## STATE FAIR LEAVES SURPLUS

Not Profit for the Year in the Weighborhood of Ten Thousand Dollars.

BRYAN DENIES STORY CONCERNING HILL

James P. Kitchen Files Brief in Appeal from Appointment of Receiver for the Paxton Hotel Property.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 2-(Special.)-The board of managers of the state fair closed up shop today and will not open again until the early part of October. The total expense of the fair, including premiums, is setimated at \$30,000 and on hand and in sight the treasurer reports \$48,000, leaving the managers to the good about \$18,000. Out of this, however, there will have to come about \$1,600 for expenses and salaries to next January and between \$6,000 and \$7,000 on hand from last year. The fair will net this year something like \$10,000.

Denial from Bryan. This story, called "an emphatic denial" of the story in this column this morning to the effect that W. J. Bryan had agreed to make speeches in New York providing David B. Hill agreed to retire from politics, was published in an afternoon paper here today:

"If the newspapers did not publish anything except what was true the news items would not be nearly as plentiful as they are." In this pithy manner did . W. J. Bryan reply this morning to a query as to the truth of the statement that he had forced the retirement of Hill from New York politics in return for a promise to speeches for the Parker democracy from Empire state platforms.

"I had not heard anything about Hill's retirement until I read it in the newspapers," continued Mr. Bryan, "and I have not heard anything about it since that

"I have not discussed the trip to New York with anyone. In fact, my plans for the campaign are not settled. I expect to talk in Indians, in Nebraska and have promised to make two or three speeches

"I shall do nothing until Qctober. To day I am going to start for the west in order to secure ? rest."

Barker Record Filed.

This morning the record in the Frank Barker murder case was filed in the supreme court. The officials of the lower court, out of consideration of the fact that the sentence provides for capital punishment, covered the record in black. At-One is the battered bullet found under the dead body of Alice Barker, while another is a box of 38-caliber cartridges which Barker purchased at a Red Cloud store before the murder. The third exhibit is a chart of the premises showing the location

New Rule for Law Students. There are two or three dozen bright young men throughout the state who are toiling away in law offices, seeking to fit themselves for the legal profession, and from present indications all of them will ers, stationary engineers, painters, Capfail to secure admission to practice before the supreme court. The court has adopted a new rule, which provides explicitly for the registration of each office student at stone cutters, barbers, freight handlers, and any fallure on the part of the student to file shall not be excused on the ground of ignorance of the rule.

The legislature enacted a law requiring a three-year course in a law school or A squad of police and Hagenow's band three years of study in a law office. The will head the parade. which is designed to avoid the possibility time spent in study

The law office student is required to file a statement with the court when he begins and every time he changes his place of study, giving the name of the lawyer and the location of his office. The clerk of the court is allowed to charge not to exceed 50 cents for filing such statements, which may be either formal or informal.

Mr. Lindsay, the clerk, stated today that filings had been made so far, and he is in a quandry what to do about the matter. It is possible that the court may be asked at the first sitting to define to what extent the rule is mandatory.

Kitchen Files Appeal. James P. Kitchen et al. have filed a brief in the supreme court in support of an appeal from the decision of the Douglas county district court, which appointed a receiver to take charge of the Paxton hotel. the property of Kitchen, Rome Miller and others, upon a petition filed by Miller. It was alleged in the petition that Kitchen owned a controlling interest in the hotel this morning when they were released and that for years he had operated it for under bond they claimed a diamond ring his own personal interest, had made contracts with himself, had voted to himself large and extravagant salaries, had purchased of himself in the name of the corporation at extravagant prices and had tept no books. It was alleged that he was indebted to the company to the amount of more than \$150,000, which he had received and had falled to account for. Miller asked that a receiver be appointed and the affairs of the company straightened out. The brief filed states that no receiver has

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hotel is worth over \$250,000, but the thirty days. bond required of the receiver was fixed at ground, when the law requires that it should be equal to twice the value of the property.

brief in the supreme court in support of his argument for a rehearing in the Lillie murder case. The brief consists of 140 typewritten pages and the attorney assured the court that he did not expect a fee or a R. Williams of Blair, secretary. reward for his labors. He said, in opening

his argument:

I speak in defense of one of my countrywomen, now caged like a wild beast in one
of the common jails of this state, awaiding
the execution of a life sentence of imprisonment in the penitentiary, for the deliberate and premeditated murder of her husband. I speak for her because I believe,
and I think, I will be able to show that
she is the victim of persecution and of an
almost insane and uncontrollable public
sentiment, that was studiously worked up
against her after the jury was impanelled,
and that had much to do with her conviction; and I speak without fee or reward of
any kind and without hope of any.

Complaint Filed Against Young.

Complaint Filed Against Young. grounds early Friday morning, was taken before Justice Risser this morning and his ball fixed at \$1,200. The charge against him was shooting Wagner with intent to do tember 23. Pending the outcome of Winters' injuries no complaint has yet been filed in that case. Winters is still alive though it was a very slight chance. Young still maintains he shot the men in complaint will at once be filed against him.

expect to raise during the day. Girl Charged with Theft. A complaint was filed in police court this morning against Rebecca Polsky, charging her with stealing a purse contining \$10.50 from Mrs. Lucy Scott. The little girl is 15 years old, and when arrested several days ago her relatives and friends tried to straighten up the matter out of court, but the effort failed, though she was released from jail yesterday. The little girl is alleged to have stolen the purse from a counter in a grocery store where Mrs. Scott was making some pur-

Two witnesses for the state were also

held in the sum of \$100, which bond they

Will Celebrate Labor Day. The program for the celebration of La bor day has been completed and an interesting one if is. A parade will be given through the principal streets of the town beginning at 10:30, and in the afternoon park. The principal speaker will be Senator Patterson, of Colorado, and Rev. Mr. Berry, of Ashland, The parade will be participated in by the Lincoln unions in

Ladies' Label league, p'umbers, cigarmakers, locomotive engineers, firemen, switchmen, conductors, brotherhood rallway trainmen, carpenters, electrical workital auxiliary No. 11, typographical union. pressmen, stereotypers, bookbinders, bricklayers, hod carriers, lathers, plasterers, beginning of his work in any office, leather workers, bartenders, teamsters, tailors, cooks and waiters, laundry workers, porters and bootblacks, broommakers, horseshoers, bakers, sheet and metal work ers, retail clerks.

Sig Kohn and J. J. Kirschbaum, who were arersted yesterday, having in their possession jewelry to the value of over noon on a charge of peddling without a license and were discharged. The police where they got the jewelry, but this morning both claimed to be employed by Sonnenberg, an Omaha pawnbroker, and the latter dame down today and employed atforneys to defend them. A telegram was also received from Chief of Police Donahue from Omaha that the men were all right and should not be held. Under the circumstances the police pushed the charge of peddling without a license, but it failed to stick.

Before the arrival of Sonnenberg, however, the men employed W. W. Towle to defend them and when the latter employed other attorneys Towle brought suit for \$200 for attorney fees and attached the jewelry. It is now in possession of the police judge. When the jewelry was given to the men was missing from the package. Inasmuch as three men were present when they were searched little attention was paid to their charge.

END OF VACATIONS AT HAND

Schools Open Their Doors Once More to Boys and Girls and Books, GENEVA, Sept. 3.-The city schools oper Monday with Professor C. W. Taylor superintendent and Miss Scott of Lincoln principal. A meeting of the citizens is called for the 10th inst to vote on the question of bonds to build a \$20,000 high school building

WEST POINT, Neb., Sept. 3 .- (Special.) At the last regular meeting of the Board of Education Miss Caroline Schiotl of Algons, Is., was elected as teacher of the seventh grade and Arthur J. Niles of Hastings, Neb., was installed as assistant principal of the high school.

To St. Louis by River.
PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—A gasoline launch, equipped with all the devices of a modern boat for conventence, comfort and safety, passed down Missouri river enroute to St. Louis. The boat contained a party of six people from Lincoln, and expect to spend several weeks in making the trip. The return trip will be made in the same leisurely manner, as they will stop at all important points along the river to "take in the sights" The power for running the boat is that of a six-horse power automobile engine, which was imported from Paris.

Charged with Robbing School. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—The directors of school district No. 58 have filed a complaint against William F. Benningham charging him with breaking into the school house and taking a number of small articles. He was taken before Judge Teinblen yesterday and his case continued until September 7. Benningham is now serving a sentence in the county jail. having been convicted of petit larceny at

Apples and Elorsoms on Same Branch NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Sept. 2.—(Special.)—J. W. Cassel, who resides south of the city, brought an apple tree limb to the city yesterday which was covered with ap-ple blessoms and on the same limb was a large number of fully developed fall apples. He has several trees in his orchard that are in full bloom.

Is Arrested for Selling Cocaine. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Sept. 3.—(Sps. cial.)—W. B. Sloan, a local druggist, was

yet taken charge of the hotel as no bond selling cocaine and morphine to a woman. fusion candidates for governor and conhas yet been filed, but that if the order of This is the first action taken by the police the lower court stands the receiver may since the ordinance was passed by the take charge any day, which would ruin the city council restricting the mie of such business of the hotel. The brief states that drugs. The case has been continued for two years ago by the same men whom they

HALLOR OF BLAIR FOR SENATE

Tenth District Convention Names Candidate with Much Enthusiasm. FREMONT, Neb., Sept. 3 - (Special Telegram.)-The Tenth district republican senatorial convention met at the district court room this afternoon. A. B. Hinman called DELEGATES VISIT MANY HOMES the convention to order. J. M. Kreader, of Fremont, was elected chairman and W.

W. D. Hallor of Blair, was unanimously nominated for senator, and W. H. Williams of Blair, was appointed chairman briefly addressed the convention, thanking them for the nomination and expressing confidence in his election. J. C. Cleland of Frement, made a stirring speech in which he assured the candidate that Dodge county would do its part in assisting Washington to make the election sure. C. E. Abbott, of this city, was also called of conveyance. From the ticket depot the

upon and sprke briefly. WAYNE, Neb., Sept. 3 .- (Special Tele-James Young, colored, who shot Sam gram.)—The republican county convention with its old plantation scene, negro melo-Winters and Max Wagner at the state fair held here today was a largely attended and dies, picaninnies, etc.; from there they harmonious one. A lively contest for chairman of the convention resulted in the se-Weich by a vote of 25 to 15. Bert Brown great bodily injury. At the request of the of Carroll was chosen secretary. After state he will not be arraigned until Sep- the preliminary work of the convention, the following delegates/to the senatorial and representative conventions were elected: Senatorial: Bert Brown, E. Cunningham, and during the day showed a disposition H. E. Simons, William Sears, R. R. Smith, to rally. His physicians announced that D. E. Francis, Sam Davies, W. H. Gilderhe had a fighting chance for his life, sleeve, F. S. Benser, D. McManigal and F. M. Gregg. Representative: J. G. Coleman, C. A. Chace, Thomas Evans, Henry Bey, self-defense and he wanted to go on with Peter Kantz, F. H. Tracy, A. M. Jacobs, the trial today. Should he give bonds, as E. D. Mitchell, Charles Bechee, J. A. Jones he expects to, it is probable the second and Emil Hansen. A. R. Davis was elected chairman and G. S Mears secretary of the county committee. H. E. Simons was renominated for county attorney by acclamation. The presidential nominees were indorsed and also the national platform. Dr. J. J. Williams was indorsed for senator

from the Eleventh senatorial district. HOLDREGE, Neb., Sept. 3 .- (Special Telegram.)-At the republican convention here today P. G. Engstrom was nominated for representative by a unanimous vote, and Charles St. Clair county attorney. Hon. C. H. Sloan of Geneva gave a rousing republican speech before the convention. Phelps county will give Roosevelt a big vote this fall.

HOLDREGE PLANS TO REJOICE he was doing . Harvest Festival Includes Street Fair

and County Fair Features. HOLDREGE, Neb., Sept. 3 .- (Special.)-Holdrege has been changed into a veritable midway. Almost without exception have the business men entered into elaborate decorations for the Grand Harvest Jubi-

lee which begins here Monday. The jubilee combines the features of a street fair and a country fair. The townships compete in their agricultural exhibits in which much interest is being taken. Wednesday there will be the military parade, Thursday the pioneer parade be in session, after which the merry maskers will keep things lively, Saturday will Smith was taken to a hospital and is now be travelingmen's day. The flower parade recovering nicely. will also be repeated.

Besides the above features an amus ment company will be here with several attractions which promise much in the way of entertainment. Holdrege is sparing neither pains nor money to make the Harvest Jubilee a suc

Many Towns and Cities, COLUMBUS, Neb., Sept. 1.-(Special.)-This city will celebrate Labor day in a sefitting manner. The exercises will be in charge of the volunteer firemen and a long program of all kinds of sports, chief were holding the men to learn if possible of which will be a water fight between two hose teams, the department with hose laid from two hydrants under full pressure. The day's festivities will close with a grand ball in the evening. BEATRICE, Sept. 3.-The labor unions of

> Study Nebraska Trees. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Sept. 3.-(Spestal.)-Ray and Albert Pool of Weeping Water spent last night with the superin tendent of the public schools, E. L. Rouse. Ray is a student in the forestry department of the University of Nebraska and is making a survey of the natural timber of the eastern half of Cass county. The boys started from Union and followed the Weeping Water creek to its mouth, and then came up the Missouri river and will follow the Platte river to

style with exercises on the Chautauqua

Louisville. The boys carry a camping outfit, collecting can and an instrument for measuring trees. They make the journey on foot and follow the windings of the streams. They have found thirty-nine species of The cottonwood shows the largest trees. diameter, some trees measuring 5% feet; sycamores, 3 feet; burr oaks and elms,

Another study is the advance of the natu ral forest. Mr. Pool finds that in nearly every case the common sumach is the advance agent, followed closely by the dogwood and hazel. The growth made this season is often found to exceed five feet.

Look for Lost Brother.

DAKOTA CITY, Neb., Sept. 3.—(Special.)

The body of a floater, which was found in the Missouri river near this place about three weeks ago and was interred in the Dakota City cemetery, was yesterday exnumed for the purpose of allowing J. C. Wasen of Woonsocket, S. D., to examine the body to satisfy himself as to whether it was that of his brother, Ed Wasen, who disappeared from Yankton, S. D., on last night of the Rosebud registration. Mr. Wasen is still here awaiting the arrival of another brother before fully satisfying himself as to the identity of the ead man. The missing man was employed in a brick yard at Yankton, and the last night of registration went to a saloon in Yankton to see the crowds. While in one of the saloons and gambling houses, he was knocked down and dragged to a rear room, which is the last he can be accounted for. The floater found was devoid of clothing or any other dfatinguishing mark, but bears a strong resemblance to the missing man, and Mr. Wasen is quite certain it is his brother,

Wanted for Robbery in Butte. ALBION, Neb., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Chief of Police Waring received a telegram Thursday evening from Butte, Mont., stating that one Frank Avery was wanted here for highway robbery and that he was headed for Albion. He came in yesterday morning and was immediately arrested and is now in the custody of the chief. He ns that he never was in Montana and that he is innocent of the charge made against him. The Hutte authorities have been notified and it is expected that an officer from there will be here soon.

Fusionists Fail to Muster a Crowd. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Sept. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—The populists and democrats convened today for the purpose of arrested yesterday afternoon on a warrant selecting candidates for two representatives aworn out by the police charging him with

fusion candidates for governor and congress. Lee Huff, manager of the Nebraska Telephone company, and William Thomasen, ex-representative, who were defeated two years ago by the same men whom they will now oppose were nominated as representatives, and William O'Connor of Wood River was nominated for attorney. The democrats upon adjourning went to the hall occupied by the populists, but with the combined forces and the few visitors less than a hundred people greeted Candidates Berge and Mauck.

DELEGATES VISIT MANY HOMES

"Trip Around World" Entertainment as Preinde to Conference, WAYNE, Neb., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—Preparatory to the annual session of the North Nebraska Methodist conference, the women of the Methodist conference, the women of the Methodist conference, the women of the Methodist church of this city gave a decidedly interesting enter-laboration. Thursday evening from 4:30

city gave a decidedly interesting entertainment on Thursday evening from 4:30 until Il o'clock, which was greatly appreciated by the many visitors. It consisted of a "Trip Around the World," the visitors being conveyed from place to place in carriages, carry-alfs and other means people were taken to the sunny south, the ome of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sherbahn, were conveyed to Germany, the home of many to Ireland, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Spodgraus: from there to Gypay Land. the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Nieman from there to Japan, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lay, and at last arriving at the White House, the nome of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Main. These beautiful homes were arranged in accordance with the ustoms of the countries represented and were of a very elaborate nature, So pleased were the people with the entertainment that a special effort was made to have it repeated.

Pleads Drunkenness as Excuse. GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Sept. 3.-(Spe cial.)-A man giving his name as Baum gartner, but who is said to be L. McCor. mick of Creighton, was arrested last even ing for attempting to forge a check on the McDonald sheep ranch. The check was presented at the store of 8. - N. Wolbach. In payment for a hat the \$9 paper was presented. . The cashler, however, refused cash it, but offered to take it to the bank. This the stranger declined, stating that he knew the officials at the bank anh would cash it himself. A clerk was sent after the man when he left, and he was soon arrested by County Jailer Wickwire. He pleaded drunkenness as the cause of his trouble, saying he did not know what

Papillion Man is Stabbed. PAPILLION, Neb., Sept. 3 .- (Special.)-Jim Smith, w Tt Papillion about three months ago to work with a threshing crew in Colorado, is now in a hospital there as a

result of being stabbed. One evening, while the members of the gang were scuffling among themselves, one man, a Russian, became angry and seiging a butcher knife, stabbed Jim a number of times. Officers were immediately sum moned and while awaiting their arrival the threshers discussed the advisability of will come off, Friday kangaroo court will and learning of the proposed lynching

ASHLAND, Neb., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—A German farm hand named Beachly Burthouser, employed by Gus Thimgan, near South Bend, attempted to drown himself in Salt creek this morning. He was discovered by members of the steel gang who were working nearby. They went to his rescue, but the demented man fought like a tiger, and it took the strength of four men to subdue and bendeve him. He was descended in the future. PAPILLION, Sept. 2.—A number of Papillion poultry men, who had exhibits at the state fair at Lincoln this week, managed to capture a few prizes on their stocks. J. D. McCloskey won first on cock and second on pen of chicks. C., B. Tower won second on buff Orpingtons and second on his pen of chicks. E. R. Panielson won second on white Plymouth Rock cock and on single comb brown Leghorns Willis Almen to subdue and bendeve him. ASHLAND, Neb., Sept. 3 .- (Special.)-A WHEN LABOR TAKES A HOLIDAY rescue, but the demented man fought like lodged in the Ashland juil to await the action of the county authorities at Wahoo, Burthouser came to this vicinity from Germany a year ago and cannot speak En-

Fuse in Cedar County. HARTINGTON, Neb., Sept. 3 .- (Special Telegram,)-The democrats and populists net in separate conventions here today and finally succeeded in fusing on the county ticket. C. B. Willey of Randolph, demothis city will observe Labor day in fitting crat, was nominated on the fusion ticket for county attorney and John P. Gelber of Hartington, populist, received the fusion omination for county commissioner of the Third district. J. G. Beste of Hartington was chosen as chairman and Z. M. Baird

was chosen as chairman and Z. M. Baird as secretary of the county central committee.

Child Smothers in Vault.

BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 3.—(Special Telegram.)—The 16-months-oid daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coatney of this city was found dead in the vault of a water closet this morning on a farm southwest of Beatrice, where the family went yesterday to visit with Mrs. Coatney's sister. In the afternoon the little one was missed and a search was instituted, lasting all night, the body being discovered in the vault this morning. Death was caused by suffocation and Northwestern railroads, has resigned his position and the charge will be made on next Tuesday. Mr. Goodrich has held the office here for over two years and is an old employe of the Minneapolis & Omaha and Northwestern railroads, has resigned his position and the charge will be made on next Tuesday. Mr. Goodrich has held the office here for over two years and is an old employe of the Minneapolis & Omaha road. A joint agent here has charge of the passenger and two freight days during which time he will visit his week.

BEATRICE, Sept. 3.—The Farmery Elevator company of Blue Springs has shipped over 8,000 bushels of corn the past week.

BEATRICE, Sept. 3.—The Parker Amusement company will entertain residents of this city and surrounding country all next week.

WESTERN MATTERS AT CAPITAL

BEATRICE, Sept. 3.—The Parker Amuse-ment company will entertain residents of this city and surrounding country all next Week.

GENEVA, Sept. 2.—At last Geneva is to have light. G. F. Hinkle will put in a first-class plant to light the city with electricity. GENEVA, Sept. 3.—Miss Kate Lincoln returned to her school duties at Waveriy today. She spent her vacation with her parents in Geneva.

parents in Geneva.

BEATRICE, Sept. 3.—The business men of Wymore have raised about \$2,000 to give in purses during the race meeting to be held there September 21, 22 and 23.

TECUMSEH, Sept. 2.—The Johnson county fair will be held in Tecumseh next week, beginning Tuesday. Races will occur on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. A good fair is predicted.

TECUMSEH, Sept. 2.—The well-known jewelry firm of Wills & Spaulding of this city has dissolved, Mr. George Wills retiring and Mr. J. W. Spaulding continuing the business at the old stand.

COLUMBUS, Sept. 2.—A prominent farmer

COLUMBUS, Sept. 2.—A prominent farmer from Hismark township said yesterday that if frost would hold off for two weeks more this county would produce a record breaker corn crop. Samples of corn recently brought in would bear out this statement.

We want several first class traveling men at high wages. Stulz Brothers,

Distillers and Wholesale Liquor Dealers. KANSAS CITY, MISSOURL Outs have been yielding immensely in some localities. Reports of sixty bushels to the

mond Haney in West Columbus was quar-antined yesterday by an order from the Board of Health. Two of his children are afflicted with scarlet fever, though the physician says the disease is in a mild form.

BEATRICE, Sept. 3.—Manager Odell of the Beatrice base ball team has gone to Hastings in the interests of the proposed new state lengue, which, if organized, will include the towns of Hastings, Grand Is-land, Beatrice, Ord, Geneva and Greeley

BLAIR, Sept. 3.-Charlie Caldwell.

BLAIR, Sept. 3.—Charlie Caldwell, assiste ant express agent here, has accepted a job as transfer agent for the express company at Tama, ia., at a good advance in wages, and will be succeeded by William Wilds, who was born and raised in this city and has been manager of the Harrison livery barns for several years.

PAPILLION, Sept. 3.—Sarpy county commissioners are advertising for bids for the building of an addition to the courthouse. The addition will consist of two office rooms, which will be occupied by the county attorney and clerk of the district court, a jury room and a vauit. The vault is for the use of the clerk of the district court.

trict court.

WEST POINT, Sept. 3.—Mr, and Mrs.
Peter Poellett, a well-known and honored
couple of this place, celebrated their silver
wedding this week. A large assemblage
of relatives and invited guests were present. Mr. Poellett is now and has for many

been manager of the mechanical de-ent of the Nebraska Volksblatt, pub-hers. GRAND ISLAND, Sept. 3.—Dodd Gil-

GRAND JISLAND, Sept. 3.—Dodd Gilmore, a stranger, was arrested yesterday for drunkeness and fined \$19 and costs. Gilmore, in passing the law office of Hon. W. H. Thompson, pulled the crepe, hung there during the death and burial of Mr. Thompson's daughter, Mrs. Wallace E. Forter, from the door, and had it in his pocket when arrested.

TECUMSEH, Sept. 3.—At a meeting of the Rural Mail Carriers' association of Johnson county, held in this city, the following officers were elected for the oming year: President, E. H. Bush, Tecumseb; vice president, Raiph Campbell, Sterling; secretary, W. J. Devenney, Tecumseh: treasurer, William Graff, Tecumseh. The next meeting of the association will be held in Sterling May 30 next.

NEBRASKA CITY, Sept. 3.—The thirty-

May 30 next.

NEBRASKA CITY, Sept. 2.—The thirty-sixth annual picnic of the Otoe County Old Settlers' association will be held in Morton park tomorrow. A number of amusements have been arranged for the day. The Sioux Indian base ball team will play two games with a local tenm and the Nuadilla ball team will play one game with a local tenm in the afternoon. Several prominent speakers will deliver addresses.

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ers will deliver addresses.

GRAND ISLAND, Sept. 3.—The Grand Island canning factory is working every possible man it can place and sweet corn is proving an excellent crop, 175 tons being canned daily. The late sweet corn is not yet harvested and is expected to be even a heavier yield. If this proves to be the case it is possible that a night force will be put on at the factory. Some of the farmers are harvesting four tons to the acre.

ine threshers discussed the advisability of lynching the Russian. The officers arrived and learning of the proposed lynching hastened to get the Russian away. Young business man of this city, has bought out the interest of A. J. Langer, president of the State bank of Humphrey. Neb., and will assume charge of the affirs of that institution immediately. Mr. Langer, prior to his connection with the Humphrey bank, was the editor and proprietor of the West Point Republican. It is not yet known what business he will engage in in the future.

ASHLAND, Neb., Sept. 3.—(Special.)—A

den secured second on cockerel.

BEATRICE. Sept. 3.—Harry Wilson, the big first baseman of the Beatrice base ball team, who left for his home near Council Bluffs. Ia., today, was tendered a banquet last night at the Arcade restaurant by a number of his friends. Covers were laid for twenty-six and toasts were responded to by several members of the party before the pleasant affair closed. In his departure from Beatrice the wish of Mr. Wilson's many admirers is that he will be a member of the team here next season.

of the team here next season. WEST POINT. Sept. 3.—An injunction has been obtained by property owners near the new railway depot, enjoining the railway company and the city from diverting the flow of surface water. The complainants allege a stoppage of the natural drainage and claim that their property is being injured by the action of the company in changing the course of the flow. If the matter is not adjusted the case will be heard at the next term of the district court, which convenes in this city on September 28.

BEATRICE, Sept. 3.—It is reliably reof the team here next season.

WESTERN MATTERS AT CAPITAL Rural Mail Routes Established and Carriers and Postmasters

Appointed.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Sept. 3 .- (Special Telegram.)-Additional rural route ordered established October 1: At Adel, Dallas county, Ia., route embraces an area twenty-two square miles, containing a population of

routes: Grand Island, regular, Mrs. Bessie Seeber: substitute, Ed S. Seeber. Milligan, regular, H. E. Spierk; substitute, C. L. H. Kuhn was appointed postmaster at

Rural carriers appointed for Nebraska

Iona, Lyman county, S. D., vice George W. Hickey, resigned.

PREPARING FOR GEOGRAPHERS Admiral Chester Plans Novel Attrac-

tions for International Congress. WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.-Among the interesting events planned at Washington for the entertainment of the International Geographical congress that will meet here on September 8 is a reception at the Naval Observatory that evening by the superintendent, Rear Admiral Colby M. Chester, U. S. N., and his staff. Arrangements are being made to close this reception with a five-minute service of time signals, ending at midnight, seventy-fifth meridian time, according to the plan followed daily at noon. This will be followed by a brief message of greeting from the congress to the nations of the world, to be transmitted voluntarily by the various connecting lines of telegraph and cable.

It is hoped also that by means of the cooperation of the various cable companies, press association and European government legraph systems information of the plan will be received by at least the most prominent observatories abroad in time to secure their co-operation, in view of the international character of this great scien-

County Committee Talks Long Time and Does Little.

FINALLY NAMES PART OF EXECUTIVES

Weaver Names Engineers of Parker-Davis League-Broadwell Calls Meeting of Congressional Committee.

Several times yesterday afternoon mempers of the Douglas county democratic ommittee promised to break out in open did condition. rebellion. The meeting was to be held in Jacksonian hall at 2 o'clock, but the memwas nearly 2 o'clock when Chairman A. A. Arter called the members to order. The first clouds appeared while the roll

was being called. When Secretary John E. Regan reached the name of Committee man Parks objection was raised because Mr. Parks is out of town and will not be present during the campaign. One of the book telling all about Swamp-Roct. It you members expressed the opinion that the are already convinced that Swamp-Root name of one of the contesting delegates is what you need, you can purchase the should be substituted. He thought it would regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bothave the tendency to restore harmony in the disturbed ward from which the selec- make any mistake, but remember the name. tion is made. The matter was referred to Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the committee for consideration and will and the address, Binghamton, N. T., on be disposed of at the next meeting.

The question of nominating highway commissioner and road supervisors was taken up. The chair was empowered to make the nomination excepting in the country districts where there is a contest. In such cases the choice will be made at a caucus of the voters in the district and the name will be presented to the committee for endorsement. Upon motion the secretary was instructed to notify one member of the county committee in each of the ountry districts to present the names of the precinct officers at the next meeting of the committee.

Arter Appenla for Activity. Chairman Arter took advantage of a luli Chairman Arter took advantage of a luli to advise the three committeemen from ENGINEERS ELECT OFFICERS each ward to get together and name a chairman for the purpose of expediting the work. He said he believed in running the campaign along business lines and added that later a plaz of campaign would be mapped out. He urged a vigorous campaign and said it would take republican votes to win and he importuned the members to make as many converts as they could. He thought it was getting time to be doing something and expressed himself in favor of "a short and fast campaign." "Election," he said, "is ten weeks off, and we ought to get underway in the next ten

or twelve days." He announced that the Jacksonian club had offered the use of the hall for demoeratic headquarters free 'f the committee pays for its own light. On motion the ofwas accepted, offices for the campaign to be opened not later than the 20th. Some one wanted the names rend of the executive committee appointed by the chair. The secretary had barely finished, when there Prof. M. S. Ketcham, University of Colowas a kick. On of the members had discovered some of the names on the list were those of persons not on the com-

mittee. "I don't think it's right to go outside," said the speaker. "It looks to me like an effort to take the work out of the hands of the committee. The county committee Nagle, Agricultural and Botanical College, ought to have a voice in suggesting the have a larger representation on the list. Is there anyone on there from the country

The chair explained there was no one on the list from the country districts, but he was willing to add a name or two and make the list larger. He suggested that s making the protest name another man to work with Mr. Broadwell, the South Omaha committeeman, and that two country members of the committee be named The speakers could not name a man.

More Explaining Necessary. "It is nothing unusual to name men outside of the committee to act with the executive body," said the chair. "The members of the executive committee were selected because of their peculiar adaptability for the work, especially in collecting campaign funds."

Several voices rose in protest, and L. J. the men selected made it easier for them to look after the financial end of the work than for the ordinary committeemen. Secretary Regan also explained that the work of the executive committee was ad-

"Well, if the regular committee can't do the work," growled some one in the rear of the room, "why aren't they put on the committee in the first place?"

The chair explained that he was empowered by the central committee at its last meeting to make the appointments. "Well, I don't believe it was intended that the chair should go outside the committee to make the appointments; that is a power the chair hasn't got." A motion finally was put and carried to the effect that a member of the committee from South Omaha and two from the country be added to the list.

"How many will that make?" some one asked.

"Sixteen," was the reply. "Sixteen! That's a pretty large-" A LETTER TO OUR READERS

53 Cottage St., Melrose, Mass. Dear Sir: Jan. 11th, 1904 "Ever since I was in the Army, I had more or less kidney trouble, and within the past year it became so severe and complicated that I suffered everything and was much alarmed my strength and power was fast leaving me. I saw an advertisement of Swamp-Root and wrote asking for advice. I began the use of the medi taking Swamp-Reot only a short time,

and noted a decided improvement after I continued its use and am thankful to say that I am antirely cured and strong. In order to be very sure about this, I had a doctor examine some of my water today and he pronounced it all right and in splen-

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"I move that we adjourn," interrupted

another member. The motion immediately was seconded, and the committee adjourned, to 'niect again in two weeks. The members of the executive committee appointed are: Daniel Geilus, T. J. Flynn, Thomas J. Harrington, J. E. Boyd, Otto J. Bauman, George W. Shields, E. P. Berryman, I. J. Dunn, William Fleming, A. Wagner, F. A. Broad will, Peter Hofeldt, James S. Dahlman. The names of the other three members

T. W. McNair of Michigan Chosen President of the National Society.

will be given at the next meeting.

ST. LOUIS, Mo. Sept. 3. - The closing session of the convention the Society for the Promotion of Engineering was held today in the Palace of Education. The greater part of the papers presented were of a technical nature, including those by Prof. Alfred E. Burton, dean of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Prof. Edward R. Maurer, University of Wisconsin, and Prof. Benjamin F. Groat, University of Minnesota.

The following officers were elected; President, T. W. McNair, president Michigan College of Mines, Houghton, Mich; first vice president, Prof. Eliwood Mead, University of California; second vice president, Prof. C. R. Jones, University of West Virginia, Morgantown, W. Va.; secretary, rado, Boulder, Colo.; corresponding secretary, Prof. H. F. Schilling, University of Missouri; council, Prof. Thomas Gray Rose, Polytechnic Institute, Terre Haute, Ind.; Prof. C. A. Waldo, Purdue university, Lafayette, Ind.; Prof. A. F. Talbot, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.; Prof. J. C. of Texas; Prof. W. G. Raymond, State names. I believe South Omaha ought to University of Iows, Iowa City, ia.; Prof. L. E. Reber, Pennsylvania State college, State College, Pa.; Prof. R. S. Woodward. Columbia university, New York City.

The convention then adjourned sine die. The selection of the next place of meet ing will be decided by the council.

FIRE RECORD.

Bad Blaze at Memphio.
MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 2.—Fire in the heart of the wholesale district today destroyed property approximating in value \$300,000. The fire originated in the Oliver-Finnie Grocery company from an unknown cause, completely destroying the stock and building of that firm. The building on the north of the Oliver-Finnie company owned by John Denies Sons, stored with lime, was partially crushed by falling water. The Memphis Paper company's building suffered Platti explained the business relations of a like fate and was partially burned. The building of W. C. Early & Co., wholesale commission merchants, was partially burned. The rear of the building of J. T. Ferguson & Co was burned, entailing a heavy loss. Frank Guffenhaugh, a fireman, was seriously injured by falling from a ladder. Six other firemen were overcome by heat and smoke and were removed to hospitals, where, it is stated, all will recover,

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Shooting at Sengirt SEAGIRT RIFLE RANGE, N. J., Sept. 3.

The carbine team match was won by the first team of the Second troops, Philadelphia City cavairy, with a total of 285 out of a possible 250. The all-comers' squad in the revolver match was started this aftermoon. It was open to everybody and called for fifteen shots, deliberate fire.

Princess Louise Leaves Note. BAD ELSTER, Saxony, Sept. 3.—A note left by Princess Louise of Saxe-Coburg, who escaped from her hotel here Tuesday morning, for her maid Olga, requesting that the latter keep her belongings carefully, closed with the words: "I am gone, God has heard my prayer. Farewell."



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