GERMAN HISTORY.

Anxiously Awaited. Bentin, Nov. 16. The publication of Blum's work, "The German Empire in Bismarck's Day," is awalted with interest, owing to the certain revelations it is understood it will contain. One of these is the following passage, indicating the origin of the Austro-Hungarian alliance, which, it is reported, was obtained from Prince Bis-

Herr Blum's Coming Work on Past Events

"In 1879 the czar of Russia wrote to beror William of Germany demanding that the German delegates upon the commission determine that the frontier of Novi Bazar conform to the wishes of the Russians. Emperor William, on the advice of Prince Bismarck, refused to comply with the de-mands of the czar, although they were re peated in an increasing menacing tone.

"The Russian emperor at last sent a com-munication, saying that the continuance of peace depended upon the compliance of the German emperor. Prince Bismarck, on re-ceipt of the letter, declared that the expressions therein were contained in an official document. He advised the mobilization of the army against Russia, and urged the emperor to insist that any further correspondence with the Russian government be conducted officially. The emperor dopted the suggestion, but, unknown to Prince Bismarck, he first sent General Manteuffel to visit the czar, and afterward went himself to see the Russian emperor. The German emperor's cordial attitude towards Russia, however, did not serve to relieve the tension between the two countries, the responsibility for which rested mainly upon Prince Cortschakoff. Prince Bismarck at a subsequent date went to Vienna and acquainted Count Andrassy of the interchange of letters between the Russian and German emperors and expressed fears that netotiations for a co-Russian alliance were proceeding if they had not already been concluded. Count Andrassy, after due reflection, replied that the only counterpoise to such an alliance was an alliance between Austria and Germany, Bismark concurred in this belief and the alliance was ultimately brought about, although the sanction of the German and Austrian emperors was not easily obtained."

Cable Firshes.

Count Kainoky had his farewell audience with King Humbert and Queen Margherita and returned to Milan yesterday. The French committee which is agitating the repeal of the McKinley bill met yesterday and elected Henri Pettit, a large manu-facturer, president of the committee.

A dispatch from Eibing says three of the double-screw torpedo boats purchased from the German government by President Peixoto have gone to sea and the two others will be finished before January next.

The ceremony of administering the oath of allegiance to the recruits of the Berlin, Spandau, Charlottenburg and Lichterfelt garrisons took place at 10 clock yesterday afternoon in front of an altar which was orected in the Lustgarten.

Morocco has been received by the Spanish government. It is reported that the sultan of offers further indemnity to Spain and will give further guarantees of the strict preservance of treaty rights.

The radical party of Servia declines to give any further support to the government on the ground that its policy is being directed by ex-king Milan. The radicals want M. Rasics, the new minister to St. Petersburg, as premier. The king opposes this.

The Etoile Belge of Brussels has received dispatches reporting recent fighting in the Congo State. They say Captain Pontier, after capturing Kirundu, pressed the hostile Arabs and crushed them completely. He succeeded in capturing Said Abon Abadi, who was responsible for the assassination and beheading of Emin Pasha. Abadi was condemned to death and shot.

death and shot.

Ormon Azerak, at the head of 300 dervishes, left Dongola recently and attacked Murat Wells on November 10. The Arabs had a friendly post at Murat Wells under Saleh Bey. A desperate fight between the two forces of Ormon Azerak and those of Saleh Bey followed for twenty-four hours. The dervishes were repulsed with a loss of twenty-nine killed and retreated toward Abuhamed. Saleh Boy was killed.

PROTECTIVE TARIFFEERIGUE. It Will Continue Its Work for the Interests

New York, Nov. 16 .- A special meeting of

the board of managers and the regular meeting of the executive committee of the American Protective Tariff league was held this afternoon. Among those present were: President Cornelius N. Bliss, Theodore Justice of Philadelphia, P. C. Cheney of New Hampshire, D. L. Einstein, William Strange, T. M. Ives, E. A. Haetshorn, F. S. Witherbee, Hugh M. Campy and W. F. Wakeman of New York.

The recent appointments of state secretaries for Indiana, Illinois, Colorado Florida, Louisiana, Tennessee and Arkansas

re approved. By resolution the league expressed its high appreciation of the efforts of the friends of protection throughout the country and urged its continuation, especially with view to the congressional campaign of 1894 There was no direct action regarding pend ing legislation in congress, as the league offices its efforts to educational work, but individually, the members present expressed unalterable opposition to changes in the which have been indicated by the

present congress.

The organization will continue its work aggressively.

Perxoto's Little Fleet.

New Your, Nov. 16 .- El Cid or Nietheroy, as the new Brazilian war vessel is now called, was pulled out of Morgan Bros. gocks, at the foot of East Ninth street yesterday, and is now berthed at the Wilson line dock off Joralemon point, Brooklyn. The intention of the Brazilian government

is to use the fast boats Nictheroy and Amerlea and their toracdo boats to block Mello's fleet. They will snell the cruisers wheneve they are able to get near enough without too much danger, and if Meilo tries to retailate. their heels to escape, or try to use the swift torpedo boats to destroy any war vessels sent against them. - Cistom house officials say the ships can

not leave the harbor without clearing prop not leave the harbor without clearing properly. If so, a full list of the officers and crews, together with a manifest of the cargo, must be filed. The coaling of the Nictheroy began at 5 o'clock and will continue night and day. She is to take on the crew off Staten island, where her ammunition will be shipped.

The Herald has the following: From a source which a way be fully regided in Lighterned.

ce which tay be fully relied on Hearned the steamer Boston of the Yarmouth Steamship line of Boston was bought b set being intended for service as a cruiser by the Brazilian government. She brought to New York and fitted out.

Wome , in the Mission Field. NEWARK, N. J., Nov. 16 .- The second day's meeting of the ninth general missionary conference of the Reformed Church in America began at 9 a. m. today in the Clinton Avenue Reformed church in this city. After the devotional exercises the report of women's work for missions was taken up. John S. Bussing of New York

An address on the work of the woman's board was delivered by Miss Louise E. Chambers, while Mrs. E. B. Horton spoke on the work of the women's executive committee. The rest of the morning's waston was occupied in addresses by Rev. E. R. Coe of New York City and Rev. E. P. Johnson of Albany, N. Y. The conference will close this evening.

New York, Nov. 16.—So far as can be learned today there has been no conference of the leaders of the republican national committee as yet. Chairman Brookfield of the republican state committee said this forenoon that he had heard nothing of a conference and that Mr. Manley of Augusta, Me., and Mr. Paine of Milwaukee, both members of the national committee, who had been in this city on a visit, had gone to their homes.

Movements of Ocean Steamers, Nov. 16 Bremerhaven-Arrived-Spree, from New York. At London—Arrived—England, from New

At New York-Arrived-Rotterdam, from Rotterdam—Arrived—Edam, from New

BAD YEAR FOR THE KNIGHTS

Difficulties of the Season as Experienced by Organizations of Labor.

SEASON OF DEPRESSION FOR LABORERS

Trials of the Order Set Forth at Length in the Report of the General Executive Board - Falling Off in

Receipts.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 16 .- The report of the general executive board of the Kirights of Labor was given out for publication this morning. It opens with a review of the year's work and a justification of the board's course as follows:

"The past year has been one of trial to organized labor. When your board has been appealed to and asked for advice in cases of despair, or when reductions of wages have been proposed by employers, they have felt it their duty to counsel cautious and conservative action, even in instances where, in other circumstances, demands for increased wages or the resistance of a proposed reduc-

tion would have been proper and right.
"The steady stream of immigration which, n spite of restrictive legislation, continues of flow to the shores of this continent, makes comparatively easy for employers to fill the place of striking workmen. In addition, labor has had this year to reckon with the fact of a financial panic and an industrial depression. In the case of the panic, it is a question that it would be unprofitable to here discuss. Whether it was occasioned by the operation of the so-called Sherman act, as some asert, to the uncertainty regarding the tariff legislation, as others maintain, or whether t was a part of a deliberately planned conspiracy, having for its object the doubling of the value of the world's funded debts through the contraction of the world's money, which would be an inevitable consequence of the demonstra-tion of silver, as an inecessing number beieved, need not here be discussed.

Reference was made by the secretary-treasurer to the falling off of the per capita tax. This was ascribed not to a falling be-lief in the order's principles, but to sheer inability of members to pay their dues. May Demand a Resignation.

The row in the ranks of the Knights of Labor, which started last night with the filing of the report of Grand Treasurer Hayes, was continued with great bitterness

today and tonight. A. W. Wright of the general board ac-cused Mr. Hayes of having a false system of bookkeeping and intimated very strongly Mr. Hayes had been carried away by his enmity to the general master workman to the extent of deliberately faisifying the ac-counts so as to mislead the delegates. It is understood Mr. Powderly will occupy

the floor of the convention all tomorrow an then the executive board will formally demand Mr. Hayes' resignation. A member of the board said this evening:

"If the charges are dismissed and the counter charges maintained, a general officer, not a member of the general board, will be forced to resign. It is said the outcome of this assembly will be the beginning of the greatest movement for organized labor this country ever saw. Whether Mr. Pow-derly will be the head of the movement or not, it is thought no one man will again pos-sess the power held by him."

IN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION.

The Amalgamated Association Called Together on Very Important Business. PHTSBURG, Nov. 16 .- For the first time in the history of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, an extraordinary session is being held here to consider matters of vital importance to the organization. The attendance of outside delegates is not as large as at the annual convention in June, but this is not due to any defection from the ranks of the union, as whatever breaks have occurred have been from the Pittsburg district. When the convention opened at 10 o'clock, there were 120 delegates in their seats, representing the scale mills. President Garland made a brief address, in which he said the depressed condition of trade and the large number of idle mills was the necessity that called them together. A preliminary organ-ization was then effected and an adjournment was taken for lunch. The convention will consider the reduction of the puddling and the sheet mill scale and the adoption of a perpetual scale similar to the one recently agreed to by the National Finishers union.

NATIONAL REPORM ASSOCIATION.

Closing Session of the Society at Pittsburg Yesterday. PITTSBURG, Nov. 16.—There was a large attendance at the closing session of the National Reform association here today and much interest and enthusiasm was evinced. The tiquor traffic, in all its ramifications and various bearings, occupied the attention of the delegates in the morning. Earnest appeals for its prohibition were made and the government severely secred for the part is has taken in the traffic. The extempor-aneous discussion of the problem was one of the interesting features of the exercises. Rev. Dr. A. H. Lowis of Plainfield, N. J.,

who had been sent to the convention as a delegate from the American Tract society, but who, on account of his views on the Sur day question, was refused recognition as a delegate, was allowed a five-minute speech just before adjournment at noon. He af-firmed his belief that the church was responsible for the present disregard for the bservance of Sunday, because it was illogi-

Concerning the labor problem, Rev. W. C. Wycklie of Wilkesbarre, Pa., said workmen have themselves only, in many cases, to plame if they do not save their earnings and

Rev. D. J. Robinson of Alleghany said a nan could not be expected to take in religion on an empty stomach. The only way to on an empty stomach. reach souls was through the digestive organ Rev. Dr. Asbury, presiding elder of the Pittsburg district, African Methodist Episcopal church, treated the race problem in a novel manner. He did not maintain that all his people were good, but said the had to a great extent, been taught their vices by the white people.

Rev. W. F. Crafts presented a memorial from the National Christian Temperance

union asking the Reform association to unite with other religious bodies in the cele-bration of the 1903th anniversary of the birth of Christ, which was referred.

In the afternoon a large number of the theological students listened to a lengthy discussion on the resolutions, during which a pretty full exposition of the fundamental principles of the national reform movement was brought out. The resolutions were then

Anthony Comstock of New York was the rincipal speaker in the evening, his subject

READY TO R : PORT.

ederal Grand Jury Completes Its Inquiry Into the Mosher Scandat.
The federal grand jury completed its inquiry into the Mosher scaudal case yesterday afternoon and will make its report at

the opening of court this morning. Preparatory to his appearing before the grand jury Mosher shaved off clean and had his hair cut close to the scalp. He was a witness before the jury two days and yester-day afternoon raised the question himself whether he was entitled to fees the same as other witnesses. It was decided that he was, and he thought it a good joke that he was loget \$3 for it. He chatted very pleasantly about going to the penitentiary and romarked with considerable satisfaction that if he got "good time" he would be released from prison three years and nine months after sentence was imposed.

endorsed the bill prepared for submission to congress, which provides for reclassification of clerks, increase of salaries and a national fund for disabled clerks.

ELECTRICITY ON CANAL BOATS. Extensive Preparations for Experiments on the Erie Canal.

New York, Nov. 16 .- The program for the

official test of the efficiency of electricity in the propulsion of canal boats upon the Erie canal, which is to be made by Superintendent Hannan of the state public works de-partment, was made public here yesterday. The inspecting party will consist of Governor Flower, the superintendent of public works, the state engineer, the surveyor general and several other state officers, including the comptroller and the superintendents of public works of the states of Ohio, Pennsylvania, and the superintendents of public works of the states of Ohio, Pennsylvania, and the states of Ohio, Penns sylvania and New Jersey. Besides these there will be present executive officers of the Cataract Construction company, the Niagara Power company, the Cataract Gen-eral Electric company and the Westinghouse Electric company and representatives of the banking houses of Drexel, Morgan & Co., Brown Bros., Winslow, Lanier & Co., Ver-milye & Co. and L. Van Hoffman & Co., also

the celebrated electrician, Nicola Tesla. The New York party will leave the Grand Central depot in special cars at 9:15 Friday night and be joined at Albany by the gubernatorial party in a private car. They will arrive at Pittsford, where the test is to be made, at 10 o'clock the following morning. After the official test the inspecting party will be entertained at dinner by F. W. Hawley, vice president of the Cataract General Electric company, at his summer home. A special train will carry them to Niagara Falls, where an inspection of the great hydraulic tunnel and wheel pits, just completed at a cost of \$5,000,000, and the electrical subways will be made.

This will be the first application of elec-

trical power to the propulsion of commer-cial vessels, electricity having been used heretofore only on pleasure boats.

The method of application is by means of rolley wires suspended upon either side of the waterway. There are both positive and negative wires suspended from the span wires attached to a pole line. The current is applied to the motor in the stern of the boats by means of flexible wires attached to overhead travelers which move on the upper side of the troiley. The flexible wire is placed upon an automatic reel upon the deck of the boat and by the paying out therefrom the lateral motion of the boat is provided for. The motor is at-tached directly to the propellor shaft. The equipment is furnished by the Westinghouse

THOSE SIBERIAN RELUGEES.

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ompany and will be subjected to a pre-

Strong Efforts Will Be Made to Secure Their Release from Custody. CHICAGO, Nov. 16 .- Prof. J. A. Hourwich, instructor in the department of political economy at the University of Chicago, will depart tomorrow for San Francisco, where he will interpose in behalf of the ten Siberian

refugees who arrived in this country November 10, and are now held in custody by the United States authorities, pending a settlement between this government and Russia. Prof. Hourwich, who is a lawyer, and At-torney Darrow of this city, have been retained as counsel for the refugees by the Society of Americans for Russian Freedom. Mr. Hourwich is a Russian thoroughly familiar with all the intrigues of the Russian government, and is confident be will be able to secure the release of the refugees. He

"Of course the Russian government will claim that these men are all criminal refugees. In case this claim is substantiated, the refugees will be sent back to Siberia in accordance with an extradition treaty existing between this government and Russia, but we, on the other hand, expect to prove that they are merely political ref-ugees, in which case they will be released by the United States and may become Amoriean citizens."

"How can you show that they are political refugees?" "It has been only three years since I was in Siberia myself, and I have in my posses-sion a list of 500 names of political refugees. Should the names of these ten men now here appear in this list the case will be settled as the 500 names have all been authenticated. In event of their names not appear-ing on the list, I feel confident that I will be able to find Russians in this country who tify to the fact that they were political prisoners. At any rate, I think I shall be able to get them released at once on a writ of habeas corpus. We have the sympathy, as far as I can learn, of every Russian in England and America.

TRÂN WHECKER CONFESSES.

Alf Reynolds Tells How a Santa Fe Express Train Was Ditched.

Lyndon, Kan., Nov. 16 .- Fred Tucker, 18 years old, youngest member of the gang charged with wrecking an eastbound Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe passenger train near Barclay, Osage county, about 3 o'clock on the morning of September 21, 1892, which resulted in the death of Engineer Edward Maher and three others, and the injury of thirty people, is on trial in the dis trict court of Osage county for murder. The gang was composed of Fred Tucker

Steve and Charley Webb and Alf Reynolds. The Webb boys are in juil awaiting trial, and Reynolds has turned state's evidence. He testified today that Steve Webb was the leader of the gang. Webb asked him to go into the scheme to wreck and rob the train. He consented, but weakened on the night of

the robbery.

Webb pulled a revolver and said if he backed out he would kill him. Going to the foot of a curve two miles east of Barclay they removed the spikes and fish plates from the lefthand rail, moved the west end of the rail four inches toward the center of the track and spiked it down. They then hid in a plum patch and waited for the train to come. The wreck was so terrible that the gang fled in dismay cross-examination Reynolds said his that the railroad had promised to shield him from prosecution.

The detense will endeavor to prove an alibi

and that Reynolds' story was manufactured to keep the public from finding out that a defective track caused the disaster.

PLATE GLASS TRUST ENDED.

Was Organized for One Year and That Time Has Now Expired.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 16. - The National Plate Glass association has gone to pieces. Secretary D. E. Wheeler gave out the following to the Associated press this afternoon "The plate glass association met in Pitts

burg to lay and held its last meeting. The association was formed for one year and the time for which it was formed having expired, owing to the financial situation of the country and the light demand for plate glass and foreign competition the manufacturers de cided not to continue the association longer Therefore, its headquarters in Pittsburg will be closed on and after this date and was one of the strongest trusts in the country. Lately small outside concerns have been cutting and this, it is said, had something to do with the disruption.

Chicago, Nov. 16 .- Several large judgmeats have been entered in a Chicago court against Frank E. Tylor of Kansas City, the big packer doing business as Benjamin McLean & Co., who failed about six months ago for \$300,000. The Metropolitan National bank of Kansas Clty secured two judgments of \$24,900 and \$15,600 on promissory notes. Another Kausas Clty firm secured a judg-ment of \$7,532.11. The judgments all weat by default and were brought here to get in possession of \$10,000 worth of property in this city belonging to the insolvent firm.

Cutting Off Kausas Train Service. KANSAS CITY, Nov. 16.—The Missouri Pa cific Railroad company recently took off the passenger train running between Topeka and Fort Scott and substituted a mixed train. The Kansas railroad commissioners have ordered the train restored Endorsed by Postal Clerks.

Kansas Crit, Nov. 16.—Division No. 7 of the National Association of Raliway Postal Clerks, embracing Missouri. Kansas Colorado, New Mexico, Okiahoma and the Indian Territory, met in this city today and

WARNING FROM THE SOUTH

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he was not engaged in any real estate operations with the president, and he did not know of any Mperson who was, and, further, that there was nothing in the story. Persons in a position to know confirm the report sent out by the Associated press last evening that one object of his visit was to consult with friends and also to look after some private matters.

Cleveland's Heavy Loss.

After an immense amount of mysterior ness and the circulation of all sorts of re ports about the object of the trip of Presi dent Cieveland to New York yesterday it was stated today that he went on "private business," and that the business had made him a large loss financially. It is reported that the president lost something like \$100,-000 by the failure of Thurber & Co., the New

She Was Victoria's Niece. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- One of the early callers at the white house this morning was the woman who called yesterday and claimed relationship of Queen Victoria. She is a thin, spare woman with black eyes and hair, about 35 or 40 years old. She said she must see the president to transact business she had with him which she could tell no other

"I am a niece of Queen Victoria," she said "but I dislike to say anything about it and will not unless I am compelled to." After being informed that she could not see the president she went away saying she would call again.

Still Further Depteted. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- The treasury's available cash balance was still further de pleted today to the extent of \$700,000. The oss was, however, entirely in the currency balance, which was reduced over \$1,000,000. and the net gold reserve increased \$500,000 today. The net balance stands at \$97,388,595, of which \$85,490,891 is the gold reserve. The receipts this month have been \$14,540, 000, and the expenditures \$19,365,000. This makes the total deficits of this fiscal year \$29,000,000, the proportional loss this month being much greater than for the preceding four months.

Comptroller Eczeis' Comin ; Report. Washington, Nov. 16 .- Mr. Eckels, comptroller of the currency, expects to have his report finished by the end of the week. It is understood he will recommend a system by which the national bank cur-rency may take the place of all others, the purpose being to allow the national banks to deposit in addition to pends, gold and silver and treasury notes and certificates, and to issue bank notes to the par value of all deposits in the treasury.

Bonds Held by Foreigners. Washington, Nov. 16 .- The annual re port of J. Fount Tillman, the register of the treasury, shows that in October, 1892, the value of registered bonds which were supposed to be held by persons of foreign nationality amounted to about \$18,800,000, of which only \$4,830,300 appeared upon the foreign ledgers. It is evident, says the report, that a large portion of the registered bonds owned abroad are controlled by agents re-siding in this country.

Turned Them Loose. WASHINGTON, Nog. 16,-In reply to a tele gram from the United States marshal for the Southern district of California, asking whether he should discharge the Chinese held by him for deportation, Solicitor General Maxwell, who is acting attorney general Maxwell, who is being attorney gen-eral, authorized the release of the men, ex-cept those who have been convicted of fel-ony. The marshal for the Northern district has already released those held by him.

Treasury Gold at Lowest Ebb. Washington, Nov. 18.1 The excess of the government expenditures over receipts has reduced the available balance in the treasury to a point lower than it has ever been in the recollection of the treasury officials. It the recollection of the treasury officials. It is now \$08,088,974, of which \$34,994,476 is the

Have Not Heard from Minister Young. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- The State department has received no reply from Minister Young of Guatemala regarding the dispatch arrest of Menage, the Minneapolis defaulter.

IDLE RUMORS.

Startling Reports Concerning the Bank of England Untrue. NEW YORK, Nov. 16. - The report cabled from London regarding alarming rumors

affecting the Bank of England were not credited in Wall street today. The large houses with European connections received early advices that the rumors were unfounded. Mr. Walter Wilson, agent of the Bank of Montreal, said: "The story doubt-less has risen out of the recent retirement of Cashier May, with the details of which every one is familiar. There is nothing more At Baring, Magoun & Co. no confirmation

had been received and the same reason was assigned for the rumor. The British Bank of North America also declared that there was no cause for alarm here. LONDON, Nov. 16 .- The Bank of England officials continue to maintain silence regard-

ing the rumors in circulation as to financiering upon its part. It is stated on good authority, however, that the bank's connection with bad financiering is pract cally limited to its transaction in the South American and Mexican company, which has been ventilated in the courts, and the facthat there have been irregularities in ad vances. These irregularities are apparently confined to allowing favored customers to substitute less desirable securities for those upon which money was originally loaned

IN THE IRON TRADE.

Good Effects of the Recent Elections Being Felt in a Quiet Way. CLEVELAND, Nov. 16 .- The Iron Trade Re-

view this week says: Deeper cuts in steel rails than have been known in the quiet shading of the two months previous, continued complications in Valley wage negotia-tions, and the probability that western steel mills will close down unless a 10 per cent re duction is granted by the Amaigamate association are the features of the week in iron and steel. The better feeling noted week are, based on the bellef that the elections insure a hedging from radical anti tariff plans, continues to make itself felt Only a sentimental betterment has resulted some authorities say. In other quarter transactions are cited as a direct result o increased confidence given to buyer and their belief that the improvement would continue until it affected prices. The bulk of buying, however, in raw iron and steel seems based on the opinion that no appreciable stiffening of prices is to be looked for until the opening of the year at least.

ONE KILLED AND EIGHT HURT.

Result of a Wreck on the Central Road at Lafayette, Aia. BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 16. -At Lafayette Ala., last night a northbound passenger train on the Central railroad was derailed just inside of the corporation limits. The smoking car caught are and was destroyed Loss Driver, colored, was burned to death before he could be gotten out. The following people were injurgative JUDGE J. R. Downstat, of Lafayette, fa-

tally.
J. F. MITCHELL of Five Points.
E. J. MITCHELL of Five Points.
MRS. ROBERTS and LITTLE CHILD of Cali-Lowe of Stroud J. H. Lowe of Stroud.
W. C. HUNTER of Chambers county.
B. P. WEATHERS of ROSHOR.

Practical Social. At a social gathering of the members and congregation of the First Baptist church ast evening to consider its financial condition a most successful program was consummated. Miss Louise Holtors rendered a piana solo, which was highly appreciated. hanna solo, which was bignly appreciated.
After a few remarks by the pastor, Dr. Hellings, the treasurer of the church stated
that the church would need \$1,000 to meet
all obligations to the end of the fiscal year,
February 1, 1804. All present heartily responded and the full amount was raised in a
short time. After singing the doxology the gentlemen

ments. Every one went home delighted with the successful outlook for the termination of this year of general hard times.

ENLISTING AMERICANS.

Rebel Lopez in El Paso Securing Soldiers for His War Against Diaz. DENVER, Nov. 16 .- A special from El Paso Pex., to the News says: It is quite posi-

tively known that three of the leaders of the

troubles at Ascension and Las Palmas,

headed by one Lopez, were in El Paso this morning to secure arms and recruits. The presence here of Lopez, the leader of the organizers, has created no little amount of uneasiness among the federal officers of Juarez and the City of Mexico, as is evi-denced by the fact that President Diaz has telegraphed the military authorities at the former city to show no mercy to any of the revolutionists captured, but to shoot them once and without ceremony. Lopez is no in El Paso at present, but he accomplished

company of 100 soldiers.

Where he so mysteriously disappeared to no one knows, and his sudden sinking out of sight is puzzling to the spies sent here to follow and watch his movements.

Last night a special train left. Chihuahua

much while here. He offered positions of military rank without any regard to nation-

ality to any and all men who would organize

with, six troops of cavairy and four com-panies of infantry. The former disembarked at San Jose and struck out this morning for the west, presumably for Corralitos, while the infantry came through to Jaurez to guard the custom house. The cav-alry troops will be joined by other federal forces from Casa Grande and will try to hold Corralitos against the rebels. who, it is said, however, now have posses sion of that point. It is known that the troops from Casa Grande and the revolutionists, who took Ascension and Las Palmas, have met in battle, but the results have not been heard. The sympathizers with the rebel forces are satisfied that the rebels are worsted, in which case they claim that Corralitos is now in the hands of rebels and that the six troops of cavairy dispatched from Chinushua will avai nothing, as the captors have had their num pers doubled at Corralitos, each recruit being well armed and fully equipped.

CLEW TO R JOKERY ROBBERS.

Chicago Police Furnished a Pointer by Newsboy Who Saw the Thieves. CHICAGO, Nov. 16 .- It was announced today that the police had obtained a slight clew to the identity of the two men who vesterday robbed Treasurer J. A. Drake of

Illinois, Indiana & Iowa rallthe way of over \$20,000. A newsboy was found, who said that in making his rounds he saw two men hurriedly emerge from the Rookery building, where the robbery took place, about the time of the assault. From the description given by the boy, the police professed to think they would be able to ap-

prehend the robbers.

Mr. Drake, the victim of the assault, was able to be at his office today. A cut over the eye and a large lump on his head were the only wounds he received. Drake was apparently extremely nervous as a result of the affair and refused to be interviewed. In the investigation of the alleged theft of \$22,000 and the assault on Treasurer Drake, the police have turned their attention to looking up the past record of the young man who says that he was robbed. It is said Mr Drake has lost heavily on the races lately and is extravagant in his habits. The general manager of the Indiana, Illi-

nois & Iowa road, T. P. Souts, who is a brother-in-law of the assaulted treasurer scouts the idea of such a suspicion. "He has \$100,000 stock in this company, and many other interests that he could have disposed of if he was short of money. Then, too, his father is worth \$3,800,000 at least, and would let him have money if he needed it. "Have you heard anything about his los-ing heavily on the race track and at cards?" Mr. Souts was asked.

"I heard that he dropped \$2,000 on Yo Tambien recently, but I don't believe any such story, and never knew that he meddled with cards. I cannot but believe that he I cannot but believe that he was robbed as he says.' Mr. Souts declared he thought a great deal of Mr. Drake, and their relations were most friendly.

BLACK HILLS TRAGEDY.

Three People Murdered and Their Slayer Commits Suicide.

DEADWOOD, S. D., Nov. 16 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-One of the most horrible tragedies ever known in the history of the Black Hills occurred at noon today in Saw Pit gulch, two miles west of here. Joseph Tha, an Italian, was married about a year ago to a cousin of Jocco Tametta. A few months after his wife left him and has made her home at her cousin's. Tha, after her repeated refusals to return to him and her failure to refund to him the money sent her to come from Italy, made several efforts to blow up Tametta's house

Today at noon he went to Tametta's home considerably under the influence of liquor and shortly afterwards shots were heard by the neighbors. Nothing was thought of it, however, until several hours later, when a peddler rapped at the door and hearing groans from within entered. Lying around the room amid the wreck of

broken and scattered furniture lay Mrs. Tha shot in the mouth, Tametta with a bullet in his breast and Mrs. Tametta with a frightful gash in her forehead, inflicted with an ax all dead. In the woodshed Tha lay casping for oreath with a bullet through In the midst of all this bloody horror Mrs

Tametta's two little children, 11/2 and years old, were playing. The coroner and sheriff were immediately notined, and in a few moments a crowd had collected. The crime was premeditated, as the doors of the house were all locked on the inside, undoubtedly by Tha. Tha lived only a few hours, and the others were doubtless killed instantly.

GALE ON THE LAKE.

Lumber Schooner Wrecked and a Tug Sen to Her Ald Also Lost. Oswego, N. Y., Nov. 16 .- The schoone Flora Emma, Captain Thomas Fox of Port Hope, Ont., with 144,000 feet of Inmber broke from her mooring in the outer harbor during the terrible gale last night and went ashore near the end of the east breakwater.

The crew was saved by the life saving crew.

The tug Liza J. Reeford went out into the storm to save the vessel. She labored heavily, burst a steam pipe and drifted heip alongside the schooner. Captain Featherstonebaugh of the tug was washed overboard and drowned. Both tug and vessel are a total loss.

LEFT A NOTE FOR HIS WIFE. Popular Baltimore Pastor Elopes with His

Pretty Organist. BALTIMORE, Nov. 16.-The congregation of Calvary Methodist Episcopal church were shocked today to learn that their popular pastor, Mr. C. M. Bragg, had eloped on Monday with Miss Ianthe Phelps, the organist

Mr. Bragg is 42 years old, and deserts a vife and five children. Mrs. Bragg is in delicate health. She was under the impresdelicate health. She was until slon that her husband was in the country on church business until she happened to find a church business until she happened to find a church business until she happened to find a note on his table reading: "I am a ruined man. I am going away and will not return. Tell the children I am dead." The church authorities held a meeting last

night, but arrived at no final decision HER LAST DRINK AT THE BAR.

Cripple Creek Giri Kitled and Her Murderer Shot Dead. CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo., Nov. 16 .- A double

murder was committed in a saloon or

Bull mountain late last night. A girl named Irene Good was drinking at the bar when an ex-prize fighter named Lear came in a back door and opened fire fire on her. Barkeeper Jameson fired his revolver into Lear, who staggered over to the prostrate girl, shot her in the temple and then tell over dead by her side. ousy at her desertion for a rival is the sup

FOR JACKSONVILLE FIXED

Next January.

Going Back with the Papers Which Bind

the Heavyweights to Battle for a

Purse of \$20,000 Refere the

Jacksonville Club,

New York, Nov. 16.-Harry Mason of

Jacksonville, Fla., who has been here to ar-

range for a fight between Mitchell and Cor-

bett in that city, left for home today. "I am

quite satisfied," said he, "that the fight will

come off at the Duval club and we will spare

no expense to have everything comfortably

"Did Mitchell sign thearticles yet?" asked

Mr. Mason shook his head, which might

mean anything, and said: "I am perfectly

satisfied the men will meet in the ring and

The \$15,000 which was put up in certified

checks to the Police Gazette last week by

Bowden & Mason is now in the possession

of Mr. Mason and the purse of \$20,000 will

Mr. Maxey Moriarity, who will be chosen

stakeholder, one of the best authorities on

sporting matters in New York, when spoken to

this morning said: "You can rest assured

that Mason has taken the articles back with

him to Jacksonville and Chartle Mitchell's

signature is on them. Notwithstanding all

the talk which is going the rounds, the arti-

was pleased that the place and date of his

fight with Mitchell had been finally settled.

Corbett, like Mitchell, expects to do a little

theatrical starring before he begins train-

ing. He goes out with the "Under the City Lamps" company next Monday for two

"I am in good training now," said the champion. "I will not have to take off any weight. I believe Mitchell is in earnest and means to fight."

Corbett will go into training near Jackson

ville about four weeks before the contest.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Nov. 16.—This after.

noon the mail from Tallahasse brought the

TALLAHASSE, Fla., Nov. 16.—N. B. Howard, Sheriff of Duvall County: Dear Sin—The governor directs that you will take all proper precautions to prevent any prize fights or "so-called" glove contests in Duvall county.

D. LANG, Private Secretary.

The syndicate which has put up the \$25,000

for this fight is as positive as ever that it

LEAGUE BUSINESS.

Lights of the Base Ball World Settling the

Questions of State.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16 .- The National league

magnates resumed their labors at the Fifth

The presence of Ward and Comiskey gave

rise to the belief that New York might be

after Latham, the great Cincinnati third

baseman. Captain Ward said, however,

Chris Vonderahe of St. Louis, it is understood, is doing some kicking because he was not elected to the new board of

The trouble about the Philadelphia per-

centage to visiting clubs was settled by the adoption of a resolution offered by Von der-

ahe, of St. Louis which abrogated the stipu

lation or agreement entered into at In-dianapolis December 15, 1891, and provides

that hereafter the provisions of the consti-tution affecting the division of gate receipts

and percentages shall be adhered to pre-cisely as all other requirements. The Pulladelphia team keeps what money

it received during the past season on what was called an unfair division of the receipts. In the future the Philadelphia or any other

club can charge 25 or 50 cents admission, but settlement on the 50-cent basis must be

made. This settlement is considered a big

Victory for Philadelphia.

J. T. Brush, Chris Vonderahe and A. J.

Reach were appointed as the playing rules

It was voted that when the meeting ad-

journed it be to meet here on Monday, February 26, 1894, at noon, when the

The body will meet again at 10:30 tomor-

Want to Shoot for the Stuff.

DUNLAP, Ia., Nov. 16.—To the Omaha Gun lubs: We would like to arrange a team shoot

at our place for Thanksgiving with any four men of Omaha (Parmelee barred) at fifty live

men of Omaha (Parmelee barred) at lifty live birds to the man for \$50 a corner, or attwenty-five live birds for \$25 a corner. We would like an answer as soon as possible, so preliminaries can be arranged. Will assure you dinner, if you accept.

T. O. DZAN, E. G. ABBOTT, H. F. ARFF. W. SAUL.

In order that a team may be selected to

meet the Iowaus, a meeting of club members has been called for Parmelee's gun store to

night at 8 o'clock. The following gentlement are urged to attend: G. W. Loomis, Will Townsend, W. H. S. Hughes, Goodley

Brucker, H. B. Kennedy, Billy Brewer, J. J. Hardin, James Smead, M. C. Peters, J. C. Read, Harry Reed, J. J. Dickey, Fred Blake, Fred Montmorency, Stockey Heth, W. Salisbury, Frank Cross, J. H. Dumont, Frank

Relected Roby Again.

club made a second unsuccessful attempt to

organize under the law of the state yester

day. Articles were prepared with a capital

stock stated at \$1,200. The other articles

were rejected because this was not stated.

The members of the club were asked t

limit of the capital stock, but this was d

now be taken, but the state officials are of the opinion that a suit will be brought to

compel the secretary to incorporate th

Too Cold to Trot.

Mystic Park. Mass., Nov. 16 .- Thousands

New England horsemen who have shee

looking forward to a meeting between

Directum and Atix were sorely disappointed

today when it was announced the race was off. The track was frozen to the depth of

nearly three inches. Tonight Directum was shipped to New York, where he is to figure

in the horse show and tomorrow Alix will leave for her western home.

London, Nov. 16. - A chess match between

Tarash and Tschigorin has ended in a draw

each winning nine games. Four games were

BROTHER COULDN'T SAVE HIM.

Ernest Swarthout Sentenced to Fourteen

Years in the Pen for Patricide.

MORRISON, Ill., Nov. 16 .- Ernest Swart-

out was found guilty today of murdering

his father and his punishment was fixed at

fourteen years in the penitentiary. Albert

Swarthout was a well-to-no farmer, a

widower who contemplated marriage again.

His sons, Ernest and John, opposed the

match. One day the remains of the father

were found cut to pieces in the ashes of a hay stack on his farm, and a builet hole in the head showed the manner of death. The

sons were arrested.

John, who was very sickly, made a dying confession later in which he declared that he alone did the killing. It was pointed out at the trial, however, that the builet of his

Park Matters

sons were arrested.

make affidavit that \$1,200 would be the

They did not say what steps woul

Indianapolis, Nov. 16 .- The Roby Athletic

schedule for the season will be made un

nothing was said or contemplated in

following letter:

will come off here.

Avenue hotel today.

that direction.

committee.

row morning.

Champion Corbett was in town today.

cles were signed two days ago."

I am positive that they are in earnest."

be deposited by the Jacksonville club.

arranged for the spectators."

an Associated press reporter.

The amount of earth to be removed will be about 11,000 yards. There were several bid-The pavilton in Hanscom park was ac-Mitchell and Corbett Will Meet in Florida

cepted as a good piece of work. This is the job which was let to Edward McKenna, who was murdered by Barney McGinn. The work was completed by McKenna's bonda-MATCHMAKER MASON IN HIGH GLEE

P. H. Mahoney for 10 9-10 cents per yard.

It was agreed to advertise for bids for the new oridge across the outlet of the lake, and work will be commenced at once. The cost The cost of this bridge will be about \$2,500. The com missioners will make this one of the hand-somest parks in the country, and next summer it promises to be a very enticing resort.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

George H. Crosby has returned from Cht-

W. S. Thomas of Columbus was in town vesterday. Charles S. Kennedy and wife of Logan, Ia., are in the city on a brief visit.

Al Irving, advance agent of the "White Slave" company, is in the city. J. T. Coffee of Rawhide Buttes, Wyo., is a western arrival at the Dellone. Hop. Edward Bookwalter of Springfield,

O., is registered at the Paxton. Attorney Tunnicliffe and wife left last evening for Denver to spend a few days. W. M. Cater of the building inspector's office has returned from a trip to Lincoln. Senator W. V. Alten and wife passed through the city last evening enroute to

Ed Krug has been removed from the St. Joseph hospital to his home on south Twen-tieth street and is rapidly regaining his

Among the state arrivals registered at Among the state arrivals registered at local hotels yesterday were: J. Mahoney of Chadron, J. R. Taylor, R. Haney, B. J. Collins and G. B. Moran of Whitman; H. L. Goold of Ogalalla, E. Edred of Beaver City, H. L. Wilson and Miss Wilson of Norfolk, T. V. Broody of Schuyler, A. Barnett of McCock, W. E. Nooner of Falls City, W. J. Pease of Beatrice, R. W. Fisk, Charles A. Hanna and G. W. Lowry of Lincoln, J. K. Johnson of Crete, G. W. Hein of Grand Island and H. Sheffrey of Oxford.

Hon. Daniel F. Miller, sp. of Keckuk Ja.

Hon. Daniel F. Miller, sr., of Keokuk, Ia., is spending a few days with his son, Harry Miller of this city. Mr. Miller, sr., is 80 years old and has practiced law in Iowa fifty-six years. In 1840 he was a member of the territorial legislature of Iowa. Since then he has twice been elected to congress and has held other positions of honor and trust. This fall his friends in Lee county elected him to the state legislature and on fluishing his term he will retire from public life, thus ending his polltical career where he began it, in the legislature.

ne began it, in the legislature.

At the Mercer: R. N. Talbutt, Chicago; William E. Bischoff, St. Louis; William Gilmaun, Chicago; F. X. Craft, Cincinnati; E. G. Parcell, Missouri Valley, Ja.; A. Koch, city; A. E. Pike, Grand Island; E. T. Lyon, St. Louis; Briard Hill, Chicago; H. D. Pettibone, Minneapolis; M. F. King, Lincoln; E. F. Ehlman, Chicago; F. A. Stebbins, Sait Lake; Rex Kiger, Boston; R. L. Allee, Nebraska City; W. S. Billings, Baltimore; John C. Fetzer, Omaha; R. E. Wotzke, Jim Murphy, Omaha; J. G. P. Hildebrand, Lincoln; E. G. Hampton, Minneapolis; A. J. Wilson, Chicago; W. F. Williams, Cedar Falls, Ia. Falls, Ia.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Carrie Kalene has been adjudged insane and has been ordered sent to the county hos

pital. The first annual ball of the American Orange association of Omaha will be given at Washington hall Friday evening, Novem ber 24.

The young people of Casteliar Street Presbyterian church gave a creditable performance of the "Deestrick Skule" last evening. The Eighth Ward Republican club held a

meeting in the club rooms in the Goodrich hall block last evening for the purpose of balancing accounts and settling up the bills which were incurred during the recent political campaign. The bar committee of the district court will hold a meeting next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the office of Judge Ambrose, room 721 New York Life building, where

all candidates for admission to practice in

the district court will be examined as to their qualifications. in police court by City Prosecutor Cochran against the following saloon keepers for keeping open last Sunday: James Adams, 101 South Fourteenth street Louis Schmidt. 1302 Dodge street; Pat Ford, 1002 Daven-port street; Richard Burdush, 223 North

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regulates all the natural functions, builds
up and invigorates the entire female system,
and restores health and strength. and restores health and strength. Nothing else, though it may be better for a dealer to sell, can be "just as good" for you

AMUSEMENTS

BOYD'S THEATER 3 NIGHTS THURSDAY NOV. 16, 17 & 18

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Thursday and Saturday ROBIN HOOD KNICKERBOCHERS Friday Night

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Mr. Walker Whiteside UNDAY NIGHT-"OTHELLO."

MONDAY NIGHT- 'HAMLET.' "Walker Whiteside deserves the careful atten-ion of the lover of the highest form of drama."— N. Y. Datiy Press, April 11, 1893. The sale opens Saturday morning at the usual

15th STREET THEATER PARMA Four nights commencing Sunday matinee Nov. 19.

CHAS. A. LODER OH, WHAT A NIGHT. Matinee Wednesday.

15th STREET THEATER 198611."

ANDERSON'S Jolly Old Chums;

The Board of Park Commissioners held meeting yesterday afternoon and let the

revolver was of a larger calibre than that which killed the father, and the jury evi-dently did not credit the confession, believ-ing he made it to shield his brother, knowing he himself would not live to stand trial.

TONIGHT.

TWO OLD CRONIES UP TO DATE Matineo Saturday. Any seat in the house, 25c. contract for the excavation of Miller park to