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ALL ABOUT THE KISSING BUG

State Entomologist Bruner States His Ideas Concerning the Much

Talked-About Insect. LINCOLN, Neb., July 23 .- (Special.) -Prof. Lawrence Bruner, state entomologist, has prepared the following statement rela-

tive to the so-called "kissing bug": For the last three or four weeks the newspapers of the country have been full he was driving in and was badly crushed at will. All the Reds' runs were gifts. In accounts concerning the bites, some fetal, of a mysterious insect. So varied and When liberated he fell from the seat unsensational have been some of these ac-

caused by insect bites or stings; still I was ceat. a little curious to follow it up and see the developments as papers one after the other took it us. Now that the "malady" has reached our own state. I have become sufficiently interested to give my views and, if possible, to allay the fears of the public by assuring it that the "kissing bug," as such, is a myth. Do not infer from this statement, however, that I disbelieve all the accounts published in the press of the country concerning great suffering and even deaths caused by insect bites or stings.

So near as I can determine the "kissing bug" sensation started about a month or a triffe less ago in Washington, D. C., when within a few days several persons were admitted to hospitals and treated for troubles that were evidently the result of insect bites or stings. But just what particular insect growth and a large yield is now assured. was the criminal seemed very doubtful. Singularly enough, at least, so say the newspapers, at this stage in the history while one of the government entomologists was at work in the evening after lamplight he traced to Percival, Ia., where he is believed was bitten by a bug on the wrist. Luckily to have taken the train for the south. the culprit was captured and saved for a Friend was a member of the First Ne specimen. Next day the bite became inflamed and someone suggested the possibility of the identity of this and other cases of injury. The insect captured by the entomologist was the one known as melanolestes picipes, which translated is the pitchy-footed black pirate. Several cases having occurred the lips, the name of "kissing bug" was suggested by someone. Of course, the next and easy thing to do was to couple the two names together and force them on the unfortunate insect whose name, as just given above, seemingly would be calamity enough for one small bug.

The creature in question belongs to the of which are blood suckers and live upon by sucking their blood. If seized between they left, but they could not be located. the thumb and fingers all of these insects will retallate by biting, if possible, and the wound thus inflicted is by no means a genarm for several hours afterward. But I expect from eighteen to twenty bushels per never for a moment feared that I was about to die from such a bite. The insect in question is about one-half inch in length, quite active and more nocturnal than diurnal in its habits.

As stated above, records of deaths from insect bites are of not infrequent occurrence every year, hence there must be some foundation for such reports-there must be a cause for their deadly nature. Blood poisoning may result from a variety of beginnings. If a stable fly alights upon an animal that has died from a disease like anthrax, feeds for a moment, then flies off and later alights upon and pierces the skin or flesh of a person the effect is liable to lights. result in blood poisoning. Decaying flesh pable of blood poisoning, as any physician church. can attest who has worked in a dissecting room. Several species of flies, mosquitoes and gnats may thus inflict wounds in which August 16. at the same time they unintentionally insert germs that produce blood poisoning, these germs having been picked up by those insects while feeding upon dead animals.

Precautions should be taken, then, to bury or otherwise remove all dead animals as quickly as possible, and especially should this be done during warm weather and in ! case of those dving from contagious and infectious diseases, such as anthrax, glanders, cholera, etc.

Should a person be bitten or stung by a "mysterious bug" immediate measures ought to be taken to obtain relief. If this is done no dire result is apt to follow. This last auggestion is especially to be observed when other cases of harmful attacks are known \$28,484.01. to have occurred. The same source of infection is liable to furnish material and into Alliance from the east on No. 47 spread in different directions through the Thursday to be used in place of the cast same, similar, or even different agencies. LAWRENCE BRUNER.

Hall County Republican Convention. GRAND ISLAND. Neb., July 23 .- (Special.)-Hall county republicans held a large and euthusiastic, as well as harmonious convention in this city yesterday after- then bottom has been soft and impassable. noon for the purpose of nominating candidates for the county offices and selecting the A party of David City fishermen caught state and judicial delegations. There was a large eel measuring thirty-two inches in only one contest in the convention, it being length, nine inches in circumference, and between A. L. Barneby and D. H. Vantine for county superintendent, the final vote being 77 to 68 in favor of the latter. The Fair. It was on exhibition in Mr. Thomas county ticket named was as follows: County saloon on Thursday. judge, M. T. Garlow; treasurer, Gee P. Dean; superintendent of public instruction, D. H. venna last week to the effect that the B. & Vantine; clerk, John Wallichs; sheriff, S. N. M. was about to remove the round house. Taylor; clerk of district court, Henry Allan; How, when or where this rumor started no coroner, G. H. Roeder; surveyor, A. C. one seems to know, but surely it was from Koenig; assessor (city of Grand Island), E. no official source. It can be positively and L. Curtis; justices of the peace, George this kind is contemplated. Spencer and Henry Garn; constables, James Gorman and C. A. Leake. In the appointment of the delegation to the state conven-tion Supreme Judge T. O. C. Harrison. miles northwest of Hayes Center, was pre-George H. Thummel, George Rouse and W. A. Prince were selected as delegates at large and breaking the platform upon which h and Judge Harrison was authorized to select the remainder of the delegation. Ex-Lieutenant Governor Abbott was authorized Bordeaux reunion grounds for a term of Supreme Judge Harrison was chosen chairman of the convention and A. F. to individuals for camping purposes, Buechier and O. M. Quackenbush secretaries. enabling them to improve and fix up their A central committee was nominated, the lots so as to enjoy many comforts and luxu-candidates nominated being authorized to ries in camp life not otherwise obtainable.

select the officers of the same. Disruption Threatens Fusion. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 23 .- (Special.)-The democrats and populists of Otce county, who have fused on county offices for two years past, are threatened with dis-

Tonight

Just before retiring, if your liver is sluggish, out of tune and you feel dull, billous, constipated, take a dose of

Hood's Pills

Patrick Maloney here, while in bathing this ruption. The result is that there will prob-Patrick Maloney here, while in bathing this ruption. The result is that there will prob- ALL A QUESTION OF PITCHERS afternoon was drowned. Those who were in ably be three county tickets in the field this ALL A QUESTION OF PITCHERS with him thought he was playing some fall, which will insure the success of the boyish pranks in the river until too late, entire republican ticket. The democrats are when he mark. The river is being dragged divided into two factions, one of which Reds Lose Through Breitenstein and Win by for the body, but the current is very strong; wants to fuse with the populists on an even and the body seems to have been carried division of the offices, while the other wants out into the channel, as it has not been re- to force the pops to fuse on the basis of covered yet. The only near relatives such few scattered pieces of official pie as known are a brother fiving somewhere in the democrats are disposed to dole out to ST, LOUIS WINS FROM GIANTS IN TENTH Omaha and a brother and sister in Belle- them. The populist leaders claim that they are entitled to an even division of the offices and unless the democrats come to their terms they will call a convention early next month and place a full county ticket in

Narrow Escape.

COLUMBUS, Neb., July #3.-(Special.)-John Dolinski came near losing his life last evening in a most peculiar and distressing manner. He drives a sprinkling wagon for the city and about 7 o'clock when he came to the barn where the wagons are kept he was caught by the top of the doorway as won the first game by hitting Breitenstein and bruised about the back and shoulders, the second game Hahn was a puzzle, while conscious and the physicians who were called counts that it has been a difficult matter for cannot state at present the extent of his made a good impression. Attendance, 8,234. one to obtain anything like facts in the case. injuries, as there will probably be some While I have thought from the first that internal complications arise. Dolinski is there was nothing more to the whole matter past 50 years of age and has a family. It than what occurs each summer when we see is said that he was warned that the doorway occasional references in the papers to deaths would not clear a man sitting upon the

Proves Value of Irrigation. GOTHENBURG, July 23 .- (Special.)-The last week has demonstrated beyond a doubt that the farmers who live under the irrigation canals have satisfied themselves that irrigation pays and the demand for water under the Gothenburg and Cozad canals for the last week have been such that they have hardly been able to run and have laterals built fast enough to supply the demand. Thousands of acres of corn have been watered during the last week and the growth has been immense. The corn all over this section is about waist high and, while a great deal of it has rolled during the day on account of the dry weather, the irrigated corn has made wonderful

Trace of Missing Man. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 23 .- (Special.)-Ed Friend, the Syracuse butcher, who has been missing several days, has been Hahn, p ... braska regiment and went to the Philippines. He was discharged and returned home in May, and on Decoration day was married to Miss Pearl L. Bishop, an estima-

ble young young lady of Syracuse. It is stated that he had expressed a desire lately to re-enter the army and some of his where the persons attacked were bitten on friends are inclined to believe that such are

Short Change Artists.

COLUMBUS, Neb., July 23.-(Special.)-A woman keeping ice cream parlors on the plays. south side is out \$4 by the clever work of south side is out \$4 by the clever work of two short change artists. They entered the place last evening about 9 o'clock and purchased five cents worth of candy and gave a \$5 bill in payment. After counting out the change one of them remembered that the change of the clever work of the change of the clever work of the change artists. They entered the change of the clever work of the change of the clever work of the change artists. They entered the change of the clever work of the change artists. They entered the change artists artists are changed as a change artists. They entered the change artists are changed as a change artists. They entered the change artists are changed as a change artists are changed as a change artists. They entered the change artists are changed as a change artist artists are changed as a change are changed as a chan same order of insects as the bedbug and chased five cents worth of candy and gave common "stink bug" known to everybody, a \$5 bill in payment. After counting out but to a different family. The pitchy-footed the change one of them remembered that black pirate is a member of the family he had a nickle somewhere about him, but Reduvidae, group Piratina, all the members couldn't find it, and in the meantime had transformed the \$5 bill into a \$1 bill. The other insects, which they capture and kill trick was discovered almost as soon as

Wheat Harvest is On. WEST POINT, Neb., July 23 .- (Special.)acre as an average yield of wheat.

Rain is Needed. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 23 .- (Special.)-No rain has fallen in this section for over two weeks. The ground is dry and dusty and vegetation is beginning to suffer.

Nebraska News Notes Pawnee merchants have agreed to close at

6:30 every evening Geneva has raised \$1,000 with which to ntertain its company of the First Nebraska. The populist judicial convention for the welfth district meets at Ravenna August 16. Arapahoe people are debating the advisability of putting in waterworks and electric

The Methodists of Superior have raised in itself is considered poisonous and is ca- \$5,500 to pay off the indebtedness on their

The populist judicial convention for the fifth district will be held at David City

Wood River has shipped \$10,000 worth of ogs to San Francisco during the last thirty days.

The First Methodist Episcopal church of Farnam, Neb., will be dedicated on Sunday, July 30. The expert's report on the affairs of City

Treasurer Moon of Ashland show the shortage to be \$2,536.52. The southwestern district reunion of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held Cambridge from Monday, September 4.

until Saturday, September 9. Mortgage indebtedness record of Dixon county for June, 1899: Farm mortgages filed, \$44,099.90; released, \$24,227.71. City mortgages filed, \$4,267; released, \$700. Chatmortgages filed, \$36,818; released,

A new seventy-foot steel turn-table came iron one now in use. The old one will sent to Sterling. Colo., the point at which the new line crosses the Cheyenne line. The residents of Pressfield island, which is near Dakota City, have experienced considerable difficulty since the high water this spring in connecting with the main land. Before this the stream was forded but since

A small ferry will doubtless be secured. weighing about five pounds. It is the largest eel ever caught in the Platte, and is larger than the ones on exhibition at the World's

A wild-eyed rumor was rampant in Raauthoritatively stated that no movement of

While engaged in removing the from a well last Friday morning Edwin cipitated into the well by the piping falling

was standing. The unfortunate man fell 256 feet and was instantly killed. twenty years by the Northwest Soldiers Sailors' association, and then sub-lease lots

The city of Norfolk has received a carload of rubble stone, which will be placed in the jail yard and afford an opportunity for all gentlemen of leisure, who may be taken up by the authorities, to give their muscles some unaccustomed exercise. All hohoes will take due warning and give Norfolk a wide berth if they do not wish to assist

in demolishing the stone pile. The largest catch of fish of the season at West Point was made in West Point last Friday. The power company pumped out the water back of the flume house in order to repair it and when the water got down low the fun began. There were little boys and big boys and old men in the mud up to their walsts pulling out order. their waists, pulling out catfish, body ate fish Friday and Saturday, And you'll be all right in the morning. how many pounds were taken out it was impossible to learn, but they were all sizes from two pounds up to seventy.

Help of Hahn.

Brooklyn Brings Victory with the But, Aided by Colonels' Poor Fielding-Ornhans Hit the Ball in Unison.

Washington, 8-0; Cincinnati, 5-7. Chicago, S; Baltimore, 4. Brooklyn, 5: Louisville, 3, St. Louis, 3; New York, 2.

CINCINNATI, O., July 23.-The Senators McFarland was easy. Houtz, a Texas leaguer, played center for the Reds, and Score, first game:

CINCINNATI WASHINGTON R.H.O.A.E. Stagel, cf., 1 O'Brien, 1f. 2 McGann, 1b 1 Houtz, ef., Henner, 20 Freeman, rf Mercer, rf. Fadden, ss.

Totals .. 5 7 27 13 3 Totals .. 8 14 27 10 *Batted for Breitenstein in the ninth. incinnati . Earned runs: Washington, 4. Two-base hits: Padden, Bonnir, Double plays: Slagle to Atherton, First base on balls: Off Brekenstein, 5; off Weyhing, 3. Passed balls: Duncan, 1. Wild pitch: Weyhing, Time: 2:20. Umpires: Smith and Latham.

Cincinnati, 7; Washington, 0. Score, second game:

CINCINNATI WASHINGTON. Hours, cf. 1 2 5 2 0 St TI. WASHINGTON.
O.A.E. B.H.O.A.E.
5 2 0 Slagel, cf... 0 0 4 0 0
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3 0 0 McGann. lb 0 1 9 0 0
4 1 0 Bonner, 2b... 0 6 1 2 0
2 0 0 Freeman. rf 0 1 1 0 0 0 Padden, ss. Totals .. 7 12 27 10 3 Totals .. 0 5*23 11 0

*Corcoran out for interference. incinnati 0 0 0 0 1 3 1 2 *- 7
Vashington 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 Washington Earned runs: Cincinnati, 5. Two-base its: O'Brien, Peitz. Three-base hits: Houtz, Steinfeldt, Stolen bases; Miller, Houtz, Steinfeldt, Stolen bases; Miller, Houtz, Double plays; Houtz to McPhee to Beckley, First base on balls; Off Hahn, 3; off McFarland, 1, Struck out; By Hahn, 2; by McFarland, 1, Time; 2 hours, Umpires; Latham and Smith.

St. Louis, 3; New York, 2. ST. LOUIS, July 23.—A double by Held-rick and Wallace's single gave St. Louis a victory over New York in the tenth inning. The game was full of sensational plays. Both Meekin and Powell pitched masterly ball. Attendance, 14,500. Score:

Crises, 30.... 1 2 3 0 0 Briefl, 11. 1 Tebeau, 1b., 0 2 13 1 0 Tiernan, cf. 9 Blake, cf... 0 0 4 0 0 Gleason, 2b. 0 Criser, c... 0 1 1 2 0 Warner, c., 0 Criger, c... 0 1 1 2 0 Warner, c.. 0 1 2 1 Powell, p... 0 0 1 3 0 Meekin, p. 0 0 0 2 Totals ., 3 11 30 16 0 Totals ., 2 6*27 16 1 *Nobody out when winning run was

St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 New York 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 tle one, since when thus roughly handled they inject into the wound a whitish fluid that greatly irritates. I have myself been several times bitten when handling these insects, with the result of suffering from a slightly swollen hand and even a benumbed

Chicago, 8; Baltimore, 4. CHICAGO, July 23.—Long hits bunehed on Hill in the third and fifth gave the locals today's game. Taylor's hard stick work contributed greatly to his team's victory.

CHICAGO. RALTIMORE McGraw, 3b 1 1 R.H.O.A.E. Ryan, lf.... Green, rf... Mertes, cf.. Keister. Sheckard, rf Connor, 3b., 1 Magoon, ss. Hill, D. Taylor, p... 3 3 0 5 Totals .. 8 10 27 14 3 Totals .. 4 9 24 7 hicago 0 Earned runs: Chicago, 5; Baltimore, Chicago, 2; Baltimore, Earned runs: Chicago, 5: Baltimore, 2. Left on bases: Chicago, 2: Baltimore, 8. Two-base hits: Ryan (2). Taylor, McCormick. Home runs: Mertes. Sacrifice hits: Chance, Holmes. Stolen bases; Green, Connor. Double plays: Green to Chance; Magoon to Lachance. Struck out: By Taylor, 1; by Hill, 4. Passed balls: Chance. Bases on balls: Off Taylor, 2; off Hill, 1. Hit with ball: Brodie. Time: 2 hours, Umpires: Olday and McGarr.

Brooklyn, 5; Louisville, 3. LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 23.—Because the Brooklyns hit Dowling effectively in the seventh and ninth innings, the Colonels lost today. Ragged fielding on the part of locals also had a good deal to do with defeat. Attendance, 11,000. Score: defeat. Attendance, 11,000. Score:
LOUISVILLE,
R.H.O.A.E. BROOKJYN.

Daly, 2b 1 Dahlen, ss., 1 Casey, 3b., Dowling, p. 0 0 0 1 1 Dunn, p.... 1 1 0

Totals .. 8 7 27 14 5 Totals .. 5 11 27 12 2 ·Wagner batted for Clingman in the ninth Louisville 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 Brooklyn 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0 Earned runs: Brooklyn, 1; Louisvills 1, Stolen bases: Kelley, Dahlen, Casey, Twobase hit: Zimmer, Sacrifice hit: Dexter, First base on balls: Off Dowling, 2; off Dunn, 1, Struck out: By Dowling, 4; by Dunn, 1, Left on bases: Louisville, 5; Brooklyn, 8, Time; 2:16, Umpires: Manassau and Connolly.

Standing of the Teams. Played, Won, Lost, P (Brooklyn Philadelphia Louis hicago leveland

Games for today: Philadelphia at Pitts-burg, Washington at Cleveland, Boston at Cincinnati, Brooklyn at Louisville, Balti-more at Chicago, New York at St. Louis. SCORES OF THE WESTERN LEAGUE

Police Interrupt Buffalo Game and Players Are Hauled to Jail.

Detroit, 6: Kansas City, 5. St. Paul, 9; Grand Rapids, 2.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 23,—The police allowed but one inning of the Buffalo-Minneapolis game to be played today. Then the eighteen players were arrested, taken to the police station and bailed out by President Franklin of the horge club. No attempt was made to resume the game.

DETROIT, Mich., July 23.—Detroit won a brilliant fielding game on the rough Sunday grounds this afternoon, Hulen and Elberfeld doing senrational work at short and in the field, while the batting of Gettman, Hulen and Stallings was a feature. Score:

Detroit 0 0 0 1 0 3 2 0 0 6 8 Kansas City .. 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 2 0 5 9 Batteries: Detroit, Cronin and Buelow; Kansas City, Stricklett and Wilson.
GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 23.—Grand Rapids was outplayed at every point today, the Saints playing a game that would win in any league. The fielding of Lailie and Pickering were features. Attendance, 1000

Grand Rapids. 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 7 St. Paul. 0 3 1 0 2 2 0 1 0 - 9 16 Batteries: Grand Rapids, Crawford, Cross and Buckley; St. Paul, Fisher and Spies. Standing of the Teams.

Minneapolis

Contest for Base Ball Honors Between Cudaby and Armour Locals. With the broiling hot sun beating down pon them with an intensity which was nost enervating a small crowd of base ball and the support of the state upon them with an intensity which was most enervating a small crowd of base ball enthusiasts witnessed a seven-inning game yesterday afternoon between teams composed of the workmin in Armour's and Clidary's local plants. The game was about as "hot" as the day and furnished a great deal of interest for the spectators. A little diversion arose toward the end of the last inning, when the umpire made a decision that was unsatisfactory to the crowd and he was set upon by the infuriated spectators, who could not stand to see base bail rules so ruthlessly shattered. He made good his escaps by catching a passing Missouri Pacific switch engine, while it was going at full speed. When the heat of the battle was over Henry Pohizen, the score keeper, was discovered and announced that Cudahy had won by a score of 5 to 4. This is especially noteworthy when it is known that the Armours won a most favorable concession, which served as a mascot, after much parleying. Thry were permitted to supply big, luscious hams of their own manufacture for the three bases, and, this being considered, their defeat was most unexpected. The players who participated in the game and their positions were as follows:

Armour. Position. Cudahy.

Cudahy. Armour. ...Center.....M. He: Donnelley Zaffle Murphy Heinsman First. Butterfield Right. Frank

O. B. A'S DEFEAT YUKON GIRLS.

Practice Preparatory to State Championship Games.

A lively game of base ball was played Sunday afternoon at Nonparell park between the Omaha Brewing Association team (Buck Keith's Originals) and the Yukon Girls, resulting in an overwhelming victory for the former by a score of 21 to 2. The features of the game were the pitching of Thomsett, who struck out ten of the Girls and held them down to five hits, and the heavy batting of Jellen. There was quite a crowd present, notwithstanding the hot and extremely sultry weather, and everybody enjoyed the game. It proved quite good practice for the O. B. A.'s preparatory to the state championship games to be played next Saturday and Sunday with the Sterling club. Thise championship games will be well worth witness-Championship Games. Sunday with the Sterling club. These championship games will be well worth witnessing. Manager Kelih has got his O. B. A.'s in good form and the Sterling manager has got together a strong team. Manager Ke'th deserves a great deal of credit for keeping up the local interest in the national game, and the lovers of the sport appreciate his effort in that direction.

Two Games at Humboldt. Two Games at Humboldt.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., July 23.—(Special.)—
The Cook and Humboldt base ball clubs played two games on the home grounds Wednesday and Thursday. The locals on Wednesday shut out the Cook team up to the ninth inning, when the visitors frishened up and made a few scores, the game closing 10 to 8 in favor of Humboldt. Thursday's game was more exciting and was also won by Humboldt score 10 to a. Thursday's game was more exciting and was also won by Humboldt, score 10 to 5. The batteries in Wednesday's game were Fred Linn and Reid and Lynch and Gibson, and on Thursday Ray Linn and Segrist and McNuity and Gibson. Umpire, John Fellers, This makes fourteen games which the Humboldt team has played and won this season.

Small Crowd at Exhibition Game. COLUMBUS. O., July 23.—Manager Torreyson was much disappointed at his first Sunday crowd, which numbered only 288 paid admissions. The chances are that the team will not come to Columbus again after this trip, but Torreyson has decided on nothing definite. Score:

R.H.E.

Batteries: Columbus, Harper and Bevile; Newcastle, Wadsworth and Barclay. Grand Island Wins.

GRAND ISLAND, Nab., July 23.—(Special Telegram.)—Grand Island defeated Hast-ings in an exciting game of ball this after-

RACE MEET OPENS AT SARATOGA.

Famous Horses Will Be Entered it the Competition for Rich Prizes. NEW YORK, July 23.-What is said to 1 the most successful meeting the Saratoga Racing association has held in lifteen years or more will begin Wednesday. There are more than 300 horses stabled at the track et present and others are constantly ar-riving. Both the east and west will be rep-resented. Beginning on Wednesday the asesented. Beginning on Wednesday the as-ociation will race every week day until

After August 5, when the Brighton meetafter August 5, when the Brighton meeting closes, Saratoga will have a clear field without competition for three weeks. Several of W. H. Clark's 2-year-olds will face the first time at this meeting, Mr. Clark will send his crack, to the Sorings, as will Whitney and Paget, C. Fleischmann's son, Bromley & Co. and other

prominent owners. The principal stakes on the program are The principal stakes on the program are the Grand Union, which is run in two parts, the first August 5, at five and a half furlongs, and the second August 22, at five furlongs, worth \$10,000 each. The Saratoga grand prize for 3-year-olds and upward, worth \$5,000, on August 13, and the Citizens' and Merchants' handicap, also worth \$5,000, on August 19. on August 19.

Final Touches on Columbia. BRISTOL, R. I., July 23.—The new cup defender Columbia came up from Newport this afternoon in tow of its tender and anchored about half a mile off the Herreshoff dock. The new steel mast is completed and ready for setting, but first the Columbia will be hauled out on the ways for a short distance that its underbody may be cleaned. The cradle for hauling it out is all ready and it is expected that as soon as ready and it is expected that as soon as the pine mast is taken out it will be hauled

Grand Circuit Moves to Chicago. CLEVELAND, O., July 23.—The outloof or the grand circuit trotting races which begin to morrow is promising. The indi-cations are now for fair weather and there cations are now for fair weather and there is likely to be a lively contest for the purses, which aggregate \$40,000. The card tomorrow will include the 2:14 trat, purse \$1,000; 2:16 pace, purse \$2,500; 2:27 pace, purse \$1,000, and the 2:10 trot, purse \$1,200. About 400 horses are entered in the various events.

Ball Game at Plumbers' Piente. An interesting event of the Plumbers' picnic, held yesterday at Ruser's park, was game between the plumbers lingtypers. The score, after the fourth inthe plumbers threw up the sponge.

HOT WEATHER IN THE NORTH

Climax of Three Days is Reached in Wisconsin, the Thermometer Reaching 100 Degrees.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 23 .- A spe cial to the Times from Black River Falls. Wis., says: There have been three days of intense heat here, the mercury registering 100 in the shade at 4 o'clock today. Young Sleget of Irving was prostrated by heat while harvesting and has since died. He was 20 years old.

MARQUETTE, Mich., July 23 .- Eighty nine degrees here today. This is the hottest weather this month, and with one exception the hottest of the season.

Diaz Invited to Chicago. CHICAGO, July 23.—President Diaz of Mexico and his cabinet will be formally invited to attend the ceremonies of the laying of the corner stone of the new Federal building in Chicago on October 9 by a com mittee of representative Chicago men, who leave this city for that purpose August 5.

Condition of Bank of Spain. MADRID, July 23 .- The report Bank of Spain for the week ending yesterday showed the following: Gold in hand, no change; silver in hand, increased 2,032,000 notes in circulation, decreased 2,811,000 pesetas.

Movements of Ocean Vessels, July 23. Dover-Passed-Friedrich der Grosse. from Bremen, for Southampton and New Lizard-Passed-La Normandie, from York, for Havre. At Bremen-Arrived-Bremen, from New

Queenstown-Sailed-Etruria, from for New York, At Philadelphia-Arrived-Pennland, from At Boston-Arrived-Catalonia, from Liverpool .565 erpool. .571 At New York—Arrived—La Gas .533 from Havre; Mesaba, from London. At New York-Arrived-La Gascogne,

Organizing Convention.

CRUCIAL MOMENT FOR ORGANIZED LABOR

Time Said to Have Arrived When Workers Must Show Their Strength or Confess Final Defeat-Help for the Strikers.

NEW YORK, July 23 .- Hundreds of delegates representing the trades unions in Greater New York were present today at the regular meeting of the Central Federated union at which the organization of the new labor party came up for discussion. The project was enthusiastically endorsed by the elegates, a number of speeches being made in its advocacy. A convention was formally called for August 7, the place of meeting to be announced later. Every union and reform body in New York will be asked to send delegates, and an organization will be effected.

At the meeting today Samuel Prince, the president of the Federation, presided. Master Workman John M. Parsons and District Master Workman Pines were among the speakers.

The former spoke in favor of the new political movement. He said the time for action had arrived and that the unions of this city must either show their power as American people or go down to destruction. He asked that a treasurer be appointed to act as custodian of the fund to be raised to aid the strikers. This was done and delegates of various unions then pledged sums ranging from \$100 to \$500 each and gave assurances of more money if needed. It was decided also to institute a boycott against the Second avenue line, the line affected in the present strike in New York.

There was further talk on the strike and one of the delegates denounced the Board of Aldermen, saying: "They had \$150,000 to give to entertain Admiral Dewey, but not a penny for the poor strikers. For them there were policemen's night sticks and

WARDENS WAIT FOR TANNER

Governor of Illinois Will Be Appres hended for Breaking the Game Laws of Colorado.

CHICAGO, July 23 .- A special to the Tribune from DeBeque, Colo., says: Governor Tanner of Illinois is safely out of the state, despite efforts on the part of some of the game wardens to detain him for violation of the game law in killing out of season one four-pronged buck. Not satisfied with the pelt of a mountain lion for his parlor the executive of Illinois slew a young deer and the incident promises to make trouble between Colorado and Illinois.

The open season begins August 15, and one caught with a deer in his possession before that time may be committed to jail for a period of from ten days to six months or be made to pay a fine of from \$10 t \$500, or both.

There was no concealment in Governor Tanner's offense and the news was promptly wired to the chief game warden at Denver with a request for instructions. The local wardens did not care to arrest a visiting governor and therefore took no action in the premises.

It is said that Governor Tanner will return this way from California, for which state he took a train at Glenwood Springs, and that, on crossing the Utah line coming east, he will be served with a summons to appear before Justice Hedden at Glenwood Springs.

BREACH IS ONLY APPARENT

Democratic Committeemen Would Persuade Followers that No Disruption Really Exists. CHICAGO, July 23.-The following signed

statement by the national committeeman from Mr. Bryan's home state has been issued: The meeting of the democratic national

committee was a grand success. Everything for which the meeting was called was at-This call was made at the in stance of the friends of himetallism and those friends controlled it throughout. There seemed to be some of the friends of our cause who had conceived the idea that the intention was to switch issues and leaders as well as workers, a conclusion without the slightest foundation. The call was made for the purpose of pushing the ways and means plan of organization and raising money for the campaign of 1900 and perfecting this work so that it might be extended into every state and territory. This was accomplished No one who supported Bryan in 1895 need fear that that cause will be abandoned or in any way hampered by the present com-mittee. W. H. THOMPSON,

National Committeeman from Nebraska Appended is a statement signed by "Coin" Harvey: The national committee meeting was satisfactory. Its organization is in the hands of the friends of Mr. Bryan and the cause he

THREE NEGROES PAY PENALTY Supposed Assailants of Mrs. Ogletree Are Visited with Speedy Vengeance by Mob.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 23 .- A special to the Constitution from Bainbridge, Ala., says: A negro captured near Iron City last night was brought to Saffold and was identified as one of the assailants of Mrs. J. E. Ogletree last night. He was lynched at daylight this morning near Saffold. Two other dead negroes were found along the railroad track wo miles west of Bainbridge this morning. The names of none of these negroes are known. It is believed the two men along the track were the two men arrested vesterday at Troy on suspicion of being implicated in the Ogletree outrage and who were being brought to Saffold for identification.

GERMAN SOLDIERS IN CAMP

Former Guards of the Kaiser's Realm Will Enjoy a Two Days' Reunion at Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 23 .- The fourteenth annual convention of former soldiers of the German army now living in the United States will be held from August 13 to 15 inclusive. More than 5,000 ex-soldiers will come to Chicago from all parts of the country. The Deutscher Kriege Verein of Chicago will at the same time celebrate its silver jubilee. Fifty societies of the National federation and almost every German military organization of this country will

An elaborate program for the entertainment of the delegates and visitors, who will number at least 10,000, has been arranged The feature will be the grand parade on Sunday, August 13.

Unwise Selection. A returned missionary, giving some ac-ount of his experiences in Jamaica, says hat he was once called upon to act as artrator between a man and his wife who

bitrator between a man and his wife who had a violent quarrel.

The couple came to the missionary's house a short time before the hour appointed for a prayer meeting to be held in the chapel in the missionary's door yard. The man and his wife both began to talk at the same time, their tongues going fast and furiously and their tempers rising until they finally came to blows and fought until the missionary was forced to use all his strength in reparating them.

He succeeded in calming them and induced them to remain to prayer meeting. After a hymn had been sing the missionary requested each person present to give a quotation from the scriptures, whereupon is a caught up a knife from a table, waved in with a hideous scream and sprang at them. Then, as they huddled together in a perfect agony of fright, she dropped the knife and opened the door.

"Well, girls," she said, drawlingly, "I hope you've enjoyed the fun. I'm sure I have."

Then she disappeared and a dozen cresifiation girls, too frightened to dare to go into hysterics, too much relieved to be agry, stole quietly away. They are clever girls, the girls at that college, but the girl of my heart is the bell-wether of the flock.

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How the Girl Who Was Being Hazed Turned the Tables on the Hazers. The girl of my heart came home to at tend a cousin's wedding recently, relates the Washington Post, and she stayed in town for two days before going back to school for the commencement which will make her a sophomore. It wouldn't be fair to tell the name of her school, but it's a very excellent one, where the fashions of the men's colleges are followed, even to the possession of a college yell and the practicing of hazing.

her arms with a bit of ice and said they were branding her with an iron. She endured the ordeal so smilingly that the girls at last determined to do something dreadful. They marched her through dark halls

blindfolded as she was, opened a closet door in a physical laboratory, snatched the bandage from her eyes, pushed her in, locked the door and left her in the arms of

grinning skull, laughing idiotically to herself the while. Finally one of them whispered.

"Girls, she's raving mad!" That was the cue for the girl of my heart, she raved; she tore her hair; she shricked when they tried to draw her away from the skeleton; she laughed; she flung herself about, and finally danced out into the room moaning in a blood-curdling way. The girls dared not even breathe. They were ghastly They clung to each other and shuddered. The girl of my heart danced to the door caught up a knife from a table, waved it agony of fright, she dropped the knife and

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The girl of my heart was hazed last fall. She did not faint when the girls touched

skeleton. Now, a skeleton to her is no more terrifying than a hoopskirt, but she saw an opportunity to amuse herself. She is one of the cleverest amateur actresses Washington possesses. She let down her hair and tangled it about her face. Her gown was an old one, so she sacrificed it and tore it to tatters. Then she waited. Presently she heard the girls returning. She began to croon softly to herself a weird song. The girls opened the door. She took no notice of them, but went on lavishing kisses on the

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