DEMOCRATS ACTING ENTIRELY ALONE

Republicans Have Not Been Invited to Attend Any of the Secret Sessions Held by the Committee-Hale Will Discuss This.

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE BEE.

1407 F Street, N. W. WASHINGTON, July 12. The air about both houses was full of rumors as to what had been done by the tariff conference committee today. The most persistent of these rumors was that coal and iron ore were to be restored to the free list, as they were when the the bill passed the house. A thorough investigation revealed this story grew out of a story between members of the committee and senators and representatives connected with it, and while it had not been stated in these conversations the committee had agreed upon these changes, the outside members were given to understand this was the program, and that it was to be put into execution by the joint efforts of the house conferees and the two senator managers of the conference. The members of the committee spoken to on the subject after the adjourn-ment declared no action had been taken upon these two items, and they went so far as to declare they had not been even discussed. They made the same denial of that changes had been decided upon in the

Ever since the democratic members of the conference committee began their meetings last Monday, without inviting the republicans to be present, there has been mani-fested a disposition on the part of the re-publicans of both houses to criticise the partisan methods of proceeding, and this dis-satisfaction took shape today in the introduction by Senator Hale of a resolution call-ing attention to the failure of the democrats to call a full conference of democrats and republicans. Senator Hale said the resolution was the effect of an understanding among several republican senators. He expressed the opinion the resolution would develop an interesting debate in the senate

"This proceeding by the democratic con-rees is," he said, "unprecedented in the history of the country. The law says con-ferences between managers on the part of the two houses shall be full and free, and contemplates that they shall be held after the appointment of the managers. The meeting between the democratic senators and members is practically unofficial. We of this side of the chamber think we have a right to know what is being done with so important a measure as the tariff bill and have decided to make our opinion NEED OF A NEW PRINTING OFFICE.

In an elaborate article published in the July number of "Paper and Press," printed in Philadelphia, Judge S. R. Davis of Iowa presents a proposition which will undoubtedly become popular with the people of the country, particularly with the printers and publishers. The idea has already elicited a great deal of favorable comment from senators and representatives who have read the article. After an elaborate description of the present government printing office, which is as dangerous as it is unsightly, Judge Davis says:

Every member of the printer's craft in the country who is connected with any de-partment of the 'Art Preservative of All Arts' should insist that one of the noblest temples on the globe be creeted at the capital of the American republic, which would serve not only the purpose of a practical workshop from which to issue all the public printing, but as a stately monument to that noble art which more than any other has contributed to the advancement and progress

the appropriation for the Congressional Library, whose majestic proportions are now assuming symmetrical shape on Capitol hill. But without the printer's art this noble library would not be possible. The new government printing office should be, if anything, a grander building, ample to contain a museum illustrating the progress of the printer's art from the time of its discovery. It should contain an art galwhich the statues and portraits of the distinguished craftsmen and journalists of the world would find an honored place. "Its site should be upon a lofty eleva-tion, above the possibility of flood or dampness, or conditions not in harmony with the splendid architecture of the building. Present emergencies demand the immediate enlargement of the present quarters, and this addition should be made ample to pro-vide for the needs of the office until the final completion of the new edifice. The people of this country will approve large appropriations to carry out this purpose, and this improvement would give employment to thousands of the unemployed and en-

tail a burden upon the taxpayers trifling in comparison to the great and permanent benefits secured. "This congress should begin the steps to inaugurate this splendid enterprise, ultimately to result in the completion of a temple to the printer's art ample enough to meet needs of the government for a century. and a monument to the genius of American institutions which would excite the admira-

LAND OFFICE DECISIONS. The secretary of the interior has rendered decisions on appeals from the decisions of the commissioner of the general land of-fice in the following cases:

Nebraska-Samuel L. Bodman against John P. Madden, t 18, n r 15 w, Grand Island district, motion for rehearing dismissed and Madden's entry held for can-cellation; Walter O. Greer against Phil E. Winter, t 7, n r 27 w, McCook district, de-cision affirmed, contest dismissed and land awarded to Winter; Victor Cook against August Gruner, t 26, r 47, McCook district, application for certiorari denied; in re John Albright, t 22, r 21, Broken Bow district, decision affirmed and application for entry

Iowa-Augustus R. Brougher against James I. Neff, t 98, n r 27, Des Moines district, decision affirmed and Brougher's entry and contest dismissed. outh Dakota-Edward J. Laughlin against Henry M Samuel, t 112, n r 77 w, Pierre

district, decision affirmed and Samuel's entry held for cancellation.

IN A GENERAL WAY. The house committee on public buildings and grounds today ordered Congressman Mercer to make a favorable report on the bill providing for a postoffice and court house building at Norfolk, Neb. This is the third

bill which Mr. Mercer has succeeded in getting through this committee for Nebraska.

The Buckeye League or Ohio society by The Buckeye League or Ohio society has invited Senator Manderson to be present at a meeting to be held at Wilsonville some time next August. Senator Manderson has

not yet decided whether he shall accept or R. S. Berlin of Omaha, a member of the ton for a few days. Congressman Pickler today secured in the

house the adoption of an important amendment to the senate bill opening the Yuma Indian reservation. The Pickler amend-ment provides that any Indians to whom land has been allotted shall be allowed to lease their lands for a term not exceeding five years, if in the opinion of the secretary of the interior it will be to their interest

Senator Pettigrew today favorably reported from the committee on Indian affairs his amendments to the Indian appropriation bill providing that the superintendent of Indian hools at Flandreau, S. D., shall give bonds and be the agent for the Santee Indians, and that he shall be allowed a clerk at \$900 per year. Another amendment provides for the appropriation of \$10,000 for the water for the school at Flandreau, and the appropriation of \$30,000 to enable the secretary of the interior to survey the lands emunder the Indian reservations in

South Dakota. Congressmen Mercer and Hainer, in com-pany with members of the Iowa congress the supreme court this morning, granted a

sional delegation, will leave tomorrow after-noon to spend a few days in Pennsylvania, near the Gettysburg battlefield. C. O. Ege has been appointed postmaster at Vernon, Roberts county, S. D., vice S.

PLATES PROVE DISAPPOINTING.

Twelve-Inch Shell Pierced the Plate and

Went on Its Journey.

WASHINGTON, July 12 .- The ordnance exerts and steel makers who were encouraged by recent tests to suppose they had acquired the secret of armor plates of uniform shotresisting quality had that belief shattered oday when the twelve-inch navy rifles sent a shot spinning through a seventeen-inch Harveyized Carnegie plate, through the heavy oak backing and the earthwork and hundreds of yards away into the woods. This happened at the Indian Head proving ground in the presence of Chief Sampson of the ordnance bureau and some of the officers of the Carnegie company. The plate was put up for a premium test, but failed to pass the oceptance test. The first shot showed its weakness, when a Carpenter projectile, at the low velocity of 1,410 feet per second, sent its point thirteen and one-half inches into the seventeen-inch plate. The point of the shot was broken off and the shot itself flew back. Then a Wheeler projectile was fired at a velocity of 1.853 feet. This was the shot that penetrated the plate. The shot itself was recovered in a condition similar to the first shot. The ordnance officers were puzzled zled at the failure of the piste, particularly in view of the highly satisfactory perform-ance of a similar plate a few weeks ago. The metal appeared to be of excellent quality and there were no cracks that extended more than a few inches from the holes. The plate represented a group of 700 tons of armor destined for the Oregon's barbettes, but fortunately the remainder are not so far advanced toward completion as to preclude a change of treatment. An eighteen-inch Bethlehem Harvey/zed plate, now at the proving ground, will be attacked next week.

CHANGING NAVAL OFFICERS.

Commandants of the Various Stations Changed Around by the Department. WASHINGTON, July 12.-Secretary Herpert today made two important details. Commodore Carpenter, who has been on waiting orders in Boston for some time, was assigned to the command of the Asiatic station to succeed Admiral Skerritt, just Yetired. By virtue of his command, he will have the rank of rear admiral. He is instructed to take passage from San Francisco on the Gaelic on the 7th of August. The secretary also made known his intention to give the command of the European station to Commodore William A. Kirk-land at his own request as soon as Admiral Erben retires, probably before September. At the time Admiral Walker was sent to Hawaii in command of the Pacific station, suddenly relieving Commodore Kirkland before the latter could reach his flagship, it was rumored he was in disfavor at the department, but today's action of the secretary in giving the commodore the command of the favorite station, and one which will soon be reinforced by some of the finest ships in the navy, is strong evidence of the high estimate the secretary entertains of his abilities. Commander Kirkland will hold the rank of admiral, and his assignment will leave the south Atlantic station

HOUSE FOR AGED COLORED PEOPLE. Propose to Use Unclaimed Funds of Colored

without an admiral.

Soldiers for that Purpose. WASHINGTON, July 12.—The passage of a bill to establish a home for aged colored people in Washington from a part of the unclaimed funds due the estates of colored soldiers has encouraged Representative Murray of South Carolina to propose that the balance of the fund shall be used to build schools for his race.

There is \$500,000 in the treasury due to

colored soldiers of the rebellion as pay and bounties which has never been claimed and is likely to remain unclaimed. Mr. Murray proposes to have it appropriated for three schools for the industrial education of the colored people of the south. A portion of it he proposes shall be given to the trustees of the Tuskogee Normal and Industrial school, another share of \$25,000 to the school at Manassas Va. and the residues to the at Manassas, Va., and the remainder to the establishment of a school in Texas and another in South Carolina. In a conspicuous place on the main building of each institu-tion he would have inscribed "Sacred to the memory of the colored soldiers who died for perpetuation of a free and perpetual

union. Senate Rushing Appropriation Bills.

WASHINGTON, July 12 .- The appropriation bills are fast being considered and at the present rate of progress it is probable next week will see them all disposed of. Today two more important bills were passed, the army and the fortifications bills, while some progress was made on the river and harbor bill. The only interesting discussions of the day occurred during the consideration of the army bill. Several bills of minor importance were passed and conferees were appointed on the military academy and diplomatic and consular appropriations bills. At

Cost of the Strike to the Government. WASHINGTON, July 12 .- The cost to the United States of putting down the strike in the west is estimated by the government officers at fully \$1,000,000. It may foot up more. The estimates include telegraph bills, deputy marshals' pay and transportation and maintenance of troops. The esti-mates for marshals' pay in Chicago alone is from \$150,000 to \$200,000, and congress in a few days will be asked to appropriate this, as it is urgent.

Utah Will Be a State. WASHINGTON, July 12 .- The house today agreed to the senate amandments to the bill for the admission of Utah as a state, and after discussing a bill for retiring officers of the revenue cutter service under the order adopted yesterday, it pro-

ceeded with the consideration of bills ported from the foreign affairs committee. Eleven bills were passed, none of national importance. At 3 o'clock the house ad-Another Plan to Investigate the Strike. WASHINGTON, July 12.-Representative McGann spent some time with the president today. Mr. McGann would not discuss the

object of his visit, but it is believed to be with his efforts of the last few days to have President Cleveland to create a temporary commission, with Commissioner of Labor Wright at its head, to proceed to Chicago and investigate the cause of the strike

Arbitration Bill Introduced. WASHINGTON, July 12 .- A bill to prevent and settle strikes, to settle by arbitration all difference; between employers and employes and to provide a penalty for re-fusal or failure to abide by the decision of arbitrators, has been introduced by Repre-

sentative Hudson of Kansas. Colonel Sullivan Gets a Rest. WASHINGTON, July 12 .- (Special Telegram to The Bee.)-Leave of absence for two months, with permission to apply for an extension of one month, and to go beyond sea is granted Colonel Thomas C. Sullivan,

assistant commissary general of subsistence Will Push the Arbitration Measure. WASHINGTON, July 12 .- The house judictary committee will meet tomorrow and an effort will be made in accord with the de-sire of the Knights of Labor leaders to secure the immediate consideration of the George arbitration measure.

House Investigation Postponed. WASHINGTON, July 12.-Consideration by the house of the resolution to investigate the railway troubles has been indefinitely postponed because of the absence of Speaker Crisp, which prevents a meeting of the com

mittee on rules Republican Conferees Ignored. WASHINGTON, July 12 .- In the senate tolay Mr. Hale introduced a resolution calling attention to the fact that the republican conferees on the tariff bill have not been admitted to the sessions of the committee.

Bathing at Courtland beach. Wiman Kept Out of the Pen.

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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE IN SESSION

Twenty Thousand Strangers in the City and

Still Coming-Secretary Baer Re-

ports the Society to Be in a

Flourishing Condition.

CLEVELAND, July 12.-Saengerfest hall,

the mammoth auditorium of this city, with a

seating capacity of 10,000, was crowded to

the doors this morning at the opening exer-

cises of the great international Christian

Endeavor convention. It is estimated that

20,000 strangers are in the city this morn-

ing, and since the partial resumption of

railroad traffic the numbers are increasing,

The exercises today consisted of two tre-

mendous mass meetings. One was held in

Saengerfest hall and the other in a big tent

in the eastern part of the city. The tent

has a scating capacity of 10,000. The ad-

dress of welcome was delivered by Governor

McKinley. The governor was very cordially

received, and his remarks were vigorously

In the absence of President Clarke, who

was unable to be here on account of illness,

Rev. Charles F. Dickins of Boston presided

over the principal meeting at Saengerfest

hall. After vocal exercises by 1,500 trained

voices and short addresses by prominent

members and leaders of the society, Secre-tary Baer read his annual report.

Secretary Baer's annual report showed the

and with an ever increasing membership

finds that his society is not a mere wave of

almost phenomenal in proportions. "The commanding officer." the secretary said

foamy, youthful enthusiasm, a part of i cast upon the shores of Lake Erie. On the

contrary, it is an army 'as strong as steel and as flexible as ribbon.' It is a God-given, God-protected, God-advanced army."

The growth of the society during the past twelve months has been the largest since it

was organized thirteen years ago. During that period 7,395 companies have been added to the ranks, against a gain of 5,278 com-

panies added to the folls during the previous year. England has now 1,453 regularly enrolled companies, including 158 in

membership of the society in Canada at the present time is 134,580. In all there are

present time is 134,580. In all there are 283,926 companies enrolled in the United States, and the total individual membership throughout the world is over 2,000,000.

Thirty evangelical denominations are rep

recented in the society, the Presbyterians still leading with 6,652 companies. The

Congregationalists, the Baptists, Disciples

Methodists and Lutherans follow in the

At the several overflow meetings held in the hig tent and nearby churches fully 15,000

people were in attendance. All of the prin-cipal speeches delivered at Saengerfest hall were repeated at the overflow meeting by

President Clarke's annual address we read by the secretary. It was as follows:

close of the life of the prophet Elisha.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

A picturesque scene is that which the eriptures record as occurring near the

dying seer place; his hands upon the hands of King Joash, which hold the royal bow

and arrow, and tells him to shoot. The king obeys, and out of the open window the

arrow speeds, while the prophet cries out, "The arrow of the Lord's deliverance and the arrow of deliverance from Syria."

Then said the prophet: "Take the arrows and smite upon the ground;" and he smote thrice, and stayed. "And the man of God

was wroth with him and said:

the speakers.

Scotland and eighty-three in Ireland,

total of 75,000 individual gains. The have been very heavy in India, Japan,

key, China, France, Spain, Mexico and coreign countries. The total indiv

applauded.

every incoming train bringing large crowds.

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Men's Summer Suits

YOUR CHOICE OF ANY Light Summer Suit

They sold right along from \$13.50 to \$18.

These suits are light, airy and fashionable-in sacks and cutaways. The cutaways are extra long and in the regular cut of this season's style. There are all varieties of cloths and colors, in fancy cheviots, cashmere, clay worsted, etc. If you need a light summer suit, buy now-if you already have a suit, buy another, as such

Money refunded if goods are unsatisfactory. Come and see our line of summer coats and vests.

a price (\$9.75) is rare and valuable.

certificate of reasonable doubt in the case of Erastus Wiman. This acts as a stay of ENDEAVORERS AT CLEVELAND sentence and prevents the commitment of

YOUNG WOMAN COMMITS SUICIDE.

Member of the English Aristocracy Causes a Sensation at Hot Springs. HOT SPRINGS, S. D., July 12 .- (Special to The Bee.)-A young English couple by the name of Leigh, belonging to the English aristocracy, recently came to this coun try and went into the stock raising business near Battle Creek, Mrs. Leigh was an especially beautiful and pleasing young an especially beautiful and pleasing young woman, and during the short time she had been in this country became well known in Black Hills society. She retired to her room yesterday evening, apparently in good health, and as she did not rise as soon as usual, her brother went to call her and found her dead. She had taken a large dose of bromide. Her husband was out on the roundup, and did not arrive until a late hour, when he was nearly crazed by the rounding, and the late was the hour, when he was nearly crazed by grief. No explanation was left by Mrs. Leigh, though it is generally attributed to jealousy. She left letters for her parents in England, the contents of which are not become

HOT SPRINGS, July 12,-(Special The Bee.)-Interest in the Chautauqua inreases daily. The usual class work was given over this morning to allow those attending the Chautauqua to visit the famous Wind cave, a large number of whom went. Governor Thayer lectured on "Reminiscences of General Grant," Governor Thayer was an intimate friend of Grant's during and after the war, and his lecture was full of incident and history as yet unpublished, as it was mostly of a personal nature. Another lecture which elicited much applause and was highly appreciated was that of Judge W. F. Norris of the Eighth judicial district of Nebraska. The evening was devoted to a musical program, which delighted a large audience. ending the Chautauqua to visit the famo

Threatens Deadwood's Supremacy DEADWOOD, S. D., July 12.-(Special Telegram to The Bee.)-A petition praying the county commissioners of Lawrence county to order a vote taken at the next election on the proposition to remove the county seat from Deadwood to Lead City was presented to the board today by a committee from Lead City. The petition, as the law demands, contained the names of a majority of the voters of this county, but as the committee would not under oath guarantee that the names were honestly secured and represented those of bona fide voters it was withdrawn and permission given to present another. ounty to order a vote taken at the next given to present another.

Famous Divorce Suit Pending SIOUX FALLS, S. D., July 12 .- (Special to The Bee.)-Judge Jones has under adrisement a celebrated divorce case, that visement a celebrated divorce case, that of Phebe Arabelia Palmer against Elihu H. Palmer. She charges desertion and Mr. Palmer denies the charge absolutely. He is here in person. About two years ago Mrs. Palmer and a niece came here from Providence, R. I. She brought her case after being here three months and Judge Alkens denied her a decree of divorce. She did not give up, but when Judge Jones came into office started a new suit. The parties are both wealthy.

Brought the Pog to Market. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., July 12.—(Special to The Bee.)—T. E. Archer, butcher, was trying to unload a large pig, when the antrying to unload a large pig, when the animal bit him in the left wrist, severing a
large vein. He bled profusely for some
time, but the flow of blood was finally
stopped. The wound is a serious one and
may prove very dangerous. Ole Gunderson, who brought the pig to market, then
tried to unload it, and was kicked in the
face by one of his horses. The upper part
of his nose was smashed and his frontal
bone fractured. He was knocked senseless,
but will probably recover.

Oregon Kidney Tea cures backache. Trial size, 25 cents. All druggists. Eighth Ward Populists.

The electors of the Eighth ward of the city of Omaha who at present believe in the principles advocated by the people's party are hereby cordially invited to meet at Schröeder's hall, 2401 Cuming street, on Tuesday evening, July 17, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing an Eighth Ward People's Party club. All persons who are now with us, regardless of past party affiliations, will be welcome.
D. CLEM DEAVER.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel saive cures piles.

Ladies Hats.

Ladies' trimmed hats, in blacks and colors, tastefully trimmed with bows, flowers and pins, this season's style, such as you have been accustomed to paying \$3.00 for,

Children's trimmed hats, in blacks and colors, we ordinarily would get 50c for, now

Remnants of Wash Dress Goods.

Through the very large trade in our dress cumulating. You will find then on center pay you to lay in a supply of wash dress goods for future use.

Our Friday's silk sale will be a "hummer."

Grocery Prices

Sure to Capture Trade. Choice solid packed tomatoes only 91/2c

Early June peas only 91/2c can.

Very fine preserved blackberries, 10c

Choice cut steak salmon, 10c can.

Very fine salmon for 81/2c, 91/2c and 10c Oil sardines, 3%c can.

Mustard sardines, 7c can. Mixed pickles only 5c bottle. Chow chow only 5c bottle. Finest imported queen olives, 35c quart. Saville olives, 25c quart. Arabian olives, 15c quart. French mustard only 21/2c bottle. Large pails of jelly, 30c pail.

Stationery.

message for today:

dark.

Irish linen paper, 20c pound. Linen paper, 5c quire. Envelopes, 50 for 5c. Tablets, 2c, 5c and 10c. dozen pencils, 5c

Watches

Who would be without a watch at these

Appleton, Tracy & Co.s celebrated watch, gold filled case, warranted to wear 20 years. wholesale jeweler's price \$26.00, our price

Gent's gold stiffened hunting case, Elgin or Waltham watches, \$5.49 up. Watch and clock repairing at reduced

Turkish Towels.

selling Turkish towels, and neither you or any one else can afford to pass our prices. goods department, remnants are fast ac-Hleached or unbleached Turkish towels at 5c each, at 15c each, at 15c each, at 19c each and at 25c each; in this lot you find all the 50c towels now reduced to 25c each.

We also have the jumbo Turkish towel, the largest and heaviest bleached towel ever made, made for display at World's fair, only a few of them left; will close them at \$1.0 18-inch striped Turkish toweling, fast col-

ors, worth 25c, closing price 10c yard at Hayden's only.

Hayden's Eye Openers on Meats.

Read these prices: Sugar cured No. 1

hams, large size, 10%c; sugar cured No. 1 hams, 14 to 16 pounds each, 111/2c, and hams from 8 to 12 pounds, 12c; boneless ham, 91/2c; salt pork, Sc; pickle pork, 71/2c; bologna, 4c per pound; sugar cured bacon 10c, 121/2c and finest made for 14c; corned beef, 5c; summer sausage, 171/2c. such prices as these on meats who can say that Haydens' is not in line.

Look Out for Our Friday's Silk Sale

Reduced Prices in Bicycles

As it is now late in the season we have cut prices on all of our wheels, including such lines as "The Victor," "The Clean Clipper," as well as our boys' and girls' wheels. THE REDUCTIONS.

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33½ PER CENT.

If you need a bicycie, never was there a better opportunity. Remember these wheels are all of this year's patterns, with

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Hayden's Eye Openers on Butter

Fresh country butter, 10c, 121/2c and best coutry butter made only 15c. Have you tried our creamery? There is nothing finer made, and see what you can save by buying it of Hayden. 18c and 20c for the

Take advantage of our Friday's silk sale.

Hayden's Eye Openers on

best butter ever put on a table.

Fish.

George's bank whole codfish, the finest Georges bank whole codnan, the linest you ever saw, for 5c per pound.

Mackerel, 7½c, 10c and 12½c; brick codfish, 2½c; white fish, 5c, 7½c and 10c; salmon, 10c; Norway herring, 3c, 20c per dozen; large Labrador herring, 6 for 25c.

Remember you will find anything in the fish line at Haydens' fish department.



Long Endure.

penal institutions, but it has been improved upon," remarked Abner V. Chadwick of Hartford, Conn., member of the recent session of the National Prison Reform congress, to the New York Advertiser. "Public sentiment became so strong several years ago in the state of Illinois against the dark cell that the legislature took a hand and abol-ished the institution. Some means of sub-duing the refractory spirit of convicts who would not work was necessary and as whip-ping was abolished the warden at Joliet prison evolved the most refined and effective form of torture yet discovered. The dungeon was supplanted by what is known dungeon was supplanted by what is known as the white cells. They are located in a detached building in a portion of the inclosure far distant from the work shop. The walls of the cell are of great thickness, the silence of the tomb prevails. They are lighted from above, but no glimpse of the the shence of the tomb prevalls. They are lighted from above, but no glimpse of the sky can be obtained, and the walls, floor and ceiling are painted a glaring white. Even the narrow board, the only piece of furniture in the cell, upon which the prisoner is permitted to sleep outside of the working hours, is painted white. During the hours when the other convicts are at work the man in the solitary is handcuffed to the door of his cell, his hands being chained at an easy and natural elevation There is not a speck of color to relieve the steady, glowing white with which he is surrounded. The effect is terrible when taken in connection with the deathlike slience. Within an hour the brain of the prisoner begins to swirl and he becomes deathly sick. Few men have ever been able to stand the white cell, with its maddening. monotonous, unrelieved glare for a single day before they begin to beg for mercy. Two or three hours of the tomb-like au roundings generally brings the most violent and rebellious spirit to terms."

LOCAL BREVITIES.

John Bailey was arrested yesterday for parading a breeding animal contrary to the city ordinance:. Some sneak thief stole \$10, a coat and a

tree house last night. Jimmy Lindsey was arrested last evening for fighting with Charles Cummings about

and Dorcas streets last evening and gave the south side fire departments a run. The blaze was extinguished without any partic-

Jake Neff was arrested last night on a warrant charging him with assault with in-

When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,

followed, and as the upshot of the matter, the restauranter lifted the Wilson hat and tucked it away in the safe until such time as the bill, 40 cents, was liqui-dated. This bill Wilson refused to pay, and

What are our principles? If I know any-thing about them, they are the ideas involved in the pledge, the consecration meet-ing and the committees. ing and the committees.

May I suggest that more of the money raised in our state conventions might be profitably spent in circulating fundamental

have made Christian Endeavor strong.

literature rather than in any other Sow broadcast this seed. Show that Christian Endeavor has principles—definite, reasonable, workable 'principles—principles in able, workable 'principles—principles in which we believe; principles that we can de fend; principles that constitute the strength of the movement. 2. Again, Christian Endeavorers,

once more for good citizenship. Right nobly have you railied around this standard during the past year.
It stands by such men as Charles H. Parkjurst, and every kindred spirit in every political party that seeks to purify politic and to make this Immanuel's land While Tammany flourishes in New York and open gambling in Chicago, and licensed prostitution in New Orleans, and the Louisiana lottery has moved only across the street to Honduras, the outlook

It is dark, but not hopeless. 3. For missions, too, more has been done during the past year than ever before. That eloquent roll of honor tells us that tens of thousands of dollars have been given. Millions should be given where now are given thousands. A very moderate calcu ition puts the earnings of active Christian Endeavorers, at \$159,000,000 for the last twelve months. One-tenth of that, \$15,-000,000, would be nearly twice as much as all the Christians of America gave to hom and foreign missions within that time. A year ago at Montreal three advanced steps were proposed-Christian citizenship, proportionate and systematic giving to mis

ons, and the enlargenment of our Christian Endeavor fellowship. 4. All these steps you have taken with quickened pace and flying banners. As never before has Christian Endeavor advanced in numbers and in widespread fellowship. In hospitable Australia, in Mother England, in progressive Japan, in conservative China, in awakening India, as well as in the great republic and the great Dominion of North America (which in Christian Endeavor al-ways have been, and I trust always will be one), our fellowship has grown as in no previous year.

In the late war, while the soldiers were in camp, there might be rivalry between the different regiments and corps, but when they came to march against the enemy, regimental rivalry and corps jealousies were sent to the rear in double-quick time, and, touching elbows (O the thrill of that "elbow touch" as old soldiers have described it to me!), they stood together.

O brothers, let us cultivate every bond of

fellowship. Let us strengthen every tie that binds our hearts in Christian love. Enough causes, at the best, distract and weaken and divide Christian forces. Endeavor, while maintaining and guarantee ing the loyalty of every one of us to the truth as God gives us to see the truth, should be the blessed instrument in the hands of providence for bringing earnest Christians nearer together the world around, our cup of happiness would be full

We could not improve the quality if paid double the price. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best salve that experience DeWitt's Witch can produce, or money can buy.

Roy Wilson and his wife came down from Mankato, Minn., yesterday, and after doing some shopping, with a party of friends went to the Randall restaurant for a lunch. While there Mr. Wilson ordered soup, the other parties intimating that boiled chicken would be the proper thing to tickle their The waiter went back to the kitchen and soon returned with the informa-

tion that the chicken was an unknown quantity about the house, after which the dinner party started to leave. At the door Mr. Wilson was halted with the information that he would have to square up before going away. This he refused to do, insisting that he had had nothing to eat. The proprietor of the establishment insisted that everything except boiled chicken was on tap and could be had by ordering. Hot words followed, and as the upshot of the whole matter, the restaurants lifted the Wilson was the upshot of the whole shouldst have smitten five or six times; then hadst thou smitten Syria till thou hadst consumed it, whereas now thou shalt smite Estimated There Are Twenty Thousand Strangers in the City.

Syria but thrice "Some such message comes to us, Christian Endeavorers, on the occasion of this our thirteenth convention. "Do not be content with one, two or three blows for the right. Strike, and strike, and strike again, until the day is won." If I can read aright the times, this is the 1. Strike once more for the principles that at once sought the aid of the law, via the police court, where he was informed that aking hats was the customary way of col-lecting hotel bills. Yesterday Mr. Wil son left for his Minnesota home, a hat less, but a much wiser man.

HORRIBLE DEATH OF A BABY.

Falls Asleep in a Barley Field and is Rur Over by a Harvester. ROCK RAPIDS, Ia., July 12.—(Special to The Bee.)—While Nick Kock was starting his harvester last night in his barley his 4-year-old daughter, Cora, followed him, and while waiting for him to come around the field fell asleep in the edge of around the field fell asleep in the edge of the grain. The first intimation he had that she was near was her screaming as the sickle struck her. The left leg was almost severed from the body above the knee. She died at 4 o'clock this morning. Barley harvest has begun. Oats harvest will be ready in a week. Corn never looked better in this season of the year.

Omaha Secures the Saengerfest. SIOUX CITY, July 12 .- (Special Telegram The Bee.)-The northwestern saengerfest today decided to meet next year in Omaha. The prize banner for the best singing clety in the association was awarded to Minnehaha Mandskor of Sioux Falls. The various rocicities joined in a grand picnic at Riverside park this afternoon. The last concert was held tonight. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected tomorrow morning. morning.

Cedar Rapids' Hot Day. CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., July 12.—(Special Telegram to The Bee.)—Today was the hottest of the season, the thermometer registering 100 degrees in the shade.

Sioux City I oy Instantly Killed, SIOUX CITY, July 12.—(Special Telegram to The Bec.)-Elmer Arnson, a 5-year-old boy, was run over and instantly killed by an electric car today,

One word describes it, "perfection." We refer to De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, cures First American Suspension Bridge.

The first suspension bridge erected in America was built in the year 1801 over a small stream called Jacob's Creek in Westmoreland county, in the western part of Pennsylvania, the engineer being the noted James Finley. This pioneer suspension bridge had a span of exactly seventy feet and four inches, and it cost the county \$6,000. It was "warranted" to last fifty The English claim that a suspension bridge was built in that country in 1741, but it is known that Finley's effort was the first bridge of that character erected on scientific principles.

Oregon Kidney Tea cures nervous headaches. Trial size, 25 cents. All druggists. Kansas Merchant Drowned.

resident and prominent merchant of this city, was drowned yesterday in the Cotton-wood river while crossing in a buggy. Mrs. F. A. Brogan and L. O. Periey of Omaha were his children. Irvine Divorce Case Pending. SALT LAKE, July 12.—(Special Telegram to The Hee.)—The motion for a new trial

EMPORIA, Kan., July 12.—(Special Tele

gram to The Bee.)-I. E. Perley, an old

the Irvine divorce case was today set r hearing on September 3. Buffalo in Manitoba. A report comes from Winnipeg. Canada, that there are great numbers of buffalo still alive in the northwestern part of that country. They are wood buffalo, but it is said that they are to all appearances the same as the animals which at one time were so numerous on our western plants.

numerous on our western plains. It is said

JOLIET'S WHITE CELLS. A Species of Punishment No Prisoner Can

"Solitary confinement in a dungeon cell has always been considered as the severest of the corrective measures resorted to in

Popular music at Courtland beach.

pair of pants from a boarder at the Green-

the merits of their buildogs. He gave bonds for appearance and will have a hearing today.

A lamp exploded in a house at Thirteenth ular damage.

tent to do great bodily harm. Neff is al-leged to have assaulted Frank Goodall in this city on the 21st of June, 1893, for which he was arrested. He gave bonds for his ap-pearance, with A. L. Sutton as security, but when his case was called he did not appear in court and his ball was forfeited. He has since given Omaha a wide borth, but yes-terday returned and was arrested at the instance of his bondsman.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. Pion she had Children, she gave them Custoris