WILLIAM FINALLY FORGIVEN

His Little Tiff with His Imperial Grandmother is Smoothed Over.

INTEREST IN THE COMING YACHT RACE

English Papers Scoff at the Boasts of merican Sallors and Predict an Easy Win for Valkyrie Over Defender.

Convergited, 1925, by the Associated Press, LONDON, Aug. 17.-Facts which have now out respecting the meeting of Victoria and Emperor William Germany at private parties given by her majesty at Osborne during the Cowes regatta week show that the cordial relations which had been ruffled by the emperor's failure to consult the queen regarding the present czarina's engagement to the czar have again been restored and the coolness has quite vanished.

Queen Victoria has long been known as the great matchmaker of Europe. While at Coburg with the queen and others in April of last year, upon the occasion of the marriage of Princess Victoria Melita of Coburg and Gotha and the grand duke of Hesse, Emperor William took upon himself, without consulting anybody, to bring to a head the long pending but frequently deterred en-gagement of Princess Alix of Hesse to the then exarewich of Russia, and her majesty felt very much put out, as she fancied she was the first person to be consulted in such matters. This caused a coolness between herself and her imperial grandson, but dur-ing the dinner at Osborne the conversation of the two sovereigns was most animated and affectionate, those present noticing es-pecially the great tenderness which the emperor displayed in assisting the queen to arise after dinner and the gracious manner in which she accepted his help. Considerable comment has been caused in

certain circles by the announcement that William Brown, a nephew of the famous John Brown, who was for many years the attendant of her majesty, and for whom the queen had a high regard, has been appointed the queen's personal attendant. William Brown inherits to a degree the somewhat British manner of his distinguished uncle. INTEREST IN THE YACHTING CONTEST.

As the date for the races for the America's approaches interest in Valkyrie III performances of Defender increases, lef cable dispatches from New York published here in the English newspapers are eagarly read and much discussed. There is no doubt that the yachtsmen here are far from feeling confident that Lord Dunrayen' yacht will bring the cup back to England; but it is generally admitted that she has a better chance to do so than any of her pre decessors. Naturally the greatest interest of the experts centers in the question whether Valkyrie III. will or will not have to allow time, and therefore there was much disap-pointment when it was announced that the measurements of the cup defender will not be known until shortly before the race. On this subject the Daily News published an article yesterday on the cable dispatches re-ceived in England on Friday regarding De-The article is headed

"Again the Eagle Flappeth. Vigilant and Defender and the Miserable Britisher." Under this caption the Evening News said: The cup committee's decision not to pub-h the dimensions of the Defender and Vigilant will not cause such grief on our side as may be expected, as our exper know their dimensions as need be. The fa that the yachts are to be measured, however, forms an instructive commentary upon the real state of the matter. After the talk heralded at the launching of Defender, and the subsequent abouting about her speed, the mere thought that there is a question as to her superiority is diminished. We are told she can make rings around Vigilant and the American eagle flapped her wings and shouted as usual. But there does not seem to be more in the new frog than in

Evening News, though only a cheap paper, has a big circulation, especially in sporting circles, and the foregoing remarks

will be widely read.

The interest in Mr. R. S. Paimer's American schooner Yampa and Mr. Frederick Wills' British cruising schooner Amphitrite on Wednesday last off Cowes is creating a great deal of interest here. Yampa, although beaten, was generally admited. The Yachtsman says: "The picture presented by Yampa with every stitch of canvas set is one that makes our beasted enteres sink into insign. makes our boasted cutters sink into insigthat the schooner contests will give a new lease of life to a rig which is equally servicea ble and picturesque, adding: "It is only fair ble and picturesque, adding: "It is only fair to say that all the papers here praise Mr. Palmer for his sportsmanlike conduct. He, in the first race, made no attempt to con-ceal the fact that he had additional men on STARTS A BOOM FOR WHITNEY.

Mr. William F. Harrity, chairman of the ocratic national committee, sails for N k shortly, after having done Engla Ireland and Paris. He is much improved tr health and takes a sanguine view of demo-cratic politics. In conversation with a re-porter of the Associated press he said: "With the great work the democratic ad-ministration is doing for sound money, good times are returning and will continue to improve, for which democrats will get credit. The next republican house is sure to encounter complications. I really do not believe Mr. Cleveland would take a third term. There is no pronounced candidate for the presidency among the democrats, not be-cause the chances of his election are not good, but because it is too early for candidates to appear. Mr. William C. Whitney is the most talked of. I see he says he is not a candidate. Mr. Whitney is human, and would make a splendid candidate. My best information is that the democrats are going to get together and carry New York next November. That will encourage the democrats of other states. We shall therefore go into the campaign full of enthusiasm. With the return of good times the free coinage agitation will die out, and good times mean a democratic victory in 1896."

Since the August bank holiday the more important London theaters are definitely closed. Among those houses given up to cleaners and decorators are Drury Lane Garden, the Lyceum, the Comedy, Court, Savoy, Shaftes-the Strand. This leaves a and the small margin of fashionable West end houses that are open for the delectation of the American play goer now in London. It is not long since the Strand and its

GOSSIP OF THE THEATERS.

immediate vicinity was considered the only location where theatrical performances might be successfully given. Now, however, the suburbs are all coming in for their separate house of entertainment. There is the Metropole at Camberwell and the Parkhurst at Holloway. There is the Lyric Opera house, Hammersmith, and at Ealing there is another Lyric theater, while a Shakespeare theater is being built at Clapham. The houses that continue doing the largest

The houses that continue doing the largest business are the Trafalgar, with "The Passport," which has lost none of its popularity with its removal from Terry's theater; "Prince of Wales," with Arthur Roberts as Gentleman Joe, and the Adelphia, where the successful American drama, "The Girl I Left Behind Me," is now drawing to a close. Olga Nethersole has appeared during the week at the Grand theater in the ever popular "Camille." During her tour of the lar "Camille." During her tour of the provinces, which will follow, she will play in dramatic version of Carmen and an adap of Dumas' "Denise." and Mrs. Bancroft left London a week

ago for their summer vacation in the Engar dine, where they will spend a portion of the

The only novelty of the past ten days has sen the production of the musical farce, "All board," at the Criterion, which, during Mr. Wyndham's absence, has passed into the hands of Miss Clasy Graham. This piece is by the authors of "The Gaiety Girl," Owen Hall and J. T. Tanner. The cast includes Kate Cutler, H. Delange, Horace Mills, C. P. Little and Ada Reeve.

LONDON SMALL TALK. publishers of Du Maurier's cheap elition of "Triby" are making desperate efforts to force the sale of the novel which had so extraordinary a sale in America. In spite of this fact, however, the story does not seem to have hit the popular idea of an entertaing book of the English public. The old Hengler circus in Argyle square, so e old Hengler circus in Argyle square, so was most active in the affairs of the parish brown to American visitors, is shortly of which her father was the pastor.

to be turned into a skating rink under the title of the National Skating Palace. Madame Sarah Grand is the latest recruit

among the bicyclists. Emperor William's visit to Lowther castle as the guest of Lord Lonzdale has been one Missionaries Use Guns to Stand Off a Mob f incessant activity and in one day he trav eled seventy miles by coach and steamer in order to see the lake and hilly country. Dur ing the first day's shooting the emperor bagged nearly fifty brace of grouse, and aithough he is a capital shot, the precaution was taken to have the birds driven almor up to the muzzle of his gun.

There has been much adverse comment in sporting and other circles here upon the utterances attributed to Mr. M. F. Dwyer, the American horseman, after his return to New York, after racing his horses in England The Evening News, for instance, after some scathing strictures on Dwyer's interviews, dethat his remarks were entirely trary to those made here on the fairness of

Ada Rehan is spending a holiday in Cumberland and will remain there until the mid-dle of September, when she returns to America, spending a week in Paris on her way

Lydia Lebrun, the American soprano, ha een engaged for the St. James hall ballad oncerts and smoking promenade concerts She opened at the Queen's hall this week with success, and with a capital orchestra and

Rev. Frank Herrick Johnson and Major McClaughrey of Chicago are now in London. George Henschel has arranged to start for United States at the end of March in or to give a series of recitations in April and May

The Canadian Gazette strongly urges the Canadian artillery corps to arrange to com-pete at the Shoeburyness artillery meeting of 1896, as the Canadian riflemen do at the ceting of the National Rifle association at Bisley. The Gazette adds: "If the Dominior minister of militia will arrange for the men to come in 1896 they will be sure of a heart

99999999999999999999999 SOUTH OMAHA NEWS

The following South Omaha people will leave Monday afternoon for Boston, where they will attend the Knights Templar conclave: J. A. Hake, wife and daughters, T. C. Shelby, wife and daughter, Thomas Whit tlesey, wife and daughter, E. L. Howe and wife, James Foley and wife, George French and wife, Mrs. A. C. Weir, Miss Clark, Miss Jessie Carpenter, Miss Ida Moxler, Miss Cummings, Mrs. P. L. Hughes, Mrs. Ella T Christ, Miss D. C. Carlos, Mr. G. F. Beavers John Welsh, William Young, Joe Rockford

Runnway Broke His Arm. J. P. Laird, who lives at 1625 North Twen tieth street, Omaha, had his left arm broke in a runaway accident at noon yesterday. Mr Laird was driving east on N street. When near the Methodist parasol crossed in front of the horse. animal became frightened and turned around, upsetting the buggy and throwing Mr. Laird ento the stone pavement. In falling he the fall broke one of the bones in his lef arm. A physician was called and the arm se after which Mr. Laird went home.

Elected the Officers. opchurch lodge No. 2, Degree of Honor has installed the following officers: Past chief, Mrs. H. Owens; chief of honor, Mrs. W. Rader; lady of honor, Mrs. Lila Babcock chief of ceremonies, Mrs. N. E. Sherman recording secretary, Mrs. M. Doyl; financia secretary, Mrs. A. R. Behmke; receiver, Mrs C. J. Hedges; usher, Mrs. C. W. Miller side watch, Miss Casey; outside watch, Mrs

Magle City Gossip. Miss Maggie Nieman is very sick.

The South Omaha Cycling club makes run to Lake Manawa today. Mrs. Harper has caused her husband's ar

Dr. Wheeler's topic at the First Presbyterian church this morning is "A Supert Manhood."

Rev. Dr. Dawson, pastor of the First Methodist church, will preach this morning on "Sympathy." Business at the stock yards is bracing up.

nearly 5,000 cattle.

R. B. Hawley, local manager of the American District Telegraph, is spending Sunday with relatives at Percival, Ia. There will be special services at the Fourth ward mission this afternoon. Elder O. E

Bruce will conduct the meeting. The women of the Episcopal church will give a lawn social next Thursday evening at the residence of Rev. I. P. Johnson This afternoon the Independent Order of

conka's hall, Twenty-fourth and L streets. Elder Smith will have charge of the Sunday school at the Presbyterian church today R. B. Montgomery will instruct the bible class. Arrangements for special music have been

made for at this evening's services at the Presbyterian church. The pastor will preach n "The City of South Omaha." The funeral of Robert Malin will be held at the family residence, Twenty-eighth and S streets, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Wheeler will conduct the service

remains will be interred at Laurel Hill ceme-Mrs. Mary Taylor was fined \$5 for contempt by Judge Christman in police court yesterday. Mrs. Taylor failed to respond to a subpoena

to secure her as a witness against her band, who was arrested for disturbing the peace. Rev. John A. Henderson, formerly of Omaha, will preach at the United Presby-terian church this morning at 11 o'clock.

At S p. m. the pastor, Rev. J. F. Ross, will preach on "An Index Finger Pointing to Tuesday evening next a joint meeting of Samuel Dennis post, Grand Army of the Re-public, and Samuel Dennis Woman's Relief

corps will be held at Masonic hall. All old soldiers, sailors and their families are invited, and all women who wish to join the relief corps as charter members are requested On Thursday evening last Mr. and Mrs. J. . Abernathy entertained a number of their

fr ends at their residence, 916 North Twen-tieth street, in honor of their niece, Miss Nellie Crispin of Missouri Valley. High five was the principal entertainment of the evening, after which refreshments were served. Those present were: The Misses Waddell and Johnson of Atlantic, Ia., Chr'spin, Seykora, Dr. and Mrs. Schindel, Messrs. Hastings.

Prosser, Seykora and Waddell. The charter of the State Farmers' Mutual nsurance company, recently organized here, has been received from the state auditor and company will commence business Auust 20. Charter members are: E, P. Sav-ge, J. E. Curt's, R. H. Jones, J. B. Holman, W. Smith, B. R. Stoffer, R. M. Carpenter, gust 20. S. B. Bashelder, A. Clemmens, E. L. Martin Hayzlett, George M. Drexel, A. Waterman, Herman Timme, Oscar J. Pickard, V. Konickad, W. J. Wallace, Andrew Hoffman, Lewis Keep, F. J. Olsen, George L. Redman

Miss Lottie Niles Drowned. The Ithaca (N. Y.) Journal of August 12 has the following account of the drowning of Miss Lottle Niles, sister of S. W. Niles, re-

cently on The Bee staff: Miss Lottle Niles, daughter of Rev. W. A. Niles, D.D., pastor of the Trumansburg Pres-byterian church, was drowned in the lake at Frontenac beach early yesterday morning. Her body was discovered by her brother only a few feet from shore within ten minutes after she fell into the water, and although means at hand was utilized to restory all efforts proved unavailing. Miss Niles had been for two weeks stopping at a cottage with her mother and sister and brothers at Frontenac. Dr. Niles, who was at Ocean Grove, was notified by telegraph of the sad affair and reached Trumansbu the sail affair and reached Trumansburg this morning. The funeral services will be held at the residence at 3 p. m. tomorrow and interment will be at Binghamton. Miss Niles was 23 years of age and was a highly accomplished woman. She was for several years professor of literature and elocution at Elmira ollege. She was an earnest Christian and

WERE THEIR OWN DEFENDERS

of Chinese.

AUTHORITIES GAVE THEM NO AID

Concented by a Chinaman Whon They Had Befriended and from Hiding Watched the Destruction of Their Property.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 17 .- Among the passengers by the steamer Empress of Japan were Dr. Stevenson and family, missionaries at Sze-Chuan, China, who narrowly escaped murder at the hands of the natives in the first of the recent riots. Dr. Stevenson be longs to a Canadian Methodist mission and it now enroute to his home in Milton, Ont. He had to leave China owing to the ill health of his wife, who was suffering from the effects of the horrors. Dr. Stevenson said that the vicious official system of the empire is responsible for the persecution of missionaries Left to themselves, the people of Sze-Chuan were peaceable and well disposed toward them. The better class of Chinese were quick to appreciate their superiority in many respects-in medicine for example-and Dr Stevenson had his hands full attending to his numerous patients among all classes,

The viceroy of this province may be re garded as a typical specimen of his class, or a little worse if anything. Receiving merely a nominal salary from headquarters, he made up the deficiency from the pockets of the people with such good results that in a few years he amassed no less than \$50,000,000. He even allowed his rapacity to get the better of his discretion and behaved so tyrannically that his own countrymen grew disgusted. The popular clamor was so great that the central government was forced to recognize the people and last year the viceroy was disgraced. But he could not be removed until a successor was appointed, a process in-volving considerable delay in China. Seeing himself on the brink of political annihilation thought to retain favor and make an enviable reputation by turning the missionaries from the country. It was afterwards learned, moreover, that he had secret instruc-

CIRCULATED OUTRAGEOUS STORIES. All kinds of outrageous stories about missionaries were circulated among the people for the purpose of securing their co-operation. The missionaries had built a hospital in Cheng-Tu, now destroyed, at cost, and Dr. Stevenson was one of the doctors employed. On the 28th of May a placard was posted declaring that the foreigners fried their children to obtain the oil in then A request was made that these placards should be torn down and a few of them torn down, though several persons objected.

"Dr. Kilborn," continued the doctor, "was just filling Miss Jackson's teeth and I was doing some work about the dispensary when we heard some children yelling and throwing small stones. This was about 4:30. We sent our cards at once to nearly all the yamens. They were received, except one sent to Tsong-Pao-Kachai, an inhuman man, who fol-lowed up his refusal with a vicious proclama-This man had been cured of an ulcer ne leg of twenty years' standing by Dr. Wainwright a short time before. The crowd attacked the Canadian mission and broke in the doors. Dr. Kilborn had a double-barreled gun and I had a Martini rifle. When we ap-peared on the scene the crowd disappeared in a hurry from the gate and left the opposite mud wall clear. We fired three shots low mud wall clear. We fired three shots low down into them and they ran right out into the street. We held the crowd at bay until the cahirman arrived, who promised to keep the street clear, adding that the officials would soon appear. Good liars, but bad police, they soon allowed the people to come right into the gate. Again we cleared the street. In a little while our wives wanted to see us. They had picked up the babies in their night clothes and ran to the hospital the dividing wall and we so crowds beating at the hospital gates on the back street. Dr. Kilborn blew a big hole through the top panel of the gate and fright-ened the crowd back. We now went into our dispensary building and tried to lock our selves in, but we soon heard the roar and clash of panels on the dwelling side. We made several vain attempts to escape into ar

EXPECTED DEATH. "We fully expected death, but in a short time a man whom I had cured of opium smok-ing found us and told us we must leave at ice. He had found a hole in the hospital gate made by a stone from a rioter. One of my twin babies was taken by a woman servant to Kilborn, the other by the opium slave. My wife held onto the other babe. We all ran to the gates. There was just room for one to get through the hole at a time. I was one of the last to get out and pointing my rifle at man who was yelling: 'Tax zee' (str ke dead) he shut up at once, as there were only a dozen or so by the hospital gate. I was forced to resort to this expedient several While we were running out on the a man kicked Mrs. Stevenson. 1 leveled a gun on the wretch and had he tried to follow it up there might have been another story to tell, but he saw me and stopped. After this my rifle was needed no furthe and it was left next day, and some rioter has a gun for which I would be willing to y him a fine price as a relic.
"Next day the party made its way to the

China inland mission house. From there they watched the destruction of the two old houses of the Canadian Methodist mission. The people on a certain street promised them protection, but a mob collected. The party, however, got away in chairs to the yamen. The place was barricaded, but the mob broke in and Dr. and Mrs. Kilborn, Mr and Mrs. Hartwell, the children and Missis Breckbill and Ford escaped by ladders over the back wall. They entered a small house and bribed the owners for 30 taels to conceal them inside the bed curtains. For three hours waited in terror, while the work of destruction was going on about them. At night they succeeded in getting away. At night the same condition of affairs prevailed at the Episcopal and Roman Catholic missions. all eleven places were looted and the inhabi-tants barely escaped with their lives. The Roman Catholic bishop was next to the vice roy's yamen and could easily have been saved but on appeal for help he was refused ALL WERE HOMELESS.

"That night I saw thirty-one foreigners, men, women and children, French and British, in the yamen homeless, their houses leveled or burned, with scarcely a whole tile left. A wire was sent off to the Ching-King consul, but when the viceroy heard of it h ordered the operator to fetch it back, but i was too late, and the news got through to Peking. The district magistrate took care of the refugees and treated them as well as he could in his yamen. The next day was ex-caedingly trying. The excited people assembled and threatened to wreck the vames and kill the foreigners. But the fourth day the Tsung-li-Yamen at Peking had made the act and a stiff proclamation was is-Eleven days after the riot all the British and American missionaries, excep-Mr. Jackson, had left by heat for Chung-

"Mr. Jackson was escorted overland to Cong-Pa by another official. Mr. Vale went ashore at Kia-Ting, and the remainder of the party, Rev. H. O. and Mrs. Cady, Rev. J. F and Mrs. Peat, Dr. and Mrs. Canewright Methodist hospital missionaries, Rev. G. and Mrs. Hartwell, Dr. and Mrs. Kilborn, Dr. and Mrs. Stevenson, Misses Breckbill and and Mrs. Stevenson, Misses Breckbill and Ford and Mr. and Mrs. Cormack reaching Chunk-Kiang in safety on the 17th. Similar acenes were enacted at Huan-Hsien. Suiti-Hsien. Klong-Cheo, Sui-Fu, Pao-Ning. Pen-Cho, Cin-Fu and Sin-King, missionary property being injured more or less and the mis-

King, the magistrate sending two or three officials and six small boat loads of soldiers

ATTACKED BY BOATMEN "At Kia-Ting on Tuesday, July 4, during the triennial examination, the three houses of the Canadian mission, American Bible Missionary union and Canadian Inland mission were looted and partially damaged; also Roman Catholic mission. Rev. V. C. Hart and Dr. M. Hare, Canadian Midland mission, had a boat in readiness. Mr. and Mrs. Viking had left for Tsun-Kei on the 3d, leaving Mr. Birie in charge at the

American Bible mission. He was roughly handled, but got away in a boat with Mrs. Birle and Miss Bridgewater.

"Next day Mr. and Mrs. Squire and their little boy arrived at Kia-Ting in a boat. They sent a servant ashore to see if the streets were quiet, and the boatmen ordered them off shore. They refused and were atthem off shore. They refused and were attacked by the boatmen, one of whom was armed with a knife. The boatman caught Mrs. Squire, but Mr. Squire pulled her away and managed to get ashore. Shoeless they made their way up the river bank to the native custom house, but the officials would not allow them to take refuge fere. or two attempts to escape were folled, so they determined to face the streets and try to reach the yamen or die together. Thus, going along and praying aloud they saw three old women they knew, who took them and sheltered them until the middle of the night, cooking some food for them to eat. About midnight they reached the yamen, minus all belongings excepting the clothe on them, and thus joined Mr. and Mrs Birls and Miss Bridgewater.

"At Ya-Cheo the officials, fearing for the safety of the foreigners, arranged for them to leave during the night under military escort. All people were ordered in doors and they were escorted to a raft by the of-At Ne-Gai, 110 miles river, they found the Roman Catholic mis-sion had been rioted. There is much sameness in the reports from the different towns and there is no doubt that there was a general agreement among the rabble to drive

RALLY DAY FOR STATE FAIR.

Chance to See Buildings and Grounds Before Big Show Opens. It has been decided by the Omaha Fair and Speed association to have a race merting preceding the opening of the state fair. It will be on September 6, and is to furnish a pleasant occasion for people to see the new grounds and buildings. Horse races, broncho iding and speeches will afford entertainment The street railway will be extended to the grounds by that time and all business houses in the city will be asked to close up that Final arrangements for the event will be made at a meeting of the association at the Commercial club rooms Tuesday after

GRANT POST'S ANNIVERSARY. Will Be Presented with a Portrait of

General Manderson. Next Tuesday evening is the thirteenth an niversary of the organization of U. S. Grant post, Grand Army of the Republic, and the post has requested its first commander. General Manderson, to furnish his portrait to hang upon the walls with those of Lincoln. Grant, Sherman and Sheridan. F. P. Day, a member of the post, has painted a most faith ful likeness of the general, which will be presented to the post by the general on that evening. It is expected to be the most memorable event in the history of the post. Comrades of other posts and the women o all relief corps are cordially invited.

Yesterday afternoon a coat and vest wer stolen from Charles Spivek, 103 South Twelfth street, and the fact was reported to the police. The stolen property was found later in the day on the person of an individual who was too drunk to give his name. He had the coat and vest under his shirt, but was not smart enough to button the shirt after putting them there. Consequently when he picked out an easy spot in the gutter and and placed him under arrest.

A meeting of the North End-Republican club was held last night for the purpose of final organization and to hear speeches from candidates. By-laws were adopted and executive, finance and membership committee appointed. It was decided to invite Judge Scott to address the club next Saturday night. The meeting was addressed by Joh There were thirteen persons present.

"Is Christianity Played Out?" Rev. A. H. Byles of Hanley, Eng., will speak at the Young Men's Christian association 4 p. m. service on the question discussed a great deal today: "Is Christianity a Failure?" Dr. Byles is a man of wide observation, a student of years, in touch with the greater movements and can speak with much author-ity on the subject. Dr. Henry will conduct

Silver City Firm in Trouble. Dun & Co.'s commercial agency in this city reports that Pullman & Huddinger, general merchants at Silver City, Ia., have given mortgages aggregating \$21,000 upon their stock. The firm is one of the oldest in the western part of the state.

LOCAL BREVITIES. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Kirkendall

The annual meeting of old settlers of Sarpy ounty will be held at Papillion September The Omaha Saengerbund and friends of he society will picuic today at Ruser's park. Gordon Johnson, commonly called Jim, a negro who had been a familiar figure about the Millard hotel corner for years, died yes terday morning at the county hospital.

A picnic was given yesterday afternoon and evening at Courtland beach by the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic. It for the benefit of old and feeble soldiers. A special motor train of eleven cars left Sixteenth and Howard streets at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, loaded with excursionists to the Woodmen of the World picnic at Union park, across the river.

The committee on arrangements for the and excursion at Courtland Beach on next Thursday evening under the auspices of Young Men's Institute has about com pleted all the necessary plans for the oc-

J. R. Dimand of Keokuk, Ia., will close his meetings at Jefferson square at 8 o'clock Sun-day evening with a sermon on "Liberty and the Bible." Last evening he held an open air meeting at Twenty-sixth and N streets, South Omaha.

Heads of departments at the Millard hotel gave Head Clerk C. W. Squires cause to pleasantly remember his birthday yesterday. They presented him with a silver-mounted cane and umbrella to match, inscribed as the gift of "the Millard guard."

This morning an Elkhorn special train will take 500 excursionists from Omaha to Bennington, who will there celebrate the victory of Germany over France in the war of 1870. The excursion will be under the juspices of the Landwehr society.

Judge L. L. Morrison of Rockford, Ill., and Toulmin, a preminent attorney of Springfield, O., are in the city, taking testi-& Co. in connection with an important patent mit soon to be tried in the courts.

Rev. Dr. L. L. West of Winona, Minn. who occupied Dr. Butter's pulpit at St Mary's Avenue Congregational church last Sunday, has been persuaded by his friends to remain in Omaha another Sunday and will preach there again this morning.

Rev. Lealie Hawk of the First United Presbyterian church of this city will deliver an address under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance union on Sunday evening, August 18, at 8 o'clock, in the Beth Eden Baptist church on Park avenue. Judge Berka received a letter this morning from Rev. E. B. Tra Fethren of Worthing. S. D., asking to be given all the particulars relative to Master Days Lind, who kills small animals and sucks their blood. He also asks for information as to the lad's parents. He says he wants the facts for scientific study. Superintendent Arthur of Courtland beach has a force of men at work in the amphi-theater at the grounds making the prelimtheater at the grounds making the prelim-inary arrangements for the "Siege of Vicksourg," one of Paine's pyrotechnic pieces. It will form a prelude to the other great show,

the Nebraska state fair. While an unknown woman was standing on the sidewalk on Farnam street between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, last night, well dressed man snatched a pocketbook from her hand and ran. Several observers of the incident pursued him, but he es-The pocketbook contained a small

A unique entertainment will be given by A unique entertainment will be given by the Omaha Woman's Christian Temperance union on Thursday, August 22, at the Kountze Memorial church. Six adults, three ladies and three gentlemen, will compete in oratory for first and second prizes, all other features will be added to make this one of the most pleasing and novel entertainments of the season.

lents, cool and well snaded, and provided with water by means of a well, which they drove to a depth of seven feet. The camp is but a short distance from the lake, where they have a number of boats, and only a few rods from the Elkhorn river, where the lathing is excellent. The party consisted of J. W. Maynard and family, W. H. Salsbury and family, T. P. Cartwright and family, Mrs.

WHY S. P. MORSE CO. FAILED

Principal Not Qualified to Conduct a Concern Without Capital.

RESULT INEVITABLE FROM THE START

Bee's Advertising Claims Pressed Only After it Was Known that Other Creditors Would Cause a Collapse.

The collapse of the S. P. Morse Dry Goods ompany last Thursday was announced by The Bee with the least possible display. Alhough The Bee was one of the principal sufferers by the confessed judgment jugglery, it refrained from making public the unfavorable comment that was current upon the streets and among business men generally concerning the principals involved in this piece of commercial thimble rigging.

The version which S. P. Morse has given to other newspapers in trying to throw the responsibility for the failure of his Peter Funk corporation upon the publishers of The Bee compels it as a matter of self-defense to let the public understand the true inwardness of the wreckage.

On Friday morning the World-Herald, in innouncing the failure, indulged in the following comment:

The immediate cause of trouble came

county court.

The filing of these suits precipitated the rouble and destroyed all hope that the company could pull through the dull season till

pany could pull through the dull season till fail trade opened.

In speaking of these suits by The Bee, Mr. S. P. Morse was particularly bitter.

"The Bee has done me and my company a great injury," said he, "without doing itself any good. I feel all the more outraged by its assault on the credit of my company because in past years I have paid The Bee tens of thousands of dollars. For years I was the best patron the paper had. Not only did my patronage contribute to the building up of The Bee, but years ago I loaned The Bee \$1,000 to enable it to blossom out into an cight-page paper from a fourout into an eight-page paper from a four-page sheet. On several other occasions I advanced The Bee money in the times of its distress, and now on the first occasion Mr. Rosewater turns on me and tries to

ruin my business."

The effect of the suits by The Bee was to bring others on rapidly, and hardly a day has passed since they were filed that other creditors have not pressed their claims vigorously, and at last the company has decided to give up.

A retractor of this they A retraction of this tissue of falsehood was demanded from Mr. W. V. Morse, who dis-avows all knowledge of or complicity with the slanderous article and shifts the blame upon

P. Morse, who has been in a condition of onsibility for days, and, in fact, for The Bee violates no confidence in saving that the S. P. Morse company was organized o collapse. It was a stock company with no beyond the stock of goods that the proprietors of the old Morse & Co. were willing unload under conditions that would mal make them safe when the crash would come. Its organization, with S. P. Morse at its head,

The reputation of this man as a debauche

was a surprise to the community.

whose hab!ts unfitted him for any active responsible business, made his selection appear as an extra hazardous risk, and the sequel fully justifies all of the worst apprehension of his friends and creditors. It was because his excesses and debauches became a matter of public notoriety and failure was inevitable that the business department of The Bee sought to press its advertising bills, which had reached over \$2,300 by the middle of last July. The payment of these bills was put off from week to week with promises of tial payments, which were never made. When asked to give promissory notes for a portion sent insulting messages to the business mana ger, using language too vulgar to go into print. When all efforts to secure even a partial payment failed. The Bee filed its informed that other creditors were about to institute proceedings and that the firm might be closed at any moment. On this or any other score Mr. Morse has no right to complain, in view of the repeated scandal

has caused and the notoriety that he has When Mr. Morse attempts to make The Bee a scrapegoat for his own transgressions he undertakes to underrate public intelligence. The fact that he has paid The Bee thousands dollars for advertising is not disputed, and so have other business men who avail themselves of its columns for drawing pat-ronage and who could not do business without advertising in The Bee. These people have all received an equivalent for their money, and while their patronage is appreciated they

have no right to impose upon The Bee. There is no truth in Mr. Morse's assertion that he ever loaned or advanced The Bee or Mr. Rosewater even as much as

About ten years ago Mr. W. V. Morse made a bargain with The Bee for thirty pages of advertising at a rebate on the payment of \$1,000 in advance. This is what S. P. Morse calls loaning money to Rosewater, when in fact he was discounting his own bills and at very liberal reduction.

PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

Miss Mary Krebs is visiting relatives at Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fell started on Tuesday or a ten days' trip through Colorado Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Hart of Council Bluffs are registered at the Leland Ocean house, Newport.

The friends of Judge Dundy will be glad to learn that he has recovered sufficiently to drive out in his carriage. Mrs. A. T. Sidwell and daughter, Mary Alice, of 1820 Vinton street, returned Satur-

lay from their visit to Chicago. Dr. E. W. Lee came home Sunday from New York City and Rando ph, N. Y., where he has been for the past two weeks. Miss Rogers and Miss Edith Rogers of Washington, D. C., are the guests this month of Mrs. Oscar B. Williams, 3722 Half Howard

Mrs. Cowin will chaperone a coaching party for young people next Wednesday who will dance at the home of Mr. Fred Lake on their return. Mrs. James G. Martin and daughter. Sarah

last Thursday from their two weeks visit to Kansas and Missouri. Miss Edwina Ward celebrated her sixth birthday by entertaining some fifteen of her

little friends at the home of her father, Mr. George A. Ward, 2202 Ohio street, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. S. M. Campbell gave a kensington Tuesday afternoon for Miss Downs of Chi-cago. After a short contest in croquet Miss Gail Comstock carried off the prize. Those

Misses Downs of Chicago

present were:

Babcock of Boston, Baldwin of New York, Peters and Alice Peters of St. Louis, Comstock, Gail Comstock, Les Comstock, Knex, McCague, Campbell, Condon, Adeline Con-don, and Mrs. Martin, Sprague, Marples, Todd and Stratton A very pleasant dancing party was given A very pleasant dancing party was given at the residence of the Misses Condon at 1122 South Thirty-second street Thursday even-ing, in honor of Miss Laura Baldwin of Baldwinsville, N. Y., who is the guest of relatives in Omaha. Punch and wafers were served during intermission and the score or more of young people who were present enjoyed a most delightful evening. The party

was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Condon and consisted of Misses Baldwin, Condon, Adelyn Condon, Comstock, Gall Comstock, Lee Comstock, Blessing, Downs of Chicago, Boss of Leavenworth, Kan., and Messrs. Hunt, Irons, Field, Beach, Buffett, Colt, Vickers and Graham Maynard camp, on King's lake, near Waterloo, is a most delightful one and all the members of the party enjoyed themselves to the utmost until Wednesday, when they returned to the city. They had a perfect little city of tents, cool and well shaded, and provided with water by means of a well, which they drove to a depth of seven feet. The camp

Ackerman and son, F. T. Clarke and wife, Mrs. Hudson, Joe Maynard of St. Louis and Frank Wilcox and wife.

The Rev. Frank Crane has returned from a three weeks' vacation and will occupy his pulpit both morning and evening today. Miss Jennie Donaldson returns Sunday from Grand Island, Neb., where she has been vis-iting her sister, Mrs. George Loan, jr., for he past two weeks.

General James W. Foreyth visited in San Francisco by his two daughters Mrs. Bache and Mrs. Bacon, with their Lus-bands, Colonel Dallas Bache and Lieutenant Colonel John M. Bacon.

Miss Florence Weir left Thursday for Manitou, going with a party of friends. She will return the last of the month, when she will go with her mother to Dubuque, Ia., which will be their future home. Mr. George Hoagland and Miss Helen

Hoagland went to Lake Washington, Minn.

and Mr. Will Hoagland. Mr. Hoagland has now gone farther west, but his family will remain at the lake for some two weeks longer. At the residence of Mr. Frank Israel of this city on Thursday evening, relatives and friends of the family witnessed the marriage of Mr. W. B. Wolfe and Miss Irene Grace Israel. The groom is assistant cashier of the Bank of Benkleman. They will be at home to their friends after September 1. One of the enjoyable events of the week was the select dancing party given by the ideal Trilby club of Omaha at Purcell's hall, Irvington, last Frides evening. The club mer at the residence of Mr. Garnsey at 7:30, from whence they drove on a hayrack to Irvington where everything was in readiness for dessant time. Dancing was indulged in until late hour, when refreshments were served after which the jolly party returned to their homes, Those present were: Misses Var Dorn, Burns, Beeman, Sundeen, Reven, New ton, Fisher, Williams, Seavers, Stitt, Sheldon Emerson, Taylor, Words, Robbins and Kaise Messrs, Ellington, Garnsey, Van Dorn, Buz-

zetl, Vandervoort, Perrey, Beaton, Beeman Gosney, Omsted, Soloman, Seaman, Jones Gosney, Omsted, Soloman, Irland, Baxter and Wilson. Tusday evening Mrs. J. C. Wilcox, assisted by her daughters, Miss Wilcox and Miss Pearl Wilcox, gave a delightful lawn party. Their beautiful lawn was lighted brilliantly. Refreshments were served at 11 o'cl Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. Boyden, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Arnout, Mr. Mrs. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Brandies, Mrs. E. J. Arnout, Mrs. Hay, Misses Mortensen, Hay, Lane, Nellie Lane, Annie Higland, Bell, Newton, Trimble, Mahannah Crawford, Arnout, Boyden, May Wilcox; Messrs. Bell, Edward Chadwick, Fred Borsch, Charles Trimble, Robert Trimble, J. Carlson, Albert King, Arnout, J. C. Arnout Charles Evans, P. Wyman, Wilcox, Henry Hopper, Harry Lee.

Personal Paragraphs.

J. W. Houder left for Chicago last night. George Canfield, Sheridan, Wyo., is in the Paige Warwick of Holdrege is at the Del-

Otto Gramm, Laramie, Wyo., is a Millard Major R. S. Wilcox leaves for Chicago to Ed R. Babcock, Storm Lake, Ia., is at the Millard.

Miss E. H. Terrill returned Saturday from he east. J. W. McDowell of Beatrice was a Paxton quest yesterday. J. O. Lessel of Weeping Water was in the

city last evening. Mr. A. N. Ensor is registered at the Barker rom Milwaukee, Wis. Proprietor Merritt of the Arcade will spend today in Nebraska City. Mr. and Mrs. Bruklacher, Stuttgart, Ger

many, are at the Millard. L. M. Clayton of Casper, Wyo., registered at the Arcade last evening. A. H. Findlay has returned from a ten days' vacation in the country. F. L. Joy and R. B. Schneider of Fremont were at the Millard yesterday. Mr. W. R. Fountain is registered at the Barker from San Francisco, Cal. Mr. C. C. Wilson of New York City spending Sunday at the Barker.

J. Sidney Goodmanson and R. G. Strong of Pender are guests at the Millard. George W. Megeath, formerly of the Union Pacific coal department, is in Chicago. Robert Byers of Holdrege and N. W. Robins of Norfolk are at the Merchants. A. C. Dunn, Union Pacific city ticket agent

Dick Smith, Sam Butler, Beecher Highy and John Westberg have returned from their fishing trip Mr. Wash Hoskins, H. P. Cushing, C. M. Connor, Charles Snowhill, John Graves, John Harrington and Sam Hament, lithographers

for Ringling Bros.' World's Greatest shows, ire quartered at the Barker. Joe Glenn, with the Booth Packing comhas returned from a trip through northern Nebraska. He says that no report blood on about the enermous yield of oats and the wounded.

city yesterday. Attorney Thomas D. Crane has gone to weeks' vacation

Maniton and Colorado Springs for a few R. Heber Holbrook, president of the National Normal college, Lebanon, O., is regis-tered at the Dellone.

promise of corn in that section can be exaggerated.

G. R. Tapp, traveling passenger agent for the Louisville & Evansville line, was in the

Mr. John J. Holland and E. J. Gosney, adrance representatives for Lemon Bros. us, are stopping at the Barker.

Miss Thomas of the general freight agent's file of the Union Pacific left Friday night or a vacation. She goes to Buffalo by way of Duluth and the lakes. Victor Bierbower, lieutenant governor of Idaho, is in the city for a few days, visiting his brother, E. L. Bierbower, before con-

inuing his fourney to the east. Mr. Robert Nicol, manager of Thompson Belden & Co.'s clock department, leaves oday for New York on a purchasing trip and incidentally to attend the Knights Templar conclave at Boston.

F. T. Hamilton, teller of the Merchants National bank, left last evening for a trip to the east. He goes first to Boston and then through the White mountains, return-ing by way of Buffalo and the lakes. James A. Powers has returned from his

unimer vacation in Milwankee, where in company with his wife and infant daughter he visited his parents, Mrs. Powers and daughter will return next Saturday.

At the Mercer—Harry S. Cantrovitz, Chl-cago; J. M. Buck, Holdrege; H. H. Halburt, Philadelphia; S. Abrams, Chicago; R. A. Bar-ber, Lincoln; Warren W. Templeton, Hoston; C. Stafford, Milwaukee; P. Westphalen, S. Joseph; George Cox, St. Louis; W. M. Meek, Denver; R. F. Seers, Atchison, Kan. Charles J. Barber and family of 2115 Calfornia street, will leave for the east Mnoday to spend several weeks on the Atlantic coast, visiting Boston, Partland, New York and

other eastern points. Miss Mabel Barber will not return to Omaha, but will attend La Selle Seminary at Auburndale, Mass., the coming year. DR. HEARNE AND WIFE INDICTED.

Prisoners Arrested and Pinced in Separate Cells of the Juli.

HANNIBAL, Mo., Aug. 17.-Few spectaers were present this afternoon when the court of common pleas convened to receive a report of the grand jury, which has been in continuous session for nearly three months, investigating the celebrated Stillwell murder case. The report was filed at 2 p. m., but its tenor was not known until after 4, when Sheriff Pratt went to the residence of William Perkins, at whose home the Hearnes are staying, and placed Dr. Hearne and wife under arrest, charged with the murder of A. J. Stillwell on the night of December 28, 1888. The indictment was for murder in the first degree, and the case is not therefore bailable. An effort was made to interview Dr. Hearne after his arrest, but he refused to say anything. The sheriff took his prisoners to Palmyra by private conveyance. Sheriff Pratt stated that the Hearnes would receive the same treatment accorded other prisoners. They will be lodged in separate cells on different floors, and they will not be permitted to see or talk to each other. They will be arraigned on the 16th of December in the Hannibal court of common pleas, for the murder of Amos Stillwell, the wealthy pork packer and former husband of Mrs. Hearne,

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The Lake Shore foundry at Cleveland has dvanced wages 10 per cent. Texas fever has appeared in a herd of catle in Miami county, Kansas. General John C. Moon, a prominent Ohio Grand Army of the Republic man, died Sat-

urday. In response to a letter Senator Peffer writes that it is true that he was opposed Mrs. James H. Brady of Abilene, Ken., has brought suit for a divorce. Brady is a

wealthy real estate dealer. Six prisoners in the county fall at Toledo. O., attacked the jailer and locking the jailor in a cell. attacked the jailer and escaped, after Francis of Englewood, Ill., was

o save her little child, who was drowning The receivers of the Jarvis-Conkling company have asked that a new trustee be ap-pointed in place of H. C. Gibbert, who has removed to Mexico. The propeller Montana ran afoul of the wreck of the steamer Britannic in the

drowned Saturday in an ineffectual attempt

troit river Saturday and was beached to prevent its sinking. A mob which was waiting to lynch Henry Smith at Lexington, Ky., who had assaulted a white woman, was fooled by the sheriff, who spirited his prisoner away.

Mrs. J. Thomas of Atchison, Kas., exchanged several shots with a burglar Friday night. Mrs. Thomas was not injured, but blood on the floor indicated the burglar was





Jones Hernia Treatment Co.,

