THE OMAILS OF THE PRESENT PROBUERS OF LEGIS

Gathering of the North and South Railway

Enthusiasts at Topeka. OF GREAT IMPOSTANCE TO FARMERS

Plans of Construction Proposed and Provision for Securing Funds Suggested -School Districts to Be Interested.

Topega, Dec. 5 .- The adjourned meeting of the gulf and interstate railroad convention which was to have met at Representative hall at to o'clock this morning did not materialize, but a few enthusiwere gathered around Presinats dent Close at the governor's office about the hour the convention should have been called to order. Every one present was positive that the noon trains would bring in a larger attendance and that by after noon, the convention could be called to order

with several states at least represented. Judge Foster of Marion, who is a Kansas delegate to the convention, was the first to call at the executive office to inquire what time and at what place the convention would assemble. No one seemed to know anything about it, except that it would be held at Representative hall when enough delegates got together to do any business, but the opinion prevailed that a majority of the delegates would not be in attendance. This morning only one state was represented, dissouri, which sent up a delegate from

Kansas City.

The only officer present is Vice President The only officer present is vice President Tollinger of Iowa. Only seven delegates had reported up to 10:45, six of whom were from Kansas City. Ten states should be represented according to the call issued from Lincoln. If enough delegates can be secured to constitute a convention, ways and means will be discussed as to construc tion, cost and equipment of the proposed north and south road from Omaha to the

As the noon hour approached the seven delegates filed into the big Representative hall reinforced by Alonzo J. Wardeli of North Dakota, one of the enthusiasts who had just stared out of countenance by the great array of vacant chairs as he rapped the convention to the convention to order. State house of-ficials, a janitor or two, and several citizens swelled the audience to twenty-three, J. (Hibbard, for a time Senator Peffer's private Some objection was made because he was Some objection was made because he was not a delegate, but this was overruled by a pacifying remark from President Close:
"This is everybody's convention, and eligibility does not enter into it."

"This scheme," said the chairman, jump-ing into the middle of the question, and somewhat startled at the echo of his introductory words, "is bound to succeed. It will help the farmers more than any other thing. We can build and equip the road for \$10,000 a mile, and save in five years in freights enough to cover the total. I have received scores of letters from We can build and equip the road for men in this country and Europe urging forward the enterprise. I have here letters from Copenhagen, saying that sev-eral ships have been built by a firm which seeks to co-operate with us and carry the freight from the gulf to the world's foreign markets. This convention is nonpolitical Six delegates present at the opening out of eight were populists, it was called by a republican governor; it is a move of the peo

Alonzo J. Wardell spoke enthusiastically in the same strain. The convention ad-journed till 2:30. A number of delegates came in on the noon trains.

In the afternoon the attendance had in-creased to about fifty. Among the late arrivals were four delegates from Nebraska one from Texas and one from Missour Others are looked for on later trains. N men of national prominence have appeared. The convention has no fixed order of bus-Every delegate who has any in formation to give is permitted to speak, the object being to hold back the business until the Texas trains arrive in the expectation that ex-Governor Ireland or ex-Governor Hubbard will come. H. E. Keefer of Kansas City, Mo., read a long essay on the subject of food production in the west and railroad charges.

A committee on resolutions was appointed, consisting of R. C. Bradshaw and J. H. Whetstone of Kansas, C. J. Russell and E. Steddard of Nebraska, H. A. Keefer and H. M. Drake of Missouri, M. H. Kempton of Texas and A. Wardell of South Dakota. At the evening session the committee re

ported a series of resolutions embrac-ing a plan for building a single track railroad from Canada to the Gulf of Mexico. The plan provides for a board of eleven provisional directors, one from each state through which the road is to pass, this board to have full charge of the preliminary work, for which they are to re ceive legitimate expences and \$3 per day for services. It is made the duty of the board to proceed at once to receive necessary charters, procure right of way and establish a bureau of information. The board is empowered to build the road at the lowest possible cost, the ownership to continue in the hands of the directors as trustees and under no circum stances to be transferred to a corporation a private individual, but it is provided that the government may at any time purchase the road at actual cost. Money is to be pro-vided by popular issue of construction bonds ats of \$4 each and multiples therec up to \$1,000, the bonds to run forty years at 5 per cent interest. They are first to be offered to the school funds of the several states in-terested, and if not disposed of in that way they are to be sold in open market to the best possible advantage. The plan also pro vides that upon completion of the road only such freight and passenger tariffs shall be charged as will pay the actual expenses of operation and interest

provides for lateral lines upon the same con ditions wherever a reasonable and general d exists.

The delegates discussed the report of the committee for some time, the discussion finally drifting into a general denunciation of railroad corporations, legislatures and

NOTICE.

The first series coupons will be run all of this week, so as to enable those subscribers who were not able to somre the full set last week, to secure the first portfolio. Those subscribers who have brought or sent in the six coupons published last week will not need to cut those of this week. Next Monday we begin publishing series two and each series from that time on will be printed only for one week, making every coupon necessary to secure portfolio No. 2 and all others following.

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ART PORTFOLIO DEP'T., Bee Office, Omaha.

FROM OMAHA TO THE GULF | courts. The further consideration of the report was deferred until tomorrow morning

MACLEOD ANSWERS ACCUSERS. Denies Most of the Charges and Admits

Some Irregularities. The Macleod investigating committee of the Board of Education held a short meeting last night. Macleod was represented by A. S. Churchill, and the new attorney for the board contended with him on legal technical

The charges against Macleod were read and he had prepared an answer as follows: He denied purchasing any building material without the authority of the board,

but admitted certain irregularities. He admitted that he had not kept a com plete record of all the transactions of his office, but alleged that he did keep an accurate account of the money paid to all the help he employed, He denied all the specifications and

He denied ever receiving any communication from the board regarding his actions and denied the right of any committee to limit his actions, as stated in the accusing He denied selling any stone without the

charges as made in article iii of the charges

authority of the board, but admits that he sold three stoves and some desks, the proceeds of which sales he turned over to board. The sales were made under the di-rection of a committee from the board. He denied each and every charge con-ained in specifications 6, 7 and 8. He admitted that he employed one Gar-

rahty as a common laborer, but says that he never violated any rules of the board in He denied that he ever made any charges against Matt Ganlen without just cause. He claims to have acted honestly in all his

The board discussed the best method of taking evidence and adjourned until Friday

TWO HORSES BURNED.

best interests of the school board.

Several Little Blazes Keep Firemen on the

Itun. The fire department was called out for the fifth time yesterday about 9:30 p. m. A two-story barn, situated in the rear of 1219 Chicago street, was found to be in flames. The building, a frame structure, was totally consumed and with it two horses and a quantity of hay belonging to L. Levy. An adjoining small frame dwelling was slightly scorched. The loss on the barn, which was owned by Mrs. R. L. Lucas, is estimated at \$150, and on the animals and contents at the same sum, all covered by insurance.

Another alarm was turned in about the same time from the Exposition building, Some person noticed steam escaping through the roof and notified the department. proved to be nothing more than escaping

Earlier in the evening a fire originated through the overturning of a lamp at 710 North Fifteenth street, in a frame cottage occupied by M. Gilligan. The fire was extinguished after doing damage to the extent of \$25 to the furniture.

About 6 o'clock the floor of a house Thirty-ninth street between Farnam and Douglas caught fire from coals falling from a stove. No damage resulted.

James Pinkerton, an 18-year-old paper carrier, met with a coasting accident on Twenty-second street last night in which called and reduced the fracture.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

L. P. Kraus of Beatrice is a city visitor. J. B. Ragan of Sidney is a guest in the F. G. Wilson of Derver is at the Bruns

J. B. Van Morehead of Albion, Neb., is in W. L. Fairbrother came up from Lincoln

A. D. Sears of Grand Island is stopping at the Murray. Robert Yates of Yankton is registered at

R. C. Peters of West Point, Nob., 15 visit-D. W. Van Cott left for Chicago last even ing on business.

N. S. Harding of Nebraska City is in the city on business. C. L. Brockmeyer of Minneapolis is an arrival at the Dellone.

Thomas Stark, a prominent stockman of Ramah, Colo., is in the city. Marshal K. Sherwood and wife of Chicago are among the arrivals at the Murray,
W. H. Coleman of Indianapolis, Ind., is

autographed on the Paxton register. John D. Carson of Geneva, Neb., is making he Millard hotel his headquarters while in the city.

Charles J. Francis, who halls from a town called Crazy Woman, Wyo., is a guest at the J. S. Hatfield, state president of American Protective association, is at the

Merchants. J. C. Irwin, Alexander Stewart and F. H. Langley of North Platte are registered at the Merchants. J. G. Tate of Hastings, a prominent mem

ber of the Ancient Order of United Works men, is at the Millard. L. C. Spooner, E. H. Gary, A. L. Upton G. L. Rice, G. D. Hogan and J. J. Tobs con-

stitute an eminent legal and commercial ar ray of Chicagoans at the Millard. Among the well known commercial pil grims in the city yesterday were P.J. Goerner of St. Louis, M. Stratton, jr., of New York, George D. Headrick of Cincinnati and H. A. Anderson of Boston.

Mrs. George A. Bennett left for Beatrice yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs Curley, who during her life was a member of the grand lodge of the Daughters of Re bekah, of which for a number of years Mrs. Bennett has been the grand president. Mrs. Mattie Blackwell of Muscatine, Ia. has removed to Omaha, and will make her

future home in this city. She and her son, Mr. Warren Blackwell, the real estate man, are at present living at 3202 Woolworth avenue, but are building a handsome home on Farnam street near Thirty-sixth street. Among the state arrivals at local hotels yes-Among the state arrivals at local notes yes-terday were the following: George J. Spohn of Superior, M. C. Brainerd, J. Webster, E. R. Hord, F. L. Harris, W. L. Fairbrother, John D. Flintger, R. L. Stewart of Lincoln, J. O. Irvine, W. H. Johnson, Alex Stewart, J. H. Langley of North Platte, W. M. Wor-ley, D. A. Lavie, S. V. Marshed, of Albien J. H. Langley of North Platte, W. M. Worley, D. A. Lewis, S. V. Morebead of Albion, J. V. Coupai of Blair, E. M. T. Leffang of Lexington, N. S. Harding of Nebraska City, H. Chamberlain and R. W. Oliver of Kearney, John C. Spreckel of Schuyler, G. H. Spearman of McCook, J. C. Crawford of West Point, C. H. Sloan, F. Doristhrope and J. C. Carson of Geneva, P. D. Derrey, W. H. Haven and J. C. Cleland of Fremont, A. H. Gould of Ashland, D. C. Hudson of Papillion, E. P. Mumland, D. C. Hedsen of Papillion, E. P. Mum-ford of Beatrice, P. H. Jussen of Falls City, E. P. Mever of Ogalalla and Samuel Chapman of Plattsmouth.

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At the Mercer: E. R. Deming, W. L. Paul, Lincoln; J. B. Bushnetl, Minneapolis; J. W. Snank, A. Riddel, G. W. Randall, H. G. Streight, city; Ed G. N. Tresuss, H. D. Kelly, Chicago; N. McDonald, H. L. Cann, Gus Moser, Dr. A. S. Kranzshoe, St. Louis; R. M. Dehavalade, Denver; S. S. English and wife, Eagle, Neb.; W. L. Welsh, Council Bluffs.

New York, Dec. 5.—(Special Telegram to The Ber.]—Omaha: Mrs. H. T. Lemist, Albemarle; H. H. Clark, J. A. Munros, G. F. MacDonald, Windsor; J. M. Kenney, Broad-way Central. Kearsey, Neb.: R. Gamble, Westminster.

LUCAL BEEFITIES.

Charles Cuming and Lewis Slobodinisky were fined \$100 each yesterday for violating the Slocomb liquor law.

Edgar Howard, editor of the Papillion Times, has been indicted by the federal grand jury for sending obscene literature through the mails, the objectionable matter

Charles Howard, for petit larceny, Vaughn Hazen, for larceny from the person, and James Smith, for burghry, were arraigned in the police court yesterday afternoon. They pleaded not gullty and their trials were set for today.

and Savings Bank.

PRESIDENT TOLMAN'S CLAIMS DISPUTED

Capital Stock Doubled but No New Money Paid In-Kansas City Capitalists Charged with Grand Larceny.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5 .- William M. Robertson was appointed receiver for the Chicago Trust and Savings bank this afternoon. This action was the outcome of a regular meeting of the board of directors held today. The directors passed a resolution that Tolman, the president, had mismanaged the affairs of the bank and converted large sums of money belonging to the bank by transferring large amounts of commercial paper that were uncollectable and using the money of the bank to further his individual interests. In 1885 the capital stock was increased from \$5,000 to \$250,000, fully paid up. The bill states that in 1886 the capital stock was increased to \$500,000, but that no new capital was paid in, each of the stockholders being given a double amount of stock. Several months ago the stockholders decided to quit business and divide the stock among themselves In conformity with this business was stopped and for several months the bank has been paying off its depositors. The bill then sets forth that President Tolman has informed the directors that he is an unpaid depositor of the bank to the amount of \$175,009; that his brother, S. A. Tolman, is an unpaid depositor also to the amount of \$25,000; that there is about \$20,000 owing to sayings depositors and that the entire assets consist of a little over \$500,000. The amount Mr. Tolman is credited with consists of notes and bills receivable, a large amount of which is past due and uncollectable, and it is doubtful if the stockholders will receive anything when the business is settled up. The directors, claim that Tolman has grossly mismanaged the concern and that there is no money due

CHARGED WITH GRAND LARGENY.

Officers of the Continental Trust Company Arrested at Kaneas City. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 5 .- Warrants for the arrest of George S. Toulmin, president of the suspended Continental Trust company, and Horace S. Linn, vice president and treasurer of the same institution, were issued this afternoon on complaint of County Prosecutor Marcy K. Brown. They are charged with the crime of grand larceny by receiving a deposit of \$788 while they knew that their company was in an insolvent con

The appraisement of the bank's assets show that the chief debtors of the bank at the time of its fadure were Directors Linn. Toulmin and Hoffman, Their indebtedness as evidenced by their notes, amounted to al-most the full amount of the deposits, which were about \$115,000. Since the both Toulmin and Linn have deeded prop erty to Assignee Young as further security of their debts. The property turned in by Toulmin is said to be heavily incumbered and that turned in by Linn is stated to be of small value.

small value.

The appraisers were John W. Byers and James H. Chandler. Their appraisement is somewhat surprising in view of the fact that depositors have received only 3 percent of their deposits. It places a total valuation on the assets of \$115,820.20. The notes, among which are Toulmin's, Linn's and Hoffman's are appraised at \$99,734.90, overdrafts at \$5.478.41 real central accuracy. overdrafts at \$5,478.41, real estate coupons at \$2,097, checks, drafts and currency at \$2,604.06, stocks at \$2,900 and furniture and ixtures in the Massachusetts building at

Mortgage Company Reorganized. KANSAS CITY, Dec. 5 .- H. M. Beardsley, attorney for the receivers of the Jarvis-Conklin Mortgage Trust company, says the reorganization committee of the company is nearly completed. The committee will consist of seven members, four from the United States and three from Great Britain. Five have been chosen and the other two will be selected probably this week. Those already named are: R. L. Austin, president of the independence National bank of Philadelphia; A. C. Barstow, president of the Mechanics Sayings bank of Providence, R. I.; Samuel M. Jarvis of New York, J. Arthur Binns, official receiver in ruptcy, Bradford, England, and McLean chartered accountant, Glasgow

The accountant firm of Barrow, Wade, Guthrie & Co. of New York has been going over the books. The accounts have all been found regular and no misrepresentations not falsifications have been made

Patture Caused by Emberglement NEW YORK, Dec. 5.-N. J. Schloss & Co. manufacturers of and dealers in clothing, have assigned in favor of Simon Wolf, with preferences to a large number of creditors. The liabilities are said to be over \$500,000 with assets considerably below that amount. The firm's bookkeeper, J. H. Louis, is in custody, charged with embezzlement. Louis has been in the employ of the firm for eigh teen years. He received a large salary, in addition to a portion of the firm's profits An examination of his books was begun this afternoon, but no statement has been given out yet. It is claimed his books will show shortage of over \$70,000.

Hot Springs Bank Closed. Hot Springs, S. D., Dec. 5.- Special Tele gram to THE BEE. !- Creditors of the Minne kahta State bank have asked that a receiver be appointed for that institution, and its doors have been closed. President Englesby states that the assets are ample to cover liabilities, but refuses to give out any figure of its condition. A receiver will be appointed

MELLO IS RINGLEADER.

Bishop Newman's View of the Troubles in Brazil. An audience of 800 at the First Methodist ohurch last evening heard Bishop Newman deliver a lecture on "South America.

Mayor Bemis presided.

After speaking of the wonderful resources of the southern continent, its climatic dvantages and its commercial possibilities the bishop referred to the present revolution in Brazil. He said that Martinez, who makes his headquarters at Rio Grande do Sul, was really the central figure. Mello and

other leaders were merely tools in his hands. Martinez he regarded as the prime mover in a colossal conspiracy that had been formed for the purpose of over-throwing the existing government of Brazil throwing the existing government of and substituting a government similar to the one now existing in England. Martine wanted a king and parliament shaped on this

Bishop Newman said that Martinez bore striking resemblance to Charles Summer and was a brainy man who would eventually succeed in his designs. The speaker then praised Pat Egan, saying

that he was a spiendid diplomat and the right man in the right place at the right time. He also spoke in commendable terms of all ex-President Harrison's appointed to positions in South American capitals. The bishop said with emphasis that England bishop said with emphasis that England was seeking to control the financial policy of South America, but would never control or dictate the finances of America.

After the lecture Bishop Newman was entertained by Mr. Paul at the Paxton. The bishop will leave for Macon. Mo. today. After delivering a lecture at that place he will proceed to Scranton, Pa., where he will dedicate a church.

Too Rough for the Marblehead. New London, Conn., Dec. 5 .- There little probability the Marblehead's trial will take place tomorrow, the flerce storm of snow and wind removing all chances of

getting the course ready. They Wadt a Party Lally. A people's party meeting, at which Mr. J. C. Monninger presided, and under the PREPARING FOR THE FIGHT

RESULT OF MISMANAGEMENT

at Knights of Labor hall league, was held at Kn Omaha with a capital of from \$10,000 to \$20,000, and it was suggested that the Popu-list be taken off Mr. Brewster's hands, who willing to sell out. Those willing to shares of \$10 each in a company to be formed, but the appeal was without results.

SENATE DISCUSSES HAWAII

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the committee to take up the tariff question immediately. It has been supposed the question would be allowed to rest in this state until the Wilson bill should be passed by the house of representatives and re-ported to the senate in the regular order of

Mr. Voorhees, as chairman of the committee of the meeting today, brought up the subject and gave it as his opinion the condi-tion of the business interests of the country is such that the committee should use all expedition possible in the consideration of the question, so as to be able to report to the senate on the bill at the earliest possi-ble day after the bill comes over, to the end it may be soon reported and passed upon by the senate at the carliest practicable time He suggests that, with the view of accom plishing this purpose, the members of the majority of the committee should begin at once to hold daily meetings. There was no opposition to this course, It is understood the republican members

coincided in the idea that it would be best to have the bill reported as soon as it can be without passing lightly over any of the mat

Plans to Make Up the \$60,000,000 Deficit The decision of the ways and means committee not to take up the tariff bill till Mon-day leaves the time for its being reported to the house in great doubt. When the com-mittee takes it up next Monday there will be a general discussion, and the republicans may decide to offer amendments. The dem ing, and, while no agreement has been reached, there seems to be a tacit under-standing that the bill, even if reported be-fore the holidays, will not now be called up for consideration until after the holiday re

cess.
The committee has made comparisons and estimates which show the deficiencies created by the Wilson bill will be about 80,000,000 a year. This is in addition to the deficiency now existing, but the estimates are that the differences in the revenue under the new bill will be \$60,000,000, and it is to make up this amount the committee will direct itself in the preparation of increase of internal revenue taxes. Between now and next Monday the majority members of the committee will prepare a measure for making up the deficit.

Petroleum on the Free List.

Mr. Dalzell of Pennsylvania, a member of the committee, raised a point today which will be considered by the committee. The new bill puts petroleum on the free list. The present law does not include petroleum, out it is classed as distilled oil.

Mr. McMillin says it was the intention of the committee to place petroleum on the free list. Mr. Dalzell says if this is done it will

break every oil man in his state. Tariff Rates with Mexico.

St. Louis is moving upon congress for a readjustment of the tariff rates between this country and Mexico, as evidenced by peti-tions presented in the senate today by Senator Vest. One comes from the Merchant's Exchange and the other from the Spanish club of St. Louis, and sets forth that the present government of Mexico is friendly disposed toward the United States and urges the importance of reciprocal trade remodified as to permit this, and if it cannot be done, a commission be appointed on the part of the United States to deal with a similar committee on the subject.

Senator Cullom introduced today a bill providing that the facilities to be afforded y one railroad to another shall include the due and reasonable receiving, forwarding and delivery of freight traffic at through rates and providing the regulations under which this provision shall be enforced.

State Bank Tax. The banking and currency committee had quite a spirited meeting today. During the discussion it developed that there was con siderable disappointment among those fav-oring the repeal of the state bank tax because the president said nothing on the subject in his message. Mr. Johnson is re-ported as having said there was nothing furported as maning saturated the for this committee to do and thought it might as well lock up and go home. Nevertheless, the committee decided to go on with the consideration of some bill for repealing the tax and will meet Friday for that pur Chairman Springer said this afternoon

that it is doubtful if a state bank bill will be reported. Items of Interest at the Capitol. Commodore Stanton, who was relieved from the command of the naval forces at Rio on account of saluting Mello's flag, is in

the city and had a conference with Secretary Herbert during the afternoon. H politely refused to be interviewed. The vice president today laid before the senate a communication from A. B. Williams. chairman of the Utah commission, detailin the proceedings by which the Industria Christian home was transferred to that umission by the board of management The commission now recommends it to be

sed for federal offices. Bids were opened today for supplying 10,000 pounds of smokeless powder. The only western bidder was Bernard Peyton, Santa Croz. Cal., at \$1.25 per pound. The lowest bidder was the Leonard Smokeless Powder company, New York City, at 8 cents per pound.

Delegate Rawlins of Utah has introduced a bill to extend the time of making proof on desert lands for five years. The expenditure of \$1 per acre on the land for the year 1894 is also suspended.

The Hilinois delegation in congress met today to arrange for the unveiling of the Shields statue, which takes place tomorrow

afternoon in Statuary hall. Both houses of congress will probably take part in the cere Mr. Bland of Missouri today introduced new free coinage bill. It repeals that part of the act of 1873 which prevents the coin-age of silver dollars and re-enacts the law of 1837 providing for the coinage of silver

dollars of 4123 grains. It is understood that Mr. Bland will call the committee on coinage, weights and measures together at an early day to consider a silver bill, and he expects an absolute free comage bill will be reported to the

Mr. Catchings of Mississippi introduced bill by request containing eight iong sections which would entirely regulate the currency, but which will probably not be considered by the house.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Fifteenth Street theater last evening "The Crust of Society" was presented to a much larger audience than on the previous evening. The company presenting this play is one of the very best that has ever been seen in this city at anytheater, and as the quality of the entertainment furnished becomes better known the audiences will undoubtedly be very much increased in size. Commencing to-morrow evening and for the barance of the week Miss Elita Progator Otis will enact the role of Mrs. Eastlake Chapel, and Miss Zeflic Tilbury will appear as Mrs. Ernestina Echo. The dresses worn by the ladies are marvels even in this era of extravagant stage costuming and are among the finest ever seen on the stage in this city.

Boss McKane's Case Continue t. NEW YORK. Dec., 5 .- The cases against ohny McKane and others, charged with in timidation of voters and contempt of court on election day at Gravesend, were continued today, the defense submitting testimony to the effect that the injunction issued by Justice Barnard restraining them from interference at the polls had not been served upon them, and that those that they had re-fused admission to the polls were acting in a

disorderly manuer.

Justice Barnard adjourned the hearing until Thursday morning, to give the defense time to prepare affidavits against the new matter set up in the affidavits read by Mr.

Jacksonville Getting Ready to Entertain Jem and Charles in Proper Style.

SUPPLEMENTING THE MARQUIS' RULES

City Council Passes an Ordinance Regulat

ing Glove Contests and Prescribing

the Conditions for Carrying

on the Manly Sport.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 5.-This evening the city council met and an ordinance permitting glove contests passed its second reading, only one councilman opposing it. The ordinance provides that contestants will have to use five-ounce gloves, and contests shall be under the supervision of the chief of police. No limit is placed on the number of rounds. Promoters of the contests are re-

quired to pay the city \$25 as license; penalty

for violation of the ordinauce is \$200 fine. Delaney and McVey, who will train Corbett for his coming fight with Mitchell accompanied by a party of local sports, went down to Mayport, at the mouth of St. Johns river, today to see what advantages that point possessed for training quarters. They returned tonight to this city and expressed themselves as highly pleased with Mayport They think that it would make an ideal training place. Before deciding, however, they will vis it St. Augustine and Ormonde

WILL MEET THE BRITISHERS.

Philadelphia Cricketers to Play the Crack Amateur Teams of England. LONDON, Dec. 5 .- At a largely attended meeting of the secretaries of the county cricket clubs at Lord's cricket ground Sec retary Alcock, who presided, said that the Philadelphia team of gentiemen players pro pose to visit England in 1894. Mr. Alcock added that the playing of the Phila delphia cricketers was well and most favorably known, that they would pay their own expenses and that they did not want a share of the gate money. Eleven matches were proposed for the Philadelphians, including meetings with the Oxford University, Cambridge Univer-sity, Gentlemen of England, Gentlemen of Ireland and Gentlemen of Scotland elevens

Sale of Thoroughbreds. LEXINGTON, Dec. 5 .- This was the opening day of the Woodard & Shanklin sale of thoroughbreds and the sixty-five horses sold brought \$29,250. The following are some of

Alva, b. c., by Hindoo, dam Alpena, by King Alfonso, T. W. Coulter, \$1,500, Alonzo, b. g., 2, by Fonso, dam Falerno, by Longfellow, U.W. Sellers, city, \$1,125. Irish Chief, b. c., by Longfellow, dam Bay-bee, by Imp. Billet, Ed Corrigan, Chicago, \$3375. C. A. Rosa, br. f., 3, by Tremont, dam L'Ava, by Imp. Australian, Fitz Hughes, Chicago, \$3,550.

Otanny, b. f., by Onandaga, dam Miss High, Ed Corrigan, \$1,825. Semper Rex, ch. c., by Lela P, dani La Philde, by Fellowcraft, O. H. Culbertson, St. Paul, Minn., \$1,200. Paul, Minn., \$1,200.
Sister Anita, ch. f., 2, by Buchanan, dam Butterfly, by Bramble, C. R. Jaynes, \$1,000.
Bay colt by Imp. Deceiver, dam Elspa, by Warwick, C. Strauss, Lexington, \$1,025.

Put Off the Allx Case. CHICAGO, Dec. 5 .- The board of directors of the American Trotting association met here today. The celebrated case, growing out of the free-for-all trot at Washington park, which Alix won, and in which Pixley was given second money, was continued until the meeting in May, 1894. A half dozen charges of crookedness have been made in regard to this race, one of them being that Curry, the driver of Alix, was offered \$2,500 to drop the fifth heat. Dickerson, the driver of Pixley, is charged with having deliberately fouled Alix in the fifth heat, after Curry had declined to pull Alix up. Walker, who drove Ryland T, is also accused of foul

the race. Several cases of minor importance were disposed of. Something Wrong with Yo Tambien, MEMPHIS, Dec. 5 .- George Hankins, the horseman, arrived from Chicago yesterday, accompanied by Veterinary Surgeon J. A. Boveat, who proceeded to make an examination of Yo Tambien. The result was com-municated to Mr. Hankins, who, when questioned, said the report was such as to decide him not to buy the horse at the price asked,

Further inquiry developed that there was something about the horse's left knee and hip which Mr. Hankins did not like, but when questioned he refused to say more than that he did not feel warranted in pay ing so much as \$18,000 for the animal.

Very Complete Knockout. CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 5 .- Johnny Flynn of Chicago and Charlie Johnson of St. Paul fought a bloody seven-round battle for a purse of \$600 before a strictly select party at an early hour this morning. In the first two rounds Flynn had decidedly the best of it, but from that on Johnson pounded him severely, scoring four clean knockdowns and finally putting his antagonist so thoroughly to sleep that he did not come to for nearly ten minutes, and the promoters of the fight The men weighed in at 142 pounds.

Suing for Stake Money. TERRE HAUTE, Dec. 5 .- The owners of Lady Robert, who wen first money, \$12,000, in the 4-year-old \$25,000 stake at the August meeting, brought suit today for the money A protest was offered at the time that Lady Robert was 3 years old and not eligible and the Agricultural society later decided to refuse payment. The owner of Break o' Day, wh won second money, also sued today, as pay ment was refused because of alleged in proper entry. The case will be fought out before the National Trotting association and also in the courts.

Want the Fight in France. London, Dec. 5.-The Sportsman's corre spondent at Paris says a number of French sporting men have subscribed £4,000 as an inducement to Mitchell and Corbett to come to France and box either in Paris or Nice in the month of January. The correspondent adds that representatives of the boxers are on their way to New York to arrange de-

May Chattenge the Cup Again. LONDON, Dec. 5 .- A rumor was published that the Royal Irish Yacht club had decided to challenge for the America's cup. was made at Dublin, but nothing could be learned there concerning it.

Left to a Subcommittee.

A meeting of a joint committee from the

Board of Education and from the Board of

Health was held yesterday afternoon to discuss the Smead system of closets and ventifation in the Kellom school.

The matter was discussed in all its generalities and upon motion of President Powell of the Board of Education a subcommittee. consisting of Dr. Somers, Mr. Rosewater, Mr. Tilly, Dr. Milroy and Mr. Turner was pointed to make a thorough investigation of the annitary condition of the school, and to make a report to the joint committee in the near future. The modern opposed any The members of the school changing the closet system, at present, at least, while the health commissioner and members of the Board of Health contended that the system was detri-

mental to the health of the school children Bishop Payne's Funeral. BALTIMORE, Dec. 5.-Funeral services were held here today over the remains of the late Bisl.op Daniel A. Payne of the African Methodist Episcopai church. The body lay in state yesterday, and thousands of colored citizens of Baltimore viewed it. remains were interred in Laurel

cemetery. Brutal Robbers Sentenced. Pirrsnong, Dec. 5 .- The five masked robbers who brutally tortured and robbed old Mrs. Logan at Coroapolis, Pa., a few weeks

ago, pleaded guilty when brought into court today and were seateneed to the penitentiary, the combined sentences aggregating fifty-nine years. The young men were well known, held responsible positions and pre-viously bore good reputations. It has been learned since, however, that they were engaged in numerous other mysterious robber-ies in western Pennsylvania last summer.

TRIED TO WRECK AN EXPRESS.

Onstardly Work of Train Robbers on the Penusylvania Railroad. Pirrenuno, Dec. 5.-It was learned today that an attempt was made at South Fork. Pa., on the Pennsylvania railway on Sunday night to wreck the Cincipnati and St. Louis express. The switch lock had been broken and the switch thrown open, but fortunately it was dis-covered by a track wasker ten minutes beore the train was due. The motive of the fiendish crime is not known, but it was probably robbery. The railroad authorities are making a thorough investigation and nothing will be left undone to bring the guilty parties to justice.

Labor Unions in Sestion. CINCINNATI, Dec. 5. - The sixth annual con vention of of the Journeymen Barbers Na-

tional union began its sessions here today with 150 delegates present. The barbers union now has a membership of 7,000. The apprentice question and the discouraging of 5-cent shops are questions to be considered.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Delegates to the International Mechanics union met at the Hotel
Morgan today. August Woldinger of union
No. 2, New York City, presided. Discussion
of the organization's financial status was led by Secretary William Morse of Brooklyn union No. 3. During the afternoon committees on credentials and other matters were

Arrest of Thieves.

BRAZIL, Ind., Dec. 5 .- For two years past the Indianapolis & Vincennes and Evansville & Indianapolis railroads have been re peatedly annoyed by having goods in transit stolen from their cars while standing on the tracks at Worthington, the crossing of the two lines. Their losses for the past twelve months aggregate \$12,000. tives were put to work who ferreted out and developed a condition of things which is a revelation and a sensation. As many as twenty-five thieves have been apprehended, among the number some heretofore reputable citizens of the place.

Granted Divorce from a Convict.

Pants, Ky., Dec. 5.-Mrs. Mary Clay was today granted a divorce from her husband. Hume Clay. He is the noted forger now serving a ten-year sentence in the peniten tiary for forging his grandfather's name to \$100,000 worth of checks and drawing money There are fifteen indictments against him

n Clark county and he will be tried on this when his time expires. The time in each indictment cannot be less than two years.

Ready to Try Annie Wagoner. Indianapolis, Dec. 5 .- A jury was finally

completed today in the Annie Wagoner poisoning case. The prisoner is being tried for murder by poison of Mrs. Clara Koes-ters, who died last winter. Her death was preceded by the deaths of four others of the Koesters family, and Miss Wagoner, who was a domestic in the family, is suspected of having poisoned all of them

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Five jurors have been secured in the Meyer case at New York. Twenty deaths in ten days from grip is the eport from Leavenworth Kansas City's case against the barbers who haved on Sunday was continued again. James Cunningham, a Knoxville, Tenn. bachelor, was found murdered yesterday

Evidence in the Allis trial at Little Rock, Ark., is all in and the arguments will commence today. Governor Northen of Georgia is presiding over the eleventh annual congress of the Southern Baptist church at Augusta, Ga. A receiver has been appointed for the Mc-Cormick Construction company, which has an \$800,000 contract on the Chicago drainage

canal.

Sixty thousand miners are affected by the decision of the joint convention of railroad and river operators of Pennsylvania to resist a reduction in pay.

From Salida, Colo., comes word that the convention of miners called by Governor Walte to meet there today will be a failure. There is no enthusiasm felt.

E. B. Treadwell, a bold and cunning crook, who is wanted in many eastern cities, has been convicted of robbing the Emporia, Kan., costoffice, and will go to the penitentiary. Adjustment of fire losses was the subject of a very animated discussion between adjustors chicago yesterday. No conclusion was reached.

Port C. H. Willoughby yesterday bought the Wisconsin building at the World's fair grounds, \$1,610 being his bid. He will move it to Sixty-seventh street and Stony Island avenue and occurs. to Sixty-seventh street and Stony Island avenue and occupy it.

At San Francisco the case against Dunn and McManus, charged with jury bribing in the case of Actor M. B. Curtis, was dismissed. The detendants say they will make a confession, implicating Curtis, his attorney and three jurors.

At Chicago yesterday about fifty representa-tives of the Window Glass trust met to wind up the affairs of the concern. As the trust was organized under the laws of Wisconsin the meeting adjourned to Milwaukee, where the necessary formalities were gone through with.

CLUBBED WITH A POKER.

Mother and Daughter Slain by a Son-ta-Law Who Wanted Their Cash. St. Joz, Pa., Dec. 5 .- A brutal double murder was committed a mile north of here this morning. Mrs. Martin, aged 25, and her mother, Mrs. Christian Hester, aged 60, were found at 8 o'clock by Mrs. Hester's son, who had returned home from a well he was pumping, lying in pools of blood. Mrs. Martin's skull was crushed and her throat cut from ear to ear and her mother's head had been crushed by a blow from a poker.

The murderer, Harper Whitmire, a son in-law who had been visiting his mother-in law, has not yet been apprehended, but the officers are after him. The object of the terrible deed was robbery and he secured

about \$200 from a trunk. WEATHER FORECASTS.

Nobraska Promised Fair Skies and Variable Winds for Today. Washington, Dec. 5,-For Nebraska-Generally fair; variable winds. For South Dakota-Fair; slightly warmer in extreme northeast portion; southwesterly vinds. For Iowa-Fair; warmer Wednesday

Local Record. OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA Dec. 5.—Omaha record of temperature and rainfall compared with corresponding day of past four years:

night: westerly winds.

Statement showing the condition of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for the day and since March 1, 1883: Reports from Other Stations at 8 p. m.

Max. Temperature at 8 p. m. STATIONS 00 Clear. 00 Clear. 00 Part cloudy T Part cloudy 00 Chear. 00 Chear. T Clear. North Platte. Valentine.... Louis. Paul. lt Lake City.

STRIKE TROUBLES NOT ENDED

Five Inches of Snow on the Tracks of the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

ENGINES WRECKED AND ENGINEER KILLED

Coal Operators Having Difficulty in Disposting of Lehigh Coal-Dealers Refuse to Handle it and Colliers Say

Orders Are Scarce.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 5.—Snow began falling here at 2 o'clock and at 6 this evening there were five inches on the level. This greatly impedes the running of trains on the Lightigh Valley road

There was a bad wreck at Sugar Notch this evening. Two engines were pulling a train up the mountain, when they collided with an empty engine. Two of the engines were badly wrecked and one of the engineers fatally injured. Inquiry at the headquarters of the strikers this afternoon reveals the fact that they are still buoyed op with the hope of winning the strike.

Chiefs Arthur, Sargent, Wilkinson and Clark of the federation this afternoon were called to Bethlehem. Chief Arthur was asked as to the object of his visit to Bethiehem at this time.

"Well, really, I cannot say," was the re

'Do you think the strike will be settled!" "Well, if, a little common sense prevails, I think it will."

Refuse to Handle Lehigh Coal. Porrsville, Pa., Dec. 5.-The Lehigh Valley's ousiness has fallen off fearfully. The coal operators are now having trouble in placing even the small shipments they are able to make, as many dealers refuse to handle Lehigh coal for fear of losing customers among workingmen, and the colliery people say orders are scarce.

Half a dozen coal and freight trains were sent out from Delano today, as against 107 in, busy times. Tonight's snow storm will make much trouble tomorrow.

Mass Meeting to befine Strikers' Position. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 5 .- Arrangements are being made to hold a public mass meeting of labor organizations, strikers and the general public within a few days, at which time the position of the strikers will be closely defined. On the main line today all passenger trains were running from eight to ten hours behind time.

HAZLETON, Pa., Dec. 5 .- The strike has assumed a new phase, in the shape of a movement on the part of the telegraphers, who closed up the most important offices between Delano and Hazleton. Today it is expected their ranks will be

the strikers' favor. Most of the men who quit last night are nonunion men and the strikers are confident of being able to induce others to leave their

Strikers Still Resolute.

largely increased. The situation is now in

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 5 .- The driving storm of today made the situation doubly dreary in the strike district. Only one mill received its full corps of hands, that being the Saxon, where a satisfactory settlement was reached Saturday. At the Weybosset, Saranac, Riverside and Providence National Worstad mills the strikers refused to return to work at the schedule of prices presented by the mill owners. The operatives declare they will remain out all winter if necessary to carry their point, while the mill owners say no further concessions will be made to the operatives. There is much suffering among

the strikers' families.

lows Miners Strike. DES Moines, Dec. 5.-Three hundred coal miners in the Des Moines district struck today against the proposed action of the operators in returning to a monthly pay day.

Might Be Too Warm a Place.

Paris, Dec. 5.-It is understood that the

consent of the Chinese to suzernin the buf-

fer state on the Mekong will depend upon

tute a difficulty in its control.

Mrs. J. N. Aughenbaugh Of Etters, Pa.

Blood Poisoning Intense Suffering II Years. Hood's Healed the Sore in Seven

Weeks-A Perfect Cure. "I will recommend Hood's Sarsaparila as first-class. It has proved its merits to us, Twelve years ago my wife was picking raspberries when she scratched herself on a brier, the wound from which soon developed into a terrible sore, between her knee and ankle. Not-with standing all we did for it, it continued dis-charging for eleven long years. We tried medi-cal skill on every side, with no effect. About a year ago she read of Hood's Sarsaparilla and concluded to try it herself, and while taking the first bottle she felt better and continued with it

Hood's Barsh Cures until today she is entirely well and better than ever. The sore was healed up in seven weeks. Her limb is perfectly sound. We attribute her cure entirely to Hood's Barsaparilia. JACOB N. AUGHENBAUGH, Etters, York Co., Ps.

Hood's Pills cure all Liver Itis, Billious-

AMUSEMENTS

pess Jaundice, Indigestion, Sick Headache

BOYD'S THURSDAY, DEC. 7. Matinee Saturday. 6-Perfor mances

Chinatown 15TH STREET THEATER.

THIS AFTERNOON AND TONIGHT. "A Great Play." "A Great Success. "The Crust of Society"

(ity special arrangement with Mr. John Stetson) Zeffic Tilbury, Arthur Lewis, Elita Proctor Otto First appearance at popular prices