COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Smoke "J A B" 5c cigar. Finest work, Bluff City Laundry. Stockert Carpet Co., 205-207 Bwy. Moore's food kills worms and fattens.

C. B. Jacquemin & Co., jewelers and op-ticlans, 27 South Main street. Mrs. J. K. Fenner and daughter Delia leave shortly for Los Angeles, Cal. Mrs. C. G. Vaughn of Denver. Colo., is visiting Mrs. W. F. VicRov on Fourth street. Mr. and Mrs. Ren Hake of Grand Island. were in the city yesterday visiting

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lefferts are entertain ing Mr. and Mrs. Chares Baldwin of Salt The civil service examination for position

in the postal service will be held at the local postoffice October 22. R. C. Beidler of Mount Pulaski. Ill., is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. T. Harris of Vine street, and the exposition.

J. C. Bixby, heating and sanitary engineer, Plans and specifications for heating, plumb-ing and lighting. 202 Main, Council Bluffs. Mrs. S. Farnsworth and daughter Sadle

the business of a common carrier without a Don't you think it must be a pretty good

laundry that can please so many hundreds of customers? Well—that's the "Eagle," 724 Broadway.

ing the ceremony. The Ladies' Aid society of the First Congregational church will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Hart.

545 Willow avenue. City Treasurer Reed and Finance Clerk Frank True went to St. Louis yesterday to deliver the \$30,000 issue of bonds to Donaldeon Bros., the purchasers.

The regular meeting of Palm Grove. No. 11. Woodmen Circle, will be beld this evening, when all members are urged to be present, as there is business of importance.

George Smith was arrested vesterday on an assault and battery charge preferred against him by C. W. Osborn. He will have a hearing before Justice Vien tomorrow mort-

Park City lodge, No. 606, Independent Or-der of Odd Fellows, meets tonight, when oyster supper will be served after the meet-

The congregation of the Second Presbyterian church will lay the corner stone of its new house of worship on Pierce street with appropriate ceremonies this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Curtin of Chicago The October term of Superior court was

opened yesterday by Judge Aylesworth, but beyond a few details taken in unimportant cases little was transacted. Judge Aylesworth will make an assignment of causes George Rohlfers of Manning, convicted of

bootlegging at the recent term of the federal court, has paid \$75 of the fine imposed on him, and in accordance with Judge Woolson's order, the balance of the sentence has Word has been received here that Mrs. Newton Kepfinger, formerly of this city, was

married September 22 at Augusta, Ga., to John F. Miller of Cataloa Hill, Richmond county, Ga. Mrs. Kepfinger taught school property by a high board fence. Further near this city for several years. The police received vesterday from the city marshal of Greeley. Colo., the descrip-tions of seven bicycles that had been stolen

there in the last few days. case the owners of the wheels offer rewards for the capture of the thieves and return of the machines. Miss Laura Flickinger, who is rapidly convalescing from her recent severe illness, accompanied by her sister. Miss Mary Flickinger, left for Pierre, S. D., yesterday, where she will visit for some time with her sister. Mrs. Emily F. White, who occupies the po-

sition of county superintendent of schools The Atlanta (Ga.) Journal in a recent

Babcock of this city as one of the patriotic young women who are acting as army nurses and caring for the sick soldiers at Fort McPherson. Miss Babcock is a sister of Mrs. Charles Haas and went from here to Fort McPherson. The commissioners appointed by Sheriff

unitl October 13. S. T. McAtes was excured and D. W. Otis was appointed in his stead. Five well dressed "vagrants" corralled by police Saturday night were given sus

pended sentences vesterday morning of \$50 and costs and one hour in which to thake the dust of Council Bluffs from their shoes. The men are believed to be some of the crooks who deemed it expedient to leave Omaha when the new whief of police was Prof. Sawyer returned vesterday from the

Berne home to Trenton, Mo. At the time young Sawyer left the hospital he weighed but ninety-one pounds, but is rapidly grow-ign stronger and now fice the scales at 125 He is home on a sixty-day furlough, but expects to be shortly mustered out with his regiment, the First Illinois Volun-

A stranger giving the name of Ed Howe was arrested as a suspicious character yes-terday afternoon. He was taken into custody while attempting to dispose of a quantity of old gold which the police are inclined believe is the proceeds of some robbery. Howe explained his possession of the stuff by claiming that he had gathered it up for year past with the intention of selling it

Ladies desiring valuable information con-

N. Y. Plumbing company. Tel. 250.

Ak-Sar-Ben Week Motor Trains. On account of the route of the parades in-terfering with the traffic around the loop in Omaha during Ak-Sar-Ben week, the Omaha and Council Bluffs trains will only be run to Twelfth and Douglas streets, as a rule, after 5-0, m., and all extra trains will start from Pearl and Broadway. Regular trains will run about as usual between the transfer, Main street, Fairmount park and Upper Broadway. Trains will be about two minutes apart between Pearl and Broadway and Twelfth and Douglas street, Omaha, from 5 p. m., or as soon as the heavy travel W. S. DIMMOCK

Real Estate Transfers. The following transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street:

J. W. Squire, 101 Pearl street:

Ida Zimmerli and husband to Fred H.
Shoemaker, lot 1 in subd. of Orig.
Plat lot 41, except s 40 feet, w. d., \$ 800
Sheriff to Sophia II. Douglass, e¹/₂
swi₄ se¹/₄ 1-74-44, s. d. 2,399
John T. Clark and wife to John Glover
and Samuel Foote, lots 14, 15, 15 and
17, block 112, Crescent. 15
John T. Clark guardian, to same, lots
14, 15, 16 and 17, Block 112 Crescent,
gdn. d. 35

gdn. d. Charles T. Officer and wife et al to N. P. Dodge, lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 8, block 1, lot 2, block 2, lots 8 and 2, block 4, and lot 6, block 5, Prospect Place, q c d. lary B. Dabney to Hannah C. Rhodes, lots 8 and 2, block 1, Gates

add to Oakland, w d.

BIXBY SAYS HE BORROWED IT

Chief of Police Explains How He Came to Owe the Sterling Company.

BASIS OF AN INTERESTING LAWSUIT

Former Manager of an Implement Company Now Defending Himself from an Accusation of Approprinting Company's Fands.

District court was reconvened yesterday afternoon by Judge Macy, and the trial of the suit of the Sterling Manufacturing company against Chief of Police Frank A. Bixby, company's former manager at this point, was commenced before a jury. In this case the Sterling Manufacturing company sues to recover from Bixby about \$1,100. contemplate spending the winter in Califor- which, it is alleged, he appropriated to his nia, chiefly for the benefit of the latter's own use from funds belonging to the comwhich, it is alleged, he appropriated to his pany. Bixby admits taking the money, but H. Beccroft, a pioneer expressman of this denies that he did so unlawfully and withcity, was arrested yesterday for carrying on out authority from the plaintiff. He asserts that he borrowed the money he is charged with misappropriating and that the loans were with the full knowledge and consent of the company. The plaintiff admits giving its consent to Bixby to borrow Charles Hesten of Omaha and Florence the sum of \$300, but insists that when later Simmons of Ionia. Mich., were married in the applied for a further loan he was perthis city yesterday. Justice Ferrier performemptorily refused. Bixby has entered a the sum of \$300, but insists that when later counter-claim of \$2,000 damages for the alleged breaking by the company of its contract with him when it removed him from its employ on July 30, 1897.

The circumstances surrounding the case have made it of considerable local interest. Mr. Bixby, who had been in the employ of the Sterling Manufacturing company as its agent at this point for ten years, in July. 1897, assumed the business management of the Globe-Democrat, a local free silver organ, which has since died a natural death. This the officers of the Sterling Manufacturing company objected to, as they considered that so long as Bixby was in their employ he should devote his entire time and abilities to their interests. The outcome of it was that the company dispensed with there will be work in the third degree. An his services, although his contract did not expire until July 1 of this year. Bixby's counter-claim is based on the year's salary which he would have received under the contract had he not been discharged.

The amounts with which Bixby is charged with misappropriating are \$435.50 and \$600. Considerable time was taken yesterday afternoon in securing a jury. After counsel were the guests over Sunday of Mrs. Cur-tin's mother, Mrs. B. Durgan. Mr. Curtin had made their opening statements, court is a member of the Cook County (III.) adjourned for the day and the taking of evidence will be commenced this morning.

DeVol Asks to Intervene.

P. C. DeVol, the well known hardware dealer on Broadway, filed a petition of intervention yesterday in the district court in the case of the Citizens' State bank against the Lake Manawa Railway company. In the petition DeVol sets up that he is the absolute and unqualified owner in fee simple of block 29, Manawa Park, and that the defendants, the Lake Manawa Railway company and Charles R. Hannan, receiver, have without regard to his right and in disregard of his ownership, right and use in the property, caused same to be enclosed with other the petitioner states that in order to gain to pay Receiver Hannan or his employes. a charge or admission fee to enter said enclosure and that his right in and to the last year.

Continuing the petition alleges that within the defendants have carried on a theatrical show, sleight of hand performances, panbeen dispensed for sale and that they have allowed. carried on within the said enclosure dances. issue publishes the likeness of Miss Charity i picnics and associations of men and women for the purpose of revelry, amusement and pleasure, for all of which they were receiving a large income from the frequenters of the resort. It is further claimed that all these things were carried on without the consent of the intervenor and that his Morgan in the condemnation proceedings brought by the Chicago & Northwestern consent and through the force and coer-Railway company against the Fort Docge & cion of Receiver Hannan and his employes, Omaha railroad met vesterday and adjourned the force and coercion alleged being the building of the high board fence. As suitable compensation for the use of his property Mr. DeVol asks the court to award him \$100 and also order that the high board fence be removed.

> Prepare for Winter. Old hoary-headed winter will soon be here and the prudent man or woman is generally prepared for the frost king by the time of his arrival. Take time by the forelock

and pay a visit to the mammoth furniture and hardware store of Peterson & Schoening where he had been to take his son in the Merriam block. You cannot miss the home to Trenton. Mo. At the time place if you come to this store, for here you can get anything you want in the house furnishing line at ridiculously low prices. Do you want a stove, a fuel saver and a heater that will heat your rooms? Come in and see what we have in that line. Or if you need a cooking stove or a range we you want and will save you

money on the purchase. When it comes to furniture we can sup-ply your demands in a manner that will simply surprise you. Bedsteads, iron and various makes. But when you see our parlor suits you will wonder how we can sell them so cheapty. They are beauties and dura-ble. Our bedroom suites are up to date and we defy any house to duplicate ours for the same money. It cannot be done Council Bluffs or any other town around

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Merrinm Block, South Main St.

Marriage Licenses Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the fellowing persons: Name and Residence. Age. Henry N. Held. Council Bluffs 22 Etta Gardiner. Council Bluffs.. 23

Margaret A. Mott. Pottawattamie...... ohn Fitzgerald, La Crosse, Wis 22 Zora Haehl, Indianapolis, Ind.....

Wanted-Girl for general housework; family of three; no children; \$5 per week if satisfactory and well recommended. Apply to Mrs. W. S. Dimmock, 219 South Seventh street, Council Bluffs.

Motor Line Service.

Superintendent Dimmock of the motor company gives notice that on the nights of the Ak-Sar-Ben parades in Omaha the cars will only be run as far as Twelfth and Douglas streets in Omaha and not around the loop. A train service of two minutes apart will be established for these nights. Regular trains will run as usual on the city Six transfers, total \$ 4,000 lipes, but all extra trains on the Omaha lected because it afforded the best facilities.

parture of its last train from Omaha until midnight to accommodate the crowds.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL. Brick Designated as Material for Pav-

ing Certain Streets. city council held last night the contract for SIX DAYS GIVEN UP TO PURE ENJOYMENT brick paving ordered laid was awarded to E. A. Wickham, City Engineer Etnyre reporting that his bids on all classes of brick were the lowest. In compliance with the wishes of the property owners interested, Council Bluffs brick was selected for paying top and bottom courses on the following streets: North Main, Bryant, North Second, North First and Willow avenue. The prop erty owners on Avenue F declared in favo of Des Moines brick for the top course and the contract was let for that material.

From statements made by Contractor months to manufacture a sufficient supply of bricks. Alderman Casper strenuously op posed the use of home-made brick, which a special feature. he said would prove as bad a job as the old cedar block paving was.

Chief of Police Bixby called the attention of the council to some much needed alterations and improvements in the present arcommunication, embodying several suggestions and recommendations, which was referred to the committee of the whole: would respectfully call your attention

to the inefficient arrangement of the second floor of the city jail for the handling of sick and injured and to the fact that under present conditions no efficient arrangement exists whereby quick service may be rendered in cases of accident to or sudden sickness of parties properly demanding our attention

"I would recommend that the wooden partitions on the second floor be removed and replaced with sheet or lattice steel; that wooden beds be replaced with iron beds and folding bunks; that the floor be tiled or laid with cement; that the divisions be such as will provide one department for transient lodgers and vags, one for minors, one for women and one for sick or crippled. This arrangement would enable the department to classify parties under arrest or being detained, insure the keeping of the apartments practically free from dirt and vermin, decrease the liability of fire and make it possible to handle charges in a way becoming a city of our size.

"I would also recommend that a committee be appointed to confer with the county authorities in order that an equitable arrangement may be made, so that the police department may render quick and efficient thy tribute to woman's perseverance and service in cases of sickness or accident to transient and dependent people.

"It is impossible under present conditions for the department to handle cases of sudden and serious sickness or parties accidentally or seriously injured in a way conducive to their comfort or of benefit to their condition. "Our only recourse now is to put them in

quarters on the second floor of the city jail (that by the expenditure of our best effort in its present condition we can scarcely make habitable for people that are well) or to assume the authority of sending cases of the kind mentioned to the hospitals, then let these good people secure pay for service rendered as best they may.

"The police department is an emergency department, and efficient service demands prompt action at all times and in all cases. I do not believe that economy nor public sentiment requires that human beings crippled or sick, penniless and away from access to his property be has been compelled friends, shall be confined in quarters that will increase their suffering or hasten their

Payment of the bill of Poundmaster said premises has by reason of the acts of Dobson, amounting to \$78, for impound-licans, who, while expecting the reaction Receiver Hannan been cut-off during the ing and slaughtering stray canines during September, was opposed by Alderman Casper. Of the appropriation of \$800 made the enclosure made by the high board fence for this fund but \$57.57 remains unexpended and this amount was allowed on the poundmaster's bill. Chief of Police doubtedly would be no danger for repuboramas and booths where liquors of all Bixby's bill for feed for his horse met licans if there was a well defined opposition. with the usual opposition, but was finally but as a matter of fact the organization

> for the hire of three jackscrews for nine- generated to an every-man-for-himself bat teen days was deemed excessive and referred to the committee on bridges. B. D. Brown and Ed Burke at the re-

quest of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway company were appointed special policemen without expense to the city. On the recommendation of City Attorney Wadsworth the claims of G. W. Dalton and were badly treated at the convention, but Jens Jensen for alleged damage to their gardens by the overflow of Indian creek were rejected.

superintendent of maintenance and construction of the Rock Island railway, was among the people. Finn commenced his received regarding the city's orders that campaign in the Eighth on the anti-expanthe company's bridges over Indian creek sion plan and has been compelled to hedge be raised. Mr. McFarlin states that the and leave the question entirely open. This Rock Island contemplates entirely rebuild- is mentioned merely to show that Healy ing its yard in this city next season, to Bashor, Carr and others were nearer the put up a new round house and in fact ex- real sentiment of the people than those pects to tear out about everything the company has and the point at which the tracks cross Indian creek will be entirely changed. For this reason he does not like to do anything with raising the bridges this fall. The communication was re-

The council adjourned to next Monday

night. Does an Injustice to Mr. Cox. The report of the trouble at the Metzger residence Sunday night did an injustice to Mr. N. E. Cox, who was said to have mistreated his wife. The trouble was undoubtedly grossly exaggerated and misrepresented. Mrs. Cox indignantly denies that she has ever been mistreated by her husband and her statements are fully borne ou by the facts in the case. Mr. Cox is well an favorably known in this city, where he has done business for several years.

Part 2 of The Bee's photogravures of th exposition is now ready and can be had at

Max Olsen used Cole's Hot Blast heater

last winter Double Wedding.

Justice Burke was called upon yesterday afternoon to officiate at a double wedding. which was rather unusual from the fact that the groom and bride in one case were the father and mother of the groom and Jerry Belt, Pottawattamie... 52 bride respectively in the second case, Jerry Belt was married to Mrs. Margaret A. Mott and Vincent Belt, son of the former, was married to Vira Mott. daughter of the pay. The society's office at the state house latter.

The Bouricius Music House does not advertise much but anyone who sees the pianos having time just now to write up advertis ing matter. This time they will only state that they have added to their stock the Talking Machine called "Graphophone" and have a good selection of records on sale. Mrs. Ehlebracht used Cole's Hot Blast

> Troops to Embark at Savannah. WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.-Secretary Alger today announced that Savannah, Ga., had been selected as the point of embarkation of all troops which may hereafter be sent to Cubz or Porto Rico. It is stated at the War department that Savannah was se-

line will start from Pearl and Broadway. | SIOUX CITY CARNIVAL WEEK

Mondamin Festival is On in the City Up the River.

Elaborate Preparations Have Been Made for the Event and the Entire Population Will Join in the Fun.

SIOUX CITY, Oct. 3 .- (Special.) - Sioux City's Mondamin carnival opened this morning. This is the second time Sleux City has undertaken to give a carnival. The streets of the city have all been prettily Wickham to the council it is doubtful if decorated in the national colors and above considerable amount of the paving can all floats Old Glory. Vari-colored electric be laid this year, as it will take several lights are in profusion and the general effect is beautiful. Each day of the week has been designated to the introduction of

All day today carnival visitors have been welcomed by representative committees. In the evening was held the first parade of the many to follow during the week. It was the idea to make this one of the most grotesque rangement of the city jail, in the following and fantastic possible. Immediately after the parade the King of Corn and Carnival took possession of the city for a week of mirth, music and merriment.

Tuesday has been designated as Trades, Labor and Commercial day and parades representing the business interests of Sloux vagrants and tramps, minors, women and City will be given. This parade will be at least three miles long. In the evening the illuminated floats will be seen. The day will be symbolic of peace, progress, plenty and prosperity.

Patriotic day will be Wednesday-a day to be devoted to the recognition of America's greatness in the late war and in There will be national music by peace. bands, patriotic parades, military displays, including returned soldiers and cowboy regiments from South Dakota, military floats and others showing the progress of the country since the landing of Columbus. On the Missouri river in the evening will be a reproduction of the battle of Manila.

Thursday-a peace jubilee-the city will be garlanded in white, school girls will appear in pretty white dresses, all women are requested to do likewise, and flags of peace will float from all flagstaffs. The day will be ushered in by the chimes of many bells and will be followed by the most beautiful parades of the week. have been working for weeks making flowers for the equipages to be seen in the parade. It will be a rival of the great flower carnival parades of the country and a wor-

taste. The evening will see more parades and laughter and merriment on the boule-Friday is bicycle day. This is one of the best days of the week and illuminated pa-

rades will be given at night. On Saturday the town will be turned over to the traveling men. It is to be the climax of fun and frolic-a day of delight to drummers and all in attendance. Confetti will be thrown in the air and grand parades will be the order of the day.

FEATURES OF THE CAMPAIGN Neither Side Doing Very Much in the

State of Iowa. DES MOINES, Oct. 3 .- (Special.) -Ther may be a campaign in Iowa this fall, there undoubtedly will as all the arrangements have been made therefor, and yet it is safe to say that a goodly number of citizens in the state will know but little about it and are still less. Such apathy, such unpara leled indifference on all sides, has not been known for years and its influences may be reflected in the results. It is, at least, the ever following abnormal majorities, were not prepared to find the voters in an actual comatose state so far as the issues are con-

With such conditions existing there un perfected at Marshalltown has gone to pieces The bill of C. E. H. Cambell of \$7.20 of its own weight and the contest has detle, with the chances for success decidedly on the side of the party that holds and belago and the mainland from the southutilizes an almost perfect organization. The ern boundary as far north as Skagway and resignation of M. F. Healy of Fort Dodge from the state central committee struck the democratic leaders here cold. They frankly admit that Healy, Bashnor and some others they did not expect that the effects would go to the extreme of driving these men mines." out of the ranks of the workers. The ques A communication from W. K. McFarlin, tion of expansion seemingly so dear to Healy has evidently taken strong root who turned them down

ESCAPED AN ASSASSIN'S BULLET.

Exciting Experience of an Iowa Boy with an Unknown Man. MT. PLEASANT, In., Oct. 3 .- (Special.)-Charles Moyle, a young man who resides narrow escape from instant death about midnight at the hands of an unknown assassin. Young Moyle was riding along the measures for the immediate invasion of Bea road from Hillsboro and was nearing his island. ome when he heard a shot fired in front of him. His horse slowed up and a man steeped out in the road and placed a revolver in Moyle's face, at the same time selzing the horse by the reins. Moyle atempted to get hold of the gun and in the truggle it was discharged, the ball passing brough the young man's hand. The horse, rightened at the report of the weapon prang to one side and forward, and as it id so another shot was fired, which passed through the crown of Moyle's bat and alnost, if not quite, grazed the scalp. The young man urged his horse forward as fast as he could and on reaching home a posse was at once organized to hunt for the one who did the shooting. No trace of him could be found although the neighborhood was thoroughly searched.

Money for County Fairs. DES MOINES, Oct. 2 .- (Special.) -All the county and district fairs reporting to the state agricultural society will receive from the state 40 per cent of the premiums they is issuing warrants to those who have already reported. The basis of aid is different this year than it was last, on account of a change of law. Formerly the district societies received assistance on the basis of eral rendered an opinion that they constituted gate receipts and were not properly the Secretary Fowler has already issued warrants to the following fairs: Cedar Rapids, \$193; Sac county, \$195.50; Jefferson county,

Queer Craft on the River. KEOKUK. Ia., Oct. 3 .- (Special.) -- Many queer crafts are going down to the "sunny age is not known. south," and among the number was an

regular landing and was seen by quite a number of people. It was a regular skiff and was fitted up for traveling with as much comfort as possible. In front was a locker for provisions, and it also held a tiny gasoline stove for cooking. Over the two back seats was stretched a thin awning to keep off the sun, and this could be replaced by a waterproof covering to keep off the rain. The boat was occupied by a man, a woman and a child.

Surveying Railroad Routes. FORT DODGE, Ia., Oct. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—Six different railroads have engineering corps in this vicinity, looking for the shortest routes from St. Paul to Omaha, as a result of the new Fort Dodge & Omaha road. The Northwestern today let contracts for grading on a new line from Denison to Algona, passing through Sac and Pocahontas counties, Pocahontas Center being the only county seat in Iowa without a railroad. This gives the Northwestern much shorter line than its route via

Cedar Rapids Carnival. CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Oct. 3 .- (Special relegram.)-The second annual carnival opened this afternoon under auspicious ircumstances. The weather, which has been cloudy and stormy for several days, cleared off nicely. The attractions are many and all that could be desired. The production of the battle of Manila and fireworks display this evening were very fine. The atendance today was not large, but satisfactory. The bleycle races were a success.

Iowa News Notes. Dyersville has become quite enthusiastic over the prospects of the organization of a rolunteer fire company there. Fort Dodge claims the distinction of hav-

ing the first oil painting of the Santiago battle. The artist is Miss Florence Young. Ottumwa has drawn the line on ordinary street fairs. It will have nothing less than a three-ringed circus with society leaders in the trapeze. Frank T. Campbell of Des Moines is trav

eling over the state trying to secure bonds from various counties in the interest of the proposed Minneapolis, Iowa & Guif rall-A Waterloo institution offered a prize to the young lady who would make the largest

number of words from the name of a single Iowa railroad. Miss Rhea Bankson won by making 13,897 names. As President McKinley passes through Iowa enroute to Omaha he will be given receptions at each small town he stops at, even for a moment. Rousing demonstra-tions are being arranged.

Horse thieves got away with two fine horses belonging to J. J. Gray of Fort Dodge The society interested in protecting Iowa horse fiesh is threatening to do violence o the first horse thief captured if a change in business does not occur shortly.

The Christian Ministers' Prohibition club of the state of Iowa has been formed. It was begun by ministers of the Methodist Epis-copal church, but is now taking in all classes, regardless of denominational marks. The or-ganization is the first protest against the Liquor Dealers' association which was repolitical purposes and more are expected to follow.

ONLY THEMSELVES TO BLAME Ex-Governor of Alaska Gives His Views of Goldseeking in

the Far North.

CHICAGO, Oct. 3 .- A. P. Swineford, former governor of Alaska, who is in Chicago, declares that the prospectors who have returned goldless from that region were unsuccessful because of the lack of foresigh failing to properly prepare for a search for fortune in a new country.

"The trouble is that 40,000 people made a rush for about 600 rich claims, all of which had been taken before they ever heard of the Klondike, and good sense will tell any one that six months or a year is too short a time in which to reasonably expect to make a trip of 10,000 miles, and at the same time prospect for gold with the least

"The miners were more than ten years finding the Klondike placers and may be equally as long in finding equally as rich ground elsewhere on the Alaskan side. is a big country and development of its mineral wealth will be gradual. The great wealth of Alaska in precious metals is in the quartz veins with which it is seamed and nterlaced. The great majority of those who have gone to the Yukon country in the last year have passed through what I be lieve is destined to become the richest gold mining district of Alaska. Within pistol shot from the deck of the steamship which carried them are some very rich quartz ledges now in process of development. There is gold in the islands of the Alexander archi-Taiya. That I am justified in this belief is proven not only by the mines now working and paying enormous profits, but by numerous discoveries that have lately been made and the large number of prospects now in course of development into producing

WILL BRING INDIANS TO TIME Officials Decide Not to Stand Any

More Foolishness with a Minne-

sots Tribe.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 3 .- The Journal's Walker, Minn., special says: According to information from Indian sources there will will not be a representative gathering of the Pillager Indians at the council called oday. The runners sent out to invite the malcontents to the council have returned and report there will be some of the Pillagers in the council, but that the men who have agreed to come are by no means reprebetween Salem and Hillsboro, had a very sentative of the tribe. If the council does not prove fairly representative, the federal officials will refuse to hold it and will take

The situation at the island is not improved. All last night the Indians were dancing and holding high jinks on the island. The patience of the officers is exhausted and preparations are being made

for a hammer and tongs fight. Lieutenant Humphrey and his twenty men of the Third infantry, all Santiago veterans, have moved over to the Indian agency, each man carrying fifteen days rations and a shovel in addition to regula equipment. This move was to impress the pucks who might come in with the fact that Uncle Sam is in earnest.

GREAT DAMAGE TO RICE CROP Recent Storms Credited with the De

struction of Fifty Per Cent

of the Total.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 3 .- Yesterday's hurricane and the storm of two weeks ago have done but small damage to property in this vicinity, but the loss to rice growers was very heavy. Even damage done by the great storm of 1893 has been exceeded. It is variously estimated by the planters and rice brokers that the loss will be from 30 to 50 per cent. The damage is entirely due to membership tickets sold, but as these were the high tides and easterly winds that have used as admission tickets the attorney gen- prevailed along the coast as a result of the storms. The tides have kept the water in the fields for a week, and the drains refuse membership tickets the law contemplated. to draw. The easterly wind serves to keep the water backed up in the streams and breaks in the banks have occurred on the PouPou, Ashpoo and Combahee rivers, and these sections have suffered most severely. In some cases the entire crops in those sections are lost. No word has reached here from the sea islands and the extent of dam-

As far as at present known only one life extraordinarily peculiar one that went down was lost in yesterday's hurricane. The in effect, touches the right spot, reliable and Saturday. It landed a little below the high water has done much damage, however, just what is wanted. It acts at once,

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