

awing for it and I don't care. I came fixed to get him and he was unaccommodated.

Collins was conducted to the police station and placed in a solitary cell. He maintained his air of bravado and was apparently at ease.

Assistant City Physician Ralph was called to dress the prisoner's head and found a deep gash inflicted by the club of the bartender. The wound was dressed and will cause Collins little additional inconvenience as his scalp is covered with similar mentories.

It is possible that Collins' defense may be insanity, as he has been confined on that charge at the city jail. About six months after continued detention he attempted to take his own life in a saloon near Thirtieth and Leavenworth streets.

The murderer is a member of a notorious family, responsible to more than his proportion of ill deeds. The father, Jack Collins, who was a cop, died several years ago, leaving four sons and two daughters.

James, the third brother, is now serving a term in the state penitentiary for burglary. His offense was the robbery of a fruit cart on the Union Pacific freight yards.

Jerry, the youngest of the brothers, has been recently released from the state reform school, but is not of age but has already had a varied career.

Grove was inoffensive. Charles R. Grove has been a well-known character of Omaha for twenty years, especially in the Third ward, where he always had a prominent part in politics.

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Democratic State Committee Will Hold a Meeting January 5.

Called Together by Jim Dahlgren.

Want to Have the Gathering Held at Lincoln on Bryan's Birthday—News from the State Capital.

LINCOLN, Dec. 10.—(Special.)—Chairman James C. Dahlgren has issued a call for the democratic central committee to meet in Lincoln, January 5, to fix the time and place for holding the state convention to elect delegates to the national democratic convention.

The fight for the senatorial appointment is still the chief topic of conversation in this city, and at the hotel very little else is heard. A foxhunter from Falls City who was in the city today said that the people of the south-eastern portion of the state were much favored in the outcome.

A convention for the promotion of acetylene gas as a lighting agency will be held in this city soon after the first of the year. Manufacturers of acetylene machines have invited a number of city generators to a practical test and for this purpose a gas system of one of the large hotels will be used.

The funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Jane Beach, who died yesterday morning, were conducted this afternoon at the family residence on Sixteenth street by Rev. W. M. Hindman of the First Presbyterian church.

W. Sexton of New York, who acted as agent for the Omaha and Missouri companies, is visiting his mother, Mrs. W. Q. Bell. He left this evening for Mare Island and will go into service on the Scindia.

W. M. Gilchrist of Nebraska City, examiner of county treasurers, has been promoted to the position held by the late Fred Archer as bookkeeper in the auditor's office.

WISNER, Neb., Dec. 10.—(Special.)—Yesterday evening a fire broke out in his farm six miles northeast of town was arrested on the charge of shooting with intent to kill. The complaint was sworn to by Otto Wieland, who is a tenant of and resides with Bressler.

Nebraska News Notes. The Catholic fair at Norfolk netted about \$500. The telephone line is now in operation to Neligh.

newspaper circles in the town and county. It is clean and neat typographically and full of news.

Hunters shot and killed a valuable horse belonging to J. W. Pearson, a farmer living near Lehigh.

The new Lutheran church at Friedmann, Thayer county, will be dedicated on the 17th of this month.

E. A. Lundberg, principal of the Emerson schools, resigned, and J. H. Patterson has been elected to the place.

James Gregg, who lives ten miles from Gordon, took a fall as the result of the accidental discharge of a shotgun.

Gus Nelson, a Stromberg boy, lost an eye by the accidental discharge of a shotgun. He was not otherwise injured.

An unsuccessful effort was made to indict the late Paul city coroner and the saloons closed every night at 9 o'clock.

The saloon at Harrisburg burned to the ground Wednesday night of last week. There is no doubt the fire was of incendiary origin.

Charles Mack of Butte thinks J. Wheeler has depreciated the value of his property in his wife's affections \$2,000 worth and has sued him for that amount.

The Clay County Agricultural Association will hold its annual show at Clay Center, December 10 to 22. There will be institute during the evening of the 17th.

F. S. Payne, fusion candidate for treasurer in Dixon county, has filed a contest against W. Johnson, whom the canvassing board declared elected.

COINAGE RECORD IS BROKEN. Figures from the Report of Director of Mint Roberts.

LIMITED ONLY BY MINT'S CAPACITY. Gold Coinage Greatest in Country's History—World's Output Steadily Increasing—Coinage of Silver Increases, Too.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Mr. Roberts, the director of the mints, in his annual report, says: "The mints and assay offices operated upon more bullion in the aggregate and a greater quantity was executed during the last fiscal year than in any previous year."

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ALEJANDRINO TIRES OF WAR. Report of the Filipino General's Surrender to MacArthur.

ANOTHER RUMOR THAT HE IS WOUNDED. BattleShip Oregon Leaves Manila with an Expedition for Subj—Major Spence Captures an Unoccupied Stronghold.

MANILA, Dec. 10.—3:30 p. m.—An expedition headed by the battleship Oregon left Manila for Subj last night. It is reported that the Filipino commander, General Alejandrino, with his staff, has surrendered to General MacArthur.

There is also a rumor that Alejandrino is at Aguilar suffering from a wound received in a fight between insurgents and bandits and that he will be given an opportunity to surrender and will be properly cared for.

Major Spence, with a column of the Forty-second regiment, captured a new insurgent camp and unoccupied stronghold in the Tassan district. He left Dinalup at daybreak yesterday and made his way along mountain trails, finally encountering a large band of insurgents, who retreated after a brief skirmish.

The records of the treasury of the so-called Filipino government, together with a quantity of paper money and another Nordenfled, have been found at Mangaraton.

Some Americans who, with a commissary sergeant in the Thirty-fifth infantry, were traveling from San Fernando to Angeles, left their escort for a moment and went into the bush. As they did not return speedily a search was made for them, but they could not be found. They were probably captured by the rebels.

A mail orderly disappeared between Angeles and Bamboan. He is also supposed to have been captured.

Those Kept as Prisoners on Filipino Steamer Since July, 1898. Very Wroth.

MANILA, Dec. 10.—3:30 p. m.—Colonel Julio del Rios, who is among the released Spaniards that have just arrived here, gives an interesting version of the famous Irene incident in Subj bay, in July of last year.

According to their story a thousand insurgents were besieging Olongapo, where there were two companies of marines and a battalion of artillery, together with many civilians. The German cruiser Irene entered the harbor to take the women and children on board.

RIDERS IN GOOD CONDITION. In Contrast to the Exhaustion Following the Day Race Last Year.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—There was a marked contrast in the condition of the bicyclists who finished in the six days race which was completed Saturday night at the Madison Square Garden to their exhausted condition at the finish of the race last year.

The riders in excellent physical condition and several of them took long walks this afternoon after the race, while the losers were breakfasting in hotel and in company with his wife called on friends. Walker, his partner in the race, retired at the same hour. His room was given a Turkish bath after the race.

Skating Races. CINCINNATI, Dec. 10.—A series of races between Harry Gibson, middle-distance champion bicyclist, and Reno Runck, champion roller skater, recently held at Music Hall. Gibson won two races and Runck one.

Heavy Sales of Logs. DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 10.—Contracts for the delivery of about 60,000,000 feet of pine logs to mills in this section by the railroad have been closed recently.

Franklin Resigns. LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Dec. 10.—General W. B. Franklin, president of the National Soldiers' home at Fort Leavenworth, has resigned that position because of ill-health. The announcement was made in a letter from General Franklin, who is now at his home at Hartford, Conn.

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GRAND CONCERT. TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 12TH. Assisted by Miss Ella Ethel Froe, Mr. Oscar Grahsmen, Herr Franz Adelman, Mr. Karl Smith, Mr. J. E. Butler.

TRANSPORT ARRIVES FROM MANILA. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—The United States transport Zealandia arrived today from Manila with ten passengers, among which were Captain T. P. Morris, master of the wrecked transport Morgan City; Major Charles McClure, Captain C. L. Porter, U. S. A., and two discharged soldiers.

RECEIVER FOR COAL COMPANY. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 10.—W. Fowler of Springfield, formerly general superintendent of the St. Louis, Chicago & St. Paul railroad, was yesterday appointed receiver of the Illinois Coal Company.

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