# DUE TO RABE'S CARELESSNESS

Dua! Asphyxiation in So Considered by Corener's Jury.

COMPROMISING LETTERS ARE FOUND

Investigation of Pastor's Effects Involves Women Parishioners in Buffalo and Elsewhere-Witnesses Break Down.

Death was caused by accidental asphyxiation due to their own carclessness," was the verdict of the coroner's jury in the nquest held yesterday afternoon over the bodies of Rev. William C. Rabe and Miss Augusta Busch, pastor and missionary, found dead together in the former's study in the German Baptist church Wednesday

Present at the inquest was a crowd of men and women that completely filled the reception room, erowded back into the room occupied by the jury and coroner, and reached beyond the range of the voices of the witnesses.

The teatimony introduced was a review of facts published the afternoon the bodies were found. Oscar Berndes, who lican from a Santa Clara district. With first discovered the bodies, and Officer Cullen and Detective Helifeld, who made an the republicans have thirty-three out of examination of the room described to the forty members of the senate. jury the position of the two keys of the gas jet and gave as their opinion that in turned on.

Other witnesses told of the friendly re-Rev. Rabe, but none of them had ever sucsected that between the two there had ties were held by the church members and none. House, 21 republicans, 3 democrats, the good each had done the church.

Mrs, Schlakau, at whose house Rev. Rabe roomed, told of the latter's gentlemanly conduct around the house and of his studious and religious habits. "He was a good map," said Mrs. Schlakau, "and was kind to the sick and the poor. He and Miss Busch were frequently together, I suppose to assist each other in their work. He was thoughtful of the comforts and pleasures of others and at all times was Christian gentleman. He frequently spoke of his wife and son and always ten-He often wrote to her and I am sure their married life has been happy.'

The youngest Mr. Dirksen, who roomed at the same house with Rev. Rabe, wept in telling the jury what an exemplary man a had thought the pastor. "I loved him SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE DEAD as I would my own father," sobbed the young man, "and I have always had the greatest respect and admiration for Miss She was a kind, Christian woman and in all the church none stood higher. Trustee Hoffman testified to the good reputation of both the dead people and to the high regard the church members had

### Letters From Other Women Found.

Au investigation of the effects of the dead preacher by the officials in the presonce of a number of the members of his church disclosed that Rev. Rabe had apparently worked upon women's hearts. In ils trunk was a number of letters from and other places, implying relations bethere, as the writer, whose name is suppressed by the coroner, was lonesome. Others told of the love the writers had for eight members out of thirty-seven.

Coroner Brailey received a telegram yeserday morning from Mrs. Rabe stating that she would leave Buffalo for Omaha oday. The telegram was sent from Buf- governor is: Bachelder, republican, 41,057; valo. No arrangements for the funeral will Hollis, democrat, 23,567; scattering, 1,698. se made until her arrival. Relatives of Reckoning the percentage of democratic Miss Busch have not been located and no gain in the missing towns to have been the arrangements for her funeral have been

# His Career in Buffalo

A special dispatch to The Boe from Buffalo, N. Y., from which point Rev. Rabe came to Omaha, says he was one of the best known Baptist clergymen who ever officiated in that city and at one time was an officer of the synod. He left Buffald almost a year ago, having made one short visit there since that time to see his wife

Rev. Rabe was a graduate of the German department of the Rochester Baptist Theological seminary. After filling pulpits in a few small German Baptist churches in western New York, he was called to the pastorate of the Buffalo Second German Baptist church. This was about fifteen years ago. He severed his connection with this church and left Buffalo for a few years. During his stay in Buffalo he was married to the daughter of one of his local parishioners, who kept a grocery store. After an absence from Buffalo of about six years he was recalled to the pastorate of the Second German Baptist church. The date of the recall was 1898. The clergyman, with his wife and son, resided at 305 Emelie street, Buffalo, and were well beloved by the church member-Mrs. Rabe was active in church MEXICO DECLINES CASH GIFTS efforts and is even now studying for misslonary work.

Rev. George Whitman, dean of the Bap list clergymen of Buffalo, said Wednesday. night that he knew Rabe well; that he was man of cheerful disposition, the last man in the world to commit suicide. He said that Rabe had always borne a good reputation and was regarded as a successful

# OHIO TEACHERS SEE INDIANA of the Pius fund claim. Hold Convention In Foreign State

to Inspect Its

Schools.

the Central Teachers' association conven- ment will be made accordingly. tion which begins here tomorrow. This is the first instance on record where the teachers of one state have gone to another to hold their annual moeting. The Largest Sales on Record are Made teachers decided to meet here that they might inspect the educational facilities of

TRAIN SMASHES FIRE TRUCK Kills One Chicago Fireman and Injures Half a Dozen

Others. CHICAGO, Nov. 8 .- A hook and ladder truck and a Chicago & Northwestorn freight train collided tonight at Fourteenth street

and Western avenue. Several firemen were injured.

them, Thomas Filek, will die,

A Perfect Polish at last! GORHAM SILVER POLISH The very perfection of a polish Cleans as well as brightens

# **VEW HEAD FOR ANNAPOLIS**

Captain Willard H. Brownson is Installed as Superintendent of Yaval Academy,

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Nov. 8 .- Captain Willard H. Brownson, who arrived here last evening, was officially received as superintendent of the Naval academy today. The officers and prefessors attached to the academy assembled in front of the reviewing stand and the hattalion of midship men was paraded and presented to the new

superintendent. Midshipman G. S. Sadford, acting adju tant, then read the orders assigning Captain Brownson to the academy and the ceremony was perfected.

Captain Brownson walked to the administration building and the business of the academy was turned over to him by Commander C. E. Coulahan, who has been acting as superintendent since the departure of Commander Wainwright

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ridge is elected as an independent repubnineteen hold-over senators and Shortridge

With fifty-eight republicans in the assembly the party will have on joint ballot for turning off one jet the other had been the election of a United States senator ninety-one members out of a total of 120. SANTA FE, N. M., Nov. 6 .- The republations existing between Miss Busch and lican county tickets were elected in all but six countles in New Mexico.

The territorial legislature will be made een any improper relations. All testi- up as follows: Council, 11, possibly 12, fied to the high esteem in which both par- republicans, and 1 democrat, or possibly

#### **ELECTION FRAUDS ARE PROBED** Louis Grand Jury Has Material That Will Last a

Month.

ST. LOUIS. Nov. 6 - The investigation begun some time ago by the grand jury into alleged election frauds was resumed today and, it is stated, material is before it which will occupy its attention for fully a month. While the recent election was the most orderly in years a number of complaints of crooked work have been made and these are being investigated.

# Circuit Judge-Elect at Joplin, Missouri, Dies from Over-Exer-

tion in Campaign. JOPLIN, Mo., Nov. 6 .- Judge F. M. Redburn, aged 65 years, who Tuesday was elected circuit judge of Jasper county, died

today from over exertion during the campaign. He was prominent in state politics for twenty-five years.

# Democrats Are Displaced.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 6 .- A recount in the city of Woonsocket has displayed women, members of his church at Buffalo three democratic members of the general assembly originally announced as elected tween them and the pastor other than and substituted the republican candidates. sanctioned by his teachings. One written This gives the republicans a plurality of rom Buffalo begged the preacher to return four in the house, which now stands thirty eight republicans and thirty-four demo crats. The senate is republican by twenty

# Vote of New Hampshire

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 6 .- With only ter towns missing New Hampshire's vote for same as in the towns heard from Bachelder's plurality in the whole state will be

# CASH FOR LOCAL CHURCHES

Methodist Episcopalians Make Grunt to Omaha and Council

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 6 .- The committee on church extension of the Methodist Epis- at \$7,685. copal church today considered the apportionment of funds to be asked from each conference to make up \$350,000 which will

be used next year. A discussion ensued on exempting cer tain churches from the rule refusing donations whose maintenance has cost \$10, 000 or over.

Exceptions were made in seven instances, the churches exempted being fegarded as especially deserving.

They are: Hanscom Park church, Omaha Broadway church, Council Bluffs; Central church, Sacramento, Cal.: Aldwin church, Kansas; Brewer church, Maine; Washington Park church, Providence, R. I., and University church, Los Angeles, Cal.

## President Refuses to Allow Press Claim to be Paid by Subscription

LAREDO, Tex., Nov. 6 .- A special from Mexico says: In a personal letter to parties in Cordoba President Diaz has decliffed a proposition to accept money raised by popular susbscription for the payment

The president's letter was in reply to one from Cordoba suggesting that the amount be raised through an appeal to the people. He says Mexico will adhere to even the technical points in the decision of The Hague court and that, since it was stated INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 6.-Nearly 1,000 in the decesion that the amount should be school teachers are in the city to attend paid from the Mexican treasury, the pay-

# LONDON BUYS MANY HOPS

in Portland, Oregon.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 6 .- The sales of hops in the market today were the largest ever made. The transactions included 1,000 bales of

Washington and 3,000 bales of Oregon hops

at prices of 25% @25% cents per pound. About three-quarters of the day's sales were taken for shipment to London. In growers' hands there are still from 15,000 to 20,000 bales of Oregon and 9,000 ward Saturday. bales of Washington hops. The total cropthis year was 90,000 bales in Oregon and 30,000 in Washington.

# PACIFIC WIRE REDUCES RATE Messages Go From Canada to Anti-

podes for Fifty-Eight Cents Per Word.

OTTAWA, Out. Nov. 6 .- Mr. Mulock, Canadian postmiaster general, was advised by the Pacific Cable board that the rate per word from all points in Canada to all Australian and New Zealand offices would be 2 shillings and 4 pence (58 cents) per silver chances who were not siready out

German Syndicate Finances Noble Fortune Hunter Willing to Wed.

PROVIDES MONEY FOR HIS COURTING TRIP

Specified Heirens Refuses to Be Caught and He Marries Moderately Wealthy Widow and so Can't Refund Cash.

BERLIN, Nov. 6 .- The relations of Baron Burchard von Muenchausen with the sohis journey to the United States in 1893 to obtain a rich wife, have been made public through the blackmail charge brought by the Baron against Hermann Pincus, Morits Mendelssohn and Adelf Mendelssohn, the three men who made up the syndicate. The evidence showed that an ex-convict named Eissler living in Stuttgart telegraphed Frau von Cotzow, a noblewoman in Berlin, who undertook to obtain wealthy

him know if she had a titled officer in active service ready to wed an American fortune of \$7,500,006 Frau von Cotzow put Eissler in communication with Baron von Muenchausen, who is a lieutenant in the Prussian artillery. The baron agreed to give Rissler 5 per cent of the heiress' fortune in the event of the marriage taking place, and, he signed conditional bills for \$375,000. these bills Eissler raised money in Berlin from numerous persons including Pincus and the two Mendelssohns and the baron

was provided with cash to pay the expenses of his courting in the United States. Eissler's partner in this adventure was a lady's maid who had been formerly in the service of the rich American womanreferred to by Eissler. She preceded the baron to America to negotiate the marriage, but her efforts were not successful The name of the heiress was not disclosed

in court. Baron Meunchausen did make the acquaintance while it America of Martha Washington Becket, a widow of moderate wealth, whom he married. On his return to Germany he had to reckon with the holders of the bills. A

paper on the payment of comparatively small sums. Baron Muenchausen afterward accused these men of blackmall and the matter was thus brought into court, where they were acquitted.

#### SORRY THEY REFUSED NOW Danish Anti-Sellers Now Wish the Islands Were Sold to

America.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 6 .- The small subscription to the proposed Danish West India company is discussed everywhere in the country. The leading promoters disagree on the subject, some of them insisting on the abandonment of the plan. Many former anti-sellers are wishing the islands had been sold.

The prospect of assisting the inhabitants of the islands is now more problematic

BUILDS MANY SHIPS Industry Grows Fast in British COLORADO North American

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 6 .- The annual report of trade and navigation shows the tonnage of yessels built in Canada for the year ended June 30 last was 28,288, an increase of 6,333 over the previous

The number of vessels was 260, an increase of 20.

#### LEAVES LITTLE IN ENGLAND Mackay's British Property Does Not Exceed Eight Thousand Dollars.

Mr. Mackay's will is a brief document, declaring all his estates to be community property of his wife and himself, and be eathing everything to his son Clarence.

EARTHQUAKES IN PORTUGAL Many Lives are Lost and Many Houses are Completely Destroyed.

LISBON, Nov. 6 .- A severe earthquake shock has been felt at Guarda, in the province of Beira and at other places. Many lives were lost and many houses

Government Candidate Wins. LONDON, Nov. 6.- The by election in the East Toxicth division of Liverpool for a member of Parliament, in succession to Augustus F. Warr, conservative, who has ASKS resigned, resulted in the election of Aus-

the general election of 1900 Mr. Warr was unopposed. Kalser King's Guest.

KIEL, Nov. 6 .- Emperor William left tonight on board the imperial yacht Hohenzollern for England, where he will visit King Edward. A fleet of British torpedo boats will meet Hohenzollern in British waters and escort it to Sheerness. It is expected the emperor will remain at Sandringham until November 16, when he will visit Lord Lousdale.

French Duels May Be Stopped. PARIS, Nov. 6 .- M. Lecompte introduced

a bill today in the Chamber of Deputies making duelling a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment and fine. If death ensues the surviving duellist is to be liable to imprisonment from one to three years and a fine of from \$100 to \$1,000. Miles Tours Philippines

MANILA. Nov. 6 .- Lieutenant General Miles has returned here from Dagupan, where he inspected the proposed sites for permanent posts on the Northern reliroad. After an inspection of the barracks at Manila General Miles will depart south-

Writes Play on King Alfred. LONDON, Nov. 6 .- Wilson Barrett produced a new play, "The Christian King," of which he is the author, at Bristol last night. King Alfred. It was well received by the London critics this morning.

#### Bank Rate Increased. BOMBAY, Nov. 6 .- The Bank of Bombay's rate of discount was today increased to 4 per cent.

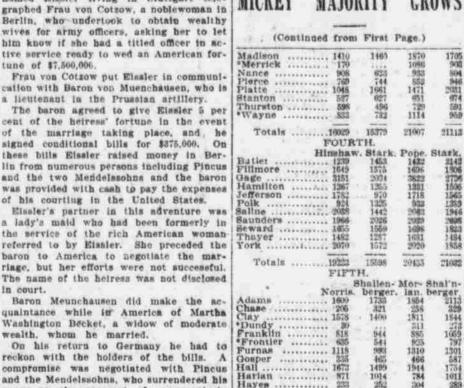
Silver Strike Extending. NEW YORK, Nov. 6 .- All the organized left work today. It was reported at the The present rate is 30 cents from Ottawa strikers' headquarters this afternoon that all of the Snishers would strike tomorrow.

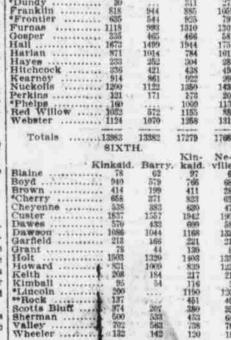
Man Who Commits Assault on Girl Says He Was Under the Influence of Liquor.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 6 .- Intense excitemen prevails today at Harrison, in this county over the trial of Louis Blacker and Harry West for an alleged assault on Mahe Wright, while returning from school last

Tuesday evening. Blacker and West were hunting in the woods when they stopped Miss Wright at the points of their guns. Her screams at tracted neighbors, who apprehended Blacker arti West and carried the unconscious girl home in a frightful condition. West denies called marriage syndicate which financed the assault. Blacker admits it and says he was under the influence of liquor. Miss Wright was unable to appear before Mayor Wettler this morning and the case may be postponed. Meantime the excitement increases and if the condition of Miss Wright should get worse trouble is feared.

# MAJORITY





\$850 22704 12657 . plurality HANGES OFFICERS Directors Chi of Rock Island's St. Louis-Kansan City Line.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 6 .- The board of directors of the St. Louis, Kansas City & Colorado railroad, the Rock Island's St Louis-Kansas City line, held the annual election of officers today.

The old officers were re-elected, with the following exceptions: William B. Leeds, president, was elected to succeed David R. Francis as chairman of the board, who continues as a director. Robert Mather, second vice president and general counsel, was elected to succeed George L. Sands as vice president. Mr. Sands was also general manager, which of-LONDON, Nov. 6.—The estate in Great fice has been abolished for the office of Britain of John W. Mackay has been sworn general superintendent, now filled by W. E. Morse. F. E. Hayne was elected treasurer and George H. Crosby assistant secretary.

#### CLOVER LEAF IS INNOCENT Shareholders Have, However, Helper Grand Trunk by Detroit Line.

TOLEDO, Nov. 6 .- The president of the Clover Leaf this afternoon, when shown a dispatch from Montreal stating that the Detroit and Toledo shore line had been acquired fointly by the Grand Trunk and Clover Lenf, denied positively that the Clover Leaf had any connection in the deal. It is understood here, however, that cer-

have joined with the Grand Trunk. WESTERN GROCERS tin Taylor, unionist, with a majority of Hanford Goes to Chicago to Push 397 over Herbert R. Rathbone, liberal. At Forward His Trust

Scheme.

DETROIT, Nov. 6 .- George B. Hanford of New York, who arranged a conference of wholesale grocers of eight middle and eastern states in Detroit yesterday, has gone to Chicago to endeavor to interest the Western Grocers' association and the National Grocers' company in his proposed

At the Detroit meeting Hanford arranged with those present to make out statements showing the liabilities, assets and earnings of their respective concerns and forward them to him within thirty days. The basis on which concerns can enter the combine is to be determined from these statements.

LAURA BIGGAR GETS BAIL Bennett Will Case Plaintiff Freed Temporarily From Law's Clutches.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6 .- Bail was furnished today for Laura Biggar, charged with conspiracy in connection with the Bennett will case. She returned voluntarily three days No bail has yet been found for Dr. Hend

ricks or for Justice Stanton, who are held

on the same charge. HAVE FEAR FOR RAILROAD MAN The play deals with the story of Montann People Search for Great Northern Official Lost in

> KALISPEL, Mont., Nov. 6 .- Superintendent Egan of the Great Northern has been lost in the mountains since Tuesday. Severe storms have prevailed and it feared he has perished.

Mountains.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. This on every box.

# IN AMERICAN WIVES DRUNKENNESS IS HIS EXCUSE CALLS CORNISH GUILTY MAN SIEZES TWELVE TYPEWRITERS

New Witness in Molineaux Case Casts Suspicion on Prosecuting Witness.

SAYS SHE SAW HIM MAIL POISON TO SELF

Has Prayed Every Day Since fo Guldance and Finally Decided to Ignore Her Husband and Mix in Case.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6 .- The greatest sen sation in the second trial of Roland B. Molineaux, charged with the murder of Mrs. Adams, came late today when Mrs. Hannah Stephenson, wife of a Brooklyn peliceman, testified positively that Molineaux was not package. Then she partially identified Harry Cornish as the man she saw standing in front of her in the line at the postoffice bolding in his hand a package addressed to "Mr. Harry Cornish, Knicker-

Her identification of Cornish was not pos tive. She said he looked like the man, but hesitated before replying affirmatively when asked if she did not think he was the man. The cross-examination suggested that an effort will be made to show insanity or delusion under hysteria. It is also probable Cornish will endeavor to prove an alibi. In reply to Mr. Osborne, for the prosecution, she said there were three stamps on the package and when shown the wrapmight have overlooked the lower row. When the cour! opened David N. Car-

place in the witness chair. When the technical part of the crosscounsel asked Carvalho if he had compared the disputed writings with the bandwriting of Harry S. Cornish and Rudolph Helis, both of whom have been shown to be interested in the case. Carvalho said he

polsoh wrapper?" Mr. Osborne asked. "He did not," replied the expert, without "Did Heils write it?"

"No. sir." Sees Poison Mailed.

Mrs. Anna C. Stephenson of Brooklyn was called late in the afternoon. Men and women stood on their seats to see her, but

order was quickly restored. Replying to a question as to what she did on Friday, December 23, 1898, Mrs. Stephenson said she went to the main postoffice in New York to mail a package and got in line with other persons. A man in front of her with a package aroused her curiosity because he was very nervous and she saw the name "Cornish" and the words "Knickerbocker club" on the package. She said the man left the postoffice and she did not know where he went after that.

The poison package wrapper was shown her and she said the address looked like the one she saw. She attended the coroner's inquest and

saw Molineux and was sure he was not the man and told her husband she should make known her information; he persuaded her that there was no occasion for her to mix herself up with the case. Calls Cornish Guilty Man "Is that the man you saw with the pack-

age?" pointing to Molineux. "It is not," replied the witness with emphasis. Dink you could reco asked Mr. Osborne, commencing his crossexamination.

'Do you say Cornish is that man?" "I say he looks like him." Cornish stood up at the invitation of the district attorney. "Is that the man?" Mr. Osborne said. "It looks very much like him," Mrs.

"I think I can."

Stephenson replied. "But is it?" "To the best of my recollection it is. Mrs. Stephenson said it was at the first trial she first recognized Cornish as the man who mailed the package. Replying to further questions witness said she had been ill, with nervous prostration and had read all the newspaper stories of the death of Mrs. Adams. She

instructions as to what to do in this case, and had prayed every day for Divine guid-

denied that her sanity had ever been ques-

tioned and said she had asked for Divine

The case was again adjourned, DENVER DISPUTE IN COURT County Clerk Attacked for Certifying the Names of Doubtful

Voters. DENVER, Nov. 6 .- On application of the Arapahoe county republican committee,

District Judge Johnson today issued a write of attachment for County Clerk Julius Achele, who is charged with having disregarded an order of the court enjoining him from tain interests allied with the Clover Leaf cortifying about 100 names on the registration lists. Mr. Achele appeared in court and was placed under bond of \$500, Judge Johnson

turn to the writ.

giving him until next Monday to make re-

Charles Zeigenfuss Dies in San Fraucisco as Result of Breath-

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 6 .- Charles O. Zeigenfuss, a well known newspaper man, was found dead today in his room in a downtown hotel. An open gas jet, which it is believed was left open intentionally, disclosed the manner of his passing. Zeigenfuss had worked on the principal papers from New York to San Francisco, and his field of labor carried him even to Manila, where he edited one of the papers. A few years ago he managed the editorial department of one of the Honolulu dailies, and twenty years ago was managing editor of a Denver publication.

#### PLASTERERS' STRIKE SETTLED Trouble that Threatened to Involve the Building Trades Generally in Averted.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6 .- By an agreement just reached between committees the plasterers who have been on strike all over the city since October 21 will return to work today at the union wages of \$5 a day, pending the settlement of the points in dispute by arbitration. Both sides are pledged to abide by the de-

cision of the arbitrators, who will be the

This action averts a threatened general

sympathetic strike of 75,000 men in the building trades. Quay Goes to Florida.

members of the two committees.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 6.—United States Senator Quay started today with a party of friends for his winter home at St. Lucia, Fla., where he will remain until congress meets. The party started in a private car and included United States Senator Penrose, invurance Commissioner Durham, Congressmen Burk and Foereder and several city officials.

Deputy Sheriff Does His Duty and

Puts High School Class at Leisure.

Captain William Neve, deputy sheriff of Douglas county, was a caller at the South Omaha High school yesterday. When he went in he had a pocket full of replevin papers and a worried look; when he came out he had twelve Oliver typewriters and a certain conviction that he wasn't doing the South Omaha school board any particular favor. 'It was his plain duty, so he performed it, but it seemed to him that it was adding one mere vexation to the already large number included among the assets of that

The seizing of the machines is a seque to one of the transactions out of which the man who mailed the now famous poison grew the recent indictment of some of the members of the board on a charge of acepting bribes. Floyd St. John, who had the seizure made, and who is local manager for the Oliver company, said: "As early as last June I proposed to the

South Omaha board that it purchase twelve of our machines and give us twelve of the old ones used in the schools and a balance of \$22.50 in cash per machine. The deal hung on and hung on, and then when the Taxpayers' league took up the matter of detecting fraud I was asked to permit detective to act as our agent. He did so and he made the deal. The company was no party to the payment of the bribe, but was to have the price I had named. About October 8 we delivered the new machines and took the old ones, presenting our bill per with five stamps in two rows said she for the balance of \$22.50 apiece, or \$270 in all. At its meeting Monday night Kubat had our bill turned down and I have seized vallo, the handwriting expert, resumed his the machines with the expectation of restoring them only when we are paid the \$270 and court costs. I have the whip examination of the witness was finished hand, for I hold the twelve second-hand machines and they will fully reimburse us for the rent of the new machines should the board attempt to call the whole deal off .When I reached the school house this morning and had the officer make the seizure it resulted in the dismissal of a class "Did Cornish write the address on the in typewriting and a demoralization of that department, perhaps, but that is the board's worry, not mine."

The transaction caused considerable excitement about the court house, as the report was that "Captain Neve had gone down to South Omaha to bring in twelve typewriters," and someone gave the inference that the "typewriters" were not machines but operatives thereof. Anticipation of the spectacle of the gallant captain marching up Farnam street with twelve fair stenographers in tow sent half the office forces to the front windows.

# SOUTHERN PACIFIC PRESIDENT

Rumor Reaches Omaha that Frank S. Gannon is to Take the Place.

A rumor has found its way into local railroad circles to the effect that the Southern Pacific is to have a new president and that his name is Frank S. Gannon Mr. Gannon has just retired from the position of third vice president of the Southern railway, where he has been for a long period of years. He filed his resignation ome two months ago, but it only became effective November 1. Now it is rumored that Mr. Gannon has received a flattering offer from E. H. Harriman and that this led to his resignation. It is even reported

that the Southern railway man has already

actually entered the service of the Harri-

man line and that his identification as president will become publicly known in short time. The fact that this rumor cannot be confirmed at the Union Pacific headquarters in Omaha does not detract from the credence given it by a certain faction. It is argued that Mr. Gannon's retirement from the Southern railway, which road has developed from a minor line to nearly 8,000 miles of trackage during his connection with it, contemplated his acceptance the presidency of the Southern Pacific.

DESPONDENT OVER LOVE AFFAIR Mias Meta Leasure Shoots Herself With Suicidal Intent at Her

Home in Council Bluffs.

About 1 o'clock this morning Miss Meta Leasure, a young woman 22 years of age, shot herself while despondent over a love affair, and at this hour it is not known whether the wound will prove fatal or not. The shooting occurred at the home of her mother, Mrs. Rachael Leasure, 931 Avenue B. Council Bluffs. The bullet entered just above the heart, but has not yet been located. She was taken to St. Bernard's hos-

MEET AGAIN AFTER YEARS Brother and Sister Parted in In-

fancy Reunited in Middle

Age. LAPORTE, Ind., Nov. 6 .- August Kregle of Stillwell has just been reunited to his slater Justina Kregle of Oxford, O., after a separation of forty-eight years. When they lost each other Mr. Kregle

was 6 years of age and Miss Kregle

years his junior. The father died many years ago at Jef-OLD DENVER EDITOR IS DEAD fersonville, requesting with his last breath that the son find the sinter. The search, which the son began at that time, was prosecuted until today. The mother of the two children died in their infancy and they were placed with

> womanhood with the belief that fate would some day reunite them. Wages Are to Be Raised.

> other families growing to manhood and

LAREDO, Tex. Nov. 6.-A special from Cloudad Porfiro Diaz. Mexico, says: An in-crease of 17 per cent in the wages of engine, train and yard men on the International road was decided on by the arbitrators se-lected to adjust the differences between

# DIRE DISTRESS

# It is Near at Kand To Handreds of Omaha Readers.

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arpenter by trade, says: "Doan's Kidne; Pills are a good medicine and I can recommend them. I had an attack of kidney trouble for two months and for two weeks before I got Doan's Kidney Pills I could not work on account of my back. I commenced using the remedy and soon notices its beneficial effect. The pain in my back left me and the irregularity, with the kidney secretions was corrected. I consider Doan's Kidney Pills the best kidney and urinary medicine I ever used. For sale by all dealers, price 50 conts.

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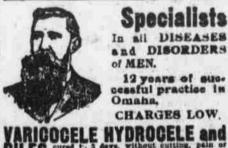
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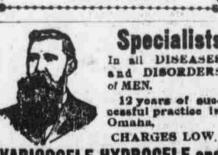
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