qualities of a vibrant, resonant voice that is as clear as a bell and responsive to the lightest snade of emotion. His char acterization is a finished piece of acting worthy a star of the first magnitude.

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Mr. Paulding is supported by an excellent company and aided by realistic scenery. The action of the play is placed in New York. The second act shows a view of the pay from Battery park on a winter night, and it is an exquisite piece of scenic work. The third act gives a view of the exterior of St. Pacrick's cathedral on Fifth avenue, together with a Vanderbilt residence and the Lan ham hotel. The fourth act has another beau tiful scene and uses a double stage. It copie a section of the East river, showing the ship ping at a dock, and the mouth of a great city sewer, through which the hero escapes from

HAVE NO FAITH IN THE RECEIVER. reditors of the United States Rolling Stock

Company Uneasy, Cutcago, Ill., Feb. 4 .- Henry Crawford, attorney for Orvis Bros. & Co. and other creditors of the United States Rolling Stock company, filed in the United States circuit court today a statement sworn to by himself alleging substantially that Receiver Hegewisch has surrendered a portion of his re-ceivership and that other creditors are getting in on the ground floor and securing judg-ments by unfair means. It is alleged that Mr Hegewisch, has surrendered that part of the company's plant at Urbana to W. C. Lane, who is his alleged successor, and that Mr. Hogewisch has, or is about to surrender to Lane, the New York office and all the assets of the company there. This Crawford claims is in defiance of the orders of the court here. He says that Laughlin and others of certain creditors will, unless restrained by the court secure collusive litiga-tion in other cities, whereby judgments will be confessed in their favor and a large portion of the ussets withdrawn from the pos-

SLASHED WITH A RAZOR.

Cowardly Work of an Italian Brute in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 4.-Antonio Lolla, a Sicilian who arrived here from New Orleans several months ago, and who is said to be a member of the Mafia, made a savage attack with a razor this afternoon on Mrs. Rosa Campagna, the wife of a fruit dealer who had Lolla's brother arrested for assault. Lolla threw the woman to the ground and inflicted a deep gash, encircling the throat, narrowly missing the jugular. He then slashed the woman on the left side of the skuil, cutting away a large part of the flesh. The woman seized the razor and had her fingers partly severed Lolla was arrested.

Will Report Monday. NEW YORK, Feb. 4. - The board of trustees of the New York Life insurance committee met this afternoon to receive the report of the special committee on the report of the state superintendent as to the affairs of the company. Inasmuch as this special commit-tee was not ready to report, the board ad-journed until next Monday. A member of the special committee said after the meeting that he thought the report would be ready

Rev. Mr. Spurgeon's Remains. MENTONE, Feb. 4 .- The services over the remains of Rev. Mr. Spurgeon took place in Scotch church here today, after which the body was taken to London for interment. Great crowds of people were present.

De Witt's Little Early misers; the only pill to cure sick headache and regulate bowels.

A very small pili, but a very good one. De Witt's little Early Risers.

Most complexion powders have a vulgar glare, but Pozzoni's is a true beautifier whose effects are lasting.

No gripping, no nausea, no pain when De-Witt's Little Early Risers are taken. Small pill. Safe pill. Best pill. DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Best little pill ever made. Cure constinution every time. None equal. Use them now.

Gessler's Magic Heada che Wafer cures neadaches in 20 minutes. At all druggists.

Over459,000 Howe scales nave been sol and the demand increasing continually. Bo'r den&Selleck Co. Chicago, Ili. Van Houten's Cocoa-Pure, soluble econ

FROM VESTERDAY'S SECOND EDITION.

## GERMANY'S ARMY SCANDALS

Jacques St. Cere Writes Scathingly Concerning the Effect of the Disclosures.

CRITICISING THE NEW FRENCH TARIFF

Ex-Minister Lockroy Says it is a Mistake and a Step Backward-What Belgian People Demand-Other European News.

[Copyrighted 1877 by James Gordon Bennett.] Pants, Feb. 3.- | New York Herald Cable Special to THE BEE. ]-A sensation has been caused in France and elsewhere by the revelations which Prince Georgs of Saxony has just made regarding the way in which the German officers are in the habit of treating the men whom they command. The ex citement is only natural. The customs denounced in the prince's letters are worthy of savages and could hardly fail to rouse the indignation of a nation like the French, which swears by equality.

Much more curious than the criticism of the French and English would be an attempt of an official of Germany to explain away the outrages in question. It would be hard to excuse the crueity which goes on in the German army, however much one might be in the habit of defending bad causes. Is it admissable that in a country which boasts of being the head of civilization human beings should be treated as the slave grivers of Africa trent their slaves!

Is it conceivable thad in a land which has produced philosophers like Kaut, thinkers like Gothe, poets like Heine, a subaltern should be allowed the right to bully and strike men who differ only from himself in that they have an inch or two less buillion on thei sleevest Is it possible that in Germany, which up

holds universal suffrage and where everyone

is said to have the right to express his opin-

ion on public affairs, citizens and electors should be treated like beasts of burden! Prince George has shown himself to be a man of honor by exposing the abuses he speaks of in his letter, but he has dealt a dreadful blow at the empire and unsettled the foundation of the German military system. Great effects have often small causes. The prince in his letter has pitted humanity

demned Germany. Emperor William has had a serious acci dent. White boar-hunting he fell on his left arm and lay for some time insensible. His physicians have had his arm bandaged and JACQUES ST. CERE. ordered him rest.

against force, and by so doing he has con-

FRANCE'S NEW TARIFF.

Effects of Its Provisions Already Manifest in the Large Cities.

[Copyrighted 1892 by James Gordon Bennett.] PARIS, Feb. 3.—[New York Herald Cable -Special to Tun Ben. |-The Herald's correspondent today had an interview with M. Lockroy, late minister of commerce, on the subject of the new French tariff, who said: "These protectionist tariffs will first oe felt by the people of the large towns. Mutton, for example, has already gone up 30 centimes. This falls hardest on the poor, with whom mutton is the favorite most, consequently the effect of the new tariff will be that the laboring man will have to cut down the amount he eats, which will result in diminshing the amount of labor he can do. Some aloons have increased the price of beer. Others have diminished the size of the glass, pretending only to use the smaller glasses for imported beer. Restaurant keepers have already held a meeting, at which it was decided to augment prices on the ground of the new tariff.

"The government might just as well tax tread, and, by-the-by, it has done so, for there is a tax on wheat flouer; so bread will increase in price. The tariff is also enormously increased on wines. Another very injurious tariff is that on fruit, which will make us lose a fine supply received from hot houses in Jersey and Belgium. Lobsters, craviish and cheese are also taxed, that on cheese being especially hard on the workingman, as Swiss cheese forms an item of his every day consumption. In fact, nearly all the food consumed by the poor man is now

taxed. "The situation now is that the workingman will now find a living and clothes dearer, and that exportation will diminish, because other nations will no longer have advanta-geous commercial conditions for dealings with us. We have already estranged Switzerland, Spain, Belgium. The only poo-ple who will gain by the new tariff are the monopolists, big landed preprietors and rich manufacturers, but all their gain will be at the expense of the poor and middle classes. Three fourths of the farmers of France do not grow enough wheat for their own con-sumption. They will now have to buy what they need at an increased price. I look upon the present tariff as a great disaster to the country and a step backwards, for I consider duty of a democratic republic to for the poor the cheapest possible

mode of living.
"It is your McKinley bill," said M. Lockrov in conclusion, "that has had much to do
with bringing about the new tariff here."

CHILI IS VERY FRIENDLY.

enor Pereira Personally Thanks Minister Egan for Mr. Blaine's Recent Letter, [Copyrighted 1892 by James Gordon Bennett.] VALPARAISO, Chili (via Galveston, Tex.), Feb. 3. - By Mexican Cable to the New York Herald-Special to THE BES. |-Senor Pereira, minister of foreign affairs, called at the United States legation today and person-

ally thanked Mr. Egan for Mr. Blaine's re cent dispatch accepting Chili's reply to the ultimatum on the Baltimore affair as satisfactory. The meeting between the two dipiomats was apparently of the most triendly The offices of Democracia, at Santiago, and

Opposicion, at Valparaeso, have been cleaned out. These two papers are regarded as un-friendly to the present government. The former was attacked by a mob, and short work made of the office. In the case of the latter, it is claimed that some military of ficers who were passing the office were in-sulted from the windows and then assailed with iron bars and pistol shots. They broke into the office, smashed the furniture, pied the type in the forms and otherwise wrecked the office. Both papers, as well as La Republica, whose office was cleaned out yester-day, issued small fly sheets today, protesting against the action of the mobs as a violation

of the liberty of the press.

President Montt, with Captains Goun and Simpson, has gone to Telcahuano to inspect the new docks and to plan forts for the protection of the harbor. Talcahuano is to oe made a naval station. Captain Garin, the late commander of the Imperial under Baimaceda, has arrived here

rom Peru. He was arrested and placed on board the gunboat O'Higgins.
General Valesques is still a prisoner on board the cruiser Errauzuriz.
The cabinet ministers are taking their summer vacation.

Mass for Meissonier. [Copyrighted 1832 by James Gordon Bennett.]
Parits, Feb. 3.—[New York Herald Cable— Special to THE BEE, |- Mass in commemora-

ion of the anniversary of the death of Meissonier was celebrated yesterday (Wednesday) morning at the Madeleine with much pomp. The entire family was present, also Alexander Dumoise, Comte Cartre Detail'e, pupils of the deceased artist, and many celebrities of the artistic and literary world of Paris. world of Paris. Greyin, the well known caricaturist, is re-ported iii. He lives in a little country house at Champaign and is forbidden to do any

Work.
General Schmitz, chief of staff of General
Trochu during the slege of Paris, died yesterday, aged 72 years. He were the graud
cross of the Legion of Honor and had to his

credit forty soren years of service and four-

WATER WORKS LITIGATION.

Creston's Company Accused of Failing CRESTON, a., Fob. 3.—[Special to THE BEE.]—A case which is attracting considerable attention is being tried in the district court of Union county. Last fall the water works plant at Creston was completed at a cost of about \$100,000. P. D. Watson & Co. of Fairfield Ia, were the contractors and secured sippiles for their large number of laborers of different merchants in the city. the amounts aggregating several thousand dollars. When their work was finished the water works failed to pay their bills. P. D. Watson & Co. now sue for \$18,000 while the Water Works company put in a claim for damages aggregating one-nulf that amount. The Water Works company has been garnisheed by local merchants and others for supplies furnished the contractors. All the its hinge upon the result of the one case, Nearly all the tawyers in this city are em ployed in the case besides several attorneys

American Baptists in Session. DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 3.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-At the session of the American Baptist Missionary society today about 300 delegates were present. T. R. Peters, state secretary of the Baptist union of Minnesota, spoke at length upon brotherly love and the query, "Am I My Brother's Keeper!" and was followed by Dr. Tupper of Denver on "Foreign Missions," which he declared were authorized by the Holy Spirit. "The Home Relation of the Church to For-eign Missions" was the subject of a well prepared paper by Rev. I. N. Clark of Kansas, and the discussion of this subject by Kansus, and the discussion of this subject by Alonzo Abernathy, principal of the Osage academy, was a thorough digest of the situ-ation at this time. This afternoon the following subjects were presented: "The Missionary Education of the Church," Rev. A. O. Williams, D.D.; "Auxiliary Agencies," Mrs. S. C. White; "To Save One We Must Save All," Rev. Lemuel Moss, D.D. Adellary Agencies, "Auxiliary Agencies," and Mrs. Save All, "Rev. Lemuel Moss, D.D. Adellary Agencies, "Auxiliary Rev. Lemuel Moss, D.D. Adellary Agencies, "Auxiliary Rev. Co." iresses were made this evening by Rev. C H. Strickland, D.D., Rev. Alonzo Bunker, D.D., and Rev. H. C. Mabie, D.D.

Sioux City Tired of Boodlers, Stoux Ciry, Ia., Feb 3 .- [Special to THE BEE. |-The deplorable condition into which the finances and public morals of the city have fallen is prompting the better classes of all parties to unite in an independent movement with a view to controlling the coming city election. The boilef is universal that there has been elaborate boodling in the city council in connection with contracts for public improvements. Business men have been conferring. The idea is to await the mominations of both political parties and then select a ticket made up of the best men of both party tickets.

Iowa's Columbian Commission. DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 3.- | Special Telegram to Tue BEE |-The Iowa Columbian commission pegan its regular annual meeting here today. Little business has been done, the time being taken up principally with a discussion of the probabilities of the appropriation which will be made by the present assembly. Members of the commission seem assembly. Members of the commission seem to think there will be a good appropriation. A resolution was adopted repudiating the claims of advertising agents who are traversing the state on the alleged authority of the commission. commission.

Iowa Brick Makers Meet, DES MOINES, Ta., Feb. 3.—[Special Telegram to THE BES.] The Iowa Brick, Tile and Orain association met in annual session at the horticulture rooms at the capitol building this morning. J. N. Boling, president, of Stanwood was in the chair, and Secretary A. L. smith of North English was in The forenoon was taken up in listening to There is a fair attendance. The railroad commissioners decided the coal rate case today. They leave the rates as they are, giving their reasons in a lengthy opinion.

Sioux Cirr. la., Feb. 3. Special Telegram to The Bre. The Sioux City & Northern and the Winona & Southwestern are jointly surveying a line across northern Iowa from Osage to Lyon courty. The Northern terminal system in Sioux City will give the new road entrance via the Stoux Winona & Southwestern in Lyor county. Vinton's Social Event.

CEDAR RAPIDS, In., Feb. 3.- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The social event of the season at Vinton is the annual ball of Cedar Vale division No. 1, Order of Railway Telegraphers, being held this evening. Operators from all parts of the country are in attendance.

NEWS FOR THE ARMY.

Complete List of Changes in the Regular Service Yesterday. Washington, D. C., Feb. 3. (Special relegram to THE BEE .- The following ransfers of lieutenants of the Third artiilery for the course of instruction indicated in paragraph 376 of the regulations are announced to take effect April 1, 1892;

First Lieutenant Joseph W. Califf, from light battery G to light battery C; First Lieutenant Charles W. Foster, from light battery F to battery I; First Lieutenant wilbur Loveridge, from battery I to light battery F. Lieutenants Woodward and Loveridge will join the battery to which thoy are transferred on the date specified, and Lieutenants Califf and Foster will then proceed to join their proper batteries. Leave of absence for four days is granted First Lioutenanc Churles S. Hall, Thirteenth infantry, recruiting officer. The superintendent of the recruiting service will cause thirty recruits to be assigned to the Fourth cavelry and forwarded under proper charge to such point or points in the Department of Columbia as command ing general of the department shall desig-First Lieutenant William C. Rafferty

First artillers, will report by letter to the superintendent of the recruiting service, New York City, to conduct recruits for the Fourth cavalry to the Department of Colum-Paragraph 2 of special orders, January 16, 1892, relating to Captain Claron H. Appel and First Lioutenant Julian M. Cabell, as sistant surgeons, is suspended until further orders. Lieutenant Colonel Joseph P. Wright, surgeon, is relieved from duty as atonding surgeon at the military prison, Fort Leavenworth, Kan., and will repair to San Francisco, Cal., and assume the duties of acting assistant medical purveyor, taking charge of the medical purveying depot at that place and relieving Lieuteaant Colonol George M. Sternberg, surgeon, who, upon being thus relieved, will proceed to Gov-ernor's Island, N. Y, and report in person to the commanding process. Department of the East, for duty as attending surgeon and ex-

aminer of recruits in New York City. SEPARATE AND DISTINCT. Difference Between the Alliance and the

People's Party. TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 3.-The official organ of the farmers alliance in this state this week contains a statement, authorized by the executive committee, showing the distinction between the people's party and the alliance. The two organizations are, the committee states, entirely scaparate, the people's party being outside of and independent of the alliance. The statement continues: "now officially declare that there is Neither can an alliance ticket.

Neither can an alliance hold a party political caucus, party primary election or atopt strict party measures as such within the alliance meetings proper without the liability of forfeiting their charter. We have not a shadow of right to use the funds of the treasury for strict party purposes, yet we have a right to advocate any principle or platform adopted by our state or national organizations and to judi-ciously spend money for institutes, encamp-ments, etc., held or legally authorized as a part of the work of our order."

Predicament of a Chinaman. Fango, N. D., Feb. 3.-Lee Tum, the Chinaman who was found illegally in this Country four months ago, was arrested at Grand Forks, but was discharged by Com-missioner Carroll, and was rearrested and brought before Commissioner Spalding at Farge, who ordered him sent to China. Judge

Thomas has reversed this and orders him

sent to Canada. In order to cross the Canadian line \$50 must be paid the Canadian government by somebody. The prisoner has, no money and the marshal will not pay it out of his own pocket. The prisoner will be put in jail and may stay there an indefinite period. He has already been in jail here for four

MAJOR OVERMAN ON TRIAL

Proceedings of the Court-Martial at Cleveland, O. CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 3 .-- The court-martial of Major L. C. Overman of the army engineering corps commenced this morning.

In the afternoon the court began business

n earnest, after its members had been

sworn. Major Overman was arraigned and the specifications were read to him. They were very lengthy, and charged him with appropriating to his own use, on various occasions, certain sums of money. The first charge summed up was for embezzlement and violation of the articles of war. The second charge also contained several specifications and accused the major of making false vouchers and certifying them to be just, thus defrauding the government of different sums of money. In effect, he was said to have bought all sorts of household goods for his own use and to have charged them to the government as supplies of various sorts, the vouchers sent in being traudulent in each case. Among other things he is accused of having placed his private coachman on the pay roll of the department. The total sum alleged to have been em-bezzled is about \$500 in small amounts, but it is claimed by those who were active in bring-ing the charge that the deficiency is greater. Major Overman declined to plead to the rraigument until his counsel had been heard. Judge Sanders then introduced a motion the of the specifications be quashed. Major Overman's counsel is making fight for him, interposing objections on every technicality, and the trial promises to be

QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

Copy. Neb., Jan. 31.—To the Editor of THE BEE: Will you please answer the following questions in THE BEE: I. How many judges of the supreme court there? Has the increase of number at any time had any particular political significance?
A READER OF THE BEE.

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WATERLOO Neb. Feb. 1.—To the Editor of THE BEE: To decide a bet. please answer in your columns this question: First.—What relation to Senator Paddock is Major J. W. Paddock, our county commis-Second.—Is he a democrat or a republican?

Ans .-- I. They are cousins. 2. He claims to be a democrat this year. NEWS OF YESTERDAY.

Domestic.

Kamana City, Mo., complains of a grain blockade, and so does Topeka, Kan. John R tter, cashier of the defunct Glasgow bank, Louisville, Ky., has gone insane. Denver's Chamber, of Commerce at a recent neet ng passed a number of free silver reso-

George Shara, one of Berry Turner's gang of outlaws, near rineville. Va., was killed in a fight with officers.

Richard Gray of Cincinnati shot and killed Srove Gragan of the same city. Gragan, it is claimed, seduced Gray's daughter. A movement for the relief of sufferers by the prevailing famine in Russia will be organ-ized by the New York chamber of commerce.

Adolph Hegeswich, receiver of the United States Rolling Stock company of Chicago, will light the attempts being made to oust him from the receivership.

Italian and Irish employes of the street cleaning department of New York City engaged in a free fight. Two of the Irishmen were cut with stillettoes. gaged in a free fight. To were cut with stillettoes.

The suit against John Hoey, ex-president of the Adams Express company, has been dis-nissed. The suit was prought to recover \$10,000 claimed by Henry C. Sherburne. The rice mill trust has been formed. The deal between the syndicate and Louis'ana mill owners has been consummated. Every one of the rice mills has joined the trust. John Morris of the Louisiana Lottery com-pany has written a letter to the people of that state in which he amounces that his company will not make further efforts to secure a char-

Ency Beliotti, daughter of Colonel George R. Beilotti of Amsterdam, N. Y., committed suicide. She fired four builets into her head and one into her breast. No cause is a nown Twenty express messengers in the employ of

the Adams Express company, have been dis-charged in the past two days. More discharges are to follow. No cause is given for the company's action At Cedar Grove, Tenn. John Parteet shot and killed Frank Langdon. Sheriff Fusett and a posse went to arrest the nurderer and in the fight that ensued the sheriff and Parteet were both killed.

The committee having in charge arrangements for the meeting of the democratic national convention at Chicago will erect a wignar for it to meet in. It will have a senting expacity of 15,000.

A severe shock of earthquake was felt at Portland. Ore. The shock lasted about thirty seconds. No damage was done except the cracking of a few window it is to Other localities in the state experienced light

The steamer Cuvier from Santos and St. Lucia, which has arrived at New York, reports that while in port at Santos six of the crew were sent to the hospital with yellow fever, two of whom died. two of whom died.

Mrs. Barnaby's will, known as the "Worrell will," has been filed for probate in Providence, R. I. Dr. Graves is named in the will as executor. This is the only provision of the will hat will be protested.

The principal business of interest in the proceedings of the New York State Medical society was a report from a special committee on the "Abolition or Non-Abolition of the Death Fenalty." The report takes the ground in favors of abolishing the death penalty. n favor of abolishing the death penalty.

Frank W. Newburg, a colored crook formerly of Detroit, has been sentenced to thirty-six years imprisonment for burgiary. Newburg with two colored pals on December 30 burgiarized the residence of Mrs. Florence Gonzevoort, on North strest, Grand Rapids, Mich.

The steamer Run c. recently arrived at New York, reports passing the Norwegian ship Floridia abandoned at sec. The vessel's sails were set and her rudder lost. She was on a southern course and made considerable way, At the outset of her voyage her officers had trouble with a mutinous crew.

The influenza, which has prevailed at Vi-cams for a long time, is greatly abating. Prince Augustus of Saxony, the heir to the throne, has entered Leipsie in state, accompa-ned by his bride.

A crowd of workmen out of employment piliaged a number of bake shops in Lisbon. Many were arrested. Much property has been destroyed by a gale and ten persons have been seriously injured by failing debris in Madrid.

The exarina of Russia has recovered from the attack of influenza from which she has been suffering for some time past.

A decree of divorce has been granted to Colonel Gatacre by the divorce division of her majesty's high court of justice at London.

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Natives of Dahomey have ravaged the country around Poho and have captured 3,000 shaves. The inhabitants have sought shelter in German territory.

The number of cases of influenza in Berlin is decreasing. In the provinces, at Bresland particularly, however, the disease is spreading and many fresh cases are reported daily. The ecclesiastical agitation against the government of France has been revived. A priest in Bazas preached to a crowded audience a bitter attack upon the government and republican institutions.

The new imperial and Prussian loans, which together amount to 3.0.00,000 marks, will be issued on February 9 at 33 marks 69 pfennig. A syndicate of Berlin bankers has been receivable to the loan. ng sutscriptions to the loan. Queen Victoria has sent a message to the various coast guard stations which sent life hoats to the assistance of the Eider, expressing thanks for the galiantry displayed in rescuing the passengers and crew of the stranded

Steamer.

The British steamer Bedoin, Captain Goldsworth, from New York January II, has arrived at Leth. She reports having experienced terrible weather on the voyage. One sea carried overboard a member of the Bedoin's crew and he was drowned.

Emperor Francis, Joseph of Austria.

Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria is re-luctant to sign the death warrants of Frank and Rosalie Schneider, who were recently con-victed of murdering and robbing eight servant gwis. The death sentence will probably be commuted to imprisonment for life.

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Austrian frontier officials have been instructed to stop all moneyless Russian Jews seeking to go to either Austria or Hungary. No Russian will be allowed to enter Austria or Huncary except those who intend to pass through on their way to America.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, president of the Board of Trade, has delivered a speech at Bristol. Eng. He = ted that the government meant to \_see a work ession of Parliament =conceried for immediate dissolution; but for what reason? The result of the Rossendale election was a serious defeat for the government, but it did not necessarily imply defeat in the general elections.

Indian Troop for Utah. OGDEN, U. T., Feb. 3. - | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- Two car loads of Indian soldiers passed through Ogden today on their

way to Fort Douglas, Salt Lake. They were from the Rosebud agency. White officers had them in charge.

FOR KILLING AN OFFICER.

fore a California Court.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 3.-The trial of "Sam'l of Posen" for the murder of Police Officer Alexander Grant begen before Supe rior Judge Troutt today. The court room was crowded with spectators. District Attorney Barnes opened up the case by stating that about I o'clock on the morning of September 11 Officer Grant was seen to turn into Folsom street from Fifth street. He had a prisoner under arrest, and took the south side of the street. When near the middle of the block there was a scuffle followed by three shots. Officer Grant fell to the sidewalk and the prisoner escaped and ran to Fifth street and turned south. He was fol-lowed by another officer and arrested. Upon his wrists were Officer Grant's nippers. The prisoner answered the description of the man who had done the shooting. District Attor-ney Barnes concluded by saying to the jury: "We shall offer other testinony and show you facts from which we shall expect a ver-

dict of guilty. During the address of Barnes, Curtis sat unmoved and apparently paid very little at-tention to what was being said, but his wife, who sat near him, turned somewhat paler.
Officer Russell was the first witness. After explaining the diagram locating the scene of instructions of the police authorities, he was followed by Officer Jaynes, who testified to the tragedy. The next witness was Augustine Marcoval, an Italian vendor of tamelies. He was considered by the prosecution as one of their most important witnesses. As Marcoval did not understand English well an interpreter was necessary. He tostified as follows: I saw Officer Grant on Sixth street at

en minutes past 12 o'clock on the morning of September 11. Grant was coming along Sixth street with a man. The two men were going along side by side. Officer Grant was outside. As they passed me they were talk-ing. They were not quarreling after they turned the corner. I, of course, lost sight of them and I thought no more of it. There was one other man on the street corner." Marcovai admitted that he had signed a paper at the request of the police, but he was

Dr. R. E. Williams, the police surgeon testified he held an autopsy on Grant's body and described the character of the gunshot wounds which caused Grant's death. Curtis, when shown the pistol with which the killing was done, denied that it was his. He denied all knowledge of the shooting said he had not been drinking. He had some trouble with toughs on Fourth street. The court then adjourned until tomorrow.

onfused as to his knowledge of its contents.

THOUGHT HE HAD DYNAMITE. Consternation Created in Jay Gould's Office

by a Visit from a Crank. NEW YORK, Feb. 3 .- A crank with three satchels entered the Western Unton building today and tried to see Jay Gould. He declared that he had a great plan to unfold to the wizard, and he wanted \$1,500,000 cash and he wanted it today for his plan. His appearance and his manner attracted the attention of the people whom he met, and it was feared that he might have dynamite in one of his satchels. He was finally told that Mr. Gould had gone away and could not be seen for a week and he went away mournfully, after defining his plan to be the building of a new city at Center Grove,

He gave his namo as Ephraim Pine, and his residence as Millville, N. J. The clerks decided that the man was a harmless lunatic, yet they felt relieved when he had gone.

Steamer Arrivals. At London-Sighted: Rhaetia and California, from New York.
At Philadelphia—British Princess, from

Genoa-Werra, from New York. At New York.—Rotterdam, from Amster dam; La Bourgogne, from Havre.

HUNTING TREASURE.

Diving for Lost Bullion in Chinese Waters The Seattle (Wash.) Post says Captain E. Ryan, the government diver, expects to complete arrangements in a few days to go to Yokohama to raise \$2,000,000 th of gold bultion which sank in 265 feet of water in the harbor there some years ago. Captain Ryan will get half of the treasure if he succeeds in rais

Mr. Ryan says the bullion was lost overboard while being transferred from one vessel to another, and that several Japanese divers have attempted to raise it and three or four of them lost their lives in the undertaking, and that a diver on a British man-of-war also jost his life in the attempt. He says that finally the Japanese government has requested its consul at San Francisco to make arrangements with an American diver, and promise half the treasure to anyone who will recover it. Captain Ryan heard of the matter and immediately went to see the Japanese vice consul at Seattle and made a proposition to him, which was forwarded to the consul at San Francisco, and Captain

Ryan expects an answer in a few days. Captain Ryan says that he offered go to Yokohama and raise the pullion for one-half of it, as the Japanese government proposes, but he wants \$500 in eash before starting, the expenses for him and his three attendants paid, and \$100 per day for himself, \$20 per day for his tender, and \$10 per day for each of his pumpers. This he wants as a guar antee that the amount of treasure stated is really lost in not more than forty-five fathoms of water. On recovering the property he will return all the money previously advanced. Speaking of the matter yesterday, Captain Ryan said:

There are no divers to equal the American divers, If that pullion is really there in that depth of water I can recover it, and if I do won't I make things hum in Seattle for a while with a million dollars? I have been down 641 feet near New York, 445 feet in Quebec, and 518 feet at West Superior. the prize at the diving tournament in New York harbor. The greatest depth on record is 803; feet, made by James Colson. But he is now too old and is out of the business. I worked with Colson when I was a boy.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

After considering several dates Madame Patti's managers have fixed on February 20 for the Omaha concert, which will probably be given at the Coliseum.

John M. Tanner of Binir was in the city

yesterday. "Doc." who was for several years a newspaper worker in Omaha, is now successfully managing the Bedal institute at Julius Schlup, the man Detective Haze brought from St. Louis recently on the charge of embezzlement, had a bearing in police court yesterday and the case was dismissed at the request of the county attorney.

Oscar Bell insulted little Mabel Davis on Cuming street Tuesday evening and was given the full extent of the law by Judge Berka yesterday. Bell was fined \$50 and costs and thirty days in the county jail, the first six on bread and water.

The commandery of the Loyal Legion held business meeting last night at the Millard hotel. About thirty members were in attend-ance and about the only matters transacted were the reception of applications for mem bership. After the regular routine of business an informal lunch was served.

Mr. L. A. Torreas has arranged an excellent program for the concert at the Young Men's Christian association on Thursday evening. The entertainment is for the benefit of the association, the proceeds to be used for

some mischance she unset a quantity of t corrosive fluid on her foot. All sorts homely remedies were tried without avail, and at 2 o'clock this morning an Omana physician was telephoned for. During the Actor Curtis Being Tried for His Life Bewhele night the woman suffered indescribable agony, as the acid was slowly consum-, ing her foot.

> CHARGED WITH MURDER. Commencement of a Sensational Trial at

Wilmington, Del. WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 3.-The trial of Walter Blackburn, a young married man, on the charge of having murdered his brotherin-law, Eiward H. Gardiner, aged Syears, began this morning. The case in some re spects is a remarkable one. On October 14 last the boy was missed when night came on. ard it was supposed that he had followed a parade. The next day Blackburn parrated to several persons an alleged dream that he had had during an afternoon nap. He said that he dreamed that his little brother in law was lying dead in a freight car which stood was lying dead in a freight car which stood on a siding at the foot of Fifth street. Blackburn told this story to his wife and others, and then headed a searching party. They went to some empty box cars on the siding, and in one of them was found the boy, dead, with his neck broken. The family was not satisfied, and Blackburn's acrest followed. Some months previous to the death of the boy he was invertigation to the death of the boy he was invertigation to the death of the boy he was inveigled into a freight car which stood on the same siding, where he was brutally treated by aruffian, who was sent to jail for aix months. A jury was secured. Annie, six months. A jury was secured. Annie, Gardiner, mother of the dead boy, detailed the finding of the body. Blackburn handed the body out to the woman who charged him with the boy's death. The prisoner made u reply.

Kicked for Eighty-Four Years. Just how long a mule may outlive his usefulness, if kindly treated, has never been definitely ascertained, for few people appreciate a mule's personal qualities after he has ceased to be able to draw a wagon, and he is not often entertained in idleness, but Mr. Richard Mc larthy of River road, union township, N. J., has just purchased a mule, which certainly is not less than 84 years old, and be says he can run away from some of the fastest horses in Bergen county. White haired men remember trying ineffectually to ride Richard-that is the mule's name—when they were boys. Ho was a venerable animal then, and he has a saw-like back that it was very difficult to sit upon even when his heels were

Richard McMains, who sold Richard the mule, to Mr. McCarthy, says he is more active now than he was half a century ago. He was never an army mule.



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Cured Her Corns.

Last night Mrs. Frank Reynolds of Florence, just before retiring, undertook to bathe a troublesome corn with carboite acid. By