tas and into Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska and Wisconsin. The seed sprouts in May or June, and by September has developed into a plant from two to six feet in diameter and half as high, forming a dense bushy mass of

half as high, forming a dense bushy mass of rigid branches offering an effectual barrier to the passage of man or beast. At intervals of half an inch or less on the branches are clustered three sharp spikes a quarter to half an inch long. The full grown plant, shaped like an inverted saucer, two to six feet in diameter, all grows from a single root less than half an inch thick.

Like a Besom of Destruction.

and the prairie breezes begin to practice fo

the winter this small root is twisted off and

the whole plant turns up on edge like a cart wheel and goes off before the wind, scatter-

wheel and goes off before the wind, scattering seeds at every revolution. It takes complete possession of cultivated land, choking out the wheat and other crops. The rigid bulky plants often make it impossible to run harvesting ma-

chinery, and sometimes even stops nows. It

rotection on the horses' legs before they

can be driven among the spiny weeds.
Trains have been stopped by the thistles
banking up on the tracks; prairie fires are
carried long distances by the burning
thistles blowing across fire breaks. In

many other ways this terrible weed causes

serious damage. The movement now on foot in the northwest to petition congress to give the secretary of agriculture power to

institute vigorous measures as was done in the case of pleuro-pneumonia among cattle a few years ago will be pushed by

the northwestern members. A judicious expenditure of \$2,000,000 now, it is believed,

did damage to that amount last year. This year the loss is twice that sum, and if the

weed is allowed to go unchecked there is every probability that the damage will go

Zalinski Enger to Serve.

to have been offered a commission by President Piexoto of Brazil to handle the ord-nance of El Cid, is here. Mr. Zalinski is

very anxious to secure permission to go on the Cid, to manage the dynamite gous with

which she is partly armed. He will shortly

appear before an examining board of the army, to be examined for retirement. H

had a paralytic stroke some time ago, and

since then has been on leave. He says he is feeling well, and would like to earn the \$15,000 which the Brazilian government offers him to go into action. He failed to

see Secretary Lamont yesterday, as the secretary had been called to New York by the illness of his father.

Manua for the Hungry.

James H. Ward, chairman of the demo-cratic state contral committee of South Da-

kota, arrived here last night for the purpose of securing a few offices for the faithful and

hungry of his state. He will consult Sena

tor Kyle tomorrow and will try to reach an

agreement with that gentleman concerning the disposal of the patronage. There are still a number of land office places to be

filled, as well as a number of other important

appointments to be made. Mr. Ward hopes

It is practically settled that a new public printer will be chosen upon the return of Secretary Lamont from New York, where he has gone to see his father. The gossips

are certain that the appointment lies be

tween McAbee of Illinois and some New York man. There are two candidates from

the Empire state—ex-Public Printer Bene-dict and ex-Editor Crandall of the Buffalo Courier. If Lamont says the word Benedict

will get the place. It practically rests with

the secretary of war.
J. H. Miliard of Omaha is at the Arlington.
State Committeeman J. J. Richardson of

Richardson will explain the defeat of Boies

and will recommend a few Hawkeyes for

federal appointments. PERRY S. HEATH.

WAYS AND MEANS BUSY.

Members of the Committee Hope to Com-

plete the Tariff Bill Soon.

Washington, Nov. 19 .- The ways and

means committee hopes to complete the tariff

bill and give it out to the public about the

close of the present week. A fear is ex-

pressed by some of the democratic members

that the differences which have recently

arisen among their number about the policy

of an income tax may prolong the final com

pletion of the measure until a later date, but

every effort will be made to get the bill be-

fore the public at the earliest possible

At the general conference of democratic

members tomorrow the discussion will be

resumed as to the policy of adopting an in-come tax, and as all the essential features of

the bill practically depend upon the adoption or rejection of this policy the other details

of the measure will probably be held in abeyance until the committee has finally

come tax provision, but it appears now that he will stand alone among the democratic members unless Chairman Wilson should

come to his aid. The position of Mr. Wilson on the subject is still regarded by the income

tax men as somewhat indefinite, since he has been frequently reported as being in the

come to a conclusion on an income tax. Representative Cockran of New York is strongly opposed to the adoption of the in-

Davenport is expected tomorrow.

to settle all contests during his stay.

Lieutenant E. L. Zalinski, who is reported

on increasing in geometrical ratio.

would probably exterminate the thistle.

When the ground is frozen in November

made "just for exercise." but it was a queer time of night for that sort of thing.

The following circular was scattered in-discriminately throughout the valley on both sides of the river today by the secret agents of the revolutionists:

of the revolutionists:

Twenty-nve Thousand Men Wanted to Fight
The undersigned, general-in-chief of the
revolutionary movement, will pay \$2.50 a
day, or \$75 a month, to any individuals who
present themselves armed with no less than
100 cartridges to any of the chiefs commanding the north of the state of Chihushus. The
chiefs of the north are Citizens Micaro Pacheco
and Valente Garcia. Those men mounted
with rifle and pistol will be naid \$5 per day.

SASTA ANA PIERRE LOPEZ,
General-in-Chief of the North.

The idea of the leaders of the rebel forces is to offer inducements to the great army of is to offer inducements to the great army of unemployed passing through this point from California, and by their aid to effect the cap-ture of the northern states of Mexico. Re-bellion is already manifest in the south of that republic and the army is so badly scattered that its effect is scarcely felt in any

It is rumored that the circular was printed and is being circulated by Victor L. Ochoa, former editor of the Hispano Americano in this town, and that the United States marshal has a warrnt for his arrest for violating the neutrality laws.

SHOT IN THE HEAD.

Lewis McPherson Found Badly Wounded and in an Unconscious Condition.

A man supposed to be Lewis McPherson was found in an unconscious condition near Valley about 2 o'clock yesterday morning. He had been shot in the right side of the head, and it is almost certain that the wound will prove fatal. He was found near the depot, lying near the railroad tracks, and had evidently laid there for several hours. No weapon was found in the vicinity, and it looks considerably like a case of attempted mur-

Omaha officers were notified and vesteria; they were watching for the assailant. McPherson is not known here or in Valley,

but letters in his possession indicate that he has a father, J. H. McPherson, who is living in Breckinridge, Tex. He has been telegraphed by the authorities, but late last night no response had been received.

The wounded man is under the care of a surgeon in the Valley hotel, but the doctor thinks he will not recover. It was reported late last night that the shooting was done by Oliver Dale who has a brother living in this city who was until some time ago an employe of the New York Life company. From what could be learned, but not confirmed, it seems McPherson has 3 been husking corn for a farmer near Valley and a few days ago he quarreled with Dale. The men met late Saturday night and renewed the trouble, which resulted in the shooting. Sheriff Bennett was searching for Dale last night, but at last accounts had been unable to capture him. About midnight it was re ported that McPherson could not live until morning. But meager details could be learned about the affair, as the officers would not talk about the matter.

BUSY BURGLARS.

Three Robberies Reported to the Police Last Night. Several burgiaries were reported at police

headquarters last night. John Sacol's saloon, at 1402 Williams street, was entered and burglarized of four gallons of whisky, several hundred cigars, a fine new overcoat and a small amount of money Another place was entered on Thirteenth street. Detectives Savage and Bloom were detailed to investigate the robberies and about 1 o'clock this morning tyey discovered two young men counting money on the Union Pacific bridge on Fourteenth street. The tectives were underneath the trestle work and if they attempted to go to the men they be discovered. The officers for the thieves who jumped down a steep embankment and got away in the darkness. A shot sent after them only increased their need. They left the money on the beidge There was \$7.65 in nickels and dimes, which the detectives took to the station. It is

thought that these are the men who com mitted all the burglaries. One of the proprietors of the fruit stand at the corner of Twenty-third and Cuming streets reported to the police last night that he had left his partner in charge of place early in the evening. About 10 o'clock Officer Vanous found the place standing ropen. He carried in the stock which had been displayed on the sidewalk and locked the door. An investigation to the discovery that \$27 in money and \$5 worth of candy were missing. Theifiest partner thinks he was robbed by the man he left in charge of the place. He did not give his name to the officers and said he make a complaint in the police court this

MISSOURIANS' PLEASANT SPORT.

Polk County Feud Claims Another Victim Among the Quiggs. KANSAS CITY, Nov. 19 .- A special to the Times from Humansville, Mo., says that at Wheatland, yesterday, Mosley Quigg, 27 years old, was shot dead by John and Orton Paxton, father and son. There is a feud

between the Quiggs and Paxtons, and this is the third murder that has been committed. Mosley Quigg, who always carried a gun, struck a member of the Paxton family whom he met yesterday. Thereupon John and Orton Paxton, who were standing near, opened fire upon Quigg. The Paxtons emp-tied the contents of their revolvers into his body after he had fallen to the ground. Last September Siegel Paxton, son of John, shot and killed Ira Quigg, son of Mos-

ley. In the spring Paxton was acquitted of murder and on the day he regained his lib-erty he was shot from the brush and killed. His murderer was not captured. the feud will not stop until both families are exterminated. They are well-to-do and have many friends. Mosley Quigg was an ex-sheriff. He is an uncle of Orton Paxton who helped murder him.

TO RELIEVE THEIR FRIENDS.

Pittsburg Girls Taking Poison to Get Themselves Out of the Way. Privisium, Nov. 19 .- Ida Lewis, 15 years old, following the example of Mabel Hipple

and Lizzie McDonald, who ended their lives, attempted suicide last night by drinking the contents of an ounce vial containing a mix-ture of laudanum and carbolic acid at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Hughes, No.

home of her grandmother, arts. Hugnes, No. 729 Norte avenue. Allegheny. Laura Gray, a friend of Ida Lewis, also intended to commit suicide, but her courage failed. Physicians succeeded in saving the tife of Miss Lewis

The girls, it is said, have been reading trashy literature, and having conceived the idea that they were a burden to their rela-tives, sought to end their existence.

PRESDERGAST'S PLEA.

Harrison's Assassin Will Assert that He Was Justified in Committing Murder.

Carcago, Nov. 19 .- Prendergast, the slayer of Mayor Harrison, whose trial is set for one week from tomorrow, is not pleased at the defense his attorneys have decided upon. "They propose to enter a plea of heanity," said he today. "I shall object to that. I want to acknowledge the commission of the crime and plead and prove justification."

"In what way will you prove justification."

The broken promise to make me corpora tion counsel, and there are other things, but it will all come out at the trial. I'm not insune. I was justified in the shooting."

GENERAL RUSK'S CONDITION.

Indications of Improvement Noticed and the Physicians Are Hopeful, Vinneya, Wis, Nov. 19. - There is no question that General Rusk's case has assumed a much more hopeful outlook in the past twenty-four hours. He slept well last night without the aid of opiates and has rested well today. He has taken and retained some solid food during the day. His physi-cians are now quite confident of his recovery unless some unlooked-for complications unless some unlooked-for arise, which is not probable.

INCREASING THE CURRENCY

Knotty Problem Which the Coming Congress Will Be Forced to Solve.

VOORHEES PREPARING TO SKIN SMITH

Vills of Hoosier Vituperation to Be Emptied on a Georgia Reformer-Secretary Morton Organizing a Campaiga Against a Weed.

> WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE BEE. 513 FOURTEENTH STREET, WASHINGTON, NOV. 19.

It has been many years since the annual report of the comptroller of currency has been awaited with as much interest as the one which is expected to be made public within the next two weeks. Mr. James H. Eckels, the comptroller, who is a skillful lawyer and is making a brilliant record as the controller of the national banking system, has an opportunity to make a great reputation. It has within his power to dictate to congress the legislation which is anticipated upon the banking and currency questions. There are what appear to be irreconcila-

ble differences, not only in the house committee on banking and currency and the senate committee on finance, but among the leading members of the predominant party upon one or two questions which threaten to defeat all currency legislation. Chairman Springer of the former committee, to your correspondent the other day indicated one trou ble which has divided his committee, and which will seriously divide both the house and senate if the proposition ever comes before those bodies, and is likely to defeat any legislation upon the subject of state bank circulation. Mr. Springer says that if it is proposed to "federalize" state banks by extending the national banking exmination system, or if in permitting state banks to issue circulation upon private securities, it is provided that they shall be subject to approval by the comptroller of the currency or the treasurer of the United States; or, if there is a provision that all of the currency shall be printed by the government, in order to make it uniform and avoid the invitation to whole sale counterfeiting, it will be held that the law gives to state banks privileges which are not extended to national banks. It will be charged that the state banks are given all of the advantages which national banks have without being required to meet the igorous laws under which the latter op-

Plans for Inflation. Mr. Springer says his committee intends to report a general currency measure which will provide a circulating medium elastic in character and sufficient in volume to mee all emergencies. This means that the power of the government to redeem in coin, either gold or silver, all of the obligations which it will put out under the new law will be called into question, and that the subject of a bond issue will be arrayed in opposition to the issuance of treasury notes. When-ever a bond issue and an issue of treasury notes are brought into conflict the differences in opinions in congress become so great as to be almost irreconcilable, and it is believed that if those differences cannot be avoided they will defeat any measure. The free silver mer, in both branches of congress are opposed to an issue of bonds, because it means an enlargement of the interest-bearing debt. They demand an issue of treasury notes, redeemable, as the outstanding notes are in coin, which may and may not be inter

Preted to mean gold or silver.

A suggestion has been made that the basis of circulation for national banks may be changed in such a way as to provide an elastic currency with which the government may meet emergencies similar to the one encountered in the recent panic. The suggestion is that instead of national bank circulation being based on government bonds it be based upon coin, gold or silver bullion, treasury notes or certificates of the governnent, and that par value of circulation b issued and all the tax on national bank circulation abolished, down to the point which will barely cover the expense of printing national bank notes and operatthe system under the of the comptroller of currency. It is held that national banks would increase their present circulation from about \$140. 000.000 to the full limit which they may have under the law, about \$600,000,000. It is true

that this would increase the money at the disposal of the government to the extent of about \$460,000,000, and that if only one-fourth of this amount was necessary to be held to meet the demands of the banks, there might be an addition of something like \$300,000,000 of margin in cash placed at the disposal of the treasury with which to meet emer gencies and panics. But if national banks were not permitted to make any profit upon their circulation there would be no inducment for them to take out the full limit of circulation on their capital, aithough they might be required to do so by law.

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has used very frequently and with great de-

liberation and applied to the Georgia secretary of the interior in his individual capacity

The senator the other day, in talking to a personal friend, cienched his fists, grated

his teeth savagely, and employed the pro-vincial term, "white-livered," as applicable

to the man who was suspending pensions and condemning pensioners without a trial. It is true that John J. Ingalls of Kanses fairly

'chewed up and spit out" the present chair

man of the senate committee on finance is

the course of a personal speech a few years ago, but the Hoosier statesman showed a

great deal of ability in the use of expletive

and denunciation when he made his reply Senator Voorhees may be charged with a

not an adept at repartee, or that he could not hold his own with any man in congress

when he condescended to get upon the same level of debate. It is stated that Senator Voorhees prepared his tirade against the anti-pension policy of this administration just before he delivered his great speech in

support of the bill to unconditionally repeat

the silver law, and that he added his caustitouches to the secretary of the interior. He

is said to have read it over to a friend, or to have verbally outlined its character, and that he was advised to refrain from its de

livery in connection with the silver speech as it would tend to detract from the force of

his primary argument and deprive it of much of its usefulness.

dream and the shadow of Hoke Smith, his personal enemy, hovering about him, it is

expected that Senator Voorhees will try to outdo himself in his great pension speech in personal denunciation and general vitupera-

tion. If he should coin a few phrases whic will luridly express his peculiar stormy fee

ings and illuminate the dark and forebodin

anti-pension sky with a few flashes of Wabash lightning his cronies to Washington will not be surprised; but if Senator Voor-

hees falls short of a master stroke he will be

a great disappointment to those to whom he

Warring on a Weed.

Secretary Morton is paying more attention to Russian affairs just now than to those affecting either Hawaii or Brazil. The Russian thiatle, which threatens much damage in the northwest, is to be fought by scientific forces under Secretary Morton. In the hope of exterminating the intruder. L. H.

hope of exterminating the intruder. L. H. Dewey, assistant botanist of the Agricultural department, acting under orders from Secretary Morton, has gone to the northwest to make an investigation into the extent of the damage done the crops. The weed was introduced into the country about seventeen years ago in some flax seed, and sowed near Scotland, S. D. From a small beginning it has spread through the Dago-

has described intentions.

With the past rising before him like

great many shortcomings but his terest enemy has never had hardinood to say that he

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anamolous position of favoring it in theory Voorhees' Bottled Vitriol. but doubting its practicability and its ex If Senator Voorhees is half as severe in the pediency as a party measure.

As to the important articles to be added to the free list, there is no longer any quespublic speech on the pension question which he proposes to deliver when the senate meets next month as he has been in various per-sonal conversations, he will be sensational in the extreme. To his friends on the streets tion that they will embrace wool, lumber iron ore, coal, sait, cotton bagging, binding twine, rice and many other commodities of and in the hotel corridors the Indiana ser less importance. The present bounty or sugar will be repealed, but it is still possible ator, who is skilled in vituperation, has em ployed the severest expictives which an old the committee may decide to impose a slight lawyer and debater could lay his tongue to whenever he has had occasion to refer to import duty in order to satisfy the sugar can raisers of the south and the sugar beet Hoke Smith, secretary of the interior There is one term which no bray white man likes to hear and no

moment.

growers of the west. There is little probability, however, of the duty being as high as that requested by the American Manufacturers association—13 cents per pound. The highest duty thus far discussed is 1 cent per pound and the opinion of most of the committee seen. opinion of most of the committee seems divided between 1/2 a cent a pound and admitting it entirely free of duty.

BIG PENSION FRAUDS.

Officials of the Bureau Expect to Capture

the New York Swindlers. WASHINGTON, Nov. 19 .- Officials of the pension bureau are unusually reticent regarding the announcement that the bureau has unearthed at Buffalo, N. Y., a wholesale scheme for defrauding the office. little disturbed that the publication have been made at this time, as they fear it will hinder them in bringing the guity persons to justice.
The Post this morning announces the

name of the person who has been carrying on this scheme to be W. Boen Moore, who was formerly a special examiner in the bu-reau in this city. It is believed that at reau in this city. It is believed that at least \$150,000 has already been paid to fraud ulent claimants whose cases were engi-neered by Attorney Moore. The pension bu-reau refused to give any of the details of the discovery, but pushing the investigation with the utmost secrecy and skill.

Grant's Resignation Accepted.

Washington, Nov. 19.—The resignation of General L. A. Grant, assistant secretary of war, which was tendered to the president on the incoming of the administration, has been accepted, to take effect December 16, and it is announced that General Doe, adjutant general of the Wisconsin National guard has been selected as his successor. General Doc is a lawyer residing at Janesville, Wis.

Hoke Smith s Son Lil. WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.-Secretary Hoke Smith returned to the city today in response to a telegram announcing the iliness of his 10-year-old son, Marion. The attendin scariet fever, and says that no fears need be entertained. The young man is doing well

Appointed to Office. WASHINGTON, Nov. 18 .- Samuel R. Thur man of Provo, Utah, was today appointed to be assistant United States attorney for the territory of Ut., and Morris Cligget of Pittsburg, Kan. to be assistant United States attorney for Kansas.

Mrs. Robert A. Ellis is Dead. GREEN BAY, Wis., Nov. 19 .- Mrs. Robert A. Ellis, daughter of the late Judge Burbank of Mani island of the Hawaiian group of islands, died in this city last evening. She was a sister of ex-Attorney General Burbank of Providence, R. I., and daughter-in-law of Judge E. H. Ellis of this city.

TATELY BEEN MINENAY

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posted along the fine. A Wilkins retorted that posted along the fine." Wilkins retorted that he could prove his statement and gave out omitted portions for publication.

All the Lenigh "freight trains that have reached Sayre since last night have been abandoned and the yards are now filled with cars. The strike includes engineers, firemen, conductors, brakemen and telegraph operators. It is a mammoth tie-up. At Sayre today there has been great excitement and 500 strikers have hung about the tracks all day. Two passenger trains the tracks all day. Two passenger trains were got through today, but the strikers say they are the last that will run over the road until the trouble is settled. There is much perishable freight now in the yards, and the other roads refuse to assist the Le-high by helping to move it. No violence has been offered.

POWDERLY ON THE STAND.

Questions Pertaining to Expenditures of

Money Answered by the Labor Leader. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 19 .- The committee on finance of the general assembly of the Knights of Labor has been in session nearly all day. Mr. Powderly, against whom serious charges have been preferred, and Mr Hayes, secretary and treasurer, who made the charges, answered questions in relation to receipts and expenditures. It has been semi-officially stated that the committee would report on Tuesday, at which time sensational features are expected. Speaking of the much discussed amalgma-

tion scheme, Mr. Powderly said it was simply a plan to have a congenial understanding between all trades unions and those unionists who were not identified with trade ordianizations, in order that their rep-resentatives might meet and adopt measures for the general welfare of the workingmen of the country and assist each other in al matters where assistance may be needed without binding themselves in a closer tle Amalgamation, he said, may be the result a some future time.

Congressman Davis, a member of the ex-ecutive board, said the charges made by Mr Hares would not be sustained. He predicted a vote of 80 per cent of the assembly in Mr. Powderly's favor.

PUDDLERS GRUMBLE.

Actions of Nonunion Mill Owners Likely to Again Reduce Wages.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 19.—The settlement of the Amalgamated association puddling scale at Youngstown, O., yesterday on the basis of \$4.75 per ton will affect all mills in the country, governed by the scale of that organization. Under the new rate, the puddlers claim that under the most favorable condi tions they will make \$3.73 per day in winter and \$2.41 per day in summer, when two helpers are necessary. The cut was made to meet the price paid in nonunion mills, and they now fear the wages of the nonunionists will be reduced still further, in which case, the union manufacturers may want a still

lower rate.
The Amalgamated association committee will confer with the sheet manufacturers to morrow to consider the sheet scale. The manufacturers want a 10 per cent reduction and among some of the puddlers there is a disposition not to concede it unless the manufacturers show good reasons for asking the cut. If there should be a disagreement, the manufacturers will start their works at once

At, Easton.

Easton, Pa., Nov. 19 .- The Lehigh Valley strike has not created the sensation hereabouts that was expected. Employes in this locality to the number of 400 held an enthusiastic meeting today and endorsed the action of the committee ordering the strike. Speeches were made by prominent members of the different brotherhoods urging the men to stand firmly. The men claim the freight traffic is completely tied up all along the line. The officials deny this, but admit the road is badly crippled. A long train of east-bound perishable freight passed through here this afternoon, and although passenger trains are moving they are greatly delayed for want of engineers. firemen are nearly ail out, while passenger men, who are mostly nonbrotherhood men stick to their posts. A number of nonunion employes who are in sympathy with the strikers refused to go to work.

Rochester Division Undisturbed. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 19 .- No trains were stopped on the Rochester division today. This branch runs to Rochester June tion, where it connects with the main line The train crews say they know nothing of the strike.
W. Prentice, of the telegraphers' order, is busy sending out dispatches to operators asking them to strike. One of these messages read: "Don't be a scab; be a man."

Coal Traffic Not Stopped. Pottsville, Pa., Nov. 19 .- The Schuylkil Valley coal region employes of the Lahigh Valley road have as yet made no open move ment stoward taking part in the strike Passenger trains today ran on regular schedule time and the usual number of coal train crews have been ordered on duty tonight.

"JACK THE SLASHER'S" WORK.

His Vandalism at a Washington Residence

May Result Seriously. Washington, Nov. 19,-The vandalism of the miscreant who has been designated as "Jack the Slasher" is becoming more bold and outrageous. Last night he, or they, entered the house of Samuel Johnson at 427 Seventh street, south. The family was out at the time. Mrs. Johnson returned home late in the evening and no sooner had she gone into the dining room than the whole neighborhood was startled by her cries.
People in the immediate vicinity ran to her house and found the poor woman lying on the floor in her dining room, suffering from a violent attack of hysteria. They noticed at the same time that all the drap-eries in the room, mantels, chairs, curtains, portierres, table linen and other cloth ar-ticles had been siashed to shreds and thrown to the floor in a beap. That was only the beginning of the outrage. In the kitchen the scene at first glance represented chaos. In the middle of the floor the family larder had been emptied. There were the Sunday meats, groceries, etc., in a heap. Over the mass the vandals threw at random huge quantities of lard and butter, and then to make the rum more complete, picked up a gallon can of oil and thoroughly saturated the mass. The condition of Mrs. Johnson tonight is serious.

NO LIVES WERE LOST.

Wreck of the Philips Excursion Train No a Serious Affair.
Salida, Colo., Nove 10.4—The wreck of the

Phillips excursion train on the Denver & Rio Grande, railroad near Twin Lakes station last evening, did not result in any fatalities or injuries as was at first feared. Although five coaches and the engine jumped the track, nothing worse than a severe shaking up was experienced by the passengers. The cause of the wreck is thought to have been a stone that rolled upon the track

from the mountain side.

The wreckage was cleared up about 4 o'clock this morning and the excursionists resumed their western bourney. The rollng stock was badly damaged.

Want a Receiver Appointed. CHICAGO, Nov. 19. - Samuel A. Toleman, a stockholder in the South Side State bank, has asked that a receiver be appointed for the concern. He charges W. A. Paulson, one of the directors, received assets of the bank amounting to \$70,000 and he permitted four other directors to appropriate some of this money to their own use. The assets are estimated at \$70,000 and the liabilities at \$113,000.

Business Troubles ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 19.-The Ryan company, dry goods, went into a receivership last night. Liabilities, \$180,000; assets, \$34,-000. The company is the successor of the Steve Ryan company which failed for \$2,000,000 in 1888, when fraud was charged and Steve Ryan Jailed.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 19.—The Knox-

TIED UP ATHE ROAD ville Brewing company assigned yesterday to S. S. Misener. Assets estimated at \$225,-000; liabilities, \$135,000.

Walker Whiteside at the Boyd.

AMUNEMENTS.

Walker Whitesides demands serious consideration, not only from the theater-going public but from the critics as well. Handicapped as he was last night at Boyd's with rather ordinary support, with slow curtains and meager stage settings, his "Othello" was a sentient potentiality, a living, breathing reflection of the Moor who wrought so direfully in Cyprus. Not in a long time has a young actor come so prominently before the people in so short a period as has this young in so short a period as has this young tragedian who seems to have risen from out of the mists to a commanding position on the American stage. It is a pleasure to chronicle a success that at first seemed vague and shadowy, and unless all signs fail Omaha today will ring with the praises of this young genius who has "come out of the west," that despised section in eastern minds, to take up the legitimate where it was left with the passing of Edwin Booth. It must not be thought that the Booth. It must not be thought that the Otherlo of Mr. Whitesides is faultless, for it is not, but there are so many elements of marvelous intuition shown in the portraiture of the Moor that those who went to the theater to jeer remained to pray. Ordinarily the theater-goer will criticise the physique of Mr. Whiteside, which is lithe and symmetrical, rather than large and muscular, which tradition has associated with this most notable figure in literature, owned body and soul by the "green-eyed monster." But the Moors, and particularly those in Venice, were not noted for their herculean proportions, on the contrary, if we are to accept history, they were of ordinary build, sinewy and strong like the weapon which they invented—the cimetor. Mr. Whiteside has a wonderfully pleasing voice, rich in tone and beautifully modulated. And never was the famous speech commencing "mos potent, grave and reverend seniors," read it such faultless style as was accorded it by this slender young actor, who dominated th scene by his earnestness, by the force of a

fine dramatic instinct.

The Desdemona of Miss Wolston was a most agreeable surprise. It was finely con-ceived and well read. She brought to the part a beautiful stage presence and a sweet modesty that was most refreshing. Coming as she does directly from the ranks of the "society" players, having been seen in Omaha last season in "Alabama," her triumph last night was all the more remarkable. Mr. Vroom made a manly, earnest Cassio, which cannot be said of Mr. Stockton's lago, his disposition to rant marring his per formance greatly. There was little new bus-iness introduced, the conventional prompt book being generally followed, although the drinking scene wherein Cassio is made dronk is somewhat more elaborated than is generally given this episode. Tonight Mr. White-side will play "Hamlet," and theater-goers may anticipate a real treat.

FI teenth Street Theater.

"Oh, What a Night" is a genuine favorite in Omaha, as was evidenced last night at the Fifteenth Street theater, when Charles A. Loder and his clever company of actors played to the capacity of this popular placf amusement.

Mr. Loder has a pleasing personality and his German dialect flows as sweetly as a mountain brook. He is funny without overdoing the part of Judge Pottgeiser. Next to Mr. Loder, the major portion of the farce falls to Charles E. Edwards, who plays the opposite part of the Irisnman with delightful unction. Mr. Edwards is one of the best low comedy farceurs on the stage, and his work last night caught the fancy of those in front from the rise of the curtain.
Miss Mina Gennell plays the soubrette role

of Chic admirably. She is a pretty minx and danced and sang her way into the hearts of the audience from the very beginning. Harry Shunk plays a negro character with considerable vim, while a number of clever people, among them several capable young women, assist in developing the story, which goes with snap.

WONDERFULLY QUICK TIME.

How the Associated Press Gave Out the News from Honolutu. Nov 10 The handli news brought by the steamer Au-

was one of stralia from Honolulu the most remarkable achievements in news annals. Interest throughout the country, and particularly in Washington. was intense and it was confidently expected that the steamer would bring news of a possible conflict between the provisional govern ment and the representatives of the United States. The Australia arrived inside the San Francisco harbor at • 9:20 a.m. San Francisco time or 11:20 cen tral time. The copyright letter of the Associated press, consisting of 2.000 words, was placed on the Western Union wire at San Francisco at 11:25, central tral time, and was completed at Chicago at 12:09 p. m. This letter and the buttetins were placed on the leased wire system of the Associated press and was delivered at all points, including a private copy to Presi-dent Cleveland, an hour in advance of any other information, official or otherwise.

CARLIN'S PARTY LOST.

Rescue Parties Find the Montana Mountains Too Dangerous to Make Headway. SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 19. - A Review spe cial from Missoula, Mont., says a courier has been sent back to Missoula from the relief party that started out some time ago to search for General Carlin's son with the information that a permanent camp has been established about three miles above Lole Hot Springs, forty-five miles from this city. The snow at this point is seven feet deep, and considerable difficulty was experienced in hauling wagons and supplies into camp. The weather has been unusually severe at he headwaters of the Clearwater river during the past few days, and the impression is gaining ground that all attempts to find and rescue the imprisoned men will prove fruit less. Indian hunters have long since been of the storms that have been raging since early in October. In numerous cases they have been obliged to sacrifice their horses in order to escape, and it is not regarded that a party of pleasure seekers composed principally of men unused to privation would

be able long to survive such hardships WILL RESUME BUSINESS.

National Cordage Company Reorganized and Ready for Work. NEW YORK, Nov. 19 .- Members of the reorganization committee having in charge

the rehabilitation of the National Cordage

company, ard out with another statement that that company is almost ready to resume business. They say they have "secured a strong board of directors."

It is generally supposed that this "strong board of directors" will comprise a board made up of representatives of large liquidated accounts that were on the books of the Cordage company at the time of its col-lapse. To save these accounts has been the hief effort of the reorganization committee

BAFFLES THE PHYSICIANS.

Peculiar Disease at Grantsburg, Wis., Causlug Many Deaths. GRANTSBURG, Wis., Nov. 19.-The disease that has recently visited many houses in the village and caused the death of several children continues its deadly work and still buffles the skill of the physicians. Pauline Peterson and Paulina Carlson died of it last night. The local Board of Health has wired a Racine specialist on throat disease to come here. A physician from Ruch City was called in yesterday and said it was neither croup nor diphtheria. No physician has pro-nounced it contagious, but the number of deaths certainly points to a different con-

Imperfect Gas Fixtures Cause Death MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 19. - John S. Smith aged 28, traveling for a Holyoke, Mass., paper firm, and whose home is supposed to be at Vermillion. S. D., was found uncon-scious at his boarding house this morning and died soon after. Death resulted from escaping gas on account of imperfect fixtures.

Will Flock by Themselves. TOPERA, Kas., Nov. 19. -With the exception of Secretary of State Osborne, the populist leaders do not receive kindly the state-

ment that the people's party will be merged into a new organization.
"There is no talk of that kind coming from

our fellows," said Chairman Breidenthal.
"The future may develop a necessity for a
reorganization of the reform movement and
the creation of a new party to take hold of
it, but there is nothing in the signs of times now to indicate any such possibility.

AFTER INSURANCE COMPANIES.

South Dakota Cit.zens Will Not Submit to Higher Rates. CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., Nov. 19 .- [Special to THE BEE. |- The action of the fire insurance companies in raising their rates in South Dakota is causing a general uprising on the part of the people. Even at the old rates it has been shown that South Dakota is and has been a profitable field for the insurance companies. During the past ten years the people of this city alone have paid in premiums \$35,000. During that time there

were losses to the amount of only \$2,500, paid by insurance companies. In retaliation for the raise in rates the citizens of Chamberlain will hold a meeting in a fews days to discuss various plans look ing to the curtailment of the business trans acted by the insurance companies here The plan which seems to meet all the re quirements and which has been much dis-cussed during the past few days, is as follows: Appoint a board of directors of three or four whose duty it shall be to insure every business upon the same basis that they are now paying insurance com-panies. Take a note from the party insured for the amount of the pre-mium, exacting from every one insured, regardless of their financial standing, a secured note that would be collectable in thirty days, and by serving all alike no one would have reason to complain in being required to give such security as would make their paper equal to money in case it was needed to pay off a loss by fire. Thousands of dollars in good notes could be secured, and should a fire occur where the property was thus insured it would be paid on the same basis as adopted by the insur-ance companies. Should there be no fire within the limits of those thus insured in the period of one year all notes could be returned to the makers and as a city they would e ahead thousands of dollars in the course of a year. It is almost certain that some such plan as outlined will be adopted by nearly every city and town in the state, and the insurance companies will receive a les-son by which they may profit in the future. Reported Short in Accounts.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 19 .- [Special THE BEE.]-C. H. Myers, public examiner, has just completed inspection of the records in the office of the clerk of courts of this county. He reports that Clerk Thorne is about \$1,000 short. Mr. Thorne asserts that he is not short, and says the examiner has not made his reckonings according to law.

KILLED THEIR COMPANION.

Missouri Boys at Springfield Engage in Very Questionable Sport. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 19.—Charles Willis, 12 years old, was shot and killed tonight while being initiated into a secret society composed of youngsters whose ages run from 12 to 15 years. The society was called the "S. S. S. S." the letters standing for the Seven Secret Slient Shades. The boys' minds had evidently become in-

flamed by blood-and-thunder literature. They had a cave in the outskirts of the city, the walls of which were hung with pistols, old muskets, a few swords and other war-like arrangements. Today Lewis Barker and Thomas Winters, two leading spirits in the S. S. S. S. induced young Willis to join the band. He consented and was formally initiated after being blindfolded. When the ceremony was about over young Barker pointed a pistol at the Willis boy with the intention of scaring him. Just as the bandage was jerked from the eyes of Willis,

Barker pulled the trigger and Willis fell with a bullet in his heart.

The entire S. S. S. S. was arrested, but most of them declined to say anything concerning the killing, as to do so was contrary to their oaths. Some of them, however, were frightened into telling enough of the occurrence to enable the coroner's jury to bring in a verdict of acci-

dental death. TORONTO BURGLAR LOCATED.

Canadian Officials Make an Interesting Discovery While Visiting Denver. DENVER, Nov. 19 .- Detectives Joseph Patry and Thomas Walsh of the Quebec, Can., provincial police arrived here today for the purpose of returning to Quebec Louis M. Carrier, the grain dealer who several months ago swindled the Canadian Pacific railway out of about thirty carloads

They visited the county jail this afterioon, and while looking at the prisoners discovered a man who, about two years ago robbed the store of a wealthy-Chinese mer chant of Toronto named Wong Foo, securing \$30,000, which the Chinaman had locked in Wong Foo resisted and was almost The man's name is Louis Plante, and he has been a fugitive from justice ever

On September 12 last Plante nearly murgered his mistress in this city, and is now serving a six months sentence for it. The Toronto robbery caused a great sensation at the time, and Plante was traced to Chicago, where his trail was lost. Officers Batry and Walsh say that they will apply for extra-dition papers and secure Plante when he is released from the Denver jail. Plante refused to talk on the subject other than to say that the detectives were mistaken. The latter, however, are positive that they are right.

PEIXOTO'S NEW SHIPS. Captain of the Nictheroy Ready to Proceed to Brazil at Once. NEW YORK, Nov. 19.-Brazilian Minister Mendonca, accompanied by his secretary and a small party of friends, visited the Nictheroy today as she swung at anchor in the bay. Minister Mendonca expressed himself to-

night as thoroughly satisfied with every-theng that had been done. "To refit the steamer in so short a time," ne said, "was, I think, a wonderful piece of American enterprise."
The captain of the Nictheroy will sail under sealed orders. Tonight Minister Mendonca was of the opinion the yessel would sail be-

was of the opinion the vesses would sait of the opinion. He is satisfied that the boats which were going from this country to Brazil would reach their destination without trouble. He, however, is of the opinion that if the Niotheroy chances to meet one Mello's vessels, such as the Aquidaban, she would be sunk by the rebel ship. Any such thing is not likely, however, for the Nietheroy will do her best to keep out of the way.

The second cruiser of the new Brazilian fleet will, according to Minister Mendonea, be ready to sail the latter part of this week

Not Allowed to Register. San Francisco, Nov. 19.-Four Chinese who applied at the office of the collector of internal revenue yesterday were not allowed to register, as no instructions to issue cirtifi cates have been rectary of the treasury. been received from the secre-

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CANNOT FIGHT IN FLORIDA

Governor Mitchell Determined to Stop the Jacksonville Proceedings.

JIM AND CHARLEY ARE STILL SAFE

Chief Executive of the State of Flowers Says He Will Not Telerate the Lawlessness of a Prize Fight in Itis Domain,

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Nov. 19 - A special from Tallahassee to the Times-Union says: Governor Mitchell said, in reference to the Corbett-Mitchell fight; "I had noped and believed that my instructions to the sheriff of Duvall county to prevent the fight in Jacksonville would be sufficient warning to cause the parties promoting the fight to desist, but if my information is correct the parties interested are inclined to defy the state authorities to the end that Fiorida will be disgraced by a. prize fight. But this shail not be done until every power of the state is exhausted in efforts to prevent it, and any officer whose duty it is to prevent this disgrace to our civilization and to the state and who fails to do his whole duty in the premises, will be most summarily dealt with. I shall issue a proclamation directing every sheriff to do his utmost to prevent the fight coming off in this state and appealing to the people in the several counties to co-operate with the shoriffs in saving them and their state from such a disgrace

Saturday Kicking Matches. SALINA, Kas., Nov. 19.—The second foot ball contest between the elevens of Abilene

and Kansas Wesleyan university yesterday was won by the Wesleyaus by a score of 4

POUGHEREPSIE, N. Y., Nov. 19.—The foot ball game between the Military team and the Princton eleven yesterday resulted 34 to 4 in favor of the collegiates. Killed in a Foot Bull Game. Tolebo, Nov. 19.-Raymond Carew, balf

back of the Toledo High school foot bail team, was caught in a jam at a game in Adrian, Mich., Saturday. A score of players piled on top of him, and his neck was dislocated. He died this afternoon. Muldoon Easily Beaten.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 19.-The Greeco-Roman match at the Palace theater last night between Martin Muldoon and Tom Connors resulted in favor of Conners. Muldoon agreed to throw Conners twice in sixty minutes and he failed to get one fail.



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