option of a fine, and the committee finds

that the same penalty should be extended



We Commence Tomorrow

And follow our usual custom of closing our store every Saturday at 1 o'clock p. m., during the months of July and August. Please remember and do your shopping before that hour.

10 per cent voluntary increase of wages.

SCRANTON, Pa., July 3 .- The 500 mine

mained faithful to the company during

the strike, have been given a 10 per cent

Machinists Threaten to Strike.

Roderick of the railway branch of the In-

ternational Association of Machinists. Mr

Roderick returned from Garrett, Ind., to-

system to all the shops resulted in a move-

Accused of Stealing Valua-

ble Neckince.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., July 3 .- Mr. and

Mrs. L. L. Richman of New York, charged

with grand larceny in having stolen a \$25,-

000 necklace of diamonds and pearls and

\$427, the property of Mrs. W. E. Delabarre,

also of New York from the veranda of the

The money and jewels were left by Mrs.

L. L. Richman is one of the best known

He owns much real estate and has been

pital and of the Montefiaro home.

ding gifts.

June, 1899-

June, 1902-

Albertis

this point,

Accompanied by Mrs. Richman,

not been in good health for some time.

started to Alexandra bay Tuesday. He has

Dr. Delabarre is a practicing physician.

with an office on West Fifty-ninth street.

said to have been one of the bride's wed-

HENNINGS BREAKS RECORDS

June Tax Collections Feavier Than

for Any June in Preced-

ing Years.

show that more than 82 per cent of the

been collected, which is the best record

collection van. Here are some comparative

813,875.58 185,806.22

HYMENEAL.

Smith-Labogh.

BEATRICE, Neb., July 3 .- (Special.)

Charles E. Smith and Miss Irene E. La-

bagh were married yesterday morning in

Christ church, Rev. W. A. Mulligan of-

city and the bride is the daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. George F. Labagh, who located

Lewis-Schwab.

SUTTON, Neb., July 3 .- (Special.)-Last

vening Miss Laurie Marie Schwab and

home of the bride's parents, Rev. Brooks

officiating. The couple will begin house-

keeping in this city, where Mr. Lewis is

Overdue Steamer is Ashore.

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., July 3 .- The pas-

senger steamer Iroquois, reported as over-

due from Houghton, is sehore on Victoria

island, about twenty-eight miles south of

Duluth yesterday and while trying to find

the Victoria passage in a fog went on the

rocks. It is hoped that the steamer has not

been badly damaged. Iroquois is a new steel steamer, worth about \$200,000 and be-

engaged in the jewelry business

longs to Singer's White line.

in Omaha many years ago.

Loan and Trust company of this

H. Lewis were married at the

Iroquois was coming in from

Paid. Per cent, \$127,386.89 18 28,970.97 19

447,305.31 126,834.64

556,396.22 216,345.46

increase in wages.

Saturday Morning Specials.

Wash Goods at 5c Per Yard-

Including our 10c Lawns, 121/c Ginghams, 15c Madras, 15c Dimities, 15c Battates, 25c Dimities. All of these are taken from our own stock of choice Wash Goods and go on sale Saturday AT FIVE CENTS PER YARD.

50c Summer Corsets for 25c-

Made of strong, cool netting, straight front, finished with ribbons-sizes 18 to 26colors, white, light blue or pink.

Men's Half Hose, 5c per pair-in black and tan shades-all sizes. OUR STORE CLOSED ALL DAY JULY FOURTH.

Thompson, Belden & Co.

ferences that they would not be required Bros. intended to give their employes a to depart from their old dally wage scale, they affirm

Supply of Castings Low. A car builder, speaking of the situation

at the shops, says the company's supply of castings and other furnishings necessary for the repair work is decidedly low and that something must be done very soon or operations cannot proceed. A machinist was asked yesterday why

It was that all the men seemed to be so thoroughly opposed to piecework, when the abolishes the piecwork system," is the officials all maintained that it was the best system. He said:

"It's simply because we cannot make enough money at it. Of course it sounds plausible to say that the men are placed on their merits and the good ones can make more, while the poor ones who cannot earn as much as they were getting under agreement. The piecework system has neutral, say the British governor of India, the old system ought not expect anything, been in operation in the shops at Garrett. The arbitrators to meet in Manila no But the truth is none of us would make as much for the reason that we would not have work all the time. Those periods when I ment by the men to abolish it. The union there was nothing to do we would lose, demands a minimum wage scale of 30 cents | cepted, Why, as a matter of fact, it often happens an hour. that men are delayed or interfered with at the shops by something over which they have no control. Now, we are the losers for this time if we work by the piece and that Prominent New York Man and Wife is the real issue. It is not a fact that the piecework system would revolutionize things, as the company claims."

One Man at North Platte.

The boilermakers yesterday received a letter from North Platte saying that but one boilermaker was at work there-a onelegged man-and he was getting 50 cents

President Kennedy said yesterday that the J. I. Case firm of Milwaukee, now ad- Crossman house at Alexandria bay Tuesday vertising for boilermakers, is a fair firm night, were arraigned before a justice in and that any union boilermaker had a right that village last night. They waived ex-

The machinists and boilermakers both today to appear before Supreme Court Jus- church and which to the state. say they have heard nothing of any riots tice Williams. Bail was fixed in the sum or attempted riots at Cheyenne or any of \$5,000 each. other place along the line. The trainload Delabarre on the veranda of the hotel and of Pinkerton detectives has not yet reached Omaha and none of the railroads will own when their loss was discovered search was up to such unprecedented time in "rush- instituted. Detectives found the missing ing" these "sleuths" into the city. The property in the rooms occupied by the yarns inject a spirit of levity into the Richmans. Richman is a looking glass otherwise serious affair, but none of the manufacturer of New York. strikers can be found who will "stand" for

the authenticity of the fables. and most respected business men of the "In all seriousness," said Vice President East Side. oFr twenty-five years he has Wilson, "there is nothing in any such re- been a wholesale dealer in mirrors in that ports so far as we know, and we think it section of the city. barely possible we would have heard some hint of it at least if there had been a prominent supporter of the local Hebrew anything to it. No men have yet been charities, is vice president of the board of brought out from Chicago or any other directors of Beth Israel hospital and a subplace, although the company has made an acribing member of the Mount Siana hos-

effort to fill the strikers' places." Machinists and boilermakers are not particularly anxious for the blacksmiths and car builders to strike, for it will not materially strengthen the position of the present strikers, since their work is not so closely allied as to make one dependent on New York. He and Mrs. Frances Freeland the other. Beside this, for any larger num-Hagamann were married at the Waldorf. ber to go out would simply increase the Astoria last Monday and the necklace is funncial burdens of the American Federation of Labor/ It would mean the subtraction of just this many paying members, who would become dependent members.

PRESIDENT IS URGED TO ACT May Yet Do Something to End Protracted Anthracite Coal Strike.

WASHINGTON, July 3 .- Congressman Patterson of Pennsylvania, among whose personal taxes levied for 1902 have siready constituents are numbered a large percentage of the striking miners, today called ever made by the office. It is thought upon the president and urged him to take that this good result is at least partially some action with the view to ending the due to the salutary effect of Mr. Hennings' atrike

The president expressed the hope that figures, showing the condition of the col- the islands. such a result would be accomplished before lections at the end of June during the last long. He said he was considering all the three years: propositions made to him on the subject which might enable him to act intelligently in the event of an occasion arising where interference should become necessary.

President Mitchell arrived here tonight.

He said he thought there was no change in the anthrector arrived here.

in the anthracite strike. While in Illinois he brought the operators and miners to- Personal gether in one of the bituminous districts and peace again reigns there. Mr. Mitchell said he thought his visit to Seginaw Mich., would have good results. He arranged matters so that an early settlement of the differences between the operators and their miners will probably take place.

Joseph Wosko, Joseph Howleah and John Pitchel, strikers from Dr.fton, were brought to this city this evening and given ficiating. The groom is secretary of Smith a hearing before Magistrate Pollock, charged with engaging in a riot at that place this morning. After the evidence of several deputies had been heard the defendants were held in \$500 bail each for trial at court. Friends furnished the necessary bail. Catherine O'Brien and Mary Jones were arraigned before Magistrate Pollock, charged with committing an assault on a coal and fron policemen at the Prespect colliery. The defendants were fined \$10 and held to \$500 bail for trial at

It was reported in cont circles today that as soon as the str o was over Coxe &

After Ginner

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Hood's Pills Sold everywhere. 25 cents.

SETTLE FOR FRIAR LANDS

Secretary Root Forwards Final Instructions UNITED STATES PROPOSES TO BUY

> Suggestion Made that Board of Arbitration Agree on Price to Be Paid-Frince Must Leave at Fixed Date. ROME, July 3 .- Judge William H. Taft,

of Department to Judge Taft.

civil governor of the Philippine islands, today received a long cable message from Secretary Root containing the department's final instructions concerning the note relating to the disposition of the friar lands in the islands which was drawn up here Tuesday, and this afternoon Major Porter delivered the note to Cardinal Rampolla, the papal secretary of state. Governor Taft was gratified on learning

from the same message that the Philippine civil bill had become a law. Major Porter delivered the note personally to Cardinal Rampolla, who conversed cordially with him at some length, expressing the hope that the negotiations would be concluded in time to allow Judge Taft to leave Rome July 23. The pope read the original note, which was immediately manifolded for the benefit of the committee of cardinals having charge of the matter. The note covers fourteen typewritten pages. It begins with acknowledging the vatican's note of June 21 and says he (Judge Taft) is pleased that the vatican approves of the sending to Rome of a representative of the president with the object of arriving at a satisfactory agreement on the questions in dispute and to see that the general views of the vatican are in harmony with the views of Secretary Root, although on one of the important questions, namely, that of the religious orders, there appears to

mployes of the Pennsylvania Coal combe adopted in order to remove the adpany, now operated by the Erie, who re- mitted difficulty. Answering the vatican's note proposing to have the new apostolic delegate at Manila settle the question of the religious orders, Judge Taft remarks:

be a difference regarding the methods to

"Thus would be lost the advantages ex-CHICAGO, July 3 .- "A strike of 700 mapected from a direct contract clearly dechinists employed in the Baltimore & Ohio termining the principal lines upon which shops will be called unless the company co-operation between the state and church may be assured. statement made today by Business Agent

Purchase of Land Proposed. The note proposes the purchase of the land of the Dominicans and Augustinians day and held a short conference with the at a price to be determined on by five Baltimore & Ohio officials. The conference arbitrators, two to be chosen by the United adjourned until later without reaching an States, two by the vatican and one by a but the company's attempt to extend the later than January 1, 1903, examine witnesses and visit the land. The judgment of the majority to be ac-

The price to be paid in Mexican dollars, one-third immediately, a third in nine HELD ON AN UGLY CHARGE months and a hird in eighteen months, with interest at 414 per cent. Payment to be made to a person chosen by

the vatican. The former Spanish crown lands now in possession of the American government on which there are ecclesiastical buildings to be handed over to the ecclesiastical

official appointed by the vatican. The ordinary courts to decide concerning the land retained by the church, but claimed by the municipalities. It is hoped that when an apostolic delegate competent to represent the holy see is sent to the Philippines he will be able

to decide which property used for charitable scripts. amination and were brought to this city or educational institutions belongs to the The liquidation of the bld canal com-Cases of disagreement shall be submitted to the arbitration of the same arbitrators who shall also decide the San Jose foundation case, now pending before the supreme

> court of the Philippines. Indemnity for Buildings. The United States to pay an indemnity for the buildings used by the American troops, but nothing is to be paid until the title deeds are in the hands of the Philip-

> pine government All friars of the four orders shall withdraw within two years from the first payment. A small number are to continue during that time to look after the schools and universities; all of them must go, half after nine months from the first payment and half eighteen months later, not including friars who have not raised the hostilities of the natives and who remained in their parishes after the revolution of 1898 till now, except those in Manila. No Spanish friars may be substituted

> for those withdrawn. The churches, schools and universities may be directed by Spanish clergy or orders other than those withdrawn, or clergy of the same order who are not Spanish. It is necessary to convince the Filipinos that the ancient regime of the Spanish

friars is finished The note reminds the vatican that the orders still publish a paper in Manila. pine, but pro-Spanish, and that the orders possess property in Manila to the value The records of the city treasurer's office at 3,500,000 Mexican dollars. This is very miles, population 1,840. Swingle, Jackson significant, as the church has a large capital at interest, besides the land which it is chase. To reach the desired object the best thing is to prevent any member of tinction or nationality, from being sent to

Must Have Harmony.

Nothing will so calm the people and produce harmony between the church and the government as the certainty given by contract that the friars shall leave at a fixed date, shall not return and shall not evercise any influence from Manila over the priests in the parishes. In view of these facts it is hoped the vatioan will accept

the propositions. The note ends with calling the attention of the vatican to the clause regarding religious teachings in the public schools, saying that Judge Taft's instructions prevent further discussion of the matter. It also calls the attention of Cardinal Rampolla to the sixteenth section of the general law for the Philippine schools, a copy of which The note is accompanied by the kind of

LEGISLATION FOR BETTING

contract which Judge Taft proposes will be

Select Committee of the House of Lords Files Its Report on Race Track Evils.

LONDON, July 3 .- The select committee of the House of Lords, which was appointed last January to deal with the evils of betting, and which included the earl of Durham, the earl of Harewood, the carl of Derby, the earl of Aberdeen, Viscount hishop of Hereford, among its members, has just issued its report. The committee has arrived at the con-

clusion that betting cannot be altogether suppressed, but in view of the fact that while the practice has declined among the higher classes and horse owners, it has States gunboat Marietta has arrived here taken an increasingly stronger hold on the from San Juan, Porto Rico, which port it working classes, it recommends that bet- left July 1. The town is quiet.

ting should be confined by legislation t the actual scenes of racing and athletics. Bookmakers who induce boys and girls bet should be imprisoned without the

peated convictions have been recorded. It deprecates the publication of starting The committee considers it impossible

that the jockey club should undertake the responsibility of licensing bookmakers, and opposes the introduction of the French Paris mutual system.

HOLD UP ROCK ISLAND TRAIN Four Masked Baudits Stop Westbound Passenger and Shoot Express Messenger Kane.

JOLIET, Ill., July 4.-Train No. 5 on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific road was held up near Dupont, Ill., twenty-three miles south of Chicago tonight by four masked men. Assistant Express Messenger Kane was shot in the right groin, but will

The men boarded the train at Englewood. Nearing Dupont and going at a speed of the contents of the express safe or not. CHICAGO, July 4 .- At the general of-

fices of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway the following dispatch was received: Train No. 5, which left Chicago at 16 p. m. last night was held up near Dupont,

Ill., nineteen miles from Chicago. Express Messenger Kane was shor through the groin by one of the robbers. The bandits undertook to cut off the two front cars of the train. It is thought that there were three robbers in the party."

One of them, who came over the tank and indertook to give orders to the engineer is under arrest and has been taken to Joliet. The messenger was taken to Englewood for surgical treatment. It is not thought that his injuries are fatal. Engineer Goodail and Conductor Coffey were in charge of the Belmont and the engine and several cars

The dispatch is signed by Conductor Cof-

LOOKING UP CANAL TITLE Assistant Attorney General Will Visit France for that Purpose.

WASHINGTON, July 3 .- The work incident to the carrying out of the provisions of the Spooner amendments to the isthmian canal bill will be prosecuted with the utmost expedition consistent with the nature and magnitude of the interests involved. Attorney General Knox has designated Charles H. Russell, an assistant to the attorney general, to go to Paris and make a critical and exhaustive examination of the records in the case. Mr. Russell is exceptionally well equipped for the task. Under the direction of Mr. Knox, Mr. Russell will apply to the French court of cassation to complete certain essential proceedings and will verify records and proceedings in the case, of which the at torney general now has reputed tran-

pany and the merger of its interests in the new one will deserve Mr. Russell's a perfect title to the Panama canal property can be secured and any necessary himself on the subject further than to say that he is hopeful of success, but that simply the recognition of their union. everything will depend on the result of the inquiry to be instituted in Paris, and the specific concessions which Colombia is willing to make. It is possible that after known. the examination of the records in Paris shall have been completed, Mr. Knox himself may go to France for a personal rether with the negotiations.

HEWITT POSTOFFICE REMOVED New Rural Free Delivery Routes Will Open in Iowa September 1.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, July 3 .- (Special Telegram.)-The location of the postoffice at changed five miles northeast, with Sarah L. Usher as postmaster.

Rural free delivery service will be established in Iowa on September 1 as follows: Swaledale, Cerro Gordo county, one route, which is anti-American and anti-Philip- area covered, twenty-three-square miles, population, 500. Watkins, Benton county, one route; area, thirty-four square miles; popuof nearly 5,000,000 Mexican dollars, while lation, 415. Waverly, Bremen county, four county, one additional route, area, twentytwo square miles, population 504. Corwith, now proposed the government should pur- Hancock county, one route; area, twenty square miles; population, 365. Lake Mille, Winnebago county, three routes; area, the four withdrawing orders, without dis- eighty-eight square miles; population, 2,168. Panora: Guthrie county, two routes; area, thirty-eight square miles; population, 1,000. Portsmouth Shelby county, one route; area twenty-four square miles; population, 500. Sabula, Jackson county, one route; area, twenty-one square miles; population, 428. Sheffield, Franklin county, three routes; area sixty-four square miles; population, 1,000. Shelburg, Benton county, two routes; area, sixty square miles; population, 990.

The postoffices at Otter Creek and Sterling, Jackson county; Delano, Winnebago E. S. J. McNell of Columbus, O., has been known. appointed dairyman at the Genoa, Neb., Indian school.

COMING TO VIEW HOT SPRINGS Board of Managers of Soldiers' Home to Select Site for the

Sanitartum.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON July 3 .- (Special Tele gram.)-The board of managers of soldiers' homes at a meeting held Tuesday last de cided that the entire board, or as many members as could possibly go, would meet in Omaha Sunday, July 27, and proceed on Monday following to Hot Springs for the purpose of selecting the site for the santtarium. They will expect the citizens of Hot Springs to make good their pledges as to the site with the option for a deed to at least sixty or eighty acres of ground for the site and a perpetual lease to one or more of the Hot Springs, as provided in Peel and the Right Rev. John Percival, the bill. Captain Palmer, who was in attendance at the meeting, says if the site is satisfactory actual work will commence some time in August.

Gunboat at Cape Haytien. CAPE HAYTIEN, July 3 .- The United

Michigan Fruit Growers Severe Sufferers from Cloudburst.

to street bookmakers, against whom re-OHIO GETS A VISITATION

> Tracks and Bridges Are Washed Away and Large Amount of Damage Done to Other Property.

DETROIT, July 3 .- A rainstorm of torrential proportions awept over the lower peninsula of Michigan last night and early today, doing tremendous damage. Crops. suffered severely, and there are numerous washouts on the railroads, one of which resulted seriously. Trains are late on all roads. In the southwestern part of the state the storm assumed the proportions of a tornado and several persons were fatally injured in the wrecks of houses and barns. Great damage was done to the western Michigan fruit crop.

At Flint the rainfall caused Swartz and Threat creeks to overflow and the southern portion of the city is flooded. Beveral factories on the bank of the river are submerged. The Flint river is also out of its banks and the Lewis paper mill is under water and in danger of being swept away. Two bridges across the river are in danger. The total loss will aggregate nearly \$100,-

Port Huron is without means of transportation in or out of the city, the railroads and interurban lines being tied up by washouts. The southern portion of Owosso is flooded and the damage will be heavy there.

As a result of washouts the Grand Trunk ratiroad will be unable to run trains today between here and Chicago.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 3 .- A tremendous downpour of rain early today, which was almost a cloudburst in severity. has done great damage throughout southwestern Michigan. The fruit crop has suffered tremendous loss. Wires are down to the north and south, where the storm was most severe, and information is hard to obtain.

All trains running on the Grand Rapids Central and the Pierre Marquette are tied up by washouts and damages to wires and track. At Grand Rapids an Indianapolis train which left here at 11 o'clock last night for the north ran into a washout at left the track. Engineer Cole of this city was seriously injured. The storm was most severe in an area about thirty miles north, south and east of this city.

ZANESVILLE, O., July 3 .- A rain almost equalling a cloudburst fell tonight, occurred on the Pennsylvania and Baltiis laid out by washouts at Blackhand, fifteen miles west. There are big washouts on the Pennsylvania at Ellis, west. At Nashport the canal bank gave afternoon. way, letting a flood of water three feet deep sweep down the Shannon valley,

LINEMEN TO GET MORE MONEY Nebraska Telephone Company Announces Increase in Pay of Its Employes.

Unexpected developments came about vesterday in the electric linemen's labor difficulties. The Nebraska Telephone comcareful scrutiny. While it is thought that pany posted a notice in the afternoon, saying that all linemen would hereafter receive \$2.75 a day for nine hours' work. concessions obtained fr.m Colombia, the men have been getting \$2.50 a day for the attorney general is unwilling to express same length of time and made a demand for no more time or no less time, but What effect this sudden and unlooked-for action on the part of the company will have on the demands of the linemen is not

The linemen have been endeavoring to secure recognition of their union from the company for a long time, but they have view of the work before proceeding fur- met with defeat and don't know now what the company's attitude is on this subject. One of the linemen said last night that he did not think the company meant to imply any recognition of the union by its voluntary action in raising the men's pay, nor could he tell what the union would do with the old demand. That is a matter for the executive committee of the union to deal with. It may be decided best to abandon the demand for recognition or it may be decided to persist in this demand.

"What we as union men care most for, Sioux county, Neb., has been this representative said, "is recognition of our union. Give us that and we will look out for the rest."

There are fourteen gange of linemen under the management of the Nebraska Telephone company and 95 per cent of all the men are members of the union and the other 5 per cent have made applications for membership. There is not a non-union lineman in Council Bluffs. The Nebraska company does not discriminate against union men. Only yesterday four were added to the company's payroll. It is significant that the committee of

linemen presented a new and formal demand for recognition of the union yesterday, the same day on which the company posted its notice of an increase in wages.

FIRE RECORD.

Two Stores at Lynch

LYNCH, Neb., July 3 .- (Special Telegram.)-A \$5,000 fire at 2 o'clock this morning entirely destroyed W. M. Tanner's drug store and an adjoining building owned by E. A. Donahue, in which the fire was discovered. By hard work the stock and fixtures were saved and the fire checked. W. county; Bristol, Somber and Lanstrud, M. Tanner will lose about \$3,000 above in-Worth county, Ia., are to be discontinued. surance. The origin of the fire is not

DEATH RECORD. Warren Jackson

BEATRICE, Neb., July 3 .- (Special.)-Warren Jackson, a well known traveling man and former resident of this city, died at Kansas City yesterday morning. He was 27 years of age and is survived by a widow. The body will be interred here

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Charles Melilkan, who halls from Tarkio, Mo., and claims to be a member of the Illinois Detectives association, was robbed last night in a house at Ninth street and Capitol avenue of \$20 and his detective papers. Violet Critenden, whom he accuses of the deed, has been locked up. The money has not been recovered.

The money has not been recovered.

"Shorty" McAllister, a Douglas street shoe polisher, came home drunk and started in to cut up his wife and also bit her companion on the head. A roomer named Evans and later a neighbor tried to intervene, but McAllister covered them with a revolver. Then the neighbor went for his double-barreled shotgun and McAllister disappeared. Max Ruberstein was arrested in a down

Max Ruberstein was arrested in a down-town pawnshop last night with a sack full of stove castings in his possession. Young Ruberstein confessed that he had taken a cooking range which he had discovered on the platform at the Illinois Central freight depot to pieces with the intention of selling the pieces to get some Fourth of July money. He was about to return to the depot for the rest of the stove when arrested.

STORM DOES GREAT DAMAGE RATIFY FUSION NOMINATIONS Douglas Countylies Speak of State

and County Tickets 'Mtd Fireworks.

Thursday night while firecrackers and blank cartridges were being exploded under the window, the Bouglas County Democ racy took a whirl at ratifying the action of the state and county conventions. Speeches were punctuated by cannon shots fired by the Omaha Guarda across the street, to the south, and enough enthusiasm and noise was worked up to suit the most strenuous fusionist.

In calling the meeting to order President Reagan made a short talk complimentary to the nominces of the fusionists and created considerable applause by announcing that since its organization the Douglas County Democracy had always stood by the nom! nees, and that its fighting was done at the primaries and conventions, and not after. Short talks were made by J. P. English W. P. McDevitt, L. J. Piatti, George Bertrand, J. E. Riley, J. C. Brennan, Joseph Butler, J. A. C. Kennedy and others. Letters were read from W. H. Thompson and A. E. Gilbert, expressing their regret at not being able to be present, and thanking the club for inviting them. The clubrooms were crowded.

Amusements.

Punctuated by the pop of the premature

At the Boyd.

but patriotic pistol and the cracking of numerous noise-making contraptions whose spasmodic but assertive explosions gave unmistakable notice of the approach of another birthday for the American eagle, the speeches of the actors who presented "The Crucifix" at the Boyd last night lost maybe some of their meaning to the audience, but still retained enough to tell a story of intrigue, jealosy, tyramy and the end. It is a trifle diconcerting to an actor to be interrupted between words by the banging of giant crackers or the short, sharp bark of a 44 loaded with blanks. but they have to put up with it on the night before the Fourth, and the audience has its grievance as well. The plece put on by the Ferris stock company for its regular Thursday night change of bill is a Russian melodrama, with enough of ac tion and "heart interest" in it to stock half a dozen ordinary society dramas. Under the arrangement it goes with a snap, and unfolds a plot as lengthy and involved as that of a Gaboriou novel. One thing it does, however, is to bring to the front the capabilities of one or two of the lesser members of the company.

Miss Junie Swift, who did so well as Phyllis Lee in "The Charity Ball," has doing great damage. Heavy washouts have a part that gives her fine opportunity and she takes it well. Miss Swift has an atmore & Ohio roads. Baltimore & Ohio tractive presence, a pleasing voice and a through train No. 4 from Baltimore to good conception of the role she assumes Chicago is lying in a ditch at Sonora, eight Mr. George J. Elmere makes much of the miles east of here, and half submerged in character of Norovieff, a moujik and a water. None of the passengers or crew spy of the czar, who is the marplot of the was hurt. Baltimore & Ohio train No. 112 piece. He was several times applauded last night. Miss Hayward has a difficult role in the character of a French actress who is consumed by jealousy, and offered ten miles north. The Bellaire, Zaneaville the tragedy feature of the piece. The play & Cincinnati train is stranded fifteen miles will be given at a special matinee this

> VICTIMS OF THE FIREWORKS Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Root Injured in Street Accident Due to Explosion of Birecrackers.

> Mrs. J. C. Root lies in a room at the Her Grand hotel quite badly injured about the head neck and arms and wit on her hands. Her husband is there in a more comfortable, but somewhat bruised condition. They are the first victims of

the present celebration of the Fourth. At about 10 o'clock last night they were driving home from Mr. Root's office in the Woodmen of the World headquarters when the explosion of a firecracker near the corner of Sixteenth and Howard streets corner of Sixteenth and Howard streets frightened the horse so badly that " wheeled suddenly and tipped the two oc-



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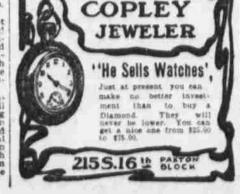
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cupants of the vehicle onto the pavement. Mr. Root, though dragged some distance while clasping the lines, was less injured than Mrs. Root, who had to be carried into the hotel and attended for more than an hour by Dr. Hanchett. The latter states that he does not anticipate serious results, although the extent of her internal injuries cannot be determined yet.

Henderson in New York.

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