ment against the right of the senate to in-vestigate and Mr. Hawley arguing in support of that right and favor of the proposed in-

Vestigation. Mr. Lodge offered a resolution directing the secretary of state to inform the senate by whose authority the American flag was hauled down from the government building

at Honolulu on April 12 "Let that resolution lie over until tomor-row," said Mr. Gorman, and it went over. An amendment to Mr. Lodge's resolution was offered by Mr. Butler, adding to it the words "and also by whose authority the same was hoisted on said building." Senators Harris and Sherman, who had

been appointed a committee to wait upon the president, reported that they had performed that duty and had been informed by the president that ne had no further communication for the senate at its present session.

# Defended His Official Acts.

Mr. Chandler, rising to a question of per-sonal privilege, said that he had not dis-tinctly understood yesterday whether the senator from Indiana (Mr. Voorbees) had said he "might have heard" or that he "had heard" certain statements concerning his action as secretary of the navy. The Con-gressional Record this morning did not con tain the senator's speech, but he found in the Washington Post the following verbatim report: "I have heard it alleged of the senareport: I have heard it anged of the send tor from New Hampshire very grave and ugly things. I have heard men say that while he was secretary of the may he built three or four ships which made but one trip—to the bottom of the sea. I have heard it alleged that the contractors retired from their work rich, contented and famous-all at the same time

Mr. Chandler said he thought he had kept Mr. Chandler said he thought he had kept pretty good track of the various attacks made on hum from time to time, both per-sonal and official, but that he had never heard of these charges before. The only ships that were built while he was secretary of the navy were the Chicago, the Boston, the Atlanta and the Dolphin, and these the Atlanta and the Doiphin, and these ships (he thought) were very much afloat at this day. When the review would take place in Hampton Roads and in New York harbor those ships would appear as fine ships as existed in the world, of the period of con-struction. The Dolphin would contain the president and his cabinet and many senators and he devoutly hoped that she would not go, as she had never gone, to the bottom of the sea. Contracts for these ships had been made with Mr. John Roach and it could not be to him that the senator alluded, as one who had retired "rich, contented and famous." John Roach had become a failed contractor through the injus-tice of his (Mr. Chandler's) successor as secretary of the navy. His affairs had gone into the hands of assignces and he had due a broken bearted room do analys had good into the names of assigneess and he had died a broken-hearted man. Ale desired to interpose a distinct denial of Mr. Voorhees charzes and deny also any impu-tation that had found its way into the pub-lic prints affecting either his personal or his official conduct.

#### He Did Not Mean Anything.

Mr. Voorhees explained that his remarks were intended as an illustration of the po-sition taken by the senator from New Hamp-shire and other senators on that side. The language which he had used in reference to Mr. Chandler he had heard used by others. and not a very remote period from the present time

Mr, Hansbrough also rose to a question of personal privilege and began by expressing the hope that the senate would not adjourn without giving his colleague (Mr. Roach) the opportunity asked by him vesterday

Mr. Voorbees interrupted and said that the senator from North Dakota was not speaking to a question of personal privilege. The presiding officer (Mr. Faulkner) ruled that the senator from North Dakota had the floor and must be the judge of what he

should say. Mr. Hansbrough thought that the matter was one of personal privilege. It related to his collengue and his state. No political party in the senate had a right to deny the privilege requested by his colleague. He hoped that the senate would not adjourn without giving him the opportunity to clear himself of the charges against him, and he asked unanimous consent to have a vote taken on the resolution. Objection was made by several democratic senators. The senate then proceeded to the con-sideration of executive business.

## Thanked the Vice President.

At 5:25 the doors were reopened and a resolution was offered by Mr. Manderson and agreed to, tendering the thanks of the senate to the vice president for the impartiality and courtesy with which he has pre-sided over the senate during the present ex-

STATE BREEDERS MEETING OMAHA WOS.

Omaha Has a Chance to Secure the Greatest

Racing Event of the Season.

EFFORTS BEING MADE TU NAIL IT DOWN

Peter Jackson Will Point the Way to Little

Eva Next Wednesday Coming of a

Host of Shotgun Experts-Daily

Sporting Events.

The '93 meeting of the Nebraska Associa-

tion of Trotting and Pacing Horse Breeders

will be held August 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, sand

Omaha stands a splendid show of securing

the same. The city offering the greatest

inducements will draw the prize, as it is to

go to that city which makes the highest bid.

There is a general expression among the

horsemen of the state that Omaha, for many

good reasons, is entitled to the plumb, and a

determined effort will be made to that end.

Really this is the most important turf

event that takes place within the state's

clusively to the local breeders, and cannot

help but redound profitably to the city lucky

and enterprising enough to secure it. It has

never failed to assemble together all the

horsemen of the state, and the citizens of

Omaha should allow nothing to interfere

with her success in this regard. This is the

metropolis of the state, and the home of

many wealthy horse owners, there is a mag-

nificent track here, and it would be a dis-

credit to the city to allow the meeting to go

PETER, THE PARSON, AND JOE.

Coming of "the Greatest Uncle Tom's

Cabin" Show Ever Organized.

tralia, and the man who is fairly crying for

nights engagement as Uncle Tom at the Far-

nam Street theater with Stockwell's Uncle

Tom's Cabin company. But Peter, the

Midnight Mars, is not the sole attraction of this combination, for with him

come the peerless Charles E. Davies, known

from world's end to world's end as the

"Parson," his manager, and genial, indomit-

ble Joseph Bartlett Choynski, his sparring

vill execute the role of Haley, the slave

Peter, they say, is nearly as good an actor

s he is a fighter, which is speaking volumes b his credit, and is being greeted by

probably due, however, more to the fact that he is one of the greatest, if not the greatest puglist living, more than it is to any refined histiconic ability he may possess. The whole country

knows that the black antipodean once made a draw with the conqueror of John L. Sulli-

van, and that, too, when he was more fit for

the bed than the prize ring, and this, coupled with the fact that ever since that event he

has been exerting himself to his wits ends to induce Pompadour Jim to try him on once

more and forever prove who is the master

has engendered in all quarters an interest to see him that knows no bounds. Of course it

will be a treat to see Gentleman Peter, for he is a gentleman, maugre his sable skin, in a character ever dear to the American

This is

iammed houses everywhere he goes.

partner, who is just now panting to get :

Peter Jackson, champion puncher of Aus.

be extended them.

mment stock breeders and prominent

limits, as it is a competition confined ex-

High School Boys Beat the State Normal School Team at Football. NEBRASKA CITT, Neb., April 15.- |Special to THE BEL |- A game of football was played here today between the Omaha High school

team and the State normal team of Peru, resuiting in a victory for Omaha. Special trains carried the players and their admirers from both places. Over 300 stadents and teachers accompanied the normal

team, while Prof. Lewis and fifty-five of his pupils went to cheer their champions. Prof. Sheldon of Omaha acted as referee and Lord of Nebraska City as umpire. The

teams were as follows: teams were as follows: Omaha High School. S Witmer. Left End. Mencedoht Left Tackle Hannon Left Guard Osgood Center Rush Vokhardt Right Guard Whipple Right End Sheldon Right End Burdlek Quarter Back John Oury Right Haif Back "IL Oury Left Haif Back." \* Captains. State Normal. Canon Majors Hart Tucker Davenport Baughman \*Moritz Beedel Neal Captains

At 2:45 p. m. the game was called, Omaha having won the toss and taken the ball. By quick work of the right half and fullbacks the ball was pushed through the Peru line and a touch down scored in less than five minutes. H. Oury made a successful goal

The ball was again placed in the center. Moritz gained five yards. The ball was then passed to Neal, who made a brilliant punt to Omaha's forty-yard line, but losing the ball. H. Oury attempted an end run, but was nicely tackled by Davenport. He taen gained lif-teen yards and the ball was pushed to Peru's

The ball again]went to the center and Peru started bravely, but lost all it gained when Nye was badly hurt, having a rib fractured. Ray took his place. By a brilliant run Burdiek scored a touch to any other place. Parties interested will call upon the business men tomorrow and it is hoped every encouragement possible will

Once more Peru took the ball to the center

and started in fine shape with a thirty-yard run by Majors. Here the first half ended, with a score of 14 to 0 in Omaha's favor. In the second half Peru started the ball, and by several swift passes carried it to Omaha's five-yard hne, but here they were another whack at Champion Jim Corbett will which took them to the other end of the reach the city next Wednesday for a three grounds in short order, scoring six more

points for Omaha. Peru started in the center and forced the ll about five yards, when Davenport oke through the line and made the most brilliant play of the game, making a run from center to Omaha's goal without being touched. This was six for Peru, and how the earth shook. Three hundred Normal people and as many more Nebraska City friends cheered until Omaha's big left guard began to shed tears and then the game went

whack at Robert Fitzsimmons' jaw, and both of whom will assist the colored pugilistic Omaha scored the next touch down by adactor in the presentation of Harriet Beecher mirable double weage work in less than five stowe's incomparable creation. The Parson vill do the auctioneer, while Joseph Bartiett minutes.

For the last time Peru took the ball, but soon lost it to J. Onry and by quick and plucky wedge work Omaha forced the ball across the Peru goal line just as the time ex-pired. The score was Omaha, 30; Peru, 6. Prof. Sheldon stid the Peru team was sadly lacking in knowledge of the rules, and in ability to do active team work. Its individual players are better than many of its opponents, but it lost the game by the easy team work of the Omaha boys. Peru was handleapped by the loss of its center, who had his leg broken the day before the game, and by the loss of Nye during the early part of the game.

Much ill-feeling was caused by the unfair-ness of the High school in filling three of its most important places with men who are

Prof. Norton, principal of the Normal school, says that his boys, he is confident, can beat a high school team, and he intends to secure them such a chance soon. The Omaha crowd reached home with flying colors about 9:45 p. m.

# Yesterday's Bacing Results.

heart, but a greater one to see him in gladia-torial togs tackle the doughty Joseph Choynski in their three-round go between the first and second acts. They make a great set to and the audience never fails to enthuse NEW YORK, April 15 .- The following are the results of the races, run at Elizabeth, N. to an incandescent pitch, when the two J., today: plants imix" matters in the finale. That Peter will receive a rousing welcome here

First race, five and a half furlongs: 'Terrifler 9 to 5) won, Walcott (5 to 2) second, Beldemoni 11 to 5) third. Time: 1:12.

# straight flush beats four aces, joker included or not. There is no such thing as five aces, joker or no joker. FRANK CANTON'S ACCUSER

One of the Sequels of the Wyoming Cattlemen's Trouble.

WHY CHARLES BASCH LEFT THE COUNTRY

Rustlers Desired His Testimony to Convict the Alleged Murderer of Tisdale-His Memory Could Not Be Depended Upon.

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BUFFALO, Wyo., April 15 .- [Special to Tun BRE.]-The disappearance of Charles Basch, the Johnson county ranchiman, has been much discussed in the western press, and numerous representatives of that common class of partisans, who having no evidence to take into court, prefer to try their cases in the newspapers, have made it the excuse for a great deal of reckless misstatement of a case that till lately was pending in the distriet court of Uintah county, Wyoming. Now the case is at an end and it is time the public should know the real facts and that an attempt should be made to remove the entirely false impressions sought to be created in advance by the falsehoods and cunning inuendoes scattered broadcast through the country.

to be an immense mountain of flowers. In December, 1891, two men were shot on which will cover a space fully eighty the road between Buffalo and a point about feet square and which rises in the form of a great bell high up in the center of the building. The space under this mass has been secured for the cave and a small army of workmen are sixteen miles south. They had been shot from ambush on different days and at different points on the county road. It was claimed by the opponents of the stockmen and the rustling fraternity that these men were peaceful and law-abiding citizens and innocent of any offense against the stock laws. If this were true it seems strange that now at work constructing its winding cham-bers. There are a series of underground bers. passageways containing seven apariments, the largest of which is 30x40 feet. These rooms, which are of various sizes and shapes, will be covered on the interior with ey at once assumed that both were killed th by the contrivance of the Stockmen's associa-tion. Relations between the stockmen and a great mass of crystals taken from the cave. There are white blue, yellow, pink and other colors of crystals and immense variety of beautiful forms of stalactites and stalactites. the rustlers had been badly strained for a long time, and a previous affair in the fall of the year had brought matters almost to a crisis. Rumors of vigilantes and lynching parties, current on all sides, had stalagmites. Altogether there will be about 200,000 pounds of the stone and every pecu-liar formation of the cavern will be shown. made the rustlers suspicious and nervous and they had been gradually drawing to-gether at various centers in the country for In one corner will be a miniature lake and in another part a small stream, while water will be allowed to trickle down over some of mutual protection and profit. When the news of the death of Tisdale reached them from the city they flocked into the stalactities as in a genuine cave. There will be some flowers and plants which have

Buffalo in a state of great excitement. The Stockmen's association was denounced as the instigator of the murders, and the names of prominent stockmen in town were openly charged in connection with the crime. The latter took proper precautions for their own safety, and awaited developments.

# Did Not Look for the Murderer.

Almost as soon as the tragedy was disovered it was whispered that the perpetrator was in the city, and that no further search need be made for him. As a matter of fact no attempt was made to follow the guilty parties beyond the scene of the tragedy, although subsequent revelations show that this was a serious oversight on

the part of the authorities. Frank Canton was in the city at the time, recovering slowly from a long and severe at-tack of rheumatism, and it was upon him that suspicion had fastened. No man had been more prominent as the bane of cattle thieves and criminals; no one was more justly feared by the lawless element of the Pettigrew did not make the payment, and that when his house burned shortly after he (Lindsay) lost the policy of \$250, which he would have otherwise secured. He sued west. His removal would be a godsend to the stock thieves. Accordingly, the wish in many cases being father to the thought, it was openly charged that Canton was the guilty man, and it was alleged that a near Pettigrew for the \$250 in Moody county in 1886. The defendant took a change of venue neighbor of his had seen and recognized him at the scene of the Tisdale murder. Canton at once called upon some of the leading rusat once called upon some of the leading rus-tlers to prefer a charge against him, in order that he might meet and refute the slander. This, after considerable hesitation, they did, and Canton surrendered to the sheriff and

was held for examination.

# Fall River County Affairs.

it will come up again.

The night preceding the trial a plot to shoot him through the window of the sher-Hor SPHINGS, S. D., April 15.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Yesterday the 6-year-old son of E. D. Tryon, living four iff's room, where he passed the night, was formed, but did not materialize, although the assassin sat up all night trying to screw miles from this city, while playing with a penknife, fell, the blade entering his right the dististing of the light of the distribution of the distributio breast to the depth of two inches. A physi-cian was summoned, but he has no hopes of

ventured to repeat it in court. Some writers wish to convey the impres-sion that Basch went away to avoid giving evidence. This could hardly be the case, because before his flight it was a matter of common knowledge that the prosecuting attorney intended to dismiss the case. Formal written notice was given to Canton's attorney on February 24 that the case would be dismissed and this was before Basch's departure. Basch had noth-ing to fear unless it was a possible indet-

before Basch's departure. Basch had noth-ing to fear unless it was a possible indict-ment for perjury, or the ill-will of those at whose instigation he had declined to perjure himself further. As for the story that Basch was conducted out of the state by way of Douglas, in charge of two officers, this is entirely disproved oy the statement of Howard Roles, who saw him and con-versed with him in Chevenne

versed with him in Cheyenne. There was no eridence for the prosecution, and a perfect detense. This is the true reason why the case was dismissed.

TO ADVERTISE SOUTH DAKOTA.

Peculiar Attraction to Be Prepared at the

World's Fair. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., April 15.-[Special to

THE BEE ]-The executive board of the

South Dakota World's fair commission is

in this city making its final arrangements.

The exhibit from this state is now nearly

complete and it comprises some features

most conspicuous is the reproduction of the

famous Crystal cave in the Black Hills. In

the horticultural hall at Chicago there is

never seen the sunlight and there is a possi

Extended Litigation.

that will attract wide attention. One of the

the child's recovery. The grand jury for Fall River county has

fore the justice and before the coroner, and it is open to question whether he would have NEW QUARTERS IN PROSPECT all day and all night.

# Fighting the O. R. T.

MARSHALLTOWN, In., April 15 .- It was Commercial Club Will Occupy the Board of stated in railroad circles tonight that all the telegraph operators in the employ of the Trade Building. Chicago & Northwestern Railway compan WILL BE AT HOME AFTER MAY 22

# Another Rousing Meeting Held Last Night, at Which Many Plans for Future Development Were Discussed Many New Members.

If there is one thing more than another which characterizes the new Commercial club of this city it is enterprise. Six weeks ago a few of the leading business men of this city, seeing the necessity of greater effort on the part of the citizens in matters concerning the prosperity of the city, got together and resolved upon the forming of a club which would take in not a single class or interest, but all classes and all interests represented in Omaha. It was so broad in its scope, so unlike anything which had ever been attempted, that those very mon themselves hardly realize yet what it means for the city. They organized. They gave two noon lunches and a mass meeting and its members rolled up their sleeves and started out for reinforcements. Today it has practically 500 members enrolled. with a good prospect of as many more within another six weeks. And what is more, a proposition WB5 accepted last evening from the Board of Trade for the renting of the top floor of the Chamber of Commerce building and a determination formed that, if possible, the club should be in possession of its quarters by May 22, the date of the opening in this city of the Manufacturers and Consumers exposi-

Some Important Work.

The meeting last evening was a meeting The meeting last evening was a meeting of the executive committee only, W, A. L. Gubbon presiding, and fifteen of the eighteen members being present, together with a few visitors from other organizations. Its purpose was to consider the proposition submitted by the Board of Traile directors relative to the renting of quarters to the club and to hear the reports of several mem-hers who had subject outsooritions ers who had solicited subscripti The proposition of the Board of Trade is

bility of some fish without eyes. Each room will be fitted with a different kind of crystal hat for the sum of \$1,200 per annum the board will rent to the club the top floor of its rillding. The numerous tenants, while they and all will sparkle with an entrancing variation of glitter. The cavern will be fitted with electric lights throughout and admission will be free. would prefer not to move, express a will impraces to go rather than to stand in the way of the club's plans. So soon as they vacate the numerous partitions will be torn out and new ones put in and the Stoux Falls, S.D., April 15. - Special to THE BER. ]-The coming term of Judge Aikens' rooms fitted up in an artistic manner for club purposes. The restaurant on the first floor will be dispensed with after July court, which will convene here in about two weeks, will consider a law suit which is I. A restaurant will be estab-lished in the rooms of the club where the members and their invited guests destined to rival the famous lowa dog case. It has been before the courts for seven years now, and is by no means settled. The de-fendant in the action is Fred W. Pettigrew, may dine. An additional elevator will also be put into the building and other necessary repairs made. Until these changes are brother of the senator, and he will light the case to the end, and bequeath it to his chilmade the club will have the pri using the Board of Trade privilege of dren, if necessary. It appears that, in 1885, in making a business settlement with E. E. Lindsay, he held back \$5 to cover the pay-This proposition, on motion of A. Tukey, was unanimously adopted, and ment of a premium on a fire insurance policy on Lindsay's house. The latter claims that mmittee appointed to enter into a contracwith the Board of Trade directors and ar-range details. The chairman announced

ight C. H. Tauner of Hastings was in the city that he would name the committee later, as he thought it advisable to appoint persons who were not members of the Board of R. O. Phillips of Lincoln, visited Omaha esterday. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Megeath have re-

## Trade. Ample Support Pledged,

The report of those who had solicited sub-criptions was then read. It showed a total to Turner, and then to Lake county, and then it was taken back to Moody, where it was tried and judgment given to Lindsay. The matter was appealed and reversed and a change of venue taken to Minnehaha, where of fifty-four new members since Wednesday night with a good prospect of at least eighty more from South Omaha.

more from South Omaha. A. P. Tukey stated that at a meeting of the Omaha Real Estate exchange held dur-ing the day, the question of merging the ex-change with the club and becoming a bureau of it, was discussed. The members seemed favorably discosed at first, but later evinced a little opposition to the idea. He thought when they fully under-stood it, they would readily unite. George H. Payne said the chief objection of the exchange was that it did not want to lose its identity.

Gretchen, are making an extended visit at their former home, Lancaster, O. Sheriff Bennett went to Kearney yesterday, taking with him John Diamond, who will become an inmate of the State Industrial school.

Mrs. EarlB. Coc and children from Denver are visiting Mrs. Magenth. Mrs. Coe is quite seriously ill of pneumonia. Mr. Coe

E.E. Soder, Simon

who are members of the Order of Rail way Telegraphers have been notified to sever their connection with that organization sever their connection with that organization or leave the service of the communy. Such an order would affect nearly every operator on the system. The men in this city declare that they will not yield their allegiance to the order. It is not possible tenight to ascer-tain whether or not such an order has been issued, but should it prove true, it may re-sult in a general walk-out of the operators.

Accepts the Presidency of the Reading. PUILADELPHIA, Pa., April 15.-A letter t he Philadelphia & Reading Railroad con pany in which J. S. Harris accepts the residency of the company was given out onight.

# IN A RAD WAY.

#### Affairs Not Altogether Lovely in the Western Passenger Association.

CHICAGO, III., April 15 .- The Western Passenger association is in something of a bad way, and while it is a big thing to say that the association agreement will not be adopted in the end, stranger things than that have happened. The Denver & Ri-Grande today announced flatly that would on no account make a rate to the Mis souri river of less than a one-fare, and the other roads were compelled to give in to the inevitable. This is a body blow to the agreement at the last moment and it will probably have a strong bearing on the final vote for its adoption. The action of the Denver & Rio Grande was based on the assertion that if it cut the rates too slightly. the business could not be obtained. The probability is that the road has made a num probability is that the roat hat will have a ber of excursion contracts that will have a strong bearing on the general run of busi-ness and it is fearful that if it keeps up the fare on the regular trains too high that it will not do any amount of business. The ther transmissouri river roads to a large extent uphold the Denver & Rio Grande in the stand it has taken. The association has also struck a snag on the question of immigration rates, and there is a strong probabil-ity that it will not get together again for ity that it will not get together again for some time and without a great deal of trouble. It had been confidently expected up to today that the association would adjust the difficulties before it and adjourn by the last of this week, but the chances of that are now very slim, though it is possible that some way will be found out of the woods. The meeting of the Western Freight asso-ciation which is to be held in St. Paul on April 19, has been postponed to some indefi-ulte date. The reads today concluded that they would make a urivate arrangement

they would make a private arrangement among themselves and pay the Southern Pacific what it has been domaining on the reduced percentages of the rates, which went into effect the 1st of April. All the roads have come into the agreement. The details of the arrangement of the western roads are not yet definitely arranged, but they will be within a rew days,

# PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

urned from the cast.

prings.

F. D. Palmer of Hastings, is in town. E. M. Collins of Fremoat, is in the city, Mr. C. F. Weller left for New York last

John C. Watson and wife of Nebraska

Miss Hooker has returned to Omahn after

month's stay at the Antlers in Colorado

Misses Ada Gilmore and Anna Shields

went to Kansas City gesterday, where they will visit friends for a fortnight.

Mrs. Charles E. Williamson and baby

City, visited the metropolis yesterday.

traordinary session.

Mr. George made an effort to have \$5,000 set aside out of the contingent fund for the expenses of an investigation by the commit agriculture during the recess. Agood deal of opposition was made to it on the democratic side of the chamber, and finally, as a short way out of that and other pending difficulties, Mr. Cockrell moved that the sen-The vote was taken and the motion was

defeated-yeas, 23; nays, 23 (a tie). Party lines were ignored in this vote, six republicans voting in the affirmative and eleven in the negative, while seventeen democrats voted for it and twelve against it.

A motion to adjourn sine die was then made by Mr. Hill and agreed to without a division. The vice president said, before announcing the result of the vote just taken "I beg to express my earnest appreciation of the uniform courtesy shown me by the members and officers of this body during the session now closing. For the resolution per-sonal to myself, kindly adopted by the sen-ate, I am profoundly grateful. In accord-ance with the vote just taken I now declare this extraordinary session of the senate ad journed without day."

## Every Nomination Confirmed.

The senate held its last executive session this afternoon and every nomination made by the president up to date was confirmed, with the exception of Hudson Lannon, to be with the exception of Hudson Lannon, to be United States marshal for Delaware, which was sent in today. Under the rule a single objection was sufficient to carry the nomina-tion over for a day, and Senator Higgins of Delaware made that objection and insisted. The senate by its action in executive session, also failed to make could be the total to the second also failed to make public the text of the treaty recently negotiated with Russia and hat convention along with the treaty with France remains among the secret archives of the State department and the executive clerk of the senate.

Y. M. I. Notes.

Several of the members of the Omaha branch of the Young Men's institute were present last Thursday at the installation of the officers of the recently organized branch in South Omaha. The boys report an enthusiastic and pleasant time.

C. N. Buel, one of the promising young ion of the institute, has secured a position in the management of the World's fair The Young Men's Institute Reading circle will hold its regular weekly meeting enext Thursday night, and as there will be im-portant business to transact all the mempers are requested to be present.

Invitations are out for the social to be given in the Young Men's Institute nall next Friday night and if preparations indicate success a good time is assured.

Several new members have been enrolled during the last month, and yet there has been no attempt on the part of the society to induce young men to join, which plainly shows what the institute can do on its own

#### Exhibits for the Fair.

CHICAGO, Ill., April 15 .- Exhibits are com ing into the World's fair grounds faster than ever before. There were 600 cars in the yards today. The daily avorage of cars received is over 300. Goods are coming so fast there that the restrictions about wide tires on the wagons that enter the grounds had to be removed. The work of unpacking ex-hibits is being pushed vigorously. That wors cannot be done any too fast, for there are yet but two weeks before the gong will sound and Dreaddart (levaland will for the id and President Cleveland will formally open the fair.

#### Suing an Ex-Postmaster

FERGUS FALLS, N. D., April 15 .- A suit has been begun in the United States district court against ex-Pestmaster Edelbrock of St. Cloud and his bondsmen. H. C. Waite, Mojerns and Frank E. Scarle, to collect \$1,133, which it is claimed is due the govern-ment for stamps sold and not paid for. Mr. Edelbrock was Cleveland's appointce.

# Made an Assignment.

Sr. PAUL, Minn., April 15.-The Columbia Electric works made an assignment today. The liabilities of the concern are said to be about \$30,000 and the assets are nominally comething more than this amount.

STATE SHOOTING TOURNAMENT. Omaha Will Entertain a Throng of Shotgun Artists Next Month.

attend. Of course most of the shooting

and altogether the affair promises to be the

best yet held by this old and time-honored organization. A number of the city's promi

ient business men will contribute an outside

omplete and unqualified success. Among

untiring afforts of ex-Secretary Stouffer and W. H. Harrison, was a splendid success.

During the meeting it is quite probable :

session of the leading sportsmen present will be held to discuss the always interesting

Tommy Has a Pud.

CHICAGO, III., April 13 .- To the Sporting

Editor of THE BEE: I expected to hear from

you about what you thought of my go with

Dawson. Why didn't you come over? But

to get down to business: I can lick that fel-

low at any stage in the game. You know I

am not giving to boasting about who I can

beat, but after a trial like that of last Sat-

urday night I am justified in a little indul-

gence. I tell you I can lick him sure, and

ion't you ever make a mistake on that head

I adopted different tactics, and instead of allowing him to do the rushing I did the most of it myself. I hit him hard in the

neck twice in the first round, that almost got him, and the third time I landed I made

the prettiest knock down you ever saw. In the second round he fought better and

the second round he lought better and thumped me two or three good ones, but in the third I lought him onto the ropes, and then knocked him down again. Of course he is a good one, but I am confident that I can

is a good one, but I am connuent that I can beat him in any kind of a match. But there is little in talk, we are matched, and when the fight comes off you can judge for your-self whether I know when I have a good whether I know when I have a good

thing. Will be in Omaha for a short visit

Crack at Council Bluffs.

of Tun Bre: As the interest in rifle shoot-

ing has been somewhat lax for some time

and as a great many of the experts are

How Much Did You Lose?

OMARA, April 15 .- To the Sporting Editor

TOMMY RYAN.

FRED A. FULLER.

soon.

game and fish protection and propagation.

lubs of the state will send large delegations

Alcalde (4 to 5) second, Airplant (5 to 1) third. 1:21. Fourth race, New Jersey Jockey club handl-ap, one mile: Blitzen (2 to 1) won, Hamilton 7 to 2) second, Badge (10 to 1) third. Time: One of the premier sporting events of the season, so far as Omaha goes, will be the sev

enteenth annual shooting tournament of the 11485, Fifth race, six furlongs: Kirkover (2 to 1) won, Dalsyrian (4 to 5) second, Uncle Sim (20 to 1) third. Time: 1:21. Sixth race, six furlongs: Metuchen (2 to 1) won, Prince George (3 to 5) second, Jack Lov-ell (3 to 1) third. Time: 1:253. Nebraska State Sportsmen's association. which comes off on May 23, 24 and 25. Many of the crack shots of Colorado, Wyoming, Dakota, Kansas, Iowa and Missouri, as well as from the eastern and middle states will

GLOUCESTER, N. J., April 15.-Results: First race, one mile: Monterey (3 to 1) won, eberg (5 to 1) second, Pilny (10 to 1) third

First Face, internet, Pility (10 to 1) third.
Tinne: 1:5645.
Second race, five furlongs: Sweet Alice (7 to 5) won, John McGarrigie (8 to 5) second, Rain Drop (7 to 1) third. Time: 1:09.
Third race, six and a half furlongs: Montague (7 to 1) won, Eolle (2 to 1) second, Stringfellow (2 to 1) third. Time: 1:314.
Fourth race, seven furlongs: Can't Tell (3 to 1) won, Pagan (even) second, Bellarius (2 to 1) won, New Dance (3 to 1) second, Miget (6 to 1) while. Time: 48.
Sixth race, six and a half furlongs: Midget (6 to 1) third. Time: 48.
Sixth race, six and a half furlongs: Larghetta (even) won, Andrew D (10 to 1) second, Jim Clare (5 to 1) third. Time: 1:32.
Sr. Louis, Mo., April 15.-Results at East fund to be hung up as added money, and the local sporting men having the immediate arrangements in hand will spare neither time nor expense in making the tourney a those specially interested are Frank Par-melee of the Collins Gun company, the secretary of the association ; Billy Townsend

of the Frank Cross Gun store; W. E. Nason, the slways enterprising devotee of the gun Sr. Louis, Mo., April 15.-Results at East and trap; John J. Hardin, prominent for years in such matters; W. H. S. Hughes, Jeff Bedford, Stockton Heth, Goodley St. Louis: First race, nine-sixteenths of a mile, sell. Jeff Beaford, Stockton Heth, Goodley Brucker, Frank Cross, Frank Fogg, Fred Blake, G. W. Loomis, Harry Reed, Fred Montgomery, J. A. McDougal, Billy Brewer and scores of other repre-sentative business men. The last tournament was held in Grand Island, and thanks to the until a grant for a Score and Starf.

ing: Outright won, Straight Out second, Soney Robinson third. Time: 1:07. Second race, six furlongs: Youlinden won, Livingston second, Fred Knox third, Time:

Third race, nine-sixteenths of a mile: Mandy Books won, Venture second, Tom Hood third. Fime: 1:01. Fourth race, one mile, handicap: Edgar ohnson won, Acclaim second. Lizze V third. Ine: 1:51.

Fifth race, five-eighths of a mile, owners' handlcap: General Ross won, Cæsar second, Fannie D third. Time: 1:07.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 15.-Results: SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 15.—Results:
 One mile: Revolver won, Garcia second, Little Tough third. Time: 1:34.
 Six furlongs: Flirtation won, Thornhill second, Carmen third. Time: 1:104.
 Match race for \$1,000 a side. four and a half furlongs, between the 2-year-olds Rosalie and Arcola, colts, was won by Rosalie in 55%.
 Mile and three sixteenths: El Reyo won, Hermit second, Almont third. Time: 2:03.
 Five furlongs: Valencia won, Belle Platte second, The Lark third. Time: 1:03.
 Five furlongs: Tigress won, Ida Glenn sec-ond, Stoneman third. Time: 1:02%.
 HawHORXE, Ill., April 15.—Results:

HAWTHORNE, III., April 15 .- Results:

First race, five furlongs: Clio won, Prander econd, Woodford third. Time: 1:06, Second race, six furlongs: Rob Toombs won, emon Blossom second, Longfellow third. Time: 1:195. Third race, one mile: Red Root won, General Caldwell second, First Lap third. Time:

Fourth race, five furlongs: Turk won, Moss Fourth race, five furlongs: Turk won, Moss Forry second, Maggie Lebus third. Time: 1:0554.

нозд. Fifth race, one-half mile: Morgan won, Gale cond, Longbroeck third. Time: 524. Мемрии, Tenn, April 15.—There was a fast track and good sport at Montgomery park today. Results:

park today. Results: First race, six furiongs: Eugenia (15 to 1) won, Tea Set (8 to 1) second, Papet (15 to 1) third, Time: 1:104, Second race, four furiongs: Bedford (2); to 1) won, Katy Did (2 to 1) second, Fox Hound (8 to 5) third. Time: 51. Third race, one and one-sixteenth miles: Torrent (1 to 2) won, Puryear (3 to 1) second, Tenny, Jr., (6 to 1) third. Time: 1:51. Fourth race, seven furions: Wedgefield (2 to 5) won, Miss Patton (4 to 1) second, Join J I (25 to 1) third. Time: 1:321; Fourth race, Mree-quarters of a mile, heats. First heat: Ed Bell (6 to 1) won, Empress Frederick (6 to 5) second, The Judge (9 to 5) third. Time: 1:18. Second heats (5 ta 5) sec-ond, The Judge (9 to 5) third. Time: 1:18. laboring under the halfucination that I am dead and buried since my defeat at the hands of John Petty, some four or five months ago, I indite these few lines to con-vince them that I am very much alive and willing to shoot a match with any man in Council Bluffs for \$25 up, fifty shots a side, said match to take place within sixty days on any grounds mutually agreed upon. This will afford Colone! riof meyer a chance, as I am informed he is willing to shoot me. I will be after bigger game later on.

Movements of Ocean Steamers April 15, At Flushing-Passed - Belgenland, from New York.

At Boston-Arriged - Cephalonia, from Liverpool: British Empire, from London At Havre-Arrived-Normandie. At Brow Head-Passed-Cuffe, from New

Fork

At Scilly-Passed-Paris, from New York. At Baltimore-Arrived-Missouri, from

OMARA, Neb., April 15. To the Sporting Ed-itor of THE BEE: Picase answer in Sunday morning's BEE: What is a royal flush? is any straight flush of any suit a royal flush and does it beat four aces and the joker when it is played for an ace, making five aces? J. Z. MeD. At New York-Arrived-Thingvalla, from Copenhagen; Augusta Victoria, from Ham-burg; Rugia,from Hamburg; La Champagne, from Havre. Ans. (1) A royal flush is ace, king, queen, jack and ten spot. (2) No, but any

Second race, half a mile: Chateau (11 to 5) won, Ellen H (2 to 1) second, Clara A. colt, (20 to 1) third. Time: 54. Third race, six furlongs: Hoey (5 to 2) won, Tisdale's body, and in consequence remarks he had dropped was asked whether he could swear that the horse ridden by the man whom he encountered at the scene of the killing was Canton's norse. He replied that he could not so swear.

## His Memory Was Refreshed.

n a witness at the commo

In the preliminary hearing before the justice of the peace he said in the course of cross-examination: "I know whose horse it was. It was Canton's horse; I was a witness at the coroner's inquest; said then I wouldn't swear positive about the horse; am

willing to so swear now." What was the reason for this change! How had his memory been refreshed? After the discovery of Tisdale's body a searching party went out. With this party Basch was compelled to go, much against his will. When he returned he was ready to swear to the identity of the horse. This was all the evidence tending to con-

next Frank Canton with the affair. The statement in the Cheyenne Leader by a Baf-falo correspondent, that Basch on his way to town mentioned Canton's name to the with ness, Freeman, did not appear in evidence. and the assertion in the same letter that Tisdale the previous night expressed the fear that Canton would kill him, is untrue Freeman, who is credited with this state-ment, swore that Tisdale, while talking on the subject, mentioned no names. The defense was an alibi. Men of the

ighest character and reputation accounted for Canton's movements during every ten minutes of the day on which the tragedy took place. These witnesses were kept in custody till they went on the stand to testify and could not hear each other's evidence They were all rigorously cross-examined and honest man questions the veracity of any of them.

## Rustlers Not Satisfied.

This ample refutation of the charge did not, however, satisfy the rustlers, and the night after his release another plot was ied against his life. The exact which the fatal shot was to be fired was fixed upon, but Canton was a dangerous man to mix up with—a edss meant certain death and the nerve of the intending assassin failed.

Canton remained in Buffalo for several days after this, and no further charge was made against him. When he left for the railroad in company with Fred Hesse, another leading stockman, and Sam Suther land, the three rode out in broad daylight They were followed by a party of rustlers, whose intention was to kill them. Here again the white Souther saved them, and while their pursues were seeking an ambush, the three stockmen, by hard riding, reached the railroad. The disappointed rustlers came back to Buffalo and openly disussed the affair. Then a fresh warrant was sworn out

against Canton, and as he had left the state the governor was asked to make a requisithe governor was asked to make a requisi-tion for his arrest and surrender on a pre-cisely similar charge. It was re-fused as unnecessary, Canton having promised the sheriff to return when wanted, and Canton shortly afterwards came into Wyoming, went before a judge of the district court and gave bonds for his appearance ig the sum of \$30,000. When the application was made it was alleged that additional evidence had been procured. This proved to be false. No ad-This proved to be false. procured. ditional evidence was ever forthcoming. It is true that certain, ingeniously concocted stories were set affort to fix the crime on the accused, but it appears that when they were offered for Basch's approval he de-

clined to support them. Nothing daunted by his refusat, the same stories were industribusly circulated for the benefit of the credulous and vindictive in the ommunity. The latter were assured that Basch was prepared to swear to their truth and many accepted the assurance.

# Then Basch Disappeared.

This took place more than a year ago. In the interval, came the "invasion." Mean-while it is impossible to say what pressure

already returned five indictments against cattle rustlers and one against a party for shooting with intent to kill.

## Floods in North Dakota.

FARGO, N. D., April 15 .- The flood is now within 100 feet of the postoffice and is within six inches of the high water mark of 1882. The ice is still badly jammed and the river rises steadily, though a Wahpeton dispatch at noon said the river had fallen six feet.

# IOWA REPUBLICANS.

#### Many Preparing to Make the Louisville Meeting a Success.

Dgs Mornes, Ia., April 15.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The republicans of Iowa are making preparations for a good representation of the state at the Louisville meeting of the National League of Republican Clubs. A meeting of the executive committee of the state league will be held in Des Momes on Friday. The committee is crowded with applications for appointments to the Louisville meeting, a thing that has not happened before, it generally being a hard matter to fill out delegations. There is nard matter to fill out delegations. There is considerable rivalry for appointments. Three of the delegates at large will probably be Hon. A. B. Cummins of Des Moines. Secre-tary of State McFarland and Congressman Dolliver.

## Not a Total Loss.

SIGUX CITY, Ia., April 15.- Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-State Bank Examiner Miller has given out the following figures on the condition of the broken Northwestern State bank at Sibley: Liabilities, \$167,000 good paper, \$166,000 out of \$175,000 of bills receivable; real estate, \$9,900, leaving a shortage of \$50,000, except \$8,000 which resident shareholders must make up to the bank. Shareholders should make up \$60,000, but most of them are residents of England, and it is not thought they can be reached.

## High School Building Burned.

CRESTON, Ia., April 15.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE |-The High school building, the finest brick structure in the city, caught fire this evening about 9:30 and was completely destroyed. The building was the pride of the city, costing \$3,000. The loss of school books and fixtures will approximate \$5,000. The efforts of the firemen to suppress the flames was without avail and they gave their attention to saving surrounding property.

## No Clew to the Murderers.

DUBUQUE, Ia., April 15 -Search for the murderers of Policeman Firth is still without positive results. Many tramps were arrested at various points and several pris-oners are held here, but as yet nothing has been found to connect them with the crime A bloody revolver was found near the Mi Mil wankee shops. It is believed to be the key to the mystery.

# Result of Bacing on the Streets.

DES MOINES, IA., April 15 - Special Telegram to THE BEE |-William Hopley died this morning from injuries received yesterday afternoon by being run down by a horse driven by Verge Foster, who was engaged in a race on the street with James Windsor Hopley was old, partially deaf and nearly blind and unconsciously stepped in front of the swift moving horse. Both drivers are under arrest.

## Fire Record.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 15 .- The big plant f the Hogan Mantle Manufacturing company was partly destroyed by fire tonight and four persons were injured.

The fire broke out on the third flour of the

main building and originated from a stove The flames spread through the building and barrels of varnish exploded. The end of the the interval, came the "invasion." Mean-while it is impossible to say what pressure had been brought to bear on Basch to in-duce him to father these cutand-dried stories. At all events those who know the man best, were the least sur-prised at his disposarance. His cycsight was notoriously defective; his cridence with regard to the identity of the horse which he claimed to have recognized at a distance of sixty yards, was uliferent bo-

iose its identity. W. A. Page, president of the Manufactur-ers and Consumers association of Nebraska, ers and Consumers association of Nebrasia, and A. J. Vierling, president, and W. S. Wedge, secretary of the Builders and Traders exchange, Charles F. Weller and William E. Clarke made a few remarks commendatory of the efforts made arrived a few days since. Commissioner General Garneau and his secretary, Mr. Mobley, will probably leave for Chicago tonight to make preparations

for beginning the installment of the Ne by the club and expressive of sympathy with its purposes. Dan Farrell thought the club would be of as much benefit to him as braska exhibit. At the Mercer: Charles R. Rosenear, New York; J. B. Wiggerhorn, St. Louis; C. M. Dunn Cincinnati; D. E. Merron, Hartford, Conu; \$250 per month expended in advertising. The freight rate question was discussed at some J. Hazen, Chicago; E. E. Soder, Simo ory, Alliance, Neb; Jim Murphy, Ogden; V length by John S. Knox and A. J. Vier ling, and the necessity for some action on the part of Omaha clearly set forth. The chairman stated that the committee apaction Hord, Central City: C. H. Bartlett, New B. Hord, Central Chy; C. H. Bartielt, New York; D. E. Sickles, Alliance; J. Keeman, C. A. Barley, Le Roy, III; H. P. Johnson, Davenport, Ia; D. R. Stevens, Western; F. H. Gilmore, Tobias; A. Fischer, Chicago; L. Wood, E. D. Elisworth, Cheyenne. season memberships in the club. He wished to that anything which benefited Omaha the

pointed to select a freight commissioner was at work and would in due make a report. George H. Payne said the retailers did not seem to said the retailers did not seem to understand how they were to be benefited SAV must be beneficial to them. Visitors would frequently be entertained several days by the club and during this time would spend many a dollar which would not otherwise spend. He further to say that one member from a single establishment or firm was not enough. Every one interested in Omaha's welfare should join. Several firms had already taken out ten subscriptions. Hay-den Bros. had taken five. Bartlett, Baldridge & Crane had taken one for each member of the firm and the Orchard & Wilhelm company had taken This was the spirit that should be manifested and the spirit which would lead

#### to success. Will Be Ready in a Month.

The question of having the club rooms in readiness by May 22 was taken up by Dan Farrell and other members of the club and handled in a vigorous manner. It was the general sentiment that work should begin at once, and the committees selected to arrange matters with the Board committee of Trade, will leave no stone unturned to ac complish the result. Another meeting will be held 'Tuesday night, at which further

Chairman Gibbon addressed the meet-ing in one of his interesting and myincing talks and expressed his ing

SANTA FE TROUBLES.

Win Their Fight.

at the men's meeting at the Young Men's Christian association Sum lay aftern on at 4 o'clock. Mr. Liwyd, rector of the church of the Good Shepberd, will deliver the address. Services will be hold as usual today in the First Presbyterian church, corner Twenty-

and all are cordially inviced. Walter Schofield, a consumptive, who was ordered sent to St. Joseph's hospital last Sunday by Dr. Somers, was found by Officer received up to 1:30 today, after which none of the old men would be taken back. The company will treat with them as individuals

The friends of Mr. Charles Stevenson, formerly of the Star Union Lumber company, who is about to leave the city, will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at 110 and 112 South Fourteenth street, for the purpose of extending to Mr. Stevenson some personal recogni swearing in twenty-five deputies to protect the newcomers, should any violence be attion of the esteem in which he is held in this city by those who have enjoyed his acquainttempted. The large shops are completely ance.

Hignest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U. S. Gov't Report.



steps will be taken.

confidence in the future of the club, and Chris Hartman thought the members all felt grateful to their worthy chair-man for the interest he had shown and the work he had performed in their behalf.

Wood, E. D. Ellsworth, Cheyenne.
At the Murray; Julian Baker, W. F.
Ruddell, A. Chapman, F. D. Markerald,
New York; Ben Hand, Ben Cohen, New
Orieans; F. W. Martin, C. D. McLaughlin,
New York; H. Kohrback, William Decksers,
William Wolfrum, A. L. Sproule, Chicago;
John J. Dalton, Mankato; H. L. Hall,
John Stewart, E. W. Wilson, Anson
Hutton, C. C. Weeks, M. R. Kavanaugh,
George M. Fletcher and wife, J. Greenberry,
G. B. Flynn, G. C. Osberne, New York;
Frank Haight, F. A. Morrison, H. H. Mourison, H. H. Boule,
Duffee, M. Markas, Chicago; C. H.
Poole, W. A. Caverly, Boston; R. F. Ralston, Rock Island; George C. Carlett, San
Frankisco; F. N. Lathrop, Rochester, N. Y.-y-E, W. Despres, Chicago.

E. W. Despres, Chicago. New Yonk, April 15.—(Special Telegram to Tug Bag.)—Westerners in New York: Omaha, M. Moyer, buyer for M. Moyer & Co., Savoy; L. Urlich, J. K. Lynch, St. Denis; S. A. Hutcheson, Phaza; Dr. M. A. Roy, J. N. Knapp, Westminster.

LOCAL BREFITTES.

Judge Dundy will open court in Norfolk Monday.

Beach camp Modern Woodmen of America will give a musical social at the half in the Paxton block, April 21.

George Custer post Grand Army of the Republic, will hold an old-time campfire at its hall on Fifteenth street, on the evening of the 25th lust.

The second number of the spring series of Young Men's Institute social entertainments will be given next. Tuesday, evening, April

21, at their club rooms, 1409 Dodge street. "Debt" will be the theme to be discussed

Locked-Out Men Confident that They Will LA JUNTA, Colo., April 15 .- Very few of

vesterday. A bulletin was issued this morning by Master Mechanic Conroe, stating that applications for reinstatement would be received up to 1:30 today, after which none

of the old men would be taken back. The left the institution several days ago. up to that hour, and not as an organization. None have yet applied. It is runnored strongly, with a garent foundation, that the company will bring in a carload of men from Denver tanight to take the places of the strikers. No trouble is anticipated, but the sheriff is quietly