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T. M. James has gone to Dakota. The cold wave came by telegraph.

L. Byington will spend the winter on the Pacific Coast.

I. W. Pack went to his Johnson City town early in the week.

It will be known hereafter as the Troop House instead of the Gordon. Mrs. James Tucker, living four miles

from town, died on Monday. A very little rain puts the street cross ings in horrible condition.

The stone work on the first story of the State House is about complete. About a mile of new fire alarm line has been put down recently, and two new a-

larm boxes. The Missouri Valley Unitarian Conference was held at Unity Church in this citv. this week.

An elegant line of new millinery on Monday at Mrs. E. C. Metcalf's, 239 Kan-sas ave. Come early.

The Melhado liquor case was on trial this week and no little false swearing was done on one side or the other.

It was hardly necessary to make so much ado about changing the system of number of the streets that was.

We are glad to know that the Adams House is growing in popularity, under the management of Mr. Hughes. The Kansas and Dakota Company has completed its track along First Street, and made connection with the Rock Is-

John Gregory, formerly night clerk at the Fifth avenue hotel, has secured a po-sition with the dry goods firm of Crosby

The ladies of the North Topeka Presby-terian Church, held an Art Loan Exhibi-tion three nights this week, at Luken's

Opera House. Clara Hines was arrested for creating a disturbance and was fined \$10. She carried a revolver and attempted to shoot

The Uuitarian church was dedicated Tuesday evening. It is a very neat little building seating about three hundred people.

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General Timothy McCarthy, the next state auditor, is in the city for the purpose of making arrangements to move will have something like 60,000 votes more than his colored competitor.

The Topeka Turnverein object to the construction of more railroads along First street, and have commenced suit to en-join the Kansas & Dakota road from building north of the Santa Fe track. It is claimed that it prevents access to their heer gardens.

Educational Notes.

A few questions for school boards to meditate on, in the silent watches of the night: Is your school room supplied with chalk, erasers, brooms and sprinklers? Are there any gaps in the fence? Does the teacher lock the coal house door every night, and carefully shut the gate? Is there any coal house door to lock? Is there any gate to shut? When these questions are fully answered, others will be asked.

What may be called the leading question style of teaching can still be seen in certain localities. The geography class is reciting. The teacher, book in hand, proceeds thus: "The capital of Denmark is Cop—" and the pupil readily adds, "en hagen." "The largest lake in North America is Lake Sup—," "erior," puts in the pupil. "The gulf stream begins in the Gulf of Mex—," "ico," from the class. Teaching of this sort has by no means perished from the earth. Lazy boys think it is the much talked about royal road to learning.

A good encyclopedia should be in every school room, but its value to the school will be small unless the teacher train her pupils to make daily use of it. The opportunities to direct attention to the encyclopedia are numerous, especially in the reading geography and history classes. For instance, the subject in the reading class is "steam." In the lesson, James Watt and Robert Fulton are mentioned briefly and incidentally. Now here is an opportunity. The name of each is found in the encyclopedia, the biographes are read in the class, and the pupils are that much richer in knowledge. More than that, their curiosity is aroused, and they will try to find more extended biographies of Watt and Fulton. The other day in a school, the reading lesson was about plants. It was found that plants had lungs, and lived on carbonic acid. Let us turn to this topic in the encyclopedia. What do we find? That the life of plants is the death of human beings. Here is a brief account of "The Black Hole of Calcutta," and there. Incidentally it is learned that Calcutta is a large city in India, and if there were and work or carbonic acid there. Incidentally it is learned that Calcutta is a large city in India, and if there were time, under the same letter, a description of that city could be found. Yes, the encyclopedia under the guidance of a live, skillful teacher can be made the most valuable book in the school room.

A disgusted father wrote to a Phila-delphia journal saying that he heard his little girl sobbing over a rule which she muse girl sooning over a rule which she was trying to commit to memory, in the following words, to-wit: "Rule for short division rule dash one write the divisor at the left hand, comma, and divide the number denoted by each figure of the

number denoted by each figure of the dividend by the divisor, comma, and write the quotient beneath. period. Paragraph. 2. If there is a remainder after any division, comma, regard it as prefixed to the next figure, comma, and divide an before, t perion. If any partial dividend is less than the divisor, comma, prefix it to the next figure, comma, and write a cipher in the quotient, period.' After reading these painfully idiotic paragraphs, the amazed parent made inquiry, and found that the pupils—children under 10—were required to study rules in this way, in order that they might be able to write them out and "point" them, not correctly but according to the book.—New York Tribune.

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Denver Tribune: The Hon. Jehu Baker, who beat Horizontal Bill Morrison for Congress, on last Tuesday, is one of the ablest men in the counis one of the ablest men in the country, He is emphatically a man of statesmanlike qualifications, and if he were a politician, in the ordinary acceptation of the term, he would have been one of the United States Senators from Illinois. He belongs to the Lincoln type of men, in the matter of character. He is a great scholar, a profound student of history, and by his translation and annotation of Montesquieu's "Grandeur and Decadence of the Roman Emand Decadence of the Roman Empire" has won an enviable distinction among students of history on both sides of the ocean. When men like Mr. Baker come to the front in American politics, and defeat such shallow, though notorious, demagogic leaders as Morrison it is a matter for National congratulation. That the people, independent of partisan politics, are disposed to give their suf-frage, to such a man, when pressed to the front, is a demonstration of

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Increase of Police Power.

Mr. G. C. Clemens writes an article to the Democrat, which for him, is more than usually candid and thoughtful. It is in opposition to a metropolitan police law, which it is presumed, the governor will recommend to the legislature.

We have far more symyathy for the people who are suffering from great and increasing evils that afflict our country, growing out of monied influences and aristocratic desires. than confidence in the remedies proposed by Mr. Clemens and his class of thinkers. When he says that despotism has begun in this country, he utters a clear cut and very uncomforting truth, and as he says, in the light of history we have no reason to expect it will step until revolution restores the rights of man; or we would have no reason to expect it but from the difference in the circumstances. We do expect more from our system of government and from the supposed superior intelligence of our people. We have the hope that the present tendency may be arrested before it reaches that point in the revolution that is marked by violence and bloodshed. If it is not then we may know that, sooner or later, convulsions similiar to those that have shaken other civilizations will be our lot.

The need of our day is conservatism and not radicalism. There are times and circumstances when radicalism affords an opportune remedy. It may follow conservative action, with speedy and telling effect. It is the work of the true statesmen to determine when and how to employ each

remedy. The labor agitations of the day are symptoms of a disease; they are not the disease itself. The nation is in a state of unrest. The great masses of our people feel that something is wrong. It is not the wage worker only who feels it. The farmer, the merchant, the mechanic, all the great middle and lewer classes realize it. Some are quietly submissive, while others are loud in their complaints. He is simply a fool who would ignore these facts.

The vital, pressing question is one of remedy, not of temporary alleviation. The radical, ignorant idea of remedy is resort to force, the violent interference of recognized and established rights, the use of fire and flame, of dynamite and bombs, of resistance to law. The conservative idea is really the radical one, that a remedy must be had by striking at the root of the disease and removing the cause.

The anarchists and socialists are attempting a surface cure, that leaves an influence that is irritating and threatening. It commands no sympathy; it heals nothing; it settles

Massachusetts.

E. B. Washburn was once so the control of the contr an influence that is irritating and and gives promise of none in the future. Neither the granger on his farm nor the thoughtful Knight of Labor in the shop can recognize a friend in the anarchist, nor can they recognize the right of a striking workman to destroy the property of his employer, or to interfere with a fellow workman who is unwilling to join a strike. Yet none of these, nor the great public included, dare to deny the evils of which there is a wide spread complaint.

The multiplication of the detectives nor the massing of the militia, nor metropolitan police bills, nor the conviction and hanging of anarchists, no such similiar action will give relief. We do not complain that the militia are called out to put down riotous strikers who destroy railroad proper ty. We complain not, but rather approve the hanging of anarchists who are guilty of capital crimes, under the law. They are necessary for the time being, in order to prevent anarchy, but they no more reach the seat of the evil on the one hand than do strikes and bomb throwing on the other.

The remedy must come from a gen uine democratic reaction; a reaction that comes up from the people expressed at the ballot box and in their daily influence upon each other. Instead of resisting the passage of a metropolitan police bill in this state let there be such influence sent out that there will be no need of greater

police power. The laboring men, the strikers, the great toiling masses, the honorable producers of the nation, the grangers, greenbackers, prohibitionists, antimonopolists, Knights of Labor, all would control the heartfelt sympathy of four fifths of the people in their efforts to

accomplish their reforms, were it not these representative classes the thereby, Knights of Labor have the best basis, the most comprehensive and wisest declaration of principles, and yet have a class of subordinate leaders, with a liberal following of the most dangerous character. The great need of the nation today is a great leader to nominate him for president.

pers of that state are now bringing and Atlanta, Georgia, are slowly working themselves into the belief that they are living upon a very thin shell, and that any moment a vast to nominate him for president. who comprehends the great democratic idea that would protect the rights, and care for the people, with a support that would afford a controling political power. A political power-a party if you pleasegrounded on this idea, having the confidence of the people would quiet ford men are happy. this deep, surging unrest, without which no man can tell what is in store for this nation, and for republican principles.

for so many years been serving his country abroad.

Jehu Baker was a member of contrial of Andrew Johnson was the sensation of the day.

C. C. Baker is throwing sugar plums at representatives elect. He wants their votes for state printer, address the pope in Latin. therefore he goes a fishing.

Jehu Baker belongs to the Lincoln type of statesmen. Baker, however is more of a scholar, and an orator, though inferior, as a practicing law-

The keeping back of the indictments of the county commissioner for nearly three weeks, until after election, has been traced to Judge Guth-

John A. Anderson, a kicking, bolting mugwump republican is the strongest man in the state. What shall be done with him is a question

.The democrats are very sore over the defeat of Morrsion, and pressure is brougt to induce one Anderson, who was elected from the Twelfth Illinois district to resign, so that Morrison may be made a candidate and elected from that district in his place. The district is overwhelmingly democratic and would be sure to save the his own diagnosis, and prescribes for great adjuster. It is not often that Congressmen are elected to represent districts in which they do not reside-E. B. Washburn was once so elected

ferson Davis deserves none of the op- of such a kind, and that it is for medprobrium that falls to her because she ical use for such a disease, and that tleman is in quarantine for repairs." is the daughter of her father. It is it is not to use as a beverage, nor to probable that she does not. She is sell nor to give away, and when he gets his "loyal gage?" No wonder men unfortunate in being the descendant his medicine in this way, he is not love to follow such a leader. of the great arch rebel, and while she allowed to take it on the premises, is entitled to a good deal of sympa- and so usually goes into a back alley thy because the sins of the father are to use it. These statements, or applivisited upon her, no such sympathy cations for liquor, are supposed to be can justify Charles Dudley Warner, saved by the druggist, who returns or any other one, in paying her special them to the Probate Judge, accom-

in 1884, and Branscombe's vote was over fifty behind the ticket. Douglas only used 2000 of these statements is the home of Branscombe and Rich- a month. With this as an average, ardson, and yet this is Richardson's the revenue to the Probate Judge grand campaign. The increase vote may easily be estimated. is shown in counties distant from headquarters, where the inefficient management was not seen, and where Richardson's miserable attempt at white-washing could not be counteracted in time.

The prohibition party vote of the state is so slightly increased from that of 1884 as to leave no other conviction than that the campaign has been grossly mismanaged, or that there is no demand for a third party in Kansas. It is not clear that the latter supposition is true. If the present drugstore law had been an effective prohibitory measure the work of building up a separate party would have been difficult. The law, however, was a mockery. If continued, not even Richardsonism can prevent the growth of a new party. If practical prohibition is secured at the coming session of the legislation the new party cause will receive a sad-blow.

The Duffy Malt Whiskey concern though it will steal, it does have a for their unwise methods. Of all has failed, and the world is a gainer creditable amount of sharp, pungent

> Illinois is quite modest. The pa pers of that state are now bringing

A two year old thoroughbred Hereford has taken the grand sweepstakes premium at the Chicago fat stock

Last week the Spirit threw out its little tow line for Jehu Baker for seized by some of the leading papers and statesmen. The St. Louis Globeconnection with the presidency.

When Garfield was elected Presi- covery has been abandoned. dent, it was remarked that he was the gress when the great impeachment first since John Quincy Adams who German, the French, or the Spanish ministers in their own language, or

> The next legislature should so ic printing, that the expense to the which the sound is conducted. state will be reduced. At present the ple are willing to enrich individuals. let them know who are to be enriched, and to what extent, and then let that every branch of the public service is administered at the least expense, and whenever possible, a revenue derived for the State.

that is troubling the wire pulling politicians.

Under the existing law in Kansas, as constructed by the Attorney General, and as understood generally throughout the State, the purchaser of liquor at an apothecary is the sole judge of its necessity. He is also the sole judge of its own packs the world. Dakota comes in next with 536 miles of new track. Next comes Nebraska and then Texas.

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The democrats are very sore over the existing law in Kansas, as constructed by the Attorney General, and as understood generally throughout the State, the purchaser of liquor at an apothecary is the sole judge of its necessity. He is also the sole judge of its own packs and paid a fee of five cents no one is legally authorized to say that he shall not then proceed to the nearest druggist and buy brandy for indigestion, or Jamaica rum for seasickness, or lager beer for an incipient boil on the back of his neck. The Baker in his speech on the 17th of September, a week after his nominapresent system is a great thing for the Probate Judge and a big bonanza for the apothecaries of Kansas.—New York Sun. The above is an attempt of the New York Sun to give an exposition of the

Kansas drug store liquor law. It al-

together fails to do justice to the law. his physical condition. He makes himself. But he has nothing to do with the Probate Judge, and makes no statement to the judge, and pays no fee. The druggist goes to the Probate Judge and pays him \$5.00 for reliable to the probate Judge and pays him \$5.00 for reliable to the probate Judge and pays him \$5.00 for reliable to the probate Judge and pays him \$5.00 for reliable to the probate Judge and pays him \$5.00 for reliable to the probate Judge and pays him \$5.00 for reliable to the probate Judge and pays him \$5.00 for reliable to the probate Judge and pays him \$5.00 for reliable to the pays him \$5.00 It may be that the daughter of Jef- ful age, that he wants so much liquor, panied by five cents each.

There are fifty and more drug-

The following article we thought rather readable, and so put it in type, copying from an eastern exchange. The next morning, Wednesday, it appeared as an able, original editorial in the Commonwealth, entitled "What an Earthquake May Lead to." In the afternoon, the Leavenworth Times came to hand bearing same date as Commonwealth, with the same article as editorial, but headed "A very Thin Shell." From this the reader may judge of the originality of the great leading papers of Kansas. We must say of the Times, however, that al-The following article we thought

editorial. The trouble is, one cannot How to always tell which from what.

The inhabitants in the region be-ween Charleston, South Carolina,

engulfing two states, and possibly tripping up several others. This fear is not founded upon a fear nor developed by inferences. It is the result of empirical science. Facts show. It is the youngest animal that are being gathered daily showing that ever won the sweepstakes and the second thoroughbred, and the Hereimpressive that it does not produce a panic or tears or noisy distress.

There are no tears for some dispairs.

The accumulation of evidence is little tow line for Jehu Baker for president. The idea has been quickly rens, South Carolina, dug a well down seized by some of the leading papers to a point where each stroke of the pick produced a hollow sound, and fi-Jehu Baker is not so widely known as he would have been if he had not considered Illinois' favorite son in land the clothes lines in the neighborhood, no one could find where the bottom went to, and all hope of re-

In another town a part of the highfirst since John Quincy Adams who could converse with foreign ministers in German. If Jehu Baker were to sor has made a careful computation be elected president he could discount and says that it will take all the earth Garfield on that point and greet the in the county to fill it up, and the county to fill it up,

it over or resign.
In the town of Ninety-six, of Revolutionary fame, there is a spot where every earthquake rumble in Charles-ton has been distinctly heard, and it is concluded that the subterranean change the law in regard to the pub- cave acts as an air chamber through

There is a spot near Dawson, Georoffice of state printer is so lucrative that it is equal to a gold mine, and the people meet the bills. If the peothe crust of the earth is very thin, and the temperature of the air is modified by the temperature of the vicinity ed, and to what extent, and then let beneath, thus producing rain Hunthem vote on it. Otherwise, it is the dreds of people have visited the spot and testified to the dampness of the drops that fall, and as Dawson is a prohibition town no one can have the face to cast any reflections upon the trustworthiness of the evidence

We should regret very much to lose two or three states from the union at this time, but if they should cave

coming down from the past! an idewith more sense—make more converts WIN THE VICTORY and still be in good fighting order when the young gen-

And didn't the old man make good

Wm. R. Morrison's Defeat. From the Quincy Journal (Democratic) No vember 4th.

The latest dispatches leave no room to doubt that Wm. R. Morrison is defeated. We have no ill will for Mr. Morrison, and we surely do not wish any harm to come to the democratic The Prohibition vote of Douglas stores in Topeka, and one who claimed county was this year over 30 less than to do a very small business in this defeat. We are sure that it will be a line, made it a strong point that he good thing for the democratic party in this state. Morrison is a true democrat, and when you have said that, you have said it all. He is wholly infor?" capable as a leader. He is too parrow-miaded, too prejudiced, too stubborn, too ill informed, too weak, too selfish for a leader. He is wholly unfitted for leadership. He is the most supremely selfish man that we know of in national politics. He would rather—much rather—that tariff reform would go to the demnition bow-vows than to succeed, unless he could reap all the glory. His small stock of information in regard to this matter, his selfishness, and his stubborness have been a terrible stumbling all their talent.

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DANGEROUS DRUGS

Control Effectually All Such Horrible Habits.

A gentleman who has spent the ummer abroad, said to our reporter, that the thing that impressed him most of all was the number of holidays one encounters abroad and the little anxiety the people display in the conduct of business affairs. "Men boast here," he said, "that they work for years without a day off; in Europe

that would be considered a crime."

Mr. H. H. Warner, who was present at the time, said, "This is the first summer in years that I have not spent on the water. Been too busy.'

"Then, I suppose you have been advertising extensively?" "Not at all. We have always heretofore closed our laboratory during July, August and September, but

this summer we have kept it running day and night to supply the demand, which has been three times greater than ever before in our history at this season." "How do you account for this?

"The increase has come from the Universal Recognition of the Excellence of our Preparations. We have been nearly ten years before the public and the sales are constantly increasing while our newspaper advertising is constantly diminishing. Why, high scientific and medical authorities, now publicly concede that our Warner's safe cure is the only scientific specific for kidney and liver diseases and for all the many diseases caused by them."

"Have you evidence of this?" "Abundance! Only a few weeks ago Dr. J. L. Stephens, of Lebanon, Ohio, a specialist for the cure of narcotic, etc. habits told me that a number of eminent scientific medical men had been experimenting for years, testing and analyzing all known remedies for the kidneys and liver, for, as you may be aware, the excessive use of all narcotics and stimulants destroys those organs, and until they can be restored to health the habits cannot be broken up! Among the investiga-ters were such men as J. M. Hall, M. D., President of the State Board of Health of Iowa, and Alexander Neil, M. D. Professor of Surgery in the college of Physicians and Surgeons and president of the Academy of Medicine at Columbus, who after exhaustive inquiry, reported that there was no remedy known to schools or to scientific inquiry equal to Warner's safe

cure!" "Are many persons addicted to the use of deadly drugs?"
"There are forty millions of people

in the world who use opium alone, and there are many hundreds of thousands in this country who are victims of morphine, opium quinine and cocaine. They think they have ne such habit about them-so many September, a week after his nomination:

"Finally, fellow citizens, I will only add that the main thing that I have beared varied in the system for these hand a symptoms of what they call malaria and other diseases, when in reality it is the demand in the system for these hand writed in the system for these heard raised in opposition is—that terrible drugs, a demand that is caus-your uncle is a fossil! an antiquity ed largely by physicians' prescriptions which contain so many dangerous The purchaser is the sole judge of class physical condition. He makes is own diagnosis, and prescribes for is own diagnosis, and prescribes for say, that I throw down tonight my Stephens says is the only kidney and the kidneys and liver by what Dr. Stephens says is the only kidney and iver specific. He also says that moderate opium and other drug eaters, if they sustain the kidney and liver vigor with that great remedy, can keep up these habits in moderation."
"Well does not this discovery give

you a new revelation of the power of safe cure?"

"No, sir; for years I have tried to convince the public that nearly all the diseases of the human system original convince the public that nearly all the diseases of the human system original convince the public that nearly all the diseases of the human system original convince the public that nearly all the diseases of the human system original convince the public that nearly all the diseases of the human system original convince the public that nearly all the diseases of the human system original convince the public that nearly all the diseases of the human system original convince the public that nearly all the diseases of the human system original convince the public that nearly all the diseases of the human system original convince the disease of the human system or convince the disease of the human system or convince the disease of the disease inate in some disorder of the kidneys or liver, and hence I have logically declared that if our specific were used over ninety per cent. of these ailments would disappear. The liver and kidneys seem to absorb these poisons from the blood and become depraved and disappear.

and diseased."

"When these eminent authorities thus publicly admit that there is no remedy like ours to enable the kidneys and liver to throw off the frightful effects of all deadly drugs and excessive use of stimulants it is an admission of its power as great as any one could desire; for if through its influence alone the opium, morphine, quinine, cocaine and liquor habits can

"You really believe then, Mr. Warner, that the majority of diseases come

they are symptoms not of disease or the head, the eye or stomach, or of virility, necessarily, but of the kidney poison in the blood and they may prevail and no pain occur in the kid-

neys."
It is not strange that the enthusiasm which Mr. Warner displays in his ap-preciation of his own remedy, which restored him to health when the doctors said he could not live six months. should become infectious and that the entire world should pay tribute to its power. For as Mr. Warner says, the sales are constantly increasing, while the newspaper advertising is constantly diminishing. This speaks volumes in praise of the extraordinary merits of his preparations.

A Campaign Reminiscence.

If there was excessive use of cam-paign funds in this district Mr. Baker will never be accused of having hand-led them. As illustrating what a stranger he is to the use of money in politics, his friends tell with a great deal of relish this reminiscence of the campaign. Early one Monday morning he found himself in East St. Louis on his way to Alton and he suddenly discovered that he had come away from home without his pocket-book. Stepping round to the residence of Joe Messick, Republican candidate for the Legislature, he found no one up. Knocking loudly at the door he presently aroused Messick who came down to see what was the matter You're a nice man to run for an office. ain't you" was Mr. Baker's greeting, lying in bed at six o'clock in the morning," "By the way, Joe," he continued, "I've left my money at

home, can you lend me \$2?"
"What good will \$2.00 do you?"
asked Messick. "Never mind," replied Mr. Baker, "that is all I want."

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Among the notable features of the Magazine of American History for the new year will be a series of studies by writers of the highest eminence, on the rise, progress, and development of journalism in this country, embracing personal sketches and portraiture of the chief editors of the century. Another series of studies to be introduced into this popular periodical the coming winter will bear the general title of "The Benefactors of New York," and will include sketches of men who have contributed to the growth and grandhave contributed to the growth and grand-uer of the metropolis through its institu-tions, whether of learning, culture, art, charity or traffic.

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whose body had been so mangled by the cars that it could scarcely be recognized. The remains were buried, and about a month and a half elapsed before the news reached the ears of the parents. The father had been to one of the western counties where his son had a homestead. There he learned that his son had started home, having on his person some \$300 and carry ing a valise and a bundle of clothes. Nonof these things were ever heard of and the

father is confident that his son was mur dered and his body placed upon the track THE railroad charter boom continues The railroad charter boom continues. The following charters were filed with the Secretary of State on the 11th: The Newton, Augusta & Fort Smith Railway Company, which company proposes to build a road from Newton southeasterly to the south line of the State. Capital, \$8,000,000; the Omaha, Lincoln. Hartland & EhPass. Railway Company, which proposes to build a road from Omaha via Lincoln, Neb., through Kansas and Texas to Mexico. Capital, \$1,000,000; the New Orleans, Kansas & Western, and the Chicago, Omaha & Southwestern Railway Company, which proposes to build from Abilene to the south line of the State. Capital, \$6,000,000.

LATE post-offices changes in Kansas: Established, Brotherton, Lane County, James M. Walsh, postmaster; Burntwood, Rawlins County, Charles T. Williams, postmaster. Discontinued, Bly, Clark County; Carmel, Cloud County; Hector, Greeley County; Kiowa, Barber County; Rose, Woodson County; Tonny, Saline County, Pensions granted Kansas veterans on the 10th: John H. Fish, of Peotone; Peten D. Sutton, of Atchison; Elijah Graham, of Elimwood; William T. Kiebler, of Augusta: William W. Brown, of Cascade; Philip Riley, of Tecumseh; David C. Scott, of Whitfield; John C. Matheson, of Motor; Jacob Studt, of Glasco, and Julius B. Vanwinkle, of Leavenworth.

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OF GENERAL INTEREST.

A Collection of all Sorts of General News.

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mands and maintain a high standard of discipline.

General complaint is made of the poor quality of the arms furnished the militia, consisting in great part of old, badly worn and unserviceable Springfield and Sharp's rifles. Most of the organizations showed much interest in the target practice and the Maine militia is especially commended for its marvelous skirmish firing. Several of the reports speak of the crying need of thorough systematic instruction. The material is said to be splendid and zeal and intelligence the rule but lacking direction. It is suggested that the War Department should detail officers to report to the Governors of the various States, to be assigned to duty as instructors solely, with no command whatever, and if this plan should be adopted it is thought that the result would be of great value to the States. It is recommended that closely neighboring States accredit visitors officially to State encampments, whose duty it shall be to take notes and report upon matters of interest to the militia. More study is found to be necessary by subalterns and the use of dummles or blocks in tactical studies is to be necessary by subalterns and the use of dummies or blocks in tactical studies is

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Washington, Nov. 16.—The adventuress and professional blackmailer, Ollie P. Ellis, better known as the "Duchess of California," who some years ago levied a contribution on a former member of the Kansas delegation, is again in the toils of the law. This time she was arrested upon the general charge of being a suspicious character without visible means of support, but the true reason of her incarceration is that on Friday last, under the plausible pretext of soliciting subscribers for some publication she gained access to the residence of a foreign minister on K street and there threatened that unless he gave her a certain sum of money she would call the police and charge him she would call the police and charge him with an attempt at assault. Astonished with an attempt at assault. Astonished and frightened at the effrontery of the "Duchess" the diplomat surrendered his shekels and subsequently notified the police. They apprehended the woman and recovered the larger portion of the money obtained, but, to avoid notoriety, the minister declined to prefer a formal charge against her.

her. Fort Keogh, Mont., Nov. 16.—Yester aged to escape. The Indians then drove off Brown and got Erwin's saddle, bridle, gun and nineteen horses, and escaped with all their plunder, crossing the Missouri near the Great Falls. The raiding party are either Canadian bloods or American Piegans, New York, Nov. 16.—Thomas J. Harris,

one of the employes of the custom house, was re-examined recently with a view to promotion. Notwithstanding the fact that his percentage was the highest, the promotion was given to another man, an "honorably discharged Union soldier," to whom it was claimed the law gave the preference. Harris wrote to President Cleveland to know why he had been set aside by a man far below him in the civil service examina-

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OTTO RUSSELL, ten years of age, was accidentally shot and killed by his elder buther, paniel, while out hunting near Fredonia the other day. The charge entered the right cheek and lodged in the upper portion of the head.

The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Charles Byles, late agent of the Missouri Pacific railroad at Leavenworth, is still unsolved. Mrs. Byles received a note signed with her husband's name and mailed at Leavenworth, saying that he would never return unless he vere brought back dead. Further than this nothing has been heard from him.

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MURDERED BY WHOLESALE.

Young Fellow Betrays a Wife and Mur-ders Half a Dozen of the Family and Then Fires the House. WHITE RIVER, Ont., Nov. 17.-For some

weeks past a large number of employes

have been engaged here in preparing the

railroad track for winter. Among this

Bood Words for State Militia—Blackmalling a Diplomat—An Indian Raid is Montana—Other Matters of Interest.

Washington, Nov. 16.—The Adjutant General has made public a number of reports from army officers who were detailed to attend and inspect the annual encampments and evolutions of the militia of the States of Alabama, Maine, Michigan, New Hampshire, Minesota, Missouri, New York, Ohio, Kentucky, Pennsylvania, Jowa, Illinois, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Islaud, Indiana, Kansas, Connecticut and the Territory of Dakota. The inspections were confined to these States failed to request the War Department to detail officers to visit the encampments in their States.

While criticising the details of the various organizations, such as lack of uniformity in clothing, poor attendance at roli calls and a disposition to shirk guard duty and other onerous duties of solder life, the reports are unanimous in praising the fine physical qualifications of the men who make up the militia, their excellence in drill and tactics and the earnest, many efforts of the officers to improve their commands and maintain a high standard of discipline.

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FEARFUL FALL.

n Iowa Attorney Falls From a Bridge at Leavenworth. LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Nov. 16.—Charles

Coberts, an attorney of Mantaur, Ia., received a fall from the Rock Island bridge and sustained serious injuries. The facts ceived a fail from the Rock Island bridge and sustained serious injuries. The facts as gleaned from parties present at the time are that Coberts and a friend, Thomas McCool, had been out into Jefferson County and came into this city on the Southwestern train for the purpose of taking the Rock Island for their home. They boarded the train here at 6:15, and when the bridge was reached and the transfer of the passengers and baggage was being made Roberts and McCool walked over to the eastern side together. At a point en the bridge near where the train is loaded on the other side of the river there is a fight of stairs leading down perhaps fity feet for the use of the watchman at the bridge. Roberts conceived the idea of going down this stairway while walting for the train, and after stepping down a few steps lest his hold and fell to the bottom, fracturing three ribs on the left side and receiving internal injuries. The injured man was brought to this city and taken to the Sisters' Hospital, where a physician pronounced his injuries serious. He is still lying in a critical condition at the Sisters' Hospital.

The California Senatorship

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- The Evening WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—The Evening Star has the following: "Senator Hearst, of California, telegraphs to a friend in this city that the Democrats have 13 majority on joint ballot in the Legislature of that State. An ante-election agreement was made by a person who was in a position to know the facts among the Democratic leaders to the effect that if Hearst could make the fight to carry the Legislature, he should have the Senatorship in the event of success. It appears that the brief experience Mr. Hearst has had in the Senate was agreeable enough to inspire him with a desire to enjoy mere of it. But aside from his own inclinations, it is said that Mrs. Heart is very partial to Washington as a place of residence during the social season, and that she fully appreciated the advan-tages which attach to a Senatorship."

Caught in a Snew Slide.
DENVER, Cel., Nov. 17.—Late last evenstage containing nine passengers, that left a stage containing nine passengers, that left Leadville in the morning for Aspen, was caught in a snowslide on top of the meuntains, fifteen miles east of Aspen, and the entire outfit carried over a precipice two hundred feet high. A relief party from the Home Stage station succeeded in digging the passengers and driver out of the avalanche. Four were unhurt, but Robert Dwyer, Chris Conn, Duncan C. Robertson, I. A. Bardwell and Lullie McPherson are expected to die. As the telegraph wires to Aspen are down on account of the severe storm last night no farther particulars can be had.

A Train Buried.

PARIS, Nov. 15 .- Further particulars have been received of the railway accident at Sisterton in the department of Basse Alps. It appears that about 30,000 cubic meters of rocky earth fell from Mount Gerres, overwhelming the train, which was proceeding at full speed from Marseilles. One of the first class carriages was crushed to atoms and the engine overturned. The driver, a guard, telegraph clerk and four English passengers were killed on the spot. Two other passengers have since died from their injuries. The stoker's life is despaired of. Twenty other persons are suffering from injuries. A second slide occurred, but did no aamage. een received of the railway accident at

CHATHAM, N. C., Nov. 16.—A white man named Moore was sent to the chain gang Saturday for having traded wives with another man. When Judge Gilmor asked him what he had to say why sentence should not be passed he replied that he did not know that his act was a crime. A man came to his house with a woman whe was better looking than his own wife and bantered him for a trade, so he "swapped" and paid \$150 to boot. As this was his first "swap" he hoped the court would impose a light sentence. The other man who was a party to the trade has not been apprehended as he lives some miles in the country and the officers have been unable to catch him.

Louisviille, Nov. 17.—Frank Kissick, to preacher, became involved in a quarrel with John Cundiff, a sawmill hand, near Grang City, Ky., yesterday, and made at Cundiffer a fight. Cundiff grabbed a broadax amout Kissick's body nearly in twain, killing him instantly.

Bright, Glowing Colors Shown by Most of the New Fall Goods.

Already new dress goods are shown, and some, indeed all of them as yet seen, are lovely. Serges of all quali-ties will prevail. They are the rage in London, and our merchants have seen to it that we are not to be behind our French and English sisters in having the very choicest patterns to select from. Indeed, superb and superior goods have been manufactured expressly for this market, leading houses having exclusive designs for their cus-tomers, many of whom select from sample cards, and sometimes can arrange matters so that no other dress like their own will be seen in the city.

An exquisite piece of fine silk and wool dress material shows a stripe of wool dress material shows a stripe of heavy Ottoman cord, alternating with a stripe of various fancies in velvet. About an inch and a half space in the next stripe is a body of silk plush. This is followed by an inch of narrow velvet and Ottoman bands, and then comes a space filled in with pile after rule of silk leave, which are out over pile of silk loops, which are cut open, forming a narrow fringe, which is full enough to set out almost straight. This combination is repeated in this stripe, which alternates with the stripe of plain Ottoman, each one being an inch and a half wide. This fabric is in one color. Dark blue, garnet, brown and black are the only colors yet

such rich, showy materials, in large stripes and plaids, will be much used for dress skirts, made entirely plain, without even a foot plaiting, with bodice and draperies of the prevailing ground tint, the bodice cut in the injunty riding habit style. Buttons jaunty riding habit style. Buttons will be a large item in the fall dresses and are shown in metal and mixed styles, bronze effects being particularly admired. Oxydized buttons will also be favored, and buttons with pearl ornaments set on metal. The new round ball rosary buttons come in

Some of the serges closely resemble the suitings worn by gentlemen, in color and combinations, but of course color and combinations, but of course not as heavy in quality. A very pretty piece of goods has a tiny stripe of a bright color on brown, blue, red and green, and other patterns show a heavy cord outlining a small check, and these are in one color. There is also a very neat and stylish class of goods in lovely quality of fine wool, in dark grounds, with an odd sprinkling of bright colors in subdued form. This will make very stylish shopping dresses

and suits for general wear.

Astrakan bourette suitings in bright cardinal promise to be a leading nov elty. They are shown in two rich square blocks of fine chevron weave. framed by soft, silky rings of Astrakan. The alternate block has the chevron running in an opposite direction with the same framing of curls. This gives a very striking and stylish effect. The e goods also appear in black and e. There are also gray and white bourettes that are very attractive. A few brocaded and figured woolens are

Striped velvets and plushes are a leading feature in elegant novelties. They come in solid colors and in various tints and shades, showing a number of tones in one stripe of about an inch wide. Both cut and uncut pile is formed into stripes or alternate blocks and the effect of arranging tints and colors in these goods is surpassingly beautiful. The brocaded velvets are gorgeous. Long pile goods with plain and cashmere centers show large and showy patterns. There are brocaded plushes in new designs that are very rich looking and the prices are com-paratively moderate. All shades and colors are represented in plain velvets, which promise a rage for the entire Rich silk and velvet costumes are being imported, and velvet and ce combinations will find favor. Velvet will also be used for dinner dresses, and many of the handsome plain wools will be combined with velvet.—N. Y. Graphic.

PRESERVED FRUITS.

How They May be Kept in Good Conditio for an Indefinite Time.

In order to keep preserved fruit in condition it is necessary that the jars be air-tight, and that they be kept in a cool, dark place. Atmospheric air is "extremely insinuating," and it will penetrate even by microscopic openings, and thus injure the product of labor performed in the torrid summer days in a kitchen with a temperature considerably over one hundred degrees.

The top of every jar with a screw or rubber fastening should be sealed with bottle wax. Jelly glasses should be secured with bladders, or with paper dipped in white of egg and pressed dipped in white of egg and pressed about the glass without a wrinkle. Many persons take the precaution to wrap every glass jar or tumbler in paper, and then pack each of them in saw-dust or sand, so that they will not be affected by light nor by atmospheric changes. The closet in which preserves are kept should not be damp, nor should it be in close proximity to the kitchen. In winter the temperature must be a degree or two above freezing point. It is always well to keep preserves in a closet by themselves, so that it need only be opened when nec-essary to store each new addition of Thus the atmospheric changes reduced to a minimum and the fruit will remain in good condition.-N. Y. Commercial-Advertiser.

Winter Shelter for Sheep.

We ought to have good shelter provided by the time winter comes, if we can provide such shelter. But suppose it is practically impossible for us to build barns and well constructed sheds? we can do this for our sheep in the weight of instances. We can vast majority of instances. We can set crotched posts in the ground, rest a rail or piece of timber in the crotches and place poles, boards or something of the kind on the rail, one end resting on the kind on the rail, one end resting on the rail and the other on the ground, open toward the south. If we have not rails or poles enough to do that we can use fewer poles and rails and cover with hay or straw. Certainly that is a shelter cheap enough, and it is better than none.—Western Rurel. MARVELOUS PRICES!
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THE COUNTRY'S INCOME.

olnts in the Report of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15 .- The Commisioner of Internal Revenue has submitted his annual report to the Secretary of the Freasury. It is an elaborate document of 115 printed pages and gives a detailed account of the operations of the internal revenue service. The total internal revenue re ceipts for the last fiscal year were \$116. 902,869 as compared with \$112,421,121 for the year 1885, \$121,590,039 for the year 1884, \$144,553,344 for the year 1883 and \$146,523,273 for the year 1882. A statement of withdrawals for consumption during the past year as compared with the preeding year shows a large increase in all articles of taxation except snuff, of which there was a decrease of \$194,747. The principal increase was in cigars, cigarettes and spirits distilled from grain. The cost of collection during the year was \$4,299,485, about 3.6 per cent, of the amount collected. The collections during the previous year cost \$4,455,430, or about 3.9 per cent. of the amount collected.

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The receipts during the first three months of the present fiscal year were \$28,904,904, an increase of \$230,441 over the receipts during the corresponding period of last year. The increase was mainly on tobacco and fermented liquors, although there was a small increase in the receipts from spirits distilled from anyles peaches and crapes distilled from apples, peaches and grapes. The principal decrease was in the tax on spirits distilled from materials other than apples, peaches or grapes and in the special retail liquor dealers' tax. It is estimated that the sum of \$118,000,000 will be collected within the state of the special retail state of the s lected during the current fiscal year from the various sources of internal revenue. In making this estimate, Commissioner Miller says his office is much embarrassed by the presence of a new source of revenue—oleo-margarine—and the entire absence of any statistical information as to the quantity manufactured, the number of factories engaged in its production and the number of wholesale and retail dealers. It was esti-mated that the receipts of the last fiscal year would be not less than \$115,000,000, while the actual receipts exceeded that sum

\$1,902,869.
The number of stamps issued during the year was 550,061,029 and their value \$135,-112,305. The aggregate amount of taxes collected from tobacco during the last fiscal year was \$27,907,362. This includes internal revenue taxes imposed on imported manufactured tobacco and snuff, and enigars and cigarettes. The increase of collections for the last fiscal year over those for the previous year was: From manufactured tobacco, \$865,025; cigars and cigarettes, \$53,550; special taxes, \$53,698. The production accounts show an increase in manufactured tobacco of 10,798,286 pounds; in the number of cigars and cigarettes. nal revenue taxes imposed on imported in the number of cigars and cigarettes, 433,507,247; in tobacco exported of 29,369,-220. The number of cigars imported during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1886, was 73,139,678. The value of the manufactured tobacco imported was \$468,-939. The amount of direct tax still due is \$25,558,929, apportioned among the States as follows: Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Missisippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee Texas. Utah, Virginia and Washington n the number of cigars and cigarettes.

Texas, Utah, Virginia and Washington Ferritory.

The number of distilleries registered during the year was 6,242 and the number op-erated 6,034, of which 5,079 used fruit. The erated 6,034, of which 5,079 used fruit. The total spirit producing capacity of grain and molasses distilleries in operation September 1 last was 188,747 gallons per day. The producing capacity of similar distilleries operated September 1, 1880, was 282,928 gallons a day. The number of grain distilleries registered during the year was 1,132, of which number 950 were operated—a decrease of 63 in the number registered and an increase of 32 in the number operate. —a decrease of 33 in the number registered and an increase of 32 in the number operated, as compared with the previous year. The quantity of grain used in the production of spirits during the year (19,195,132 bushels) is an increase tof 1,340,129 bushels bushels) is an increase of 1,340,129 bushels over the amount used in the preceding fiscal year, and is 2,003,361 bushels less than the average for the last nine years. The number of gallons of spirits produced from grain during the year—80,344,320—shows an increase of 7,310,182 gallons over the productions of the year ended June 30, 1885, and is 873,605 gallons less than the average production for the last nine years. production for the last nine years.

The report shows the following aggregate collections from the various sources of internal revenue in Missouri and Kansas for the fiscal year ended June 30: First Missouri, under Isaac H. Sturgeon, \$2,215. Sourt, under Freeman Barnum, \$3,215,-528,22, under Freeman Barnum, \$3,420,-964.35; Fourth Missouri, under Cornelius Voorhis, \$351,560.87; Sixth Missouri, Charles E. Hasbrook, \$1,072,598.55. Dis-trict of Kansas, under Nelson F. Acers, Erict of Kansas, under Nelson F. Acers, S204,145.48. It moreover shows that during the same period in the seventy-four factories of Missouri, 39.443,745 pounds of material were used in the manufacture of tobacco, in the sales of which stamps to the value of \$2,546,828 were used. Cigars to

In reference to the oleomargarine tax, Commissioner Miller speaks as follows: "It is impossible at this time to estimate the amount of internal revenue which will be derived from oleomargarine. If, however, the operation of the law should prove unsatisfactory in its present form, which is construed to levy a tax only upon the article manufactured and sold or removed for consumption or sale as supposititious outter, the law can be so amended, as while imposing a tax upon oleomargarine, oil, neutral and such like substances without which the supposititious butter can not be extensively manufactured, to provide also for the use of such substances by subsequent compounders without the payment of a second tax as rectifiers are allowed to compound distilled spirits on which the tax is paid without an additional gallon tax simply by delivering up the original tax paid stamps and receiving in exchange other stamps representing the same quantity; also for refunding the tax on so much as is used for refunding the tax on so much as is used for rubricating purposes or otherwise in the arts and sciences. In my opinion, the advantage in securing the tax from the manufacturer who derives his material from the slaughtered animals can not be overestimated. extensively manufactured, to provide also tered animals can not be overestimated These manufacturers are comparatively few in number. By requiring them to stamp and brand all their productions and to keep such books as will indicate the destination of their products, such products can be followed to the dealers, and through the dealers to the consumers.

A Serious Wreck.

CHICAGO, Nov. 17 .- A Council Bluffs, a., special says: "A serious wreck occurred vesterday at Hinton station. The sow had wedged a freight engine with a number of cars into a cut, and a passenger train plunging along through the storm, smashed into the freight. All the freight cars were consumed by fire, which broke out immediately. A number of persons were more or less injured, but there was no loss of life."

Advices from Black River Falls, Wis, state that Congressman William T. Price is very low and that his physicians deapair of his recovery. His disease is cancer of the stomach.

ALL IN KANSAS.

Lively Times in the Sunflower State.

Winfield Woman Shoots Her Seducer and Kills Herself-A Missing Railroad Man-Murderous Young

WINFIELD, Kan., Nov. 15.- About 5:35 clock Saturday morning in room 23 of the Brettun House in this city Lillian Quinn, a dining-room girl, fatally shot Frank E. Lockwood and then fired a bullet into her own brain, dying instantly. Lockwood is still alive, but with little hopes of recovery. Lockwood was formerly a conductor on the Southern Kansas road. Then he was landlord

of the Grand Central Hotel at Medicine Lodge from which he retired last June. The dead girl claimed that she had been seduced by Lockwood while he was run ning the Medicine Lodge Hotel and had threatened him frequently. Lockwood, who is a brother in-law of Superintendent Barnes, of the Southern Kansas railroad, has a wife in Ottawa and a mother and brother in Winfield. The man's wound is over the right eye and was made by a ball from a 38-calibre revolver. The bullet is imbedded in his brain. The girl has been in the employ of the Brettun for some time and had been brain. The girl has been in the employ of the Brettun for some time and had been fearing that Lockwood was going to abandon her. At the hour named several boarders heard two shots coming from the third story of the hotel. One of the girls employed about the house immediately reported to the clerk that two shots had been fired in Room 22 which was occupied by Lockwood, and that they were followed by a noise of some one falling and that terrible groans as of dying persons came from the room. Procuring a sten ladder the clerk dimbed to the transon step ladder the clerk climbed to the transc and saw, lying upon the bed with one arm and the upper part of the body hanging over the side, Frank Lockwood dressed in his night clothes. wood dressed in his hight clothes.
The face was covered with blood and blood
was flowing down the arm and to the floor.
Upon the floor in front of the bed the head growded against the wall and the feet un-

der the edge, was the dead body of the Quinn girl. A horrible pistol wound was in her head, the temple was powder-burned, blood was flowing from nose and mouth. and the carpet under the head was satu rated with a large pool of the fluid. The bullet which had passed through her brain found imbedded in the window blind at the head of the bed. The force of the ball crushed her skull as if a heavy blow had fallen upon it, and the face and hair were powder burned. When the body of the girl was found her hands were extended over her breast and in the hollow of her arm was a Colt's self-acting 38-caliber re-volver, which showed two chambers recent-

volver, which showed two chambers recently discharged.

The girl had formerly worked for Lockwood at Medicine Lodge in his hotel, and while there had become desperately enam oured. Since that time she had been following Lockwood up and lavishing upon him a wild affection. She had been working at the Brettun House for about three months. Lockwood came here Monday evening and had been stopping at the same hotel, registering as "F. E. Lockwood, the world." The girl had probably been with Lockwood during the night, as the door was found locked and her room mate stated was found located and lef from mate state that she had not been in her own room. What words immediately led to the fatal shots will perhaps never be known, as the wounded man refused—or was unable—to give any information regarding the case.

Lockwood had been drinking yesterday and some words may have passed. The girl was about nincteen years of age and more than ordinarily good looking. She presented in life a neat and attractive appearance and had always deported herself well about the hotel. She has a brother in Kansas City and a sister in Memphis, Tenn. Kansas Chy and a sister in Memphis, Tenn, where she was born, but she would not tell her relatives what she was doing out here. When under the influence of liquor Lockwood was said to be dangerous, fearless, cruel and remorseless, but when sober was seemingly the best of men. When the great flood was at Medicine Lodge he herolcally risked his life time and again to rescue perishing persons and by continuous exposure in the water lost his voice almost beyond recovery. vond recovery. MISSING RAILROAD MAN.

LEAVERWORTH, Kan., Nov. 13.—This city was thrown into a state of excitement city was thrown into a state of excitement yesterday when the fact became known that Charles J. Byles, who for several years past has been in charge of the office of the Mis-souri Pacific railway, had disappeared. An investigation shows that the rumor was coroffice since Wednesday, and his absence has caused many theories to be brought forward. He was at the Union Depot Wednesday morning and met the auditor of the road, who arrived to make his annual examination of the office. He did not remain in the office with the auditor, but went to his home, and in the afternoon started out, dressed is gray suit and soft hat, and was last seen at the Union Depot as the Missouri Pacific train going south at 2:45 pulled in. This is the last that was seen of him, and the theory of some is that he took that train and left for some is that he took that train and left for parts unknown; others believe that he threw himself into the river, and still others suspect foul play. The auditor is at work examining the accounts in the office, but will give no information as to whether any shortage in his accounts has been discovered. It was necessary, however, to call in an expert to-day to open the drawers of the company's safe, as Mr. Byles took the keys off with him.

YOUNG BUFFIANS.

YOUNG EUFFIANS.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Nov. 15.—Frankie
Frank, a German boy between eight and
nine years of age, died at his father's residence in South Leavenworth last night from injuries received while on his way from school Friday evening. He was at-tending school on Third avenue, and on his tending school on Third avenue, and on his way home was attacked by some boys from that school and a party from the South Leavenworth colored school, and stoned and beaten by the beys. He made his way home and did not complain of his injuries until Saturday, when medical aid was summoned and his injuries pronounced serious. He lingered until last night, when he expired. The attack was unwarranted and whether the assault was made with mulicious intent or was a mismade with malicious intent or was a mischlevous freak of the boys was not learned. The matter has created a great deal of excitement among the friends of his parents and it is likely that several of the boys who were implicated in the affair will be arrested.

Rewards for Golden Weddings. BERLIN, Nov. 17.—Emperor William and the Empress Augusta have decided to conthe Empress Augusta have decided to confer medals of distinction upon couples celebrating golden or diamond weddings after an exemplary life. The medal will bear on one side an effigy of the Emperor and Empress and on the other the following passage from Romans: "Rejoicing in hope; patient in tribulation; steadfast in prayer." THE STRIKE DECLARED OFF.

Powderly Orders the Chicago Strikers to Return to Work.
Chicago, Nov. 15.—The great strike at the stock yards is ended and the strikers will return to work to-day. Saturday evening a meeting of the local assembly of the Knights of Labor was held at Germania Hall and was largely attended. The following letter from Grand Master Workman

Powderly was read: T. B. Barr,, Chicago, III.: PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 10.—In a circular issued March 13, 1886, I stated the policy of the Knights of Labor on the eight hour questhe Knights of Labor on the eight hour question. That circular was read and approved by the general executive board before it went out. It was afterwards approved by the entire order. In opposition to that circular the men at the stock yards struck for eight hours. The order of the Knights of Labor was not brought into the controversy, hence no action was necessary. During the session of the general assembly the men at the stock yards struck agan. You were sent to try and settle the strike, but in case of failure the order was not to be involved or asked for assessments. You settled the strike by ordering the men back at the old hours. They have in violation of the laws and your order and without notifying us again struck for eight hours. The board instructs you and Carleton, who will be with you to-day to settle the strike by putting the men back at the old hours until the order of the Knights of Labor takes definite action on the eight hour plan. If the men refuse take their charters, we must have obedience and discipline.

By order of the general executive board.

T. V. Powderly, Chairman. tion. That circular was read and approved

After the reading of the above order there were some expressions of dissatisfaction among the strikers, but finally a resolution was adopted by the meeting declaring the

It is Now Mexico's Turn. LAREDO, Tex., Nov. 16.—The Mexican Government through its consulat this place, Dr. Riviera, has been taking testimony for everal days in the matter of the arrest and imprisonment of Captain Rafael Panales, a Mexican citizen, in the Laredo jail by virtue of an indictment found by the grand jury of Webb County in 1879, charging him with murder. The facts in the case are that in company of Mexican infantry in New Laredo, fired upon and killed a deserter from bis company after the man had reached the Texas bank of the Rio Grande. The Mexican Government will probably claim damages in a sum that will offset the damages claimed by Cutting at El Paso.

MARKET REPORTS.

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Grain and Provisions.

Sr. Louis, Nov. 16.

Fl.our—Quiet and steady; XXX, \$2.35@2.45; family, \$2.55@2.50; choice, \$3.05@3.15; fancy, \$3.56@3.50; extra fancy, \$3.55@3.80; patents, \$3.95@4.35; November, 75c bid; December, 75c bid; December, 75c bid; December, 26.25 bid; May, 83.5@36c.

Coin—Dull; No. 2 mixed, cash, 33%; December, 26.26 bid; May, 30%c.

HYs—Firmer at 50%c bid.

Bahilky—Dull and unchanged at 62½@55c.
PRODUCE—Butter, active; choice to fancy creamery, 23@25c; choice to fancy disty, 14@24c. Eggs, ensier at 18@18½c per dozen.
Plavisions—Pork, firm; \$9.87%. Lard, strong; \$5.55. Bulk meats, lower; loose lots, Jong clear, \$5.60; short ribs, \$5.70; short clear, \$6.00. Boxed lots, long clear \$5.62.54; short ribs, \$5.70; short clear, \$6.00. Racon, weak; long clear, \$7.00; short ribs, \$7.00; whisky—Strong at \$1.18. Cartile—Firm: choice native steers, \$4.30. @4.89; fair to med um sh.ppers, \$3.56@4.30. butchers' steers, fair to good, \$2.56@3.25.

Sheep—Firmer choice native steers, \$4.30. @4.89; fair to med um sh.ppers, \$3.56@4.30. butchers' steers, fair to good, \$3.10@4.15; reeders, fair to good, \$3.10@4.15; reeders, fair to good, \$3.10@4.15; reeders, fair to good, \$3.50@3.25.

Sheep—Firmer choice native steers, \$4.30. &4.05.

Hous—Strong; choice heavy and butchers' selections, \$3.50@4.00; packers, fair to choice, \$3.50@3.50.

FLOUR-Unchanged; Southern winter wheat flour, \$4.18a4.50; Wisconsin, \$3.9064.00; Michi-gan, \$4.0064.20; Soft spring wheat, \$7.5064.10; Minnesota bakers, \$5.064.10; patients, \$4.506

NEW YORK, Nov 16.

FLOUR—Dull and weak; Common to choice extra St. Louis, \$2.454.475; natent Minnesota, extra good to prime, \$4.2024.40; choice to double extra \$4.5024.50; natent Minnesota, extra good to prime, \$4.2024.40; choice to double extra \$4.5024.90; not not not red, 76.2634.90.

Wheat—Firm; No. 2 sping, \$4.90; ungraded red, 76.26340; no. 2 red, 84.26240; November, 83.90; December, 84.90; S6c; January, 85.26240; Il-16c; February, 87.40
884.60; May, \$2.20240.

Conn—Quiet: ungraded, 44.204540; No. 8 new, 42.460; No. 2, 440; November, 44.40; December, 454.204540; January, 46.4046 ib-16c; February, 47.424740; May, 494.6.

OATS—Moderately active; mixed western, 28.42340; white western, 35.2460.

Hye—No market.

PRODUGE—Butter, firm; western, 12.2280, Rggs, quiet and weak; western, 24.250 per dozen.

PROVISIONS—Pork, stronger; mess, \$9.752
10.00 for old and \$10.50210.75 for new, Cut meats, quiet; middles, steady; long clear, 6c; pickled shoulders, 5.90; smoked shoulders, 170; ress hams, 8.40; smoked bellies, 6.84.275; pickled shoulders, 5.90; smoked shoulders, 170; ress hams, 8.40; smoked bellies, 76; western pickled hams, 9.20,00; not red bellies, 6.84.2015; pickled shoulders, 5.90; smoked shoulders, 5.90; smoked shoulders, 5.90; smoked shams, 9.40; smoked bellies, 770; fresh hams, 8.40; chard, less active; western steam spot, 8.25; Novenneer, 8.43; citysteam, 8.610.

CATTLE—Dull and weak; poor to prime natives, \$3.3005.20; extra to fanoy do, \$5.256.555; fair to good Texas do, \$3.3025.70; extra to fanoy do, \$5.256.555; fair to good Texas do, \$3.3025.70; extra to fanoy do, \$5.256.555; fair to good Texas do, \$3.3025.70; extra to fanoy do, \$5.256.555; fair to good Texas do, \$3.3025.70; extra to fanoy do, \$5.256.555; fair to good Texas do, \$3.3025.70; extra to fanoy do, \$5.256.555; fair to good Texas do, \$3.3025.70; extra to fanoy do, \$5.256.555; fair to good Texas do, \$3.3025.70; extra to fanoy do, \$5.256.555; fair to good Texas do, \$4.2006.25 for lambs and \$3.0025.00 per 100 pounds for sheep.

heep. Hogs—Dull and nominal at \$4.25@4.65,

KANSAS CITY, NOV. 16.

FLOUR-Active; X. 750: XXX. 85@15c; family, \$1.05@1.15; choice, \$1.3621 45; fancy, \$1.50@1.55; extra fancy, \$1.50@1.55; patent, \$1.95@2.56. Rye, \$1.45@1.70.

WHEAT-Quiet; No. 3 red winter, November, 54% bid, 55% asked, No. 2 soft winter, 63% casked December; No. 2 red winter, 60% old, November; December, 61c bid, 62% asked; May, 70% bid, 70% casked.

Coin-Stronger: No. 2 cask, 29% bid, 29% asked; November. 29% c. December, 80% cithe year, 29% bid, 30% casked; May, 78% c bid, 35% casked; No. 3 white, 30% casked; May, 78% c bid, 35% casked; No. 3 white, 30% casked cash.

OATS—No. 2, December, 25c asked; May, 28% c bid, 29% casked. Rejected cash, no bid, RYS—No bids nor offerings.

bid.

RYE—No bids nor offerings.

PRODUCE—Butter, steady; creamery, fancy, 28c; good, 25c; fine dairy, 15@18c. Eggs, arm at 18c per dozen.

PROVISIONS—Hams, 10%c; breakfast bacon, 1/4c; dried beef, 10c; mess pork, 29.50; tierue lard, \$5.00; clear rib sides, smoked, \$5.00; long clear, \$5.00; clear rib sides, smoked, \$5.00; long clear, \$5.00; clear rib sides, smoked, \$5.00; long clear, \$5.00; shouldere, \$5.25; short clear, \$5.76. butchers, \$3.50@8.50; shippers, \$2.65@

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