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*Sunday. GEORGE B. TZSCHUCK. to before me and subscribed in this 1st of October, 1894. N. P. FEIL.

President Cleveland's silence on the political situation in New York grows louder every day.

The rest of the 1,500 names of business men attached to the railroad circular are still in the process of incubation.

The question that still worries the tatvoters to be found?

Don't let the ward assessors be forgotten in the confusion. The size of the next tax rate will depend upon how well the assessors do their duties.

Ex-President Harrison's speeches in New York will serve to swell Mr. Morton's already assured majority into a some time ago.

Tom Reed will cheerfully testify to the fact that McKinley did not, by any means, exhaust the enthusiasms for republican principles in the great states of the northwest.

Minneapolis was almost thrown into the realm of riot by a political cartoon in one of her papers the other day. Both the cartoonist and the candidate, however, are still alive.

waited until this moment for their conversion to the republican column? Is it because the railroads never needed their assistance so badly before?

A Lexow committee to investigate the would compare favorably with the disclosures made in New York City.

The demonstration in favor of Judge Holcomb at Lincoln Wednesday surprised 'em. But just wait for the demonstration in favor of an honest governor a week from next Tuesday.

The canal proposition is being published daily, so that no one can have an excuse for not knowing exactly what it formed upon this proposition is to read | very truly yours,

Wellman, the Arctic explorer, has given up describing icebergs and taken to describing the warmth of the New The response was received last night, York campaign. He probably has hopes and reads as follows: of thawing out by the time the political pot ceases to boil.

The attempt to organize a branch of the Railroad Business Men's association at Nebraska City was a complete fizzle. Many of the men who were roped into myself and of the committee, a letter from the original organization are now re- Hon. Thomas J. Majors, republican candidate gretting that that was not more of a fizzle in the start.

the Ninth Iowa district, just across the Missouri river. With such a worn out statesman as General Weaver as his opponent the success of Mr. Hager at the polls ought not to be in doubt.

district, who have plastered the town by the clergymen above named or anywith pertraits supposed to present their body likenesses with greater or less exactness, are apparently laboring under the ter into a personal controversy with the delusion that they are competitors at a church fair for a congressional prize, to be voted to the handsomest contestant.

Mr. E. Benedict, who has been named by the republican county convention as one of the candidates for the lower house, is a reputable business man. While he has always taken an active nor been a candidate. He is well qualified, and will no doubt make a very useful and intelligent member.

but a recognition of organized labor.

LET THE TRUTH BE KNOWN.

Morrill, Chairman Republican State Central Committee: Dear Sir-In tenderhonor and trust. The only answers to

sent proofs to the voters of this state that would exonerate and vindicate their standard bearer.

Inasmuch as I have taken the responsibility of pointing out the indelible

Let the charges be submitted for investigation to the following named republicans and none of whom is a populist, namely: Rev. Frank Crane of tooed candidate's managers is, Where the First Methodist church, Rev. Dr. are the 15,000 purchasable democratic John Gordon of the Westminster Presbyterian church, Rev. A. J. Turkle of Charles W. Savidge of the People's Church, Rev. S. W. Butler of the Congregational church and Rev. J. L. Hultman of the Swedish Mission church.

If either of these clergymen declines mountain. Hill and hope separated to act then his place shall be filled by ure of the general freight agents of the Fifty-fourth congress. any clergyman designated by the others. The scope of their investigation shall be confined to the following subjects:

1. The conduct of Thomas J. Majors as contingent congressman in connecmittee of which Hon. Thomas B. Reed

2. The conduct of Thomas J. Majors in certifying to a fraudulent voucher made payable to Senator Taylor after he Why have all the railroad democrats had absconded from the state, and also the duplicity of Mr. Majors in publicly asserting that Taylor had served sixtythree days of the session, excluding Sun-

condition of the police department in in converting the lieutenant governor's Omaha. They know that the interests Jersey City might make revelations that office adjacent to the senate chamber of Omaha and her people are not the ininto a dram shop and resort for the tobbyists while the legislature was in

> hearing within reasonable time; the investigation to begin within three days and to conclude within a week.

> I agree in advance to cheerfully abide the findings, whatever they may be. E. ROSEWATER.

This letter was delivered to Mr. Morrill on the evening of last Tuesday.

OMAHA, Oct. 24.-Mr. E. Rosewater. Omaha: Dear Sir-Replying to your communication of October 23 addressed to ma committee, I enclose herewith on behalf of except that, in my judgment and that of my associates, the answer is full and sufficient, Senator Allison is putting in several Very truly yours, C. H. MORRILL,

> Accompanying this response is a very lengthy screed signed by Majors, teeming with personal abuse and coupled with an unqualified refusal to submit to neither the space nor inclination to enworth while to publish his slanderous

> A CAMPAIGN OF ORATORY. It is remarkable for the widespread in-

news room Mr. Jenness has had pre- Georgia and Vermont drew out a won- industries and American labor. liminary training as an employe of the derful array of both home and foreign | The people of Iowa are among the Kansas legislature. Mr. Jenness is by orators. Nearly all the great republican most intelligent in the country, and they conviction a republican, and his nomina- leaders took pleasure in making an ex- have been among the most prosperous. tion by the republicans of this county cursion to Maine to help increase the re- They do not need to be told why they was not merely a compliment to himself, publican majority, which even the dem- are less prosperous now than they were ocrats had not the courage to belittle in two years ago, before the democratic

advance. Vermont was likewise well party was elected to the control of the that reserve—that is, a total of \$105,-OMAHA, Oct. 23.-Hon. Charles H. canvassed by republicans, as the government., They know perfectly well 000,000. What has happened since is tremendous defeat of the democrats tes- when the period of distrust and depres- matter of familiar history. The revetified. Down into Georgia were sent sion set in and they are entirely familinue of the government has run steadily some of the administration's strongest lar with its cause. The panic that fol- below expenditures, the national debt supporters. Speaker Crisp. Secretary lowed quickly after the success of the has been increased by a loan of \$58,state convention as member of the na- Hoke Smith and others, in a vain hope democratic party in 1892 was not due to 000,000, and the gold reserve created to tional committee I preferred grave of stemming the democratic revulsion, any lack of money. The per capita of redeem the paper obligations of the govcharges against Thomas J. Majors, the and southern oratory was for weeks at currency in the country at that time was ernment is now \$40,000,000 less than the candidate for governor, affecting his offi. a discount within the borders of that greater than at almost any other period amount which had been maintained cial integrity and conduct which should state. Since these preliminary skir in our history, while the savings of the under republican administrations since mishes the other states have been per- people from the prosperity of the pre- the time of the resumption of specie mitted to share in the feast of reason, ceding years had grown to an unprece- payments. To quote Mr. Bayard, "it among which addresses, stump speeches. dented amount. It was not due, as the stands written forever in history" that these charges so far made by the sup- joint debates and general discussions democrats assume for the purpose of the distrust and depression caused by porters of Colonel Majors from the have figured most conspicuously. The shifting their responsibility, to the ap- the democratic threat of a tariff revolustump and in the press have been at. extended tour of Governor McKinley, prehension of the moneyed interests of tion is responsible for this condition. tempts to impugn my motives and to as- upon which he set the record for speech- the country, for the gold reserve in the making expeditions, followed as it was treasury, upon which rested the credit | J. Adam Bede, United States marshal by his more recent journey to Louisiana of the government, was unimpaired, the for the district of Minnesota, resigned self has not met these accusations and return by way of West Virginia national treasury was getting all the his office because he feared that squarely, but has simply sought to and New York, is something unparal- revenue it needed to meet current ex- he could not perform the ducounteract their effect by misquoting leled in American political history. Ex- penditures, and there was practical ties of his office satisfactorily and public records and throwing dust to President Harrison and ex-Speaker agreement between both political par- devote his attention to assisting his Reed have been making scarcely less ties that the purchase of silver by the friends running for office at the same noticeable impression with their ad- government should stop. There was, in- time. The federal officials in this neckdresses to the citizens of the different deed, some fear that the democrats o-woods have no such scruples of constates. Nor is the flood of oratory would prove faithless to their promise science. They see nothing inconsistent traceable exclusively to republican in this respect, but it was not such as or objectionable in drawing salaries as devoted to his party principles, can east sources, Vice President Stevenson, Am- to cause a panic. The panic was due democratic federal appointees and his vote for Thomas J. Majors. If they bassador Bayard, several members of to the fear which took possession of the spending all their time and energy in are false and Mr. Majors has been the cabinet and innumerable minor industrial interests in consequence of seeking to boost a railroad republican wrongfully accused and slandered, he lights of the democracy exerting their the democratic, threat to overturn the into office. The resignation of a fedutmost to turn the tide of their party's policy under which those interests had oral office holder in Nebraska for the unpepularity. The culmination of all been developed, and under which the reasons which prompted Marshal Bede's caignment. Manifestly it was the duty the movements will come immediately American laborer and the American proof the republican state committee to preceding the election, when it will be ducer had enjoyed a higher degree of than a bomb exploding in the midst of institute a searching inquiry and pre- entirely proper to characterize the coun- prosperity than those of any other land a large popular gathering. try as one great living political mass under the sun.

meeting.

AS A BULLINESS PROPOSITION.

The men who organized the Omaha the Lutheran church, Rev. Newton the most part bankers and jobbers. The men most active in the work of the association are either obligated to the railrailroads centering in Omaha. To do so would inevitably subject them to petty persecution and place them at a decided disadvantage with their competitors enjoying the favor of railroad rate makers. From the standpoint of the Omaha jobtion with the forged census returns as ber, therefore, there may be some justireported by the house judiciary come fication for the stand they have taken in obedience to the behest of the railroad taskmasters, but there is absolutely no justification for nor business sense in the stand taken in support of the railroad candidate for governor.

What have the retail merchants of maha to gain by aligning themselves with the bankers' and jobbers' crusade? Why must they array themselves openly in opposition to the best interests of the masses, upon whose patronage they rely for subsistence? They know of the 3. The conduct of Thomas J. Majors inbred antipathy of the railroads toward terests of the railroads. They must know that Majors is the preferred and only candidate of the allied corporations of this city and state and that Silas A. The investigation to be conducted with Holcomb is the candidate of the people open doors and all parties to have fair |-the common people-and that he has no backing save the untrammeled and conscientions voters of Nebraska.

Do the retail merchants of Omaha owe the railroads anything? Do the railroad depositories of Omaha carry the vote of the retailers in their inside contains. The best way to become in- Awaiting a prompt reply, I remain, pockets? A merchant may borrow money of a banker, but he must pay a good interest rate and put up collateral secur ity. There is no law, moral or written compelling him to pledge his franchise as a free American citizen. Is it not apparent to any thinking man that the railroad managers are simply using the merchants as monkeys to pull their pofitical chestnuts out of the fire?

We admonish the retailers of Omaha that they mistake the temper of their patrons if they imagine that success awaits them in the direction pointed out by pampered railroad beneficiaries. We ask the wholesale jobbers to bear in mind that the country merchant is watching the record now being made by them in behalf of a corrupt state house ring and in opposition to the political good strokes for Congressman Hager in Chairman Republican State Central Com- convictions of the patrons of country tradesmen.

THE JOWA CAMPAIGN. The campaign in Iowa has thus far continue so to the end. Only on the The candidates for congress in this any investigation of his conduct, either part of the republicans is there any aggressiveness or enthusiasm. The demointerest in the remnant of the party by tattooed candidate, we do not deem it hopes. The people did not want plati- \$60,000,000 from the revenue by the The campaign now at its very height disposed to listen to the advocacy of a ling June 30, 1892, the revenue exceeded is remarkable in more ways than one, policy the disastrous effects of which the expenditures by nearly \$10,000,000, terest exhibited by people who are usu-during the prolonged depression from 30, 1893, in the last portion of which the interest in local politics and is a staunch ally apathetic toward politics in "off" which the country has not yet fully rerepublican, he has never sought office years. It is remarkable for the sharp covered. What they want to hear is of business resulting from the threatlines that have been drawn between the something to revive hope and confi-ened tariff revolution, the revenue excontestants in so many states. It is re- dence, and this is not to be got from ceeded the expericulares by \$2,300,000. markable also for the immense amount democratic talk. Hence the meetings of campaign speaking that has been of the democracy in lowa have been The Central Labor union has endorsed done and is being done. The people of small in numbers and tame in spirit. the candidacy of R. H. Jenness for the this country have become accustomed to On the other hand, the republican gathhouse of representatives. Mr. Jenness being flooded with oratory every four erings have been largely attended, en- power there was gold in the treasury to is a thoroughbred mechanic and well years, when the policy of the national thus astic and confident. They grow the amount of \$5,000,000 in excess of wash market in this vicinity. equipped for legislative work. Being a government is pre-eminently at stake with every discussion of the issue that newspaper typo, he has had every op- and when a new president is to be brings more clearly and strongly to the portunity to familiarize himself with elected, but they have not been used to minds of men the destructive and desocurrent political events and all matters having the experience repeated regulating character of the democratic threat of public interest. In addition to his larly at the short interval of two years, to tear down the defenses which protecopportunities for observation in the The preliminary campaigns in Maine, tion has erected to safeguard American

All this the intelligent people of Iowa ance that the war on protection shall be from North Carolina, what can they ex-Basice's Association for the (S'(n) and all the other states will still further again gone democratic. sible object of saving the state are for decline, for the result of the carrying out of that assurance must inevitably be a Senator Hill's declaration that "the Mann of the Unitarian church, Rev. Bee has shown the mainspring of the greater paralysis of all industries than strife of other years has left no bitternes

> BAYARD MISSTATES HISTORY Thomas F. Bayard is a distinguished member of the democratic party. He has represented it in the senate and in the cabinet. He is now ambassador to England. Mr. Bayard returned to the

> United States a short time ago, it was presumed, for a vacation, but as now appears really for the purpose of helping his party in Delaware in a contest which promises to end in its defeat. What Mr. Bayard says, however, will be read by tens of thousands outside of his little state, and because he is regarded as something more than a politician it will be given a degree of consideration not accorded to the utterances of the ordinary politician, always ready to make any statement that may advance

his party's or his personal interest. In his speech at Dover on Tuesday it appears that Mr. Bayard had much to say about the surplus, which for years has figured prominently in democratic arraignments of the republican party. Formerly it was the accumulation of a surplus that the democrats denounced. declaring that piling up money in the treasury not only deprived the people of its use, which they were entitled to, but was a dangerous incentive to extravagauce. The last republican administration gave back to the people most of the surplus, paying it out in reducing the public debt, in increased pensions to union soldiers and their descendants, in improving the efficiency and usefulness of the public service, and other commendable ways. Now the democratic party is denouncing the republicans for thus disposing of the surplus, although It does not attempt to show specifically that any of it was unwise'y or re-klesdy

expended. But Mr. Bayard goes farther than most of the democratic leaders in his attempt to fasten on the republican party the responsibility for the present condition of the national treasury. He is reported as caying in his Dover speech that the party emptied the treasury and put it in debt, leaving to the democrats to shoulder the ruin the republicans had wrought. This has the ring of the average politician, reckless of his statements. Now the truth is there was not a year of the last republican administration in which the revenue of the been very one-sided, and is likely to government did not meet the current expenditures. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1890, the revenue exceeded the expenditures by \$105,000,000, and cratic managers attempted to arouse an the democrats said such a surplus should not be allowed to continue. The Mcputting ex-Governor Boies on the Kinley law was passed and went into stump, but he failed to realize their effect in Octobers of that year, taking tudes and theories the worthlessness of abolition of the duty on raw sugars. For which have been so strongly and se- the fiscal year ending June 30, 1891, the verely demonstrated to them during the revenue exceeded the expenditures by past eighteen months. They were not \$37,000,000. For the fiscal year endhave been deeply impressed upon them and even for the fiscal year ending June

The treasury gold reserve was never invaded to the extent of a dollar during the Harrison administration, and when the present administration came into

The New York Times, that stannels It is too early to hazard an opinion as are familiar with, and they also know administration organ, hails as "good to whether this plan of campaigning has that their state realized a steady increase news from North Carolina" a report come to stay and whether it will be a of wealth under the tariff policy of the that the democrats feel confident of permanent feature of all American electropublican party. According to the centelecting seven out of the nine representspots in the official career of Mr. tions. It is plain, nevertheless, that we sus, as quoted by Senator Allison in a atives in congress. This must be good Majors, I now make you the following are undergoing a change in campaign recent speech, the increase was \$137 per news indeed. In the present congress a fellow of the Royal Geographical society. methods and that speechmaking is on capita in the ten years preceding 1890, eight members from North Carolina the increase. Taking this year as an It has not grown during the last two were elected as democrats and the example of a typical "off" year light for years, but doubtless, in common with ninth had to undergo a contest for his state and congressional tickets, what the wealth of nearly every other state, seat. If the democrats now concede Protestant clergymen, six of whom are shall we expect with the next presi- has declined. If the democratic assur- their opponents two congressional places made good, as most certainly it will be pect in other states? The democrats if that party retains control of the house will probably rejoice over the good news of representatives, the wealth of Iowa when they hear that Mississippi has

movement and the wheels within a they have yet experienced. In the su- in his heart" was intended expressly premely important matter of electing a for the consumption of President Cleverepublican congress the people of lowa land. Unless a similar declaration is will not fail to do their whole duty, soon made by the president there is road managers or are in a position. The indications are that they will send great danger that all the bitterness of where they dare not incur the displeas- a solid republicant delegation to the the anti-snap campaign will again take possession of Senator Hill, head, heart, hands and all.

The Promise and the Test.

Globe Democrat.

Turn Down the Ring.

Fremont Herald.

The political situation in Nebraska today is such that the man who cares for the welfare of the working classes may well ask how this growing tendency on the part of a few men to control the state government for their exclusive benefit can ever be stopped unless some heralically active means be instituted without delay.

The decided action of the Dole govern-ment in putting a quietus on the efforts of the British commissioners to obtain special concessions for a station in the Hawalian islands for a cable be ween British Columbia and Australia shows that the young republic has a mind of its own and does not intend to let Great Britain get a footbold in the islands.

How Fares the Home?

The women of Colorado who will cast their first votes for all candidates next month are holding as many meetings as the men and are just as enthusiastic for their candidates. Reports do not dwell upon the condition of the housework of the state, but it is to be supposed that it is not not a pear perfection as it used to be but it is to be supposed that it is not quite as near perfection as it used to be.

toming Back.

Springfield Republican Springheid Republican.

The French-Canadians who were going back home by car loads a few months ago are now faced this way again. The Canadian newspapers report that they are going to the border from the country towns and shipping goods and families back to New England manufacturing towns. This emigration is accounted for by the starting of the mills at Fall River and New Hedford and the generally increasing demand for such labor as these Canadians can supply.

Army Officers as Indian Agents.

So army officers will continue to be ap-ointed as Indian agents? The Interior depointed as Indian agents? The Interior de-partment has come to its senses on this matter. The law is meant to provide for the appointment of officers, and there was no way of getting around it except with the approval of the president. This disposition to appoint civillans as agents arose from the gentle pressure of good democratic politi-cians who hungered for the apolls. All re-ports are strong in commendation of the intelligent and impartial administration of the army officers. The Indians have faith in them.

Lincoln News

pewspapers that have been overwork-the cry of "save the state from popu-" is being amply demonstrated by the in. It is to be regretted that men cannot see that whereas a plain, straightforward statement of fact backed up by some good evidence will convince reasonable, sensible men of the justice of an argument, a constant iteration of it appeals neither to the judgment nor the reason, but induces a feeling of weariness. * * * The News is a republican newspaper, and it wants to see the republican ticket triumphant in the coming election, but it will not raise the cry of calamity, will not do that which in any event is bound to injure the credit of the state and of her individual citizens or flaunt a disbelief in the soundness of the state's basic prosperity or the wealth of her natural resources. It is to be regretted that men cannot

Has Lost Its Teeth.

The telegrams say that a sensation was created in Washington the other day by the amouncement that some of the interstate commerce commissioners are coming west as far as Lincoln, hunting for evidence with which to convict railroad managers with having violated the law by the granting of rebates to favored shippers. This might cause a sensation in Washington, but it is certainly an artificial sensation, much more perceptible in Washington than it is in Nepraska. When they can see a railroad manperceptible in Washington than it is in Nebraska. When they can see a rairoad manager actually paying a penalty for a violation of the law the people of the west will begin to believe that the interstate commerce commission has at last realized its mission. Think of prosecuting an official of the Burlington for such a violation of the law, when it is a well known fact that the Burlington railway owns the present national administration, from Attorney General Olney down to Tobias Castor. The whole power of the administration would cry out against any prosecution of the officials of the Burlington, if any room for prosecution were to be found. If the interstate commerce commission ever comes to state commerce commission ever comes to Lincoln there will be a boom in the white-

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



PROPLE AND THINGS.

"In the hands of men truly great," exclaimed J. Adam Bede, "the stump mightler than the marshalship." The eagle, the rooster and the crow tract the partisan for the moment, but the coming bird of all classes is the turkey. Minister Bayard's enthusiastic praise of

A Honolulu visitor to Pittsburg brings word that ex-Queen Lil is about to send to Washington a committee to ask a life pension of \$40,000 a year for her. This confirms previous reports that her

Senator Voorhees of Indiana is one of the minent democratic statesmen who has refrained thus far from lending a little gayety his party's discordant shouts. evidently fatigued by perfidy and dishonor, and lacks the nerve to face the country. A financial relic of the war will make a

small draft on New York's treasury next year. Soldiers' bounty bonds to the amount of \$150,000, issued in 1865 and running thirty years, will be called for in a few months. The money secured from the sale of the bonds was used to induce enlistment at the time.

Prof. Glibschin, the eminent scientist of Saddle creek, has energd from the privacy which enveloped his labors for weeks past. I have discovered," said the professor. that a good likeness of a fit subject improves the marketable value of nodity, and I have succeeded in drawing what I regard as an excellent picture of Colonel Majors to adorn cases of my nerve

The political sage of Schoharie, when inelection, ventured a prediction and gave the reasons for the faith that is in him. "I

that of 1892. The total is 322,000, of which about 40,000 are women. The gain is equally distributed among republican and democratic H. wards, which enables the respective organs specified and the second claim everything.

TICKLISH TRIFLES.

Buffale Courier: Jilson says he has found the junk dealer to be about the only stead-fast and enthusiastic buy-metallist.

Philadelphia Record: No. Letitia, history doesn't say anything about the matter, but Eve probably had on a fall hat. Atchison Globe: "Who will take care of

the babies when the women have their rights" same one asks. There won't be any babies. Lowell Courier: Women would be of little use on board a leaking ship; they couldn't man the pumps

Buffalo Courier: Warden-How's the campaign going up your way? Sort of a close contest? Sellers (gloomly)-Closest I ever saw. Neither side is giving a blamed cent. Boston Transcript: Helen-Funny you didn't notice that Tom had been drinking. He talked to you quite a while. Maude-Yes, but then he talked to me under his breath.

a piece of scap and a wash basin back of that there barn. I've a mind to wash my Dusty Walker-Don't do it, Rhody; it's a hoodoo. Ther last time we disguised ourselves the police pinched us.

Indianapelis Journal: Paw, teacher wants us to tell what is the difference between "speak" and "talk."

Mr. Figg-Um-lamme see, Generally when I get in an argument with your mother she is outspoken and I am out-talked.

A WOMAN'S PARASOL. Chicago Journal. The cannon, grim and terrible, Has cooled its fiery breath; No more its awful shot and shell Spread devastating death.

No more the sadly maimed or dead.

In countless numbers fall;

In countless numbers we now inste canon's gone; we've now instead

A woman's parasol. Upon the overcrowded street, Where hundreds must convene Oh, there is where we're sure to meet This terrible machine. And as it sweeps in beauty by.
Of high and low—yea, all—
Tis very sure to catch the eye,
This weman's parasol.

INCONSISTENT

Tom Masson in the Detroit Free Press, Yes, she believed in woman's rights, And deprecated man. And pondered all her days and nights On some new suffrage plan.

With manner that was quite austere e grimly shook her curls said she would stand up while here And said she would sta. For independent girls.

And now she kicks like all possessed And does not think it sport, or with a busband she is blessed. Who deems her his support.

AMERICAN MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION

Session Closed Yesterday with the Election of Officers.

LOWELL Oct. 25 .- At the opening of today's session of the convention, Franklin Pairbanks of Vermont made his report. which was practically an endorsement the financial report submitted yesterday Queen Victoria is calculated to prevent an This was followed by a short address by open rupture over the administration's opposition to English coachinen.

This was followed by a short address by open rupture over the administration's opposition to English coachinen. of the country. Miss D. P. Emerson of New York, secretary of the bureau of woor the country. Mass 11. P. Emicron of New York, secretary of the bureau of woman's work of the association, read her report. The annual business meeting was held and the following officers elected: President, Merril E. Gates, Amberst, Mass.; vice presidents, Rev. P. A. Noble, D.D., Chicago; Rev. Dr. Alex MacKenzie, Cambridge, Mass.; Rev. Henry Hopkins, D.D., Kansas, City, Rev. Henry Hopkins, D.D., Kansas, City, Rev. Henry A. Stimson, New York; Rev. Washington Giadden, Columbus, O.; corresponding secretaries, Rev. E. M. Strickby, Rev. F. P. Woodbury, D.D., New York; assistant secretary, Rev. J. C. Ryder, D.D.; recording secretary, Rev. H. M. Strickby, D.D., New York; treasurer, H. W. Hubbard, New York; auditors, Peter McCartee and James Mitchell, excutive committee for three years, William Hayward, New York; James W. Cooper, New Isritain, Conn.; Lucien G. Warner, New York; Joseph H. Twitchell, Hartford, Conn.; Charles P. Pierce, New York; Inc. two years, A. J. F. Behretis, Brookline, Mass.

The closing services of the great convention began at 7 o'clock with devotional exercises, followed by addresses by Rev. Lyman Abbott, D.D., of New York and Hon. Fred Douglass. The latter spoke as follows:

He was aware, he said, that some people

He was aware, he said, that some people think enough had been done for the negro and that he should now be left to himself, and that he had himself been accused of saying something like that. In answer to the question, "What should be done with the negro?" he had often replied, "Do nothing with him; give him fair play and let him alone." Emphasis had been put on the last words of his statement, ignoring what election, ventured a prediction and gave the reasons for the faith that is in him. "I find," he says, "that onions are fat with thick rinds, the hen hawks are flying low, the katydids are singing in the day time and chestnuts are higger than ever in the country. These unfailing signs insure several cold days next month." Wise prophet: He deserves honor in his own country.

Twenty years ago W. H. Sheppard was a puny pickaninny in the streets of Waynesboro, Va. Now at the age of 30 he is one of the most distinguished colored divines in the Southern Presbyterian church and a fellow of the Royal Geographical society. The registration of Chicago, just closed, shows the remarkable gain of 132,000 over the continued and to the negro to lift from degradation a long enslaved and persecuted people by continued firm adherence and exercise of the power of truth, humanity and religion.

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The closing address was delivered by Rev. H. A. Stimson of New York, in which he spoke of the purposes for which the society was organized fifty years ago and comparing the condition of the negro during slavery times and his position in society now. That its mission had not been in vain, he added, is proved not only by the statistics that have been spread before this assembly, but also by a great number of those who, through the passing years, catching the spirit of their teachers, and filled with the new love, have become messengers of Christ. spirit of their feachers, and filled with the new love, have become messengers of Christ to their companions and friends. The tale of such instances has been the most thrilling part of the testimony that has come to us in the course of this great meeting. If, therefore, we feel the power of such testimony, our answer to the appeal of the society should be in constant and large constitutions to its resources. loyalty to its support.

IRON TRADE REVIEW.

Fair Demand for Foundry Iron with Indications of Increased Consumption. Trade Review this week says: In raw material the predictions of those who began n September to prepare the trade for a slump have not been realized-certainly not o the extent conceded by the less hopeless. Bessemer pig has held its own since the recovery last week of a portion of the ground that had been lost, and \$11 is the market today. In foundry iron there is a fair de-mand in some selling centers, with indica-tions that consumption is increasing, though slowly. The chief southern producers are tions that consumption is increasing, though slowly. The chief southern producers are endeavoring to hold prices in territory in which southern iron has no competition; in other markets they are meeting the low prices made by northern furnaces. In Chicago, in pursuance of this policy, local coke furnaces are not having the field so completely to themselves. A sale of southern No. 2 was made there at \$10 recently. For shipment east producers offer at \$1.50 at the furnaces. There has been some improvement in the buying of billets for eastern mills, Pittsburg sellers coming to a basis of \$17.75 to \$18, delivered at Philadelphia. In most instances Pittsburg finishing mills are still well supplied with orders, structural still well supplied with orders, structural contracts from the east helping out the large producers, but evidences appear in the western markets that some sellers are crowded for business. Prices in general are thus kept on a low level, with an exception here and there.

Cecided to Die Together. WATERTOWN, Ky., Oct. 25.—James Pierce, aged 27, with his wife, came to this city from Ontario a few days ago and city from Ontario a few days ago and registered at the Harris house. Because of financial difficulties they decided to die together. Pierce is a native of Bristol, England. This morning he administered chloroform in an overdose to his wife and then took poison himself. He is dead. Mrs. Pierce will recover. The couple were morning these weeks are at Klupston. Can

Pierce will recover. The couple were married three weeks ago at Kingston, Can.

Ranchman Arrested for Trainwrecking. DENVER, Oct. 25 .- W. H. Irving, a ranch laborer, has been arrested at Windsor on a charge of attempted trainwrecking. Last Monday evening near Windsor the passen-ser train on the Gulf road ran over a lot of rocks placed for a distance of several hundred teet, but fortunately was not de-railed. Irving was suspected because he had been heard to say be was "groups to have a been heard to say he was "going to have a little fun with the railroad people."

YOUR MONEY'S WORTH OR YOUR MONEY BACK.

POLITI CAL. 16,192 is the voting strength of

Omaha, as indicated by the vote for mayor last year. The vote was divided as follows: Bemis, rep., 6,874: Bedford, dem., 4,765; Hascall, pop., 3,959; Mercer, ind.

Sprung a Leak



Those were good old days of voting when the speakers used to speak, and after speaking spent their money, for their barrels didn't leak. But the times have greatly altered, and they'll talk for near a week, without spending half a dollar, 'cause

that barrer's sprung a leak. All they do is simply tell us that the other side is weak, and has "broke" the Everybody is watching the little leaks and economy in production is practiced by the clothing makers. We are pretty well up at the head of the list in the matter of economical production. We never sacrifice quality or honesty in the make up for the sake of cheapness, but for \$7.50, \$8.50 or \$10, we can give a real good all wool business suit in a sack or a cutaway; latest style, too. What we recommend is the \$12.50, \$15 and \$18 suits. They are the things for good dressers.

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