### MAYOR INTERPOSES VETO

Explosives Ordinance Returned Without Sig-

nature of City's Executive.

Chief of Fire Department Has no Tim to Devote to Office of Inspector of Explosives.

COULD NOT BE PROPERLY ENFORCED

Mayor Moores was sustained in the veto of the amended explosive ordinance which he presented to the council at its regular meeting last night. As originally drawn the ordinance provided for the office of inspector of explosives. An amendment to the ordinance did away with the new office and made the chief of the fire department inspector of explosives. In this form it passed the council one week ago, but the mayor is unwilling to have added duties upon the chief and was supported in his veto by Councilmen Hascall, Lobeck, Mount, Trostler and Karr. The following

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To the Honorable the City Council of the City of Omaha: I return herewith without my approval document No. 3058, passed by your honorable body at your last regular meeting. July 17 1890.

This document is an ordinance regulating the manufacture, sale, storage and transportation of explosives, etc. The ordinance as first introduced provided for an inspector of explosives at a salary of \$1.390 per year. This was amended by providing that the chief of the fire department should act as inspector of explosives. I am informed by those who have carefully examined the ordinance that the fees provided to be collected for the issuance of permits will practically make the office of inspector a self-supporting one at the salary named in the original ofdinance. It is highly proper and necessary that the chief of the fire department should be informed of the localities in cities where explosives are

in the original offinance. It is highly proper and necessary that the chief of the irre department should be informed of the irre department of the such explosives carried in stock.

The ordinance provides for the issuance of permits for the saile of explosives the originate of the originate of the saile of explosives the originate of explosives of permits for the saile of explosives to the saile of or explosives or the saile of fireworks, cartrides, colledion homographs of the saile of fireworks, cartrides, colledion homographs or sailed the saile of fireworks, cartrides, colledion homographs or sailed the saile of fireworks, cartrides, colledion homographs or sailed the saile of fireworks, cartrides, colledion homographs or sailed the saile of fireworks, cartrides, colledion homographs or sailed the s

and I do not believe this under the proposed ordinance without in-juring the effectiveness of the fire department. Respectfully, FRANK E. MOORES, Mayor.

To Appraise Water Plant. After considerable discussion the following resolution was adopted by a vote of

Resolved, That in order to get an estimate of the present value of the plant of the Omaha Water company, with a view of purchasing the same, the city council be and hereby is authorized and empowered to select a competent and skilled hydraulic engineer to make and furnish such estimate for the information and use of said

Councilman Zimman opposed the resolution on the ground that it should contain the name of City Engineer Rosewater, Mr. Mount explained that the resolution is merely a preliminary step and is not intended to designate who shall investigate the water plant and report to the council A resolution was passed empowering the

Board of Public Works, the mayor and the city engineer to employ such labor as is necessary to do emergency work on the streets and to issue time checks in payment for such labor. An invitation from the Commercial club

requesting that the council and all city efficials join the excursion to York next Thursday was accepted. A telegram was also read from Mayor C. A. McCloud of council of Omaha attend the closing day of the Millard. the firemen's tournament. The special train to York will leave the Webster street depot at 8:30 Thursday morning. The train returning from York will leave at 8:30 p. m and will arrive in Omaha three hours later. The bonds of Harry P. Deuel and William

J. Knox, newly appointed members of the Public Library board, were approved. The judiciary committee recommende that City Treasury Hennings be empowered to employ an attorney to assist him in collecting delinquent taxes due on special assessments, providing an attorney is secured who can convince the council of his ability

to expedite the collection of such taxes. No Favors to Outsiders.

Mayor Moores was sustained in his vero of a resolution granting Charles W. Gludele & Co. of Chicago a free permit to erect the proposed addition to the government building. The resolution also extended to the contractor the right to use twelve feet of Dodge street, Capitol avenue and Seventeenth street adjoining the government property. The mayor objected to granting a free permit to a government contractor when all home contractors are compelled to pay the regular fee. He also objected to having Dodge street obstructed.

The Omaha musical festival was granted the privilege of using twelve feet of the streets adjoining the lots on Capitol avenue between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets. where a tent will be erected to accommo-

date Belletedt's band. George W. Smith petitioned the council for the removal of three shantles located on city property near the northeast corner o Thirteenth and California streets.

Catherine Muliery notified the council of damages that property at Thirty-second and Pinkney streets is said to have suffered on account of the city's failure to care for surface water during the recent rains. A simcommunication was received from Adolph Newman, who claims damages on property at 3114 and 3116 North Twenty

Ordinances were introduced which pro wide for the following paving: Davenport street, from Twentieth to Twenty-first Twentieth street, from Cass to Farnum: Chicago street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-fifth. An ordinance was also introduced for the construction of a sewer along Spruce street from Twentieth to Twenty-

paving: Farnum street, from Thirty-fifth avenue to Thirty-fifth street; Thirty-sevonth street, from Leavenworth to Farnum:

Yates street, from Sherman avenue to Fifteenth street. An ordinance was passed vanorthwest corner of Farnum street and Thirty-fifth avenue.

BANANA TRUST IN CONTROL

Dealers Must Submit to Whatever Terms it Offers or Go Without Stock.

The price of bananas this season is causing considerable comment among both local dealers and consumers. In comparing quotations with those of a year ago it is found that prices are now from 75 cents to \$1 per bunch higher. In speaking of the situation local jobbers say that when it omes to the banana deal they are perfectly helpless. They claim the trust controls the entire supply in this country and abso-

can get and say nothing. A case was heard of in this city where a jobber refused a car of bananas because of | will be the inspection of the new army headinferior quality. He shortly received word quarters building, which is now believed from an agent of the banana trust stating that he would be expected to pay for the car at the regular price, which meant that if he did not be would not be supplied in the future. The car was paid for, but at a

In regard to the reports circulated to the effect that 300 cars of bananas had been destroyed in order to keep the price up. local merchants say they do not doubt the correctness of the statement, although they have no way of proving it. The company could well afford to destroy 300 cars in the last six months, as the stories go, for the sake of maintaining present quotations.

The candidates for state office placed in service in the Orient. The Ninth has been nomination at that time were indorsed in sent from Manila and the Sixth sailed on glowing terms and plans for conducting July 1 from San Francisco with Major Gen-

Deaths—Mary Alice Robinson, Methodist hospital, aged 1; T. E. McCarthy, 1997 Cen-ter, aged 4; Clara Kelley, 410 North Four-teenth, aged 8 months; Agnes Kearnes, Twenty-third and Spring, aged 6 months. Births—H. Kessier, 2419 South Twentieth avenue girl; P. Pacc, 1111 South Nineteenth, girl; James Heavey, 1217 Biaine, boy; Charles J. Sears, 2213 South Fourteenth, girl; M. Cullerton, West Lawa, boy.

Open Air Social. Large crowds thronged the grounds of St. Philomena's cathedral at the open air social given there Tuesday evening. Tables spread underneath electric lights and served by the young women refreshed all comers until a late hour. Smith's family orchestra discoursed sweet music during the evening and added much to the pleasur-of the affair. The arrangements were made of the affair. The arrangements were made by the women of the parish under the di-rection of Rev. Father McGovern, which accounts for the success socially and finan-cially.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

C. J. Wooldridge of Beatrice is in Omaha Thomas S. Harris of Ord is at the Mur-C. W. Gibson of Zanesville, O., is in the

Norris Brown of Kearney is at the Her

M. G. Wise of Westfield, Mass., is at the Millard. Mrs. E. G. Wait of Alliance is at Murray. Fred Troop of Whitman, Neb., is at the Merchants.

John Shoff of Grafton, Neb., is registered at the Murray.

Lon W. Fraier of Fairmont is staying at the Murray. C. J. Vincent of Minneapolis is registered at the Merchants. A. D. Garrison of Herman, Neb., is stop

ping at the Merchants. District Attorney W. S. Sammers has returned from a trip to Blinois. Hon. George D. Meiklejohn, assistant sec-etary of war, is at the Millard. Charles C. Martin, an insurance agent Charles City, is a guest of the Millard. Mrs. K. A. Kehoe of Platte Center was Tuesday guest at the Her Grand.

George Lehman, proprietor of the Thurs-on house, Columbus, is at the Morray. Mrs. W. H. Munger of Fremont, accom-national by her daughter, is visting friend

Ed Pickering and sister and Mr. W. L. Ritter have gone to Lake Quinnebaugh for a week's outing.

E. B. Schaup of Lincoln, H. T. Ward of Tecumseh and George Lehman of Columbus were state guests at the Murray Tuesday. A. W. Clarke, wife and son, Miss Grace larke and Daniel McCloskey of Papillon tre guests of the Murray. They are on heir way to the Minnesota lakes. Miles D. Houck, special internal revenue agent, who returned to Omaha from North Carolina seriously ill, is rapidly recovering and will soon be in readiness for orders. and will soon be in readiness for orders.

Nebraskans at the Merchan a Tuesday.

Henry Kinzel and Chris Lorenson of Wisner, Dr. Thomas Mertimer and C. W.

Sprout of Madison, F. A. Fisse of Humphrey, Thomas W. Blackmore of Friend

J. M. Burnham of Wymore, A. O. Perry of

Atkinson, F. Stepanek of Crete, E. A.

Weler of Chadron and G. J. Ireland of Lin-

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

The South Side 98 club will hold its an mual picnic at the Neaparell base ball pari on Saturday, July 28.

The remains of Arthur Hernbloom, a child who died at 2320 Pierce street, have been taken to Osceola, Neb., for burial. John W. Lytle has been granted permis-tion to make repairs amounting to \$130 on business building at 1124 Farnam street. Robert Bosworth, president, and several members of the Walnut Hill Epworth league, held religious services at Benson Sunday evening.

Acting under special orders Colonel Hath away will proceed to Forts Reno and Sill O. T. after completing the inspection of horses at Lathrop. Mo., upon business connected with his department and will then return to headquarters.

Assistant General Superintendent Grant and Superintendent West of the railway mail service made a trip over the Union Pacific Tuesday to Grand Island. The visit of these officers to the west is for the purpose of examining the service and making reports upon what is required to supply the people with the best mail facilities.

Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn Believes matter drop. Conger Safe in Pekin.

DEPARTMENT READY FOR ANY OUTCOME

Iwelve Thousand Troops Under Orders to Concentrate at San Francisco and Uncle Sam Will Avenge Insult to Flag.

nice, quiet time by himself out in the Big machine was used. Horn mountains. He left civilization at he laid it down. His chief task in this city to be in perfect condition.

Mr. Meiklejohn will return to Nebraska early in September and will engage actively in the campaign in his state until the last ballot is cast. He spent last evening dictating letters to Chief Clerk Greeley of the to lower its mains. In the grading quite a prominent Omaha republicans. Mr. Metklejohn's connection with the War

department gives his opinion on the Chinese question especial weight and his statement avenged was the first intimation of a strong policy on the part of the administration. 'Nothing has occurred to change my mind on the Chinese question," said Mr. Meikle-MID-ROADERS MAKE THREATS John, "except that I am much more hopeful than before of a peaceful outcome. I am fully convinced that the Conger dispatch is authentic and if it develops that the foreign representatives in Pekin have not been harmed I believe the difficulty will be capable of adjustment through diplomacy. "In order to be prepared for any outcome

> however, we now have 12,000 troops under orders to concentrate at San Francisco for eral Chaffee on board. The regiment is expected to arrive in Nagasaki within twenty-four hours, where General Chaffee has been instructed to report for orders." Mr. Meiklejohn is confident of Dietrich's business man of experience and integrity. issues which have been given at some length in a recent interview in The Bee.

#### AND THE RESERVE OF THE PROPERTY. South Omaha News.

In connection with the plan to create the office of city prosecutor has been under consideration by the municipal authorities for a number of years past, as the numerous special tax cases, together with personal injury cases brought against the city, occupy the entire time and attention of the commercial club will meet Friday city attorney. In fact there is so much to attend to in the legal department that it is impossible for the city attorney to go into with plenty of work by the council, such as drafting of ordinances, investigating petitions, etc.

pointment of an examining board of physicians of three members, whose duty it shall be to make a personal examination of any person claiming to be injured and who holds the city responsible. A complete record should be made of such examinations for use in the district court. With the assistance of an assistant city attorney much valuable information can be gained in the way of securing affidavits at the time of injury and these can be used at the trial if deemed advisable. With a complete history of the circumstances attendant on these personal injury claims it is reasonable to presume that several thousand dollars a

rear can be saved. "That judgments against the city from personal injury claimants have been large cannot be disputed. In many cases, however, the city attorney is not in the least at fault, owing to the lack of time allowed to secure the needed evidence. As a rule t is a very difficult matter to enlist the services of citizens as witnesses against claimants. Taking everything into consideration I am satisfied that the heaviest taxpayers of the city will consider it economy to place the legal department in position to nake a showing in every case in the district court. As I have stated on previous occasions, I favor taking every case against the city to the supreme court. If this theory is followed it will have a tendency to discourage many who would otherwise institute proceedings against the municipality. The police judge has materially assisted the police department in maintaining order in the city and if it were possible to give more time to the securing of evidence against petty offenders it is quite generally conceded that enough more money could be collected in the way of fines to pay all expenses of the city prosecutor. The records of the police department show that the office of police judge is now self-sustaining and this fact is favorably commented upon by those interested in city affairs. "The object of the administration is

get the best results out of every department at the least possible expense, and while the creation of a new office in the legal department may appear extravagant. a due consideration of all circumstances connected with the office will warrant such a procedure.

No Change in Assessed Valuation. The failure of the city council to pass the appropriation ordinance at Monday night's session will cause considerable annoyance to the city officials, as it was desired to allow as many claims as possible and close up the books of the fiscal year. Now a large number of claims will have to be carried over on the records until ater August 6, when by concerted action a new leaf might have been urned to

It is certain now that the valuation as returned by the assessors and the county ommissioners will stand. At the time the complaints of A. L. Dennett and Ed Johnston were turned down by the council notice was served by Johnston that he proposed to take the matter to the district court in an attempt to have the valuation of the corporations increased. When the levy ordinance was passed by the council on July 16 Johnston voted against it on the ground that the properties of the packing companies and the stock yards were assessed at figures totally in adequate with all other property in the city and were therefore an injustice on other taxpayers in the city. Following this statement Johnston asserted that he proposed employing attorneys for the purpose of compelling an increased assessment through the courts. Johnston did consult with attorneys, but as the question to take.

was a new one it took some time to look the matter up. Yesterday he was advised that it would take \$500 as a retainer fee in the case and Johnston will let the

Clark in a Quandary. Street Commissioner Clark is in despair. Heavy rains within the last three weeks have washed out the unpaved streets so GRANITE WORKERS WIN BIG STRIKE

rapidly that he is unable to make any headway with repairs. When the road machine was purchased Clark thought that it would Executive Committee of American be easy sailing, but the machine cannot be worked in the mud and most of the unpaved streets have been muddy for about two weeks, thus placing the machine virtually out of service. What work has been done George D. Meiklejohn, assistant secretary was performed by day labor and the results f war, arrived in Omaha Tuesday, after a were not nearly as satisfactory as when the

Enough work is piled up shead of Sheridan, Wyo., and cast for trout in the street commissioner to keep himself and his lutely dictates terms. If the merchant does mountain streams, ending his outing with a entire force busy for a month to come. not come to their prices he cannot get few days at Dome lake. Mr. Meiklejohn Every possible effort is being made to keep stock and as a result has to take what he will leave Thursday for Washington, where the streets in a passable condition and with he will take up the work of his office where a few days' fair weather the most important thoroughfares will be repaired.

Water Mains Exposed.

The grading of West Q street is practiremain, but before the motor company can commence the laying of car tracks it will be necessary for the Omaha Water company the improvements to the street cannot be completed until the mains are lowered to the depth desired by the water company. It is more than likely that this work will be soon as the improvements on South Tenth lent conditions in the east. street are completed.

Republican Meeting Tonight.

Tonight a meeting of republicans will be held at the Sun office, in the Mack block at Twenty-fourth and M stree's, for the purold, are invited to attend this meeting, as club South Omaha may be proud of. A great deal of interest is already being manifested in the coming campaign and for this reason it is expected that the attendance tonight will be large. Several well known republicans will deliver short addresses and plans for the campaign will be discussed.

Rendvertise for Bids for Medicines. It will be necessary to readvertise for bids election to the gubernatorial chair of Ne- for medical supplies for the city, as the bids braska this fall, because the republican received are not in the shape desired by the candidate is known through the state as a council. One druggist bids on medical supplies alone, while another bids on prescrippossessing as well rare executive ability. tions. In the new advertisement for bids The assistant secretary believes that the to be inserted prices on articles most used unprecedented prosperity of the Nebraska in charity and city cases will be asked for ciple for power, are the nondescripts. We farmer during the last four years will be and in this way it is hoped to save the city alone stand for all that is in accordance the most potent argument of the campaign quite a sum of money. Mayor Kelly favors with populistic teachings and the effort to in favor of the republican ticket. Mr. putting all contracts on a competitive basis Meiklejohn referred to his views on national in order that if there is any saving to be made the taxpayers may receive the benefit.

Colonel James L. Paxton, general superin-

tendent of the Union Stock Yards company was entertained by the members of the South Omaha club last evening, the occasion CHARLES AND COLOR OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPE being Colonel Paxton's safe return from an extended European tour. Over the coffee office of city prosecutor, Mayor Kelly said and cigars Colonel Paxton told of his ex-"The question of creating the periences at the Paris exposition, at Monte Germany.

Magie City Gossip. J. B. Watkins left last night for a ter days' eastern trip.

impossible for the city attorney to go into details in the cases pending in the discordo Springs for a two weeks' vacation. The bridge on Thirty-sixth street near

"In order to accomplish the most good for the city in this department I favor the apnot permit, A bad washout at Thirty-first and O streets has been called to the attention of

the street commissioner. Sanitary Inspector Jones reports that the Missouri avenue sewer is broken at Fif-teenth and Missouri avenue. Jay N. Williams, Twentieth and Missouri avenue, had his kneedap thrown out of place Sunday while playing ball.

Work on the 1900 tax book has been com-menced. Clerk Shrigley predicts that it will take five weeks to complete these records. The Missionary society of the Presby-terian church will meet Thursday after-noon with Miss Gemmill, Twenty-first and

James L. Paxton, general superintendent of the Union Stock Yards company, leaves today for North Platte to look after busi-ness matters.

ness matters.

Charles Cheshire and S. A. Parry are in jail for fighting. In a rumpus at Twenty-seventh and L streets Cheshire took a shot at Parry, inflicting a slight flesh wound in Chief Mitchell has issued orders for th rest of all suspicious characters, and in ne with these instructions the police are

rresting all persons who have no visible neans of support. Arrangements are being made for th aying of a sidewalk on both sides of T street from Thirty-second to Thirty-sixth treet and on the west side of Thirty-ourth street from T to W street. Mayor Kelly said yesterday that he would not sign the ordinance for a sidewalk on Thirty-fourth street from T to W street. Thirty-fourth street from 1 to W street, as Thirty-fourth street was not open through Maioney or Sullivan's additions.

Councilman Clifton has secured the passage of a resolution directing that repairs be made to Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets from F to J street and also on H street from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-seventh street.

Marriage Licenses. The following licenses to wed have been esued from the office of the county judge: Name and Address,
James W. Selden, Omaha......
Mary A. McGuan, Omaha......

BRYAN TO BE G. A. R.'S GUEST Democratic Candidate for President Finally Accepts Invi-

tation.

CHICAGO, July 24.-W. J. Bryan has accepted an invitation to attend the national encampment of the Grand Army in this city next August. General John C. Black, chairman of the committee on invitation, received this formal acceptance this afternoon, settling a question over which there has been considerable controvers; Colonel Bryan in his letter to General Black 5278;

When I wrote you on June 28 the convention had not been held and I did not think it wise to make any promises until the convention was over and I had a chance to consuit the committee in regard to the date of notification. I am now in a position to accept the invitation, and take great pleasure in doing so, although it is still impossible for me to fix the exact day, owing to uncertainty as to my whereabouts just before and just after the encampment. If it is necessary to know the date I would suggest the 30th; that would come nearer harmonizing with a subsequent date which I have in contemplation. have in contemplation.

Thanking you for the consideration shown
ne by the committee. I am very truly WILLIAM J. BRYAN.

The Best Remedy for Diarrhoes Mr. W. M. Cross, a prominent and influential citizen of Coryell county, Texas, says.
"I never had such pains in my life as I suffered when diarrhoea attacked me. I have tried many medicines, but none give me such relief as Chamberlain's Colic. Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy." This is unquestionably the best remedy known for diarrhoea. It always cures and is pleasant to take.

Fight for Oil Locations.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., July 24.—There is much excitement among the miners in the eastern part of this county and the residents of Yuma over the discovery of what is believed to be a bed of oil in the Pot-Holes district of the Colorado river, about fifteen miles north of Yuma. A rush was made for the scene of the discovery and a scramble for land within the belt became so exciting that some of the first locaters were compelled to use rifles in protection of their rights.

LABOR CONDITIONS ARE GOOD

Leaders Tell of Prosperous Times Both East and West.

Federation of Labor Concludes Its Session at Denver.

Frank Morrison, secretary of the Amer can Federation of Labor, Thomas I. Kidd, James Duncan and John Mulhollan, members of the executive committee of the same organization, passed through Omaha yesterday afternoon on their way east from Denver, where the executive council has been in session.

Mr. Duncan is from Boston and is the sec retary of the National Granite Workers' "We have just won the biggest strike in the history of the country," he "This spring our membership went said. cally completed. A few finishing touches out for a reduction in hours and, in the lower branches, an increase of 20 per cent in wages. We were successful in that we secured the reduction in hours and an increase of 16 to 20 per cent." Continuing, he adjutant general's office and in receiving stretch of water main was uncovered and said that the working men of Massachusetts never had better times than at present; that they were generally employed at satisfactory wages and that they were perfectly in harmony with the present condition of affairs. in The Bee two weeks ago that the death done this week and then the laying of the Secretary Morrison added that as a reof the American minister would be fully car track will commence. Material for this suit of his western trip he had discovered new track is to be hauled this week and the signs of unprecedented prosperity in the gang of track layers will start this work as west which was in keeping with the preva-

Regarding the published report of a con solidation between the American federa tion and the Western federation, Thomas I. Kidd said: "I do not see how such a report originated, as there is nothing in it In the first place, there is no occasion for pose of organizing a flambeau, or marching such a consolidation, as, with the exception club. All republicans in the city, young and of one or two mine (wganizations, every union that is represented in the wester it is the intention to organize a marching body is represented in the American federation. We realize that the western organization is beneficial to its members and have no desire to see it destroyed."

According to the secretary, the principal work of the computtee meeting at Denver was the consideration of the offer of the trades unions of England to contribute \$20,000 for the establishment of a college in this country upon the lines of Ruskin hall in that country. The matter was referred to a committee to report at the next meet ing. On the whole, the executive committee did not believe the idea advisable in this country, as the present school system can be utilized to obtain practically the same results with less cost and trouble. The Ruskin hall movement briefly is the

establishing of schools where technical knowledge is imparted to the students and at the same time the embryo mechanic is taught what is called "the truths of trades unionism," that is political economy from the standpoint of the wage earner. The plan recognizes grades and classes in society which are repugnant to the American idea. where the fact of classes will be the last thing to be admitted by the citizen. One of the principal stumbling blocks in the way of the acceptance of the offer of the English unions is the question of the foundation of the institution. The friends of the plan Carlo and of his tour through Russia and claim that the city where the school is located will donate the land and that the funds will be ample to erect the buildings. Admitting this, those who doubt the feasibility of the plan believe that the maintenance of the school will be a tax upon the treasury of the federation and will produce no corresponding results.

President Compers of the federation and Mr. McConnell left the party at Colorado trict court. In addition to looking after

A sidewalk is to be laid on the south side

Springs and went to St. Louis, where they
all of these cases the attorney is supplied of M street from Seventeenth to Twentieth are trying to arrange a settlement between the street car men and their employers.

> CONFERENCE OF LABOR MEN amuel Compers and James O'Connell Will Endeavor to Settle St. Louis Strike.

ST. LOUIS, July 24.—Samuel Compers president, and James O'Connell, vice prerident, of the American Federation of Labor held a conference with local labor leaders until a late hour this morning, for the purpose of fixing the responsibility for the breaking of the agreement of July 2, which lead to the second street railway strike

declaration. Mr. Gompers, who would not talk about the proceedings of the conference, had this to say of the strike situation today: "I have come here with the hope that and my colleague, Mr. O'Connell, may bring

about an adjustment of the differences be tween the company and the union. "The first thing we shall do to this end will be to ascertain the exact conditions a the present time. Having ascertained the conditions, I shall proceed to fix the responsibility for the violation of the agreenent of July 2. It is important that this

he known before an effort at settlement h made. "The responsibility fixed, I shall endeavor bring about a settlement. As I have before indicated, I shall exhaust every re source in my effort to bring about the set tlement. When it becomes evident tha adjustment is not possible, then I may take some steps to make the fight on the company more effective. I can organize the forces of union labor against the Transit company so effectively that they may do it

great deal of harm." President Mahon of the Amalgamated As ociation of Street Railway Employes, has submitted a 3,000-word report on the local situation to President Compers, laying the Transit company.

Messrs. Gompers and O'Connell held conférence this afternoon with President ermen who are willing to accept the terms Whitaker and Attorney Lehmann of the offered by the canners of 20 cents per fish, Transit company. Mr. Lehmann was asked the strikers demanding 25 cents. for a statement of what had transpired at the conference. He said:

"No action was taken affecting existing conditions. No proposition was submitted wharf. and none acted on. The discussion cov ered a wide range of subjects. Mr. Gompers went over the situation with us very care to say about it.

#### HYMENEAL.

Seldon-McGuan. James W. Selden, a young Omaha bar

ister, was quietly married on Tuesday night o Miss Mary A. McGuan, also of this city. The ceremony was performed by Father McGovern in the chapel of St. Philomena's cathedral at 7:30 o'clock. After the ceremony a collation was served at the Her Grand hotel at which the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Selden, Mrs. E. Hartley, Miss Tresa McCovern, Miss Alice McGovern, Miss Marie Grace, F. R. Getty, W. P. Beyerle and L. A. Williams. and Mrs. Seiden later left for a short trip to Denver. Mr. Selden is associated in the practice of law with F. A. Brogan and was born and reared in Washington county, Nebraska.

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STRIKE BRINGS OUT MILITIA Japanese and Indian Fishermen Will

Be Given Protection by VANCOUVER, B. C., July 24.-The millitary has been called out to maintain order at the fishing village of Steveston, at the mouth of the Fraser river, fourteen miles from this city, where 1.500 fishermen attached to the forty-seven salmon canneries are on strike and are preventing 4,000 responsibility for present conditions on the Japanese and Indiane from fishing. Three companies, in charge of Lieutenant Colonel Worsnop, will protect those non-union fish-

Fifteen hundred Japanese started out fishing from Steveston this morning under protection of 200 militiamen drawn up on the The strikers did not interfere. Colonel Worsnop, commanding the troops. had announced that his men had come there not for amusement, but for business, that calmiy and pleasantly. He made no threats each man had twenty-four rounds of ball against the Transit company. That is all cartridges and that at the first sign of interference they would fire and that the

work would be short and quick. The strikers threaten to attack the Japanese upon their return with the fish laden poats tonight. The strikers are furious at the presence of troops, but were so much surprised at the sudden appearance of the militia in town that all idea of violence was temporarily banished from their minds The troops were landed at Steveston by boat at 7 a. m.

Will Not Sign the Scale. YOUNGSTOWN, July 24.-The American Hoop company has notified Secretary Nut of the Iron Manuafacturers' association that they will not sign the scale presented by the Amalgamated association and that they will take the same position in the matter as the Republic Iron and Steel company. If a call is issued for a scale conference it must be for the purpose of modifying the Indianapollo scale, otherwise they will not particinate. The outlook is against early resumption by the mills.

Lizard Causes Death. PHILADELPHIA, July 24.—Some time ago Miss Anna Jones of Marcis Hook, Pa., accidentally swallowed a lizard while drinking water. Frequently the reptile climbed up in her throat, but had successfully resisted all attempts at electment. Last night, after complaining of a choking sensation, she suddenly expired.

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POLICEMAN CATCHES A FINE Convicted of Oppression in Arresting a Woman Who Rode on

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Street Cars. ST. LOUIS, July 24.-Policeman John J. Bridwell of the First district has been tried and fined \$50 by Judge Clark in the court of criminal correction under an indictment charging malicious oppression in office. Captain Samuel J. Boyd of the same district has been arraigned for trial under an indictment charging him with oppression. which grew out of the same case. Both cases grew out of the arrest and detention of Mrs. Annie Buckley, wife of a member of the posse comitatus. The state's testimony was that Mrs. Buckley's only fault was riding on the cars of the St. Louis Transit company, June 17, and that she was followed about by a member of the posse comitatus, who carried a riot gun to protect

Many Callers on McKinley. Many Callers on McKinley.

CANTON, O., July 3.—The McKinley callers are increasing at a lively rate and are coming from all quarters. Those who come to pay their respects are still in the majority, but those who come for favors are growing in number. For the last few days the president's time has been largely absorbed by the Chiacse question, which he is directing from here, and often the callers have long waits.

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MILWAUKEE, July 24.—The Western cigar box manufacturers today elected officers as follows: President, John Thorough-good, Janesville, Wis; first vice president, Elmer Thatcher, Chicago; second vice president, Theodore Krabenhoft, Davenport, Is; secretary and treasurer, E. H. Defendant, Louisville, Ky.