-LI TALKS ABOUT AMERICA

Expresses Regret that He is Unable to Remain Here Long.

PECULIARITIES OF THE CHINESE ENVOY

Reverses the Rule and Forces the Newspaper Interviewer to Do All the Talking-Interested in the United States.

Copyright, 1896, by the Associated Press.) interview was 8:30 In the morning, an indiwaiting to see the emperor of China's envoy. The attendants were, however, instructed as to the prior appointment of the representative of the Associated press, and he was selected from a number of applicants Hung Chang's private parlor, which is the

after which he motioned to a seat opposite button in the center of ele crown to designate his status as a mandarin. In the front of the cap band was fixed a large pearl stud set with diamonds. A diamond ring also glittered on the little finger of his right greet the distinguished Chinaman. hand. His shoes were of black satin, trimmed with two lines of green silk, and having thick white felt soles.

PEN PICTURE OF LI.

As the distinguished foreigner took his penetrative power of the Roenigen rays. The complexion of his face is a dark brown, relieved by a thin straggling gray moustache and an imperial. While talking his face becomes animated with an occasional smile, ful of perception. He then relapses into the impassiveness of a bronze idol. His voice is low in pitch, but of sonorous quality and he speaks with the strong fulfilled between China and Japan.

it is believed that Japan has conceded to Germany in the way of commercial privileges to German residents in Japan the same privileges that it accorded to German residents in Japan the same privileges that it accorded to Germany in the way of commercial privileges to Germany in the cauchy in the cauchy in the country. He is the previous and influence to the flue, but is deliberately and constantly using and treasur inflections so characteristic of the Chinese tongue. Li Hung Chang has submitted to interviews a number of times before his arival in England and has seized that rather Bollvian Congress Installed and formidable institution of western civiliza-tion with a firm grasp to direct rather than

United States and the American arrangements. He asked if Philadelphia was much bowed low and retired and then returned with tea in a covered cup of exquisitely frail and delicate porcelain. While this was being partaken of by his caller, Li Hung Chang asked about the special train on the Pennsylvania railroad which is to be provided for him and whether it would carry him direct to Vancouver without change. He was informed that probably it would. Li explained that Hon. John Russel Young had written to him asking him to luncheon in Philadelphia, at which he promsed that all of Li Hung Coung's old friends should be present. Li first met Mr. Young when the latter accompanied General Grant on his tour around the world and afterward when he became United States minister to China under President Arthur. Li asked if Mr. Young held such a position among Americans as to lead them to follow his arrangements. Being assured as to this he asked cordially after the health of Young and of General James H. Wilson Wharton Barker, whom he had

seen in China. SORRY TO GO SO QUICK.

The Associated press representative said

likely to be offered to him at American nese envoy at Washington. Li replied to to import another gang. this query with an amused smile, saying:
"I should be pleased to taste all such dainties, but I cannot promise to do so, as my teeth are no longer good. For this reason I prefer to confine myself to Chi-

Here Li Hung Chang called out something long silver pipe, the bowl of which resem-bled a spirit lamp. He blew through the stem, put a pinch of tobacco in it, lighted it with a taper and held the stem to the Chinese potentate's lips. Li pulled thrice with much apparent gratification, which served to exhaust the charge, and the servant blew out the ashes, refilled the bowl, relit it and offered the stem to his superior.
This was repeated three times before Li had enough of the fumes to satisfy his taste.

FARMERS' POSSE AFTER BURGLARS. Following his smoke, he asked as to the facilities and the cost of shipping heavy baggage from New York to Vancouver.

Viscount Li replied to this that his fathe was anxious to learn all that was possible about America, but that his time was so short and that he had so much to do while Washington that he hopes those persons wishing to have interviews with him would for them with the Chinese minister

Here another caller was shown into the private parlor and Li Hung Chang arose with bows and a handshake, indicating that

the interview was at an end.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—At Lord Salisbury's
garden party, held in henor of Li Hung
Chang, at Hatfield last evening 2,000 invited guests were present. Among the tests were hundreds of lords, members the House of Commons, and diplomats. the latter including all the memors of the curred in a crowded street, and created the Japanese legation. Secretary of the curred in a crowded street, and created the Japanese legation Roesevelt, the crown tense excitement. Allender was in love United States Legation Roesevelt, the crown with the woman. He says he does not be shot her. Crossette, he members of Loadon society. Li Hung Chang know why he shot her. Crossette, he toured the grounds in his chair, afterward holdlog a reception.

Illustrious Chinese Visitor Will Be

Properly Taken Care Of. . WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Although no official steps have been taken toward the reception of the illustrious Chinese statesman, Li Hung Chang, who is expected to arrive in the United States during the latter part of the present month, the matter had already received the attention of the State department. It is unfortunate that the pros pective visit of the Chinese premier was not known earlier to enable the president to apply to congress for an appropriation of funds to defray the expense of entertain-ing the illustrious visitor in suitable fashion, or at least in such manner as will not be in objectionably striking contrast with the profuse display of hospitality made by the LONDON, Aug. 9.—By special appointment a representative of the Associated press was this morning accorded an interwill be no escape possible for our national view with Li Hung Chang, England's guest of honor this month. The hour set for the with the means at hand. This means recourse to the extraordinary funds of the interview was \$:30 In the morning, an indi-cation that the Chinese statesman is not given to late hours. Early as the hour was, there were nevertheless several persons in waiting to see the emperor of China's envoy, that exist and rely upon congress at the next session to defray any bills incurred in ex-cess of the appropriation.

As Li brings personal letters from the on all possible errands and shown into Li is not clearly to be seen how the latter can avoid the necessity for a trip to Washington to meet the ambassador in person though ground floor morning room in Lord Lons- this would interfere sadly with his summer dale's mansion, in Carleton House Terrace. | plans and involves a premature opening of A group of servants stood before the door the white house, which is now closed in all portions save the offices. It is just possible ducted by Viscount Li, the statesman's son, and who acts as his interpreter. Li Hung son, and some color is lent to this belief Chang rose and bowed with formal courtesy by the fact that the secretary of state is He has represented one of the most statas his visitor entered, and then shook hands known to have arranged to come to Washknown to have arranged to come to Washington about the date now set for the arrival of Li Hung Chang. If the precedents in such cases are followed some officer of the army or pays or perhaps a representative of the returns of 1862. Mr. Apsley his own. Li Hung Chang was habited in such cases are followed some officer of the undress costume, consisting of a plumcolored stuff skirt, a dark blue silk jacket

tion's guest in New York and devote himself

such cases are followed some of the vote over the returns of the properties of t tion's guest in New York and devote himself to insuring the comfort of Li Hung Chang while in the United States, travel with him by rail, and acting as intermediary between him and the many visitors who will wish to

JAPAN'S NEW COMMERCIAL TREATY.

Concedes to German Citizens Equal Priviliges with British Subjects. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9 .- According to seat, following his guest's action, his attitude strikingly resembled the numerous published portraits from photographs, so that
he would have been readily recognized withhe would have been readily recognized without information as to his identity. During the course of the interview Li most of the time looked his interlocutor straight in the face, his piercing brown eyes suggesting the penetrative power of the Roenigen rays. The penetrative power of the Roenigen rays a dark brown re-

Peace and Order Prevail. LIMA, Aug. 9.—The new ministry is com-The method employed by the astute oriental diplomat in his interviews with newsposed as follows: Minister of justice and papers is to ask and not answer questions. The Associated press representative found himself besought for information as to the arrangements for the coming transit of Li through the United States before opportunity was given to put a query. Li was very eager regarding the program for his tour of the J. Cuadros; minister of war, Juan Ibarri.

The Bolivian congress has been installed terday. Then they wanted to be prepared and peace and order prevail

Weyler Has Made No Truce ments. He asked if Philadelphia was much out of the way on the railroad route from New York to Washington. At this point the Chinese dignitary clapped his hands to call a servant in the oriental fashion. The servant, clad in his native garb, entered and bowed low and retired and then returned amnesty only will be granted to the insuramnesty only will be granted to the insurgents that surrender.

Discounting American Paper Money TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 9.-The Standard bank has given notice that after today American \$1 bills or silver certificates will be discounted at the rate of 10 per cent. The other city banks will adopt the same rule.

WILHELMSHOHE, Aug. 9 .- Prince Hohenlohe arrived here vesterday and was met at the railroad station by the peror, who drove with him to the castle.

OBJECT TO NEGRO LABORERS Three Men Killed in a Race War on

the New Railroad in Arkansas. TEXARKANA, Ark., Aug. 9.-A race war has broken out in Polk county and as the result of the first battle three negroes are dead, others wounded and many have been that the greatest regret was felt among American, that Li Hung Chang would be trouble is between the white and black unable to see enough of the United States laborers employed on the grading work to obtain a knowledge of the country of the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf rail-equally intimate with that obtained of the way near Horatio. Ark. The white iacountries he had already seen. Li Hung borers are determined that negroes shall Chang in reply ascerted that he deeply not work on the road and are being backed regretted that it was imperative that he should sail for Vancouver on September armed themselves for the purpose of run-14, for which date passage had been engaged for him on the steamer Empress of lot of whites, composed of Italian, Swede and Hungarian laborers, together with a He was asked if he would like to eat number of natives, made a raid on a camp some of the American delicacies, such as occupied by negro laborers and three of the terrapin and canvasback duck, which were latter were killed outright, several others dinners. The fame of the terrapin and the eral of the leaders of the raid have been canvasback duck are believed to have pen- arrested, but it is feared more trouble will etrated China through the extravagant occur, as the contractors are determined fenduess for those dishes of a former Chi- to employ black labor and are preparing

> PROPOSES TO TRY NONUNION MEN American Tin Plate Company Refuse the New Scale.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 9 .- At the conference at Elwood, Ind., yesterday between Presto the servant in the adjoining room. The ident Garland of the Amalgamated associa-latter entered and took from a sideboard a tion and the committee of the American Tin Plate company, the reduction of 15 per cent was rejected. The scale has not been signed and the company say it cannot operate under it and will start with nonunion men. It is expected at the offices of the American Tin Plate company that the works will be

Up by Two Hundred Men. CINCINNATI, Aug. 9.-The Enquirer's escape of three desperate burglars. The postoffice at Mount Eaton was robbed of \$150 last night. The postmaster fired on the burglars, who returned the fire and aroused the community. Sheriff Garver raised a posse and the farmers everywhere joined in the pursuit. There have been glaries in the community recently and the people think they now have the guilty men

LOVE AFFAIR LEADS TO A TRAGEDY

California Man Shoots a Couple and Attempts to Commit Snielde, SAN JOSE, Cal., Aug. 9.—Harvey Allender shot and killed Miss Wally Fielder and V. Crossette today and then attempted to

ARRANGEMENTS AT WASHINGTON. LOSES A STRONG CHAMPION

Republican Party Will Miss Hon, L. D. Apsley in the House.

BUSINESS FORCES HIM TO RETIRE

Refuses to Stand for Re-Election in the Massachusetts District Which He Has So Ably Represented

for Several Years.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9 .- Representative L. D. Apsley, who has represented the Fourth district of Massachusetts during the Fifty-third and first session of the Fiftyfourth congresses, has notified the managers of his district that he will not under any circumstances accept a renomination. Mr. Apsley was vice chairman of the republican congressional committee in the last campaign and was unanimously re-elected by his associates to act in the same capacity during the present campaign, and while he will not stand for re-election to congress he will remain with Chairman Babcock mperor of China to President Cleveland, it at the head of the republican congressional committee in Washington until the close of the election in November. Although he has been assured of practically a unanimous nomination and friends have brought much pressure to bear upon him to again become a candidate Mr. Apsley feels that he owes it to his important business interests to withdraw from active politics after close of his present term in congress gation, but with the entire membership of the house, and his retirement will be regretted by republicans and democrats alike because of his successful business

> Speaker Reed appointed him chairman of the committee on manufacture, and, because of his acquaintance with the laboring classes, member of the committee on labor, while he was practically the spokesman of the ing strongly upon his judgment and advice in the matter of committee appointments. He made a speech on protection and reci-procity which attracted much attention, and which was put in pamphlet form to meet the great demand that has been made for it in all parts of the country. He is the president

for the excitement of tomorrow. had breakfast they took a carriage and alone went to church. They drove to the Presbyterian church at Englewood and listened to an orthodox sermon preached by Pey. John Clark Hill.

The divine did not know that the demo-cratic nominee and his wife were coming home after the services in utter ignorance of the fact that their house of worship had been honored by his presence. No reference was made to the political issues of the day by the preacher in his sermon, nor did in his prayers mention the candidate or

his cause. The reason that Mr. and Mrs. Bryan attended services at the Englewood church was because Rev. Dr. Hill has accepted a call to act as pastor over the First Pres-byterian church at Lincoln, of which Mr. and Mrs Bryan are both members. They wanted to hear their new pastor. Mr. Hill is now paster of the Presbyterian church at a "supply" during the absence of the reg-

disappointed. After returning to the hotel took an after dinner nap, which lasted until ticket in this county, the real home of popu nearly 6 o'clock in the evening, after which | lism in South Dakota. they went to the parlors and held an informal reception. The throng then began to pour in. The democratic nominee and his wife were kept busy shaking hands, kissing babies and children until near the time for their departure.

They left on the 11:30 train for the east. They will arrive at Pittsburg tomorrow night. The train will stop at all stations between here and Pittsburg, and at every point during the day tomorrow Mr. Bryan will give the citizens a chance to hear him talk or shake him by the hand. It is understood that there will be a grand demonstration at Canton, O., Major McKinley's home, where the train will arrive about 1 p. m. Both Mr. and Mrs. Bryan are looking in the best of health and seem to enjoy the tour immensely.

Republicans of Plum Creek Precinct. gram.)-A large and enthusiastic republican rally was held at the Chicester school house in Plum Creek precinct, nine miles southeast of Wayne, last night. The Wayne Flambeau club, forty in number, were pres-ent; also the Wayne Republican Glee club. Stirring speeches were made by County At-torney A. A. Welch and Dr. R. B. Crawford. The Plum Creek Precinct Republican club organization was completed, with a mem bership of fifty, and it is expected to in crease to seventy. It was the largest and most enthusiastic republican meeting ever held at a country school house in the county.

WILCOX, Neb., Aug. 9.-(Special.)-A Mc-Kinley and Hobart club was organized here last night with about 159 members. The opera house was crowded with men and women, so that standing room was at a premium. The meeting was addressed Having satisfied him upon this point the correspondent inquired whether Li desired to see the leading silverites and gold standard advocates regarding the question of money during his visit to the United States.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 9.—The Enquirer's by Congressman Andrews and J. B. Pugh of Minden. Mr. Andrews handled the money question in fine style and held the attention of the audience. Mr. Pugh touched upon the tariff and paid a tribute to the The meeting was a great success in every

Horr Entertains at Columbus. COLUMBUS, Neb., Aug. 9.—(Special Telegram.)-Hon. Roswell G. Horr was in the city for several hours today en route from Kearney to Norfolk. He was met at the depot by a delegation of the Norfolk and Columbus McKinley clubs, and was escorted to the Meridian hotel, where he was enter-tained until 6:30, when he left for Norfolk, where he speaks tomorrow afternoon. He will probably speak here some time later in the campaign.

McKinley Kept Busy. CANTON, Aug. 9 .- Governor McKinley continues to be so busily engaged with the callers who flock in on him every day that it has been almost impossible for him to find any time to give to the formal letter of acceptance. It is now considered possible that it will not be issued before September 1. here.

OMAHA, MONDAY MORNING, AUGUST 10, 1896.

Several Vessels Capsize and a Namber of People Brown. DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 9.—A heavy wind city this evening, resulted in the drowning of at least three men in the Detroit river and several yachts had extremely narrow escapes, after the capsizing of the craft. Two STATE TICKETS FOR POPULIST VOTES others were drowned during the afternoon from other causes. Neil Powers was rescued after swimming nearly a mile, from a cap-sized boat. Jeff Judd and a stranger, who were with Powers, were drowned. The cap-sizing of the yacht Corsair caused the drowning of Frank Hughes; the others of the crew were rescued. William J. Thiemer was drowned from the yacht Alberta this afternoon. The harbor master and other searchers for Theimer's body were later capsized and saved only after a long struggle. John Helke, Jr., was drowned while swimming near Peche island.

A special to the Free Press from Benton Harbor, Mich., says: Four persons were drowned in Lake Michigan this afternoon at Double L gap, a mile north of here. They MARTIN MANNING.

JAMES BUTTRICK. FRANK YERRING. "FRENCHY," a stranger.

The men with a dozen others were bathing, when two of the number who could not wim were caught by the undertow and the others went to their rescue. Two brave fel-lows lost their own lives in the effort, while a third had a narrow escape by a drowning man clinging to him and pulling him under. MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 9.—A windstorm of a cyclonic nature struck Milwaukee at midnight tonight. Several buildings were unroofed, small structures demolished, signs blown down and swept through the streets, shade trees thrown down and other damage done. The storm came from the west and from its violence is believed to have caused heavy damage in the rural districts. A number of small boats were in the bay, but it cannot be learned tonight that there has been loss of life.

WARNS M'KINLEY AGAINST GIBBS. New York Republican Lender Accused

of Double Dealing.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9,—The McKinley league state executive committee has writexperience and his deep interest in tariff ten a long letter to Hon. Mark Hanna, chairman of the republican committee, in which it warns him against Frederick S. Gibbs, the republican national committeeman from New York and the regular organization of the republican party in this city and state. It matters. reviews with much detail the alleged wrong-doing of the organization, discusses the po-litical character of Mr. Gibbs, who is the personal representative of Thomas Platt, touches upon the methods adopted by the organization in the last election and declares: "We are convinced that Mr. Gibbs has not only been exceedingly active in his opposition to the interests of Major McKin-

Saturday, but will return Tuesday and be at congressional headquarters until the return of Chairman Babcock, when he and Representative McCall of Boston will make a tour of inspection throughout the middle and western states.

GREET BRYAN AT CHICAGO.

Many Silver Demograts Call on Him Many Silver Democrats Call on Him During Sunday.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Bryan siept today until the middle of the forenoon. They were weary and worn from the fatigues and hot weather of yes-

HANNA ON THE WESTERN CAMPAIGN.

Looking After that Section. CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 9.-Chairman Hanna of the republican national committee left at midnight tonight for Chicago to give his attention to the western caraand two-thirds of the congregation went paign. He said today that he understood there was plenty of work awaiting him he having received word to the effect that more than 1,000 republicans were waiting to see him and get the details of campaign work. Major Charles Dick, who is to have the Chicago headquarters, wil charge of start for Chicago tomorrow and the work of the campaign will be pushed from nov

Huron Republicans Energetic. HURON, S. D., Aug. 9,-(Special.)-A Mc Kinley club, with nearly 300 members, vas organized here last night. Hon. Kirk W. Austin, and he preached at Englewood as Wheeler is president and B. E. Beach and a "supply" during the absence of the regular pastor.

Wheeler is president and B. E. Beach and W. J. Stafford secretaries. Short speeches were made by Dr. C. B. Clark, Senator All the while there were hundreds of sil-ver democrats calling at the Clifton house to see their national leader. But they were and the meeting throughout was the largest ever held here so early in the campaign and Mrs. Bryan took dinner and then and betokens success for the republican

> Pulled Beck Off the Track. CHICAGO, Aug. 9 .- At a conference be tween the state committees of the democratic and populist parties, it is now affirmed that W. F. Beck of Olney, candidate auditor on the democratic state ticket. will be withdrawn and the place given to some leading populist. This, it is said, will ensure a complete fusion of both parties on the presidential and state tickets. Beck is protesting against his removal, but he is offered the salve of appointment to a prominent position should Governor Altgeld

Free Silverites at Nebraska City. NEBRASKA CITY, Aug. 9 .- (Special.)-The free silver mass meeting, called last night, to elect delegates to the congres-WAYNE, Neb., Aug. 9.—(Special Tele-rram.)—A large and enthusiastic republican ally was held at the Chicester school house

Bryan and Sewall club, was not very well attended. A resolution was passed authorizing H. M. Boydston to name the delegation in the interest of his own candidacy. C. P. Lloyd was elected president and George W. Thompkin secretary of the Bryan club, but nothing else was done.

REPULSES A KENTUCKY MOB.

Jailer's Son Fires on Twenty Masked Men and Saves a Murderer. CINCINNATI, Aug. 9.—The Enquirer's special from Glasgow, Ky., says: The lynching of Nick Ray was narrowly averted last night. A mob of twenty musked men surrounded the Edmonston jail at 2 a. m., determined to take Ray out and lynch him. Ray killed Attorney Albert Scott, in Glasgow July 4. He had been indicated for murder and was awaiting trial. The mob had axes and sledges for opening the doors and cells When admittance was refused by John Smith, son of the jailor, they opened fire on him. From his concealment he returned the fire. The town was soon aroused and the mob-was dispersed by the sheriff, supported by the citizens, who, hearing the firing, had come to the jail heavily armed. Another attack is anticipated.

FREMONT, Aug. 9 .- (Special.) - Rev. C. W. Brinsted of the Baptist church delivered the sermon to the graduating classes of the Fremont Normal school this morning at the Normal chapel. The room was filled to over-flowing with the students and their relatives and friends. The fermon was listened to with marked attention and the music was of a high order. The commencement exercises and prize speaking will be held this cises and prize speaking will be held this

WAYNE, Neb., Aug. 9. (Special Tele gram.)-Commencement week of the Nebraska Normal college began at the opera-house today. Rev. Van Dyke Wight de-livered the sermon, and it was one of the most able and eloquent addresses ever heard

HEAVY WIND ON LAKE MICHIGAN. COST OF BRYAN'S ELECTION

and thunder storm, which swept over this How the National Democratic Executive Committee Figures It.

Prepared to Exchange a Number of Places in Each State to Secure Electors Favorable to Their Man.

OTTUMWA, Ia., Aug. 9 .- (Special.) -- Before leaving for New York to attend the first meeting of the national democratic committee, C. A. Walsh, temporary secretarr, set at rest a great many of the rumors in regard to the action of W. J. Bryan in reference to his acceptance or refusal of the populist endorsement.

Mr. Bryan has caused it to be given out on several occasions that he would not accept the endorsement given him by the popalso true that Mr. Bryan will not refuse the endorsement. As the matter will then stand it will be left with the individual populists on Tuesday night at Free Town, in St. to do as they choose on casting their votes. Charles parish, a short distance from the In each state the national committeeman has his instructions to this wise. They will offer inducements to the populists to secorre inducements to the population to se-cure fusion on electors and they will secure in this state this week a complete fusion of the electoral votes. If this fusion is ac-complished there will be no difficulty as re-gards the electors, for they will be for Bryan and Sewall. If the populists demand elec-tors for Bryan and Watson, the democrats will withhold their fusion on state and congressional tickets. By liberal use of state and congressional offices they hope to expense the populists for the turning down of Watson, and the national democratic committee hopes to make this fusion in every state on the electoral ticket. Should the ontingency arise that the populists will no endorse, then, of course, there will be two sets of electors with Bryan's name at the head. Should there be many Bryan and Watson electors chosen, it would create a great deal of power in the hands of these

DANGEROUS COMPLICATIONS. Electors for Bryan and Watson could demand that unless the second place be given to Watson they would not vote for Bryan. Right here is where the national committee is playing politics in its fusion. Walsh says there are only two states in the union where there is going to be any difficulty about this fusion on the electors; these two states are Georgia and Alabama. But then he smiled and said, "See what Alabama did the other day: Gave 45,000 majority over the populists, and in the state of Alabama we will have a large enough vote over the populists to elect Bryan and Sewall electors over those for Bryan and Watson; we are situ-

ated the same in Georgia."

This is the reason that Mr. Walsh and the other members of the national committee have allowed the fact that Watson was creating a great deal of disturbance and that Bryan has said he would not accept the pop-ulist endorsement to give them little worry. Dodge, the "young fire eating Irish attorney" who at Dubuque made himself famous by speaking of the gold democrats as "pirates and jackals," will probably lead the ticket as secretary of state. He is strictly a democrat and a man of fiery eloquence, and is believed to be the proper man to be placed in the same relative position to the state that Bryan holds to the country.

The attorney general will also be taken in by the democrats; there are two candidates. M. Parsons of Lyon county and W. Boies, nephew of ex-Governor Boies, of Shel-

PLACE FOR THE POPS The railroad commissionership has conceded to the populists, although a man acceptable to both populists and democrats probably be chosen. The only man spoken of yet is Amos Steckel of Bloomfield. The auditor of state is also conceded to the populists, although the democrats will have the treasurer of state. C. C. Cole of Des Moines, a noted and rabid populist, will probably be nominated for supreme judge. With these concessions made to the populists in this state the electors will be Bryan and Sewall electors and the probable upris-ing of the populists for Watson appeased, and the same thing will be done in other states. With this massive political reasone the national committee expect o elect Bryan. If it should be successful it would fill the lower house of congress with populists, as in almost every instance where the populists have been asking for congressmen the request has been granted; it is the hope of the national committee to trade congress-

men for a president.

The existence of this scheme was only verified today by the results of the county ict. The nomination would have been tendered General Weaver on a silver plat ter, but the general has higher aims, as it is understood that he had more to do in causing Bryan's nomination by the populists at St. Louis than any other man and that he has been promised something better than congressman and he believes that Mr. Bryan is more liable to be elected as president tha he would be as congressman in the Sixth When it was known that General Weaver would not accept the nomination the sentiment turned almost unanimously in favor of Fred White, who has run before on fusion ticket. He is a democrat-populist.

HAVE COME TO BRYAN'S RELIEF. Silver Men Deny that They Paid Him

DENVER, Aug. 9 .- The Rocky Mountain News recently sent to the leading mining and smelting men of the country the following letter:

DENVER. Colo. Aug. 1, 1896.—Dear Sir: We presume you have noticed Senator Thurston's statement that "the Bonanza silver mine owners" have maintained extensive bureaus with corps of speakers and writers, and that William J. Bryan had been in receipt of salary from them for some years. Kindly reply to the following questions:

ing a salary or any other remuneration for advocating bimetallism?

4. Have you ever before heard it charged or intimated that Mr. Bryan received such remuneration, or do you know of any possi-ble foundation for such a charge?

A prompt arswer will much oblige, you very truly ROCKY MOUNTAIN NEWS. Replies have been received from seven teen prominent mining men, including J. J Haggerman, Eben Smith, Simon Gugger heim, S. A. Josephi, Dennis Sheedy and Byron E. Shear, all of whom deny the existence of any bureau or organization of silver mine owners for the purpose alleged by Mr. Thurston, and denounce as a fals hood the statement that Mr. Bryan has ever received a salary or any remuneration what ever from them for advocating the silver

cause. At New York-Arrived-Normandie, from Havre; Obdam, from Hotterdam; Michigan rom London At Gibraltar-Sailed-Fulda, from Genoa o New York At Queenstown-Eailed-Umbria, for New York

Hayre-Arrived-La Bretagne, from York. Auckland-Sailed-Alameda, for San

INCHED THREE ITALIAN THUGS. DEATH IN THE SUN Parish Act Promptly.

HAHNVILLE, La., Aug. 9.—There was a triple lynching in this town just before 12 bodies of three Italian murderers were found swinging from the rafters of a shed near the court house. One of the men is Lorenzo Gueymard at Free Town, last Tuesday night and the other two were Decino Scorro and Spaniard on the Ashton plantation, near

utte station, some time ago. Ever since the murder of Gueymard this parish has been in a fever heat of excite-ment over the affair, and even on the first night after the murder it was with great difficulty that the sheriff prevented the lynching of Saladino. He spirited him away and the next day took him to the new jai in Habnville.

In the meantime the evidence grew agains

Saladino, and feeling correspondingly grew in intensity. About half past 11 o'clock last night the mob, which had concentrated on the outskirts of the town, began to move on the jail.

They captured the old negro guard, and, by ulists unless his running mate, Sewall, the vigorous use of axes, with which they was also endorsed. This is true, but it is were well supplied, soon demolished the jall and cell doors and took the prisoners out and executed them.

The murder of Jules Gueymard occurred river bank. Mr. Gueymard was on the gal-lery with several friends playing cards while awaiting the arrival of a boat with some freight. When the whistle of the boat blew behind a tree at the edge of the road, and the assassin escaped through the thick Orleans creditors. A visit to his house re-vealed his shotgun, which he said had not arrested at his place, confessed that Saladino, when he returned home that night, said: "I eral conditions, and soon after it ceased got him." Saladino would have been lynched mercury commenced to rise once more. prisoner.

besides Salandino were hung was the wanton and cowardly murder of an old Spaniard on quently threatened his life.

to Fake Business. uilst endorsement to give them little worry. have run down a gang of swinder and charles mecanicy are brooklyn critical the success they are meeting with in this has been operating here for a year past, downsed deaths are attributed to the heat. Ten cases of persons who were prostrated stock and grain markets, selling fictitious by the heat have been reported. Some of state Wednesday at the democratic state convention. The allotment of the slate, to the various parties making up the fusion, has been about completed. There will be a great campaign urged in Iowa, as it is the nope of Committeeman Walsh to carry the state by 46,000 plurality. M. F. Haley of Fort pany. The gang was composed of W. H. and James F. McClure, Dr. James Craig, William A. Thomas and John I. Tolman. James McClure and Thomas Tolman were arrested here today and the others are under surveillance in New York. They operated their own printing office and during the past year tons of matter through the Chicago

John Hill, jr., a member of the Board of Trade and also chairman of the Civic federation gambling committee, estimates the gang has secured \$750,000 through its operations. The ringleader is W. H. McClure, who wa cared at Junction City, Kan. He was for

many years railroad clerk on a line running out from St. Louis. James F. McClure is his younger brother. Thomas was reared in Cedar Falls, Ia., and began his life as bank clerk in Abingdon, Ill. He became cashier of a bank at Edwardsville, Kan.; assisted in the organization of the Capitol City bank of Guthrie, Okl. After receiving \$15,000 in deposit he and the president borrowed the entire deposits and left their worthless notes as security. The bank falled and the de-positors lost every cent they had entressed to the dishonest concern. John I. Tolman was for fifteen years a railway postal clerk and is supposed to have formed the ac-quaintance of the others in Oklahoma. W. H. McClure blossomed into prominence as the proprietor of fake lottery schemes

THREE KILLED ON A TROLLEY CAR.

Brake Refuses to Work as a Result of Defective Genring. COLUMBIA, Pa., Aug. 9.—Three person were instantly killed and fifteen injured. some probably fatally, by the derailment of a trolley car on the Columbia & Donegal ADAM FOERLINGER, motorman.

HENRY SMITH.

AN UNKNOWN PERSON with passengers, and as it reached the edge brakes, and at that moment the gear wheel car dashed along at a terrific rate, while within the terror stricken passengers sat

Word was quickly sent to Columbia, and a relief car was sent to the scene. STEAMER ST. PAUL GOES ASHORE

to Be a Total Wreek. MONTEREY, Cal., Aug. 9 .- The Pacific Coast Steamship company steamer St. Paul went ashore at Port Pinos carly this morning and will probably be a total wreck. There were about fifty passengers on board. but all were landed safely and no lives were lost There was a dense fog at the time and it was supposed that the captain lost his bearings. The St. Paul van between San Francisco and San Pedro, carying freight and passengers, and was on her way up from San Pedre at the time of the wreck. The passengers will be sent San Francisco by train. SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9.- The steamer Santa Rosa left this morning to go to the assistance of the wrecked steamer St. Paul

Preparing for Computeding. NORFOLK, Nob., Aug. 9.—(Special.)— Great preparations are being made for the annual campmeeting of Norfolk district Methodist Episcopal church. The meetings will be held in a beautiful grove or the banks of the North Fork river, one mile north of this city, beginning August 13, and will continue for ten days.

The Methodist Church society has just completed and dedicated its handsome new

building in the city.

o'clock last night, and this morning the Torrid Weather in Many States Produces a Large Death List,

Saladino, who foulty assassinated Jules SOME VICTIMS CRAZED BY THE HEAT

Angelo Marcuso, who murdered an old One Chicago Man Attempts to Throw People Into the River.

New York City Presents a Frightful Roll of Fatalities.

ST. LOUIS NEXT IN LINE OF PROSTRATIONS

Many Hospitals and Surgeons Kept Busy Caring for These Exhausted by the Terri- / ble Rays.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9 .- Fifty persons died in the greater New York district today as a result of the extreme hot weather. Over 100 cases of prostrations have been reported Gueymard arose to go to meet it, and as in the territory embracing New York City, soon as he was a few feet away from his party a shot was fired. It was from a shot these cases the physicians believe will prove gun loaded with all sorts of missiles, and the load struck him full in the throat, almost known to have perished. The list of persons tearing his head from his body and killing known to have perished. The list of persons him instantly, besides wounding Robert Es who suffered from sunstroke and who are panard, a New Orleans engineer, in the arm.

Search for the murderer was made, but he was not found. The shot was fired from the bind a tree at the edge of the road and the death-dealing weather did not reach by one degree the maximum temperature of growth. Suspicion pointed to the Sicillan, several of the preceding days, the highest who bears a bad reputation. He had threat-point touched by the official mercury being ened Gueymard's life because the latter testi- 91 degrees. Many thermometers, however, fied against him in a suit brought because fied against him in a suit brought because Salad no endeavored to defraud his New from 97 to 105. At 11 o clock tonight there was a heavy local storm, and the temperabeen fired in three months. One barrel was ture dropped 5 degrees in about as many found freshly discharged. While he was not minutes. The wind blew forty-six miles told of the charge against him, he disclaimed the killing. Later on an old Italian woman, seemed to have little effect upon the general conditions, and soon after it ceased the

that night but for Sheriff Ory, who hid his A number of fatal cases of sunstroke have been reported from Brooklyn. The crime for which the other two Italians Niles Fallon, aged 35, died this morning, the result of prostration due to the Ashton plantation, near Boutte station. intense heat. Daniel Skelley was found The incentive to the crime in this case was dead in his room on Hudson street. His intense heat. Daniel Skelley was found that the old Spaniard was the rival in the death is said to have been due to heat exbusiness of gathering moss. They had fre- haustion. Martin J. Ruth, aged 42, died at his home before an ambulance called to re-GANG OF WHOLESALE SWINDLERS. Move him to the hospital could henry J. Clinton, aged 52, was attending a Chicago Civic Federation Puts a Stop meeting of the Holy Name society today, when he was overcome by the heat and fell CHICAGO, Aug. 9.-Officers of the Civic front his chair and died. John Arnold, Edfederation, sided by the postal authorities. ward Debos, Edward Dooley, John Kelliher have run down a gang of swindlers which and Charles McCalley are Brooklyn citizens

They have operated under the names of | The police reported the following deaths

CHRISTIAN TOMWARDEN, 43 years, WILLIAM LANGEBIN, 40 years. ETHEL MOORE, 4 months WILLIAM GROSS 7 months. WILLIAM CONNELLY, 25 years. EDWARD CORCORAN, 40 years. FINLEY, 32 years. MICHAEL SHEEHAN, 34 years. LOUIS M'GRATH, 64 years. DANIEL HURLEY, 36 years. DENNIS SULLIVAN. BRIDGET KELLY, 51 years. MARTIN DOOLEY, 35 years. ARTHUR KUENON. JOHN MONRAHN, 56 years. MARY MCANN, 56 years, MARY SLEEVIN, 55 years, JOHN BOHEN, 37 years. W. A. BRICKLEY JOHN FARREL, 64 years. MICHAEL BUCKLEY, 25 years. DAVID ATWATER, 48 years. WALTER MERRITT, 39 years, CHARLES MEMOTRE MRS. MARY S. KRUVEY, aged 60. CHARLES KARR, 54. ANTONIO HAMEL, 47. MRS. MARY FOLEY, 45. ADAM WELCH, 46. HALL STELLED JOHN GLEASON, 19 months. MRS. MARY SMITH, 30. LOUIS GARETH.

TWO UNKNOWN MEN. ST. LOUIS SUFFERS GREATLY. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 9.-Never before in the history of St. Louis have its inhabitants suffered so much from the heat as during the week just ended. The highest point reached by the thermometer was 100 in the shade, and on no day was the maximum Electric road tonight, just outside the below 25. On the streets the heat was more borough limits of Columbia. The dead are: intense and the record higher. City Physician Sutter declares the number of heat prostrations and deaths at the hospital for the past week is unprecedented in the city's At least one and probably two of the in-bed may die before morning. The place ous, were cared for, and that nineteen of where the accident occurred is at the base of a steep incline, alongside of which runs cal condition. This is not the complete a high enbankment. The car was loaded record for the city, for at least that many more cases were taken to the dispensaries, of the incline there was no indication of where many died and others were sent from impending danger. Once on the incline, there to various hospitals or their homes however, the car began to slip, owing to wet tracks. The motorman applied the air reached by the thermometer was 99 in the for treatment. Today the highest point reached by the thermometer was 99 in the shade. Twenty victims of the heat were broke, rendering the brakes useless. The brought to the city hospital between 5 p. car dashed along at a terrific rate, while im and midnight and but two of these dicd. Their names are unknown. and stood petrified with fear. The car, upon reaching the bottom, took a sharp turn, and was thrown up against the embankment.

There were three deaths today as follows: EDWARD CULLINAN, a plasterer, who died while being taken to the dispensary. MISS PAULINE TUCKER

AN UNKNOWN MAN at the city hospital, CHICAGO SUN-SCORCHED. CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—Again today the sun scorched this city and the records of deaths and prostrations will approach those of yes-terday. The fatal cases of sunstroke up to 10 o'clock numbered lifteen and several others were not expected to live. The prostrations which were not of a very serious character were over one-third. Many people were mentally affected and on one of the bridges the police had a struggle with a Swede of giant strength who attempted to throw people into The temperature indicated many peculiarities during the day. The lowest point marked was 76 degrees at 11 o'clock and the nercury remained almost stationary at that gure until 2 o'clock. At 3 o'clock it jumped o 86 and at 5 o'clock it was 93, the highest has been and at a octook it was 33, the highest mark touched. While the highest point to-day was five degrees less than that of yes-terday, the people suffered just as much and the fatallites show that the heat was equally dangerous to life. Among those dead are:

CHARLES BUCKSTEDT, bartender. DENNIS CARMODY. JOHN ENIT. PATRICK HOGAN. MRS. MARY JOYCE. JOHN MAHER GEORGE PARR VINCENT SLEDSKY tallor VALOSHLETH, laborer. FOUR UNKNOWN MEN. brick church. The new structure cost \$8,00 and is the largest and most imposing church LOUISVILLE, Aug. 9 .- The maximum temperature today was 95 degrees; yesterday is was \$8, and the average for the past four-