## COUNCIL BLUFFS DEPARTMENT

MINOR MENTION.

Detective Murphy is in Red Oak attending

Mrs. J. D. Curtin of Chicago is visiting her mother, Mrs. Durgan. Miss Nellie Dunn left Thursday night for a summer vacation with friends in Ogdens-

D. S. Brenneman took out a building per-mit yesterday for the erection of a \$1,500 cottage on Franklin avenue. Harry Gleason has returned home to spend his vacation. He has been attending the

Phillips academy at Andover, Mass. The Grand hotel, Council Bluffs. High chas in every respect. Rates, \$2.50 per day and upward. E. F. Clarke, proprietor. Only three cases of contagious diseases have been reported so far this month. City Clerk Phillips also states that the death rate has been extraordinarily low for the last

Bleycle parties are becoming as popular as trolley parties. The man who has a fered a fracture of his left arm. He was men, looking on with evident satisfaction family tandem invites his friends and heads assisting two other men in holding up the the procession. Several such delightful par-ties were out last evening.

election is hereby ordered for second licu-tenant, the election to be held at armory Tuesday, June 30, from 8 p. m. to 12 p. m.

Rev. Charles A. Young of Chicago, the leld secretary of the Christian Woman's Board of Missions, will lecture tonight in the Christian tabernacle, corner Scott and Mynster streets, on "The Divine Christ." Come and hear this able and eloquent

N. S. White, a colored bootlegger from Atlantic, was arraigned before Commissioner Steadman yesterday. His case took the usual course, and he will appear before Judge Woolson at the next term of the federal court and furnish a diagram of his transactions in the whisky business

The Omaha and Council Bluffs Motor company was obliged to put on five extra trains last evening to carry the crowd of people who went to Omaha to witness and and the pavement. Half of it was gone take a part in the big Transmississippi exentirely and the thick brass had been hamhad three coaches and all were crowded to shape. suffocation.

John Sandberg, a passenger who came in on one of the trains at the Union Pacific transfer last evening, was taken in charge by Officer Quinn. The man's conduct Indicated that he was insane, and the patrol wagon was called to take him to the police station. Investigation showed that the man was on the verge of delirium tremens.

Several days ago Miss Bertha Garwin preferred a charge of assault and battery against Ernest Wright. In the information which she filed in Justice Walker's court she alleged that the assault had sundry trim-mings of a particular offensive nature Both of the people live near Manawa. The case was set for hearing yesterday, but Miss Bertha falled to appear and prosecute and the justice dismissed the complaint.

Frank Mull, the fellow arrested by Detectives Murphy and Beswick on Thursday evening, and whose effects showed that he was a professional burglar, will be held upon another charge of burglary. When ar-rested he attempted to throw away a watch that was taken from the refreshment stand in Fairmount park when it was robbed Sunnight. The police suspected that he was implicated in a burglary at Manawa on Tuesday night, by which several members of the young ladies' band lost some valua-Tuesday afternoon a lunch asket containing some valuable silverware belonging to William Morris was stolen Yesterday in looking over his personal belongings the police found a fine linen napkin bearing the initials W. M." It is evident from this that the fellow was the thief that stole the lunch

C B. Viavi Co., female remedy. Medical consultation free Wednesdays, Health book furnished. Annex Grand hotel,

Lake Manawa Trains Leave Council Bluffs at 8 and 10 a. m., 2, 3, 4, 5 p. m., and every half hour therem. Sundays and special occasions every thirty minutes.

In the District Court

In the district court yesterday George E. Hoagland secured a decree establishing his mechanic's lien against a house owned by George and Amy Douglas for \$69. Other similar claims also allowed were: Braun & O'Neill, \$77.65; P. H. Wind, \$34.20; J. E.

Hollenbeck, \$15.05. In the case of the assignment of M. S Benner Leonard Everett filed his petition setting up his landlord's lease and the indebtedness of Benner under it. The claim for rent already due is \$105, and the amount ruing from date until the expiration of the lease is \$280. He asks an order of the court requiring Assignee Wilson to pay over to him these amounts from any he may have on hand as the proceeds of the sale of the stock of cigars and fixtures. In the suit of John Linier against Lizzie B. Smith for recovery on a promissory note the plaintiff dismissed the suit.

A decree of foreclosure was issued in the ase of F. M. Wilson against P. P. Lee E. Mayne and Clara B. Mayne for \$528.75

Lake Manawa Attractions. The Ladies' orchestra and Deming and

Roth, the comedians, are still drawing crowds at the Grand Plaza and pleasing the people. This week Mr. A. Ramos, the famous Cuban tenor, will sing some of his beautiful ballads. Mr. Ramos has a reputation of having one of the purest tenor voices and of a vast range. Commencing Monday, July 7, Prof. Menier, the champion high diver and parachute jumper, will give two exhibitions daily.

Band concert this evening at Manhattan

For Sale or Trade-Hotel Fairview, Brown county, Kan; good building, just painted and papered throughout. Will sell with furniture at a bargain, or trade for desirable real estate; only hotel in thriving town. Address J. J. Gravatte, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Close of the Sims Inquiry. The evidence was concluded yesterday the investigation of charges preferred by Attorney Sims in his address to the jury during the Jackson case concerning affairs at the county fail. The evidence submitted the previous day showed that women had visited John Webster in Jail and were locked up with him in a cell. Yesterday was shown that in two of the instances the women were sent for with a view to ascertaining, if possible, the location of Frank Jackson. Afterwards when called they were admitted. Officers of the city force testified that the character of Ida Foote was good, but that of Bertha Hunt was not. It was also shown that some one was near the cell door all the time while the women were in Webster's cell. This concluded the evidence and Judge Smith announced that he would hand down his decision this morning.

Hoffmayr's Fancy Patent flour makes the best and most bread. Ask your grocer for it

Housekeepers are in despair when they visit the Durfee Furniture company. All the things are so handsome and so cheap that they want the whole store.

Wall paper cleaned, new process, with patent right at Miller's. 108 Main street.

Did Not Need the Doctor. It was reported yesterday evening that woman had been injured by falling or being pushed from the motor returning from Manawa. Doctors were sent to the place where the woman was said to be, but certained she had gone and was not in-fured. The woman was Martha Cochrane, who created somewhat of a sensation a short time ago by being mixed up in a difficulty with a party of traveling horse traders from Missouri.

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week, until further notice, there will be no admittance charged at the Lake Man-awa Grand Plaza.

Latest flourishing floss. No. 19 South

Renard does the cooking at Manhattan

Beach restaurant.

TEST OF THE WATER WORKS TEST OF THE WATER WORKS

Can Do.

STREAMS FORCED TO A GREAT HEIGHT

Pressure Sufficient to Afford the City All Necessary Force to Protect Property in the Event of Fire.

James Snodderly, one of the men employed by the water works company to assist in holding the nozzles while the presaure tests were being made yesterday, sufassisting two other men in holding up the at the results obtained. Eastman pipe for the stream in front of away, and water was sent flying in every ach and was knocked a distance of fifteen at a fire and that the test should the feet. Snodderly attempted to hold on, but he attaching at least 100 feet of he attaching at least 100 feet of he was whirled about as if he were a mere child. Finally he lost his grip and was struck across the left arm between the el-bow and wrist and whirled quite a distance. Before he was able to pick himself up he was nearly drowned. He finally got away and then found his arm was fractured.

It was then found that it literally beat itself to pieces against the stone curbing mered out of all semblance of its original Troubled by Electrolysis.

The nozzle continued to slash and pound

on the street until the water was shut off.

One of the various results of the company's test of the city water works was the works corporations, electrolysis, had anpeared in Council Bluffs. After the tests floods of water pouring in through the pavement on North Main street indicated a broken water main. The water was shut off and a force of mon set to work to discover and repair the leak. Nearly fifty feet of paving was torn up before the leak was located. Then it was found to be the most pronounced case of electrolysis that has so far been discovered The main is a two-inch wrought iron pipe, and the break was at a point where it was crossed by a gas pipe. The gas pipe was laid about six inches above the water main. It is supposed the gas pipe had come into contact with a live wire somewhere and the current left it when it reached the water main. On the upper surface of the water main was a spot two inches wide and several inches long that had been eaten away until the remaining metal beneath it was no thicker than common tin, which gav way when the extra pressure was turned on and off so frequently while the water test was in progress near by. The surface that had been attacked was covered with a deposit similar to that which collects at the pper end of the zinc rod in an ordinary battery jar. All other portions of the pipe was not even discolored by rust, and showed

affected, but not nearly so much as the water main. The water company has been obliged to repair many similar breaks, but none that showed the ravages of the electrie current to such a pronounced extent

Every afternoon at 2 the Lake Manawa railroad will run a special excursion train for picnic parties at reduced rates. Speaking of expositions and exhibitions, se our germ proof pressure water filter Stephan Bros. Keeps sand out of your teeth.

no deterioration at all. The gas pipe was

One dollar buys 19 lbs. granulated sugar at Bradley's Blue Front grocery.

Wheelmen in Training. About a dozen crack local wheelmen are n training for the state bicycle meet at Lincoln, July 3 and 4. Among those who will go down are Rigdon, Hattenhauer, Gus Louie, Duquette, Harry Smith and Joe Boyne. The Tribune tandem team will be in the races for blood and some of the biggest prizes. The team is composed of Smith and Louie. They have been training at both the Field club track and on the driving park course. As an indication of the speed they have developed they point with me pride to an unpaced one-third of mile in forty-five seconds, which is a 2:15 clip. Several of the boys have developed track and a fair day they will be able to lower this record and capture some of the Nebraska state records. A big delegation of Ganymedes will also go down and atend the races.

Davis, drugs, paints and glass. Tel. 289. We are turning out the whitest, cleanest est laundry in the state-the only kind Postal or telephone 157. Engle Laundry, 724 Broadway,

Sewer Pipe, Fire Brick, Belting, Wholesale and retail. J. C. Bixby, 20

\$100,000 to loan in large amounts on desirable farm or city security. L. W. 102 Main street, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Proposition to Eject Squatters. Deputy Marshal Anderson put in all yes terday afternoon in the northwestern part of the city serving ejectment notices. He was not greeted in a friendly manner by the parties when his business was made known and they informed the officer that parties bringing the suits could their worst, or words to that effect. The suits are brought by the Omaha and Coun-cil Bluffs Railway & Bridge company and the Bridge & Terminal company. The Rosa Hall, Daniel and Jennie Anderson B. F. and Clara Tumbleson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Over, C. Weiberg, John Over and wife. They were notified that the would be filed in the superior court on or before July 15 and they are expected to answer September 7.

Arbuckle coffee 20c a pound at Bradley's Gas ranges and service connections at half price for fifteen days. Call at company's office for full particulars. 210 Main and 214 Pearl streets

19 lbs. of granulated sugar for \$1.00 at Bradley's Blue Front grocery. Band concert this evening at Manhattan

Beach, Lake Manawa Low Rates for G. A. R. Members. INDIANAPOLIS, June 26.—General order No. 11, issued by Commander-in-Chief Walker of the Grand Army of the Repub-Walker of the Grand Army of the Republic, urges department commanders to ascertain at once the number of comrades that will attend the national encampment at St. Paul on September 2.3 and 4. This information should be sent to C. W. Horr, chairman of the accommodation committee at St. Paul. The Southwestern Passenger association and the Central Traffic association have named a 1-cent a mile rate for their territory. The half fare rate east of Buffalo will be equivalent to about 1 cent a mile. The Southern Passenger association has named a half fare rate and from the Pacific coast the rate will be half fare. All tickets will be limited.

Killed by a Dynamite Explosion. LOUISVILLE, June 26.—A special to the Post from Chattanooga, Tenn., says: At Peters, Tenn., a little town about thirty reters, Tenn. a little town about thirty miles from here, there was a dynamitic explosion this morning that cost one man his life and will be the death of at least two others. Three or four others were also badly injured. A young man named Joyner was the unfortunate whose life was crushed out. He was terribly mangled and bits of his body were found some distance away from the scene of the disaster. The large mill building in which the men were working was completely demolished. were working was completely demolished.

Manager Hart Shows What His Plant The Council Bluffs Water Works com-Manager Hart Demonstrates What His Plant | pany conducted a test of the system yesterday that showed that its plant is in a condition to furnish fire protection that more than meets the requirements of the contract with the city. The test was made with the same hydrants used when the council attempted to make the test several days ago without the consent of the company and got nothing but reservoir pressure to do it with. Manager Hart has been anxious for some time to let the citizens know that the plant is in better condition now tation was given to the public, as well as to the members of the city council, to witness the test. The council, however, did not take official cognizance of the test, bu the people did, and in the throng were observed the familiar faces of the

The trouble between the council and the company is simply a difference of opinion as to the construction that should be placed Order No. 11—To fill vacancy in company the Stewart building. The men did their as to the construction that should be placed best to hold the hose, but it finally got upon the ordinance which constitutes the contract with the city. direction. The hose bounced around the asserted that it is only obliged to furnish street, going this way and that, ducking of throwing six streams simultaneously in sufficient water with a pressure capable spectators and "sousing" the stocks of the business portion of the city to a height goods and displays in that vicinity. There of 100 feet, and that the streams should was a grand rush for safety. One of the men at the nozzle was struck in the stomach and was knowled a distance of fifteen by attaching at least 100 feet of hose and have two streams from each hydrant. The company has refused to accept this construction of the ordinance and when the city attempted to make two official tests within a few days has refused to turn on fire pressure. The test that was made yesterday would undoubtedly have met conditions. The hydrants opened were all within the radius of a block and were located on Main and Broadway, Willow nue and Main street, First avenue and Mair street, Pearl street and First avenue, Pearl street near the Haldwin block, Main street

in front of Stewart's wholesale house The council refused to permit the cpartment to assist in making the test o permit any of the apparatus being used The water company had all one-inch East man nozzles and three sections of fire discovery that the new enemy of water Three more sections were borrowed from the motor company, and Manager hustled around to get men to handle the six streams. The Eastman nozzles wer screwed to the ends of the sections of hose and the men had nothing to assist them in holding them, the city having refused permit even the nozzle-holders to be used The result was that the ordinary fire pres sure was so great that three men wer fired to man each nozzle, and one man had his arm broken, and the crowd of in erested spectators was thoroughly down while the nozzle was berting itself ; pleces on the pavement.

Flags were placed on top of the Grand hotel and the Baldwin block. Tape line measurements were made to show that the tops of the staffs were exactly 100 feet above confirmed it with triangulation. He was engaged by the company to take the mea-surements, and during the tests was located on the top of the Grand hotel with his tranthe report he ren dered Manager Hart at the close of the test At Grand hotel, thirty feet above flag on

At Broadway and Main streets, twenty-At Broadway and Anin Streets, twentyive feet above flag on hotel.

At Stewart's store on Main street, twentyive feet above flag on hotel.

At Mueller's store on Main street, tweny-flive feet above flag on hotel.

At Willow avenue on Main street, thirty
eet above flag on hotel.

At Baldwin block on Pearl street, five
eet above flag on block.

The pressure gauge at the city building and the register at the company's office showed an average pressure of 110 pounds during the test. The highest pressure re corded was 115. The test was highly satisfactory to the members of the fire department who witempleton called atter tion of some of the aldermen to the diffi culty three men were having to control one nozzle and asked him what he thought

frequently the case MAGNITUDE OF THE BEER BUSINESS

Immense Sums Invested in it in the United States. In Philadelphia Thursday began the annual meeting of the United States Brewers' association, which has 1,000 members and an immense capital prodigious industry. From statistics com piled by a member of the association, says the Buffalo Courier, it appears that the capital invested in breweries in the United States amounts to \$165,788,903; in malt houses, \$22,592,992. If to these sums were ose invested in chattel mortgages and real estate outside breweries the tota would amount to about \$300,000,000. The re-port of the brewer above referred to gives the distribution of capital in breweries among a number of cities as follows: New York, \$30,000,000; Philadelphia, \$18,000,000; Chicago, \$17,000,000; St. Louis, \$16,000,000; Milwaukee, \$14,000,000; Brooklyn, \$13,000,000;

Cincinnati, \$13,090,000; Rochester, \$7,000,000; Buffalo, \$6,000,000; Beston, \$6,000,000; San Francisco, \$5,000,000; Albany, \$4,000,000, and Cleveland, \$4,000,000. Of these cities St. Louis and Milwaukee are the ones whose beer is best known from one end of the land to the other. The brewers in other cities cater more particularly to local trade. Colonel Frederick Pabst of Milwaukee is at the head of the list of millionaire brewers. He has \$6,000,000 invested in his breweries. Next comes Adolphus Busch of St. Louis, whose wealth is esti-mated at \$5,000,000. There are very wealthy brewers in New York, Philadelphia and Cincinnati, but their fame is local. The num-ber of men employed in the brewing business is about 25,000, and their wages amount to about \$29,000,000 a year. The annual cost of the material is \$65,000,000, and the value of the product is nearly three times that. The brewing of what is called lager or stock beer is an industry that has sprung up within the last thirty years. Defore the var the quanity of beer brewed in United States was insignificant. brandy, gin, imported and domestic ale, por ter and stout, and wines were the cups that chcered. But the increase of Germans in our opulation has worked a change. yankee has taken to it like a prohibitionis o water. It is by no means certain that eer has not done a more effective temper ance work than all the sgitations of teto talers and enforcements of sumptuary ex-cise laws. Certainly, drinking is more com-

mon than it used to be, and drunkenness is less common. If beer has worked this change let us take off our hats to it. Progress of the Stone Murder Trial. AKRON, O., June 26.-Upon the heels of Flora Stone's testimony yesterday morn ng that she recognized the voice of the ing that she recognized the voice of the nurderer of her father and mother as hat of Romulus Cotell, the state gained great point today in securing the admission of the oral confession of Cotell to the officers of the law as evidence. Attorney Vorts, for the defense, consumed early the entire morning in arguing that was involuntary and should be extuded, but Judge Kohler ruled it cometent.

Kansas City Paper Changes Hands. KANSAS CITY, June 26.-The announce Bunker, for several years business man Bunker, for several years business man-ager of the Kansas City Journal, would retire from the active management of that paper on Monday next on account of ill health. Mr. Bunker still retains an in-terest in the property. Mr. Hall Gaylord, who has been assistant business manager of the paper and who has bought the greater portion of Mr. Bunker's interest in the Journal, will assume its management.

Gentry Case in Jury's Hands. PHILADELPHIA, June 25.—The trial of James B. Gentry, an actor, accused of murdering Madge Yorke, an actress, wa murdering Madge Yorke, an actress, was closed tonight. The jury retired at 8:40 and court adjourned until morning Several witnesses testified today to Gentry's exciting and flighty condition prior to and after the murder, while almost an equal number swore they saw him before and after the murder, but detected nothing unusual in his conduct. IOWA REUNION CONCLUDED

Thirteenth Annual Convention of Northwestern Veterans Adjourns.

TEARS SHED FOR AN AGED ARMY NURSE

"Aunt" Becky Young Recalls Scenes of War Days, When She Admin-Istered to the Dying of the Union Forces.

CORRECTIONVILLE, In., June 26.-(Special Telegram.)-The thirteenth annual reunion of the Northwest Iowa Veterans' association closed here today. It is declared by all to be the most successful gathering of the kind in the history of the association. The business meeting was called to order at 9 o'clock by Commander Weeks. It was moved and unanimously carried that the next encampment be held at Shel-

E. P. Messer of Sheldon was elected commander for the ensuing year. C. L. Davidson was elected vice commander and F. C.

Hillis of Sloux City junior vice. The Sons of Veterans held a business meeting and elected the following officers: Colonel, D. W. Mason, Kingsley; lieutenant colonel, R. S. Smead, Sheldon; adjutant, G. T. Wellman, Kingsley; sergeant major, E. L. Griffin, Mapleton, The camp was named Camp Given, in honor of Judge Given of Des Molnes.

A reception was tendered visiting sisters and members of the Grand Army of the Republic at the Odd Fellows' hall last night by the local corps. It was a grand affair and continued into the "wee sma' hours" of the morning. Captain J. P. Lathrop of Sioux City delivered the principal address today, his theme being "Mettle Shown by Both Armies in the War of the Rebellion." Past Commander H. C. Curtis of Lemars as presented with a handsome gold badge, epresenting the rank of colonel. Aunt Becky Young, the old army nurse

oved the entire audience to tears during eer address today when she made the re quest that she be wrapped in the stars and stripes and burled by the hands of the boys who fought so bravely for that flag when the Master calls her spirit home.

CONFESSION OF A COUNTERFEITER

Federal Officials of Iowa Much Disturbed Over a Recent Discovery. DES MOINES, June 26 .- (Special Telegram.)-William Brown was brought here today from Marshalltown and bound over to the federal grand jury on a charge of counterfeiting. Brown at his examination made sensational statements. He admitted that he had been one of a gang that has been operating from Des Moines for some time and that has not only made counterfei money, but has also made a business of instructing others in the art of counter-feiting. He represented that he had first been taught by the gang to do this work and has since been one of the gang. The authorities were unable to get more definite confirms suspicions that have been enter tained by scoret service men for several months, that such a gang is operating in this state.

Crazed by Unrequited Love. JEFFERSON, Ia., June 26.-(Special.)-Greenbrier township, this county, affords a peculiar example of insanity. It is said that some months ago Reinhold Boehnke young Bohemian, became infatuated with young lady residing in the neighbor hood and showed her considerable atten-tion. At first, it is asserted that she gave the youth some encouragement, but for reasons that appeared good to her, afterward wearied of his attentions and turned a cold shoulder to his further advances. He protested with all the arder of the she would have no more of him. The young man brooded and worried over his treat ment so much that he became insane and was brought before the commis ion and ordered sent Clarinda. It is said that great difficulty was experienced in keeping him away from would be the result when only two men were sent out with a hose cart, which is the home of his former flame and that h talked incessantly of her and his unrequited affection. He also became possessed of th dea that an effort was being made to steal his personal effects. Up to the time th ng man became smitten with the young young man became smitten with the young lady it is said he was an intelligent and opular man.

No Salary Reduction Contemplated. WATERLOO, Ia., June 26 .- (Special Telegram.)-General Superintendent Naylor of he American Express company was in the city today and stoutly denied the report hat the salaries of the employes be reduced to meet the per cent tax imosed by the last legislature, without afecting the net receipts of the company He said that so far as his company was concerned no reduction had been made and that none would be made. This denial is the sequel of a report sent from here reently to the effect that employes claimed that they would pay the tax by having their salaries reduced.

Dawson Sentenced to Ten Years. DES MOINES, June 26 .- (Special Tele gram.)-S. R. Dawson, who, on Christman eve last shot and killed Walter Scott, his on-in-law, was today sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary. Scott had eloped with Dawson's daughter and they had been married only about an hour when the tragedy occurred. Dawson was convicted of murder in the second degree and the court lenied a motion for a new trial. The senence was withheld several weeks. Dawson is about 55 years old and in poor health. It improbable he will live to be freed. He

still acts half insane. DES MOINES, June 26 .- (Special Telegram )-Earl & Phillips of Keokuk, one of the largest wholesale dry goods houses in lowa, are stated to have negotiations in ago from Chicago to Buda Pest, Hungary he advisability of removal to this place. stated that they have made a ract for the erection of a building here his year and will move in the fall.

MASON CITY, Ia., June 26.-(Special Tel gram.)-The Northeast Iowa Press assolation adjourned a two-days' session here Questions of importance to the craft were discussed by Lieutenant Gov-ernor Parrott, Senator Bailey, Sam G. Sloan and others. The entire association enjoyed the hospitality of Clear Lake people this afternoon and the time was spent in sail-It was the most enjoyable session yet held

Picked Up a Valuable Cialm. DES MOINES, June 26 .- (Special Telegram.)-John H. King of Chamberlain, S D., today in looking over the records of the federal land office here found a quarter section four miles from Orange City, Sioux county, which has fiever been homesteaded or preempted. He offered to file on it and the filing was accepted. The land has been overlooked for many, years and its worth is

Will Build a Large Seminary. DUBUQUE, June 26 .- (Special Telegram -Archbishop Hennessey announced at the close of the priests' retreat today that he would build a provincial seminary here a a cost of \$100,000

Dawson Gets Ten Years. DES MOINES, June 26 .- S. R. Dawson, who killed Walter Scott, his son-in-law, the day before Christmas, was today given ten years in the penitentiary. It is not believed he

Hang a Wife Murderer. MARSHFIELD, Ore., June 26.—Carl Al-brecht was hanged here today for the rutal murder of his wife last January. Sh supported him by taking in washing and because she did not turn all the money earned over to him he killed her. The execution was private and passed off with-out incident. DEPRESSION IN WORSTED TRADE.

Bradford Reports a Decrease of Exports to the United States. WASHINGTON, June 26.-There has been the heretofore large cloth trade of the great Bradford district in England with the United States, and United States Consul Meeker has made it the subject of an interesting report to the State department. The monthly tecrease ranged from \$247,779 in February to \$1,703,502 in May, being a decrease for the latter month of 70 per cent, which is without precedent in the history of the consulate. The principal items affected are worsted coatings for men's wear, closely fol-lowed by stuffs comprising linings, dress tion to the rule was in the case of machin ery, where the exports increased 52 per cent. All of the mills in the American trade have and great numbers of workmen have been thrown out of employment, while there has also been a falling off in the price of finished

To counteract the depression, recourse has been had to the device of interesting the fashionable world in England in the products of the Bradford mills through the patronage. One time I assisted at a minor surgical opof the royal family. It is hoped in this eration. One afternoon three men under the manner to popularize the home-made fabrics influence of liquor came into the store, and have them take the place of the goods now imported in quantities from France and the base of his thumb nearly up to his now imported in quantities from France and Germany. To this end samples have been sent to Marlborough house with the intent to have the princess of Wales select therefrom material for the trousseau of one of the young princesses, who is soon to be married, while the queen herself has given an order to some old persons in the district who still turn out goods by hand looms in their cot-

tages in the ancient way.

The consul also says that American wool is meeting with a bad reception in Bradford, where it does not take well, because the workmen are not used to its handling, and also because it is not considered as well suited to the staple fabrics of the district. A lot of 100,000 pounds of Ohio wool brought 19 cents, although 23 cents was asked for it. and several hundred thousand pounds of far estern wools were sent back to the United States because the prices asked could not be realized, and another large quantity of houses awaiting a market HANGED FOR A MOST BRUTAL CRIME

Negro Boy Executed for the Murder

of a Young White Girl. Ford also expressed regret for the murder

and claimed he had been under the influence of liquor and had not known what he was doing when he committed the crime. I afterward learned that of the hundreds. He was cool to the last and walked onto the He was cool to the last and walked onto the scaffold with a firm step and stolid counte-

Ford's crime aroused the greatest indigna-She was tending a cow but a short way from her home when accosted by her Many, many times the druggist gets a slayer, who attempted to criminally assault scription in which he is sure that the her. She desperately resisted him, and a terrific struggle between the two ensued, during which the negro cut several ugly gashes across the throat of his victim with a knife. The girl's screams brought as-sistance from her family, who found her ng any information about her assailant A number of arrests were made and the A full of arrests were hade, and the surrounding country was searched by posses of determined men, but it was several days before the police succeeded in obtaining clews that seemed to fasten the crime on not give it to him. No more can you tell

Ford. The latter managed to get as far him way as Harper's Ferry, and after an ex- "A citing chase, during which the prisoner jumped into the river in an attempt to drown himself, he was captured and brought to the city. Here he was at first defant to the city. Here he was at first defiant and denied everything, but finally confessed first that he murdered the girl, and then that he had made an effort to ravish her. Ford was about 30 years old, and a man of the glass syringe. In a cheap neighborhood this might be expected. But, you see, ow, brutish instincts. Newspaper Men on a Junket. WASHINGTON, June 26 .- The annual Cape May special tour of the newspaper

men of Washington, Baltimore and Philalelphia, given by the Pennsylvania road left Washington today at 9:30 and will ily secrets—almost as fully as the doctor reach Cape May, N. J., at 4:45 p. m. An or confessor. And you are supposed to legant special train carried the newspaper nen and their wives, who will be the guests of the Pennsylvania company at the Stockton hotel until Monday, when they will return by the same special. The arrange ments have been made with unusual care and a repetition of the previous enjoyable trips is assured.

Condition of the Treasury. WASHINGTON, June 26 .- Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows Available cash balance, \$266,294,255; gold re serve, \$102,504,620.

STEALS BICYCLES BY HUNDREDS

Chiengo Dealer Disappears with the CHICAGO, June 26 .- L. T. Alton, manager of the Climax Cycle company and several hundred bicycles have disappeared from the company's stores at 196 Laselle street and 176 Monroe street. Creditors with claims aggregating more than \$30,000 are trying to find some property of th company that they can attach. M. Cohn. of the Cohn Clothing company, claims a large number of the wheels in question by virtue of bills of sale. Some of the missir wheels were found in the building occupied by the Cohn company. Attorney Andrew B. Boughan, one of the lawyers of the Yost Manufacturing company of Toledo, says two carloads of wheels were shipped a few days progress looking to the removal of their and the investigators declare that they were usiness to Des Moines. They have been shipped in the names of relatives of Alton n business at Keokuk for many years, and Other wheels were found among various four or five years have been considering agencies in the city. The agents of the creditors claim to have located more that

Yost Manufacturing company has claim for wheels against the Climax com-pany for \$19,252. The Bellis Cycle company of Indianapolis is said to be a creditor to of Indianapolis is said to be a creditor to the amount of \$6,000 and the Henley Cycle ompany of Richmond, Ind., \$3,500 are reported to be many smaller creditors.



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LIFE OF A DRUG CLERK.

The Routine of His Calling is Far from Monotonous. "It might seem to the superficial observer an altogether unprecedented falling off in that the life of a druggist was exceedinaly monotonous," said a drug clerk to a York Tribune man, "but from the time that a young man begins his studies in the college of pharmacy to the day when he is the master of a business of his own, he is likely to get some views of and experiences with many phases of tife. Just sit down here and I will spin you a yarn of same of the things that came to me in my early days. My first work as a drug clerk was in the Italian quarter, I had been studying only three months, and was goods, etc., while cotton goods are credited not allowed to put up prescriptions alone I had to sleep over the store and attend those who might come in during the night This was thrusting a great deal of responsi asequently either been put on short time bility upon my youth and inexperience, for have a large portion of their looms idle night calls generally represent emergency cases, people who are taken suddenly and

violently ill, or have taken poison, "It was a tough neighborhood. The Italian women used to bring their sick babies into the store, and want us not alone to sell them the medicine that the child was in need of, but to prescribe for it as well." wrist, which required about three stitches. There was another clerk on duty with me that afternoon. We told the man that he should go to a doctor. He answered. Doc-tor for that? Nixey. What's de matter with you puttin' de stitches in yourself Go ahead.' We would not, but he insisted So we got some black thread, which we kept to sew on an occasional button, waxed it and took the three stitches with it. The fellow never flinched, and the wound healed op beautifully.

"The night bell is supposed to be for cases

of emergency. But you would be surprised at the liberal construction some people put on extreme cases. I remember having called up by a man who wanted a say, doc, lend me a pencil, and I'll send back in the morning. The most angelic man is apt to become exasperated when h s rung up, travels a long hall and stair United States wool is now lying in ware- to find a man waiting at the door for a

postage stamp.

"The boy in your fashionable hotel who always gives the right man the right coat or cane has been much written about. But I know a young man who serves behind a WASHINGTON, June 26.—Irving L. Ford, the negro whose brutal murder of Elsie Kreglo on May 4 last, formed one of Elsie Kreglo on May 4 last, formed one of the most atrocious crimes in the police annals of Washington, was hanged in the jail yard here at 11:33 this morning. Ford made a statement denying that he had attempted to outrage his victim. was in that neighborhood again. stepped up to the counter the young man

they like it sweet or tart, or medium they like it sweet or tart, or medium. And the also remembers the peculiar name by defining was a young white country girl about 16 years of age, who lived with her parents about a mile from the city.

Then there is a great deal of direction and tact and good judgment required. Many, many times the druggist gets a pretor has made a mistake, and that there is a dangerous amount of some drug some pol sonous drug. It then becomes necessary to get the customer to have the medicine sent home. This gives the druggist time to call the doctor up on the telephone and ask further instructions about his prescription. bleeding and exhausted from the wounds. Further instructions about his prescription.

She died almost immediately, without giv- If the customer is willing to allow you to end his medicine home all goes

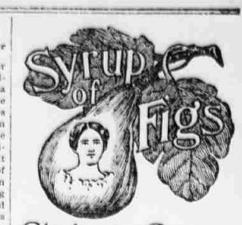
sometimes he is in a great hurry

ustomers that that young man has during

im the reason.
"A fashionable neighborhood often sends the houses are all good for blocks around t is curious how a druggist can follow the ourse of a disease when he makes up the nedicines from start to finish. I frequently make up my mind as to the fatal or happy ermination of a disease by the prescrip-ions the doctor writes. It is funny, too, ow much people take a druggist into famknow all about the diseases of cats, dogs



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