All this delay and extra expense to the various States is caused by the neglect of the electors to sign their names on the envelopes as provided by law.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Opening Session of the Twenty-First Annual Convention—Address by Miss Anthony.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The opening session of the twenty-first annual convention of the National Woman Suffrage Association was held in the Congregational Church, at the corner of Tenth and G streets, in this city, this morning. On the platform were seated Miss Susan B. Anthony, Clara B. Colby, editor of the Woman's Tribune; May Wright Sewell, of Indiana; Abigail Scott Duniway, of Oregon; Miss Lucy Anthony; Senator Blair, of New Hampshire; A. G. Riddle, of Washington; Fred Douglass, and several others prominent in the woman's-suffrage movement.

In the absence of the president of the association, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Miss Susan B. Anthony was chosen to preside. In introducing Mr. Riddle, who made the opening address, Miss Anthony said: "For the twenty-first time during the last twenty years we are assembled in this city. We are here now, as before, for the purpose of declaring our sentiments—that all people of legal age are citizens, and that no State can in justice restrict this right by legislation." She spoke of the large audience present as indicative of the growing interest in the question of equal suffrage for women, and declared that it was her settled conviction that success would at last crown the efforts that had been made for the political elevation of woman.

Miss Anthony was followed by Mr. Riddle and Senator Blair. The latter referred in words of high commendation to the recent work at the polls of the women in Boston in "rescuing our public schools," and thought that the Republican party should make itself the champion of this great movement, and should make universal suffrage an important plank in its platform. He urged the promoters of the movement to demand suffrage as a right, and predicted for them ultimate success.

A resolution was read and adopted providing for a committee to memorialize Congress, to the end that women might be recognized and allowed to participate in the ceremonies of the coming centennial celebration.

Miss Anthony read a letter from Elizabeth Cady Stanton, the president of the association, in which she regretted her inability to be present, but sent words of sympathy and congratulations for what had been achieved, and of reproof for our rulers who still withhold from the women of the Nation their inalienable rights.

Rev. Olympia Brown, of Wisconsin, spoke upon the subject of "Foreign Rule." She asked if, after all, the American people had not been too generous and nearly turned themselves out of doors? After throwing off the government of the aristocracy of Europe, it would be a striking commentary if this country should come to be governed by the representatives of the slums of European capitals. While not opposed to foreign immigration, she thought it a mistake to confer upon foreigners advantages which are not given to the native born. Foreigners were allowed to vote too soon after reaching this country. Speaking of the public schools, she said that already in one town in Wisconsin they had been done away with, and the same was threatened in another. She predicted that in the near future there would have to be a contest waged in defense of the public-school system.

At the conclusion of Mrs. Brown's address, Miss Anthony announced the chairmen of the committees as follows:

Resolutions, Abigail Scott Duniway; new constitution, Mrs. Sewall, chairman, Mrs. Blake, Mrs. Shattuck and Mrs. Johns; nominations, Miss Anthony; credentials, Mrs. Shattuck.

A committee of eleven was appointed, of which Miss Anthony was made chairman, to meet a like committee from the American Woman's Suffrage Association, with a view to an ultimate union of the two associations. A meeting will probably be held here to-morrow or Wednesday.

At the evening session Laura M. Johns, president of the Kansas association, spoke upon "Municipal Woman's Suffrage in Kansas." She emphatically denied the truth of published reports of disorderly scenes at the polling-places in the cities of Kansas, and declared that the practical test of municipal suffrage in that State has proved eminently satisfactory to its friends. Rev. Annie H. Shaw, of Illinois, delivered an able address upon the "Fate of Republics."

Encouraging News from England.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The Woman's Suffrage party's State committee professes to have advices from their British co-workers that about 2,000,000 women were registered and voted at the election in England, Scotland and Wales for members of the new city councils. The Countess of Aberdeen is at the head of an organization of wealthy, titled and influential ladies who have united to enforce the right of their sex to sit as members of the councils, and to resist any attempt to deprive Lady Sandhurst, Miss Jane Cobden (daughter of Richard Cobden), and the other ladies who have been elected to the councils, of their places therein on any legal pretext. The report that Lady Sandhurst will be made a member of the London Board of Aldermen is thought to have good foundation.

THE SUPREME COURT.

A Decision of Interest to Inventors, and Another Affecting Stock-Brokers.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The Supreme Court of the United States to-day rendered an opinion in the important patent case of the Bate Refrigerating Company, appellant, vs. George Hammand & Co.; appeal from the Circuit Court of the United States for the district of Massachusetts. By statute of the United States it is provided that when a patent is taken out in a foreign country, and one subsequently is also secured in this country, the patent shall expire in the United States with the expira- of the patent in the foreign country in which it first runs out. Under the Canadian law patents are granted for five years, with the privilege of renewal for two periods of five years each. The question in this case was whether the lifetime of the American patent expired five years from its issuance in Canada, or at the end of fifteen years, which is the limit to which the life of a patent may be extended in Canada. The Supreme Court, through Justice Blatchford, holds that the patent in the United States does not expire for fifteen years from the granting of the patent; that is to say, the lifetime of an American patent first taken out in a foreign country does not expire until the extreme limit of time for which an extension of patent may be secured in the foreign country. The court, therefore, reverses the decision of the Circuit Court of Massachusetts, and remands the case to the lower court, with instructions to enter a decree in accordance with the judgment of this court. The case is regarded by persons interested in patents as one of great importance. Many electrical patents are affected by the decision.

An opinion of interest to stock-brokers was rendered in the case of Wm. G. Galigher, appellant, vs. Thomas R. Jones; appeal from the Supreme Court of the Territory of Utah. The case turns upon loss sustained by Galigher through the refusal or neglect of his broker, Mr. Jones, to follow his instructions in a stock transaction. The court holds that a broker is but an agent, and that he is bound to follow the directions of his principal, or give prompt notice that he declines to continue the agency. It therefore decides that Jones is liable for damages for not notifying Galigher by telegraph that he would not convert certain stocks into other stocks, as he was ordered to do. The measure of damages which should be awarded where a stock advances in value after an order to buy has been given, the court holds, should be the highest intermediate value which the stock attains, between the time the order was given and a reasonable time after notice of failure to buy the stock is given the intending purchaser, in order that he may make a new order. The decision of the lower court, in favor of Jones, is reversed.

MINOR MATTERS.

Hints That Are Intended for the Especial Benefit of People Who Want Office.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The Indiana and other delegations in Congress are being flooded every day by applications for office from their constituents. These letters are almost invariably answered by the Senators and Representatives addressed with the statement that until the next administration is settled, the Cabinet announced, and the policy of President Harrison and his advisers is understood, no information can be given to those who aspire to federal positions of any class. If applicants for office could understand that their correspondence with Representatives in Congress at this time is almost immediately thrown into pigeon-holes or waste-baskets, they would save themselves considerable epistolary labor. Those who make application now will labor under the double disadvantage of having their letters placed where they will not again be referred to, and of having once before bothered the men on whom they will lean for influence in Washington. Men and women who want appointments would do well to wait until after inauguration, meanwhile getting their local indorsements and influence in proper shape. Till the machinery of the government gets into motion, Senators and Representatives are in the dark, and can and will do nothing.

The Panama Canal Resolution.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Pursuant to a special call, the Edmunds Panama canal resolution was taken up for consideration this morning by the House committee on foreign affairs. The sub-committee reported, through Chairman McCreary, that in its opinion the resolution should be adopted without amendment. He explained that certain changes might have been made in the phraseology of the resolution which would have made it more acceptable to the sub-committee, but as the sense of the measure fully met their views, the members were not disposed to obstruct its passage on that account, and therefore unanimously recommended it favorably to the House. This report at once resulted in opening a discussion, which was participated in by most of the members present, and the hour of 12 arrived before any conclusion had been reached.

There seems to be little doubt that the resolution will be favorably reported in the end, but the matter was allowed to go over until next Thursday, by which time it is hoped that the opposition which appeared this morning may be overcome by argument, and practically a unanimous report secured.

The Ball Will Continue Three Nights.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The inaugural committee has decided that the inauguration ball shall be practically repeated for three nights after inauguration day. The ball-room in the court of the Pension Building will be thrown open to the public on the nights of March 5, 6, and 7, and an admission fee of $1 will be charged. All the gorgeous decorations and the music of inauguration night will be repeated, so that any one who does not care to be crushed to death on the night of March 4, at the rate of $5 per head, can calmly enjoy the beauty and magnificence and music of the same occasion on the three following nights for just one dollar.

Judge Vincent's Vindication.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The vindication of Judge W. A. Vincent, who was removed from the office of Chief-justice of New Mexico by President Cleveland, last summer, and who was recently offered a judgship in Montana by the President, was made complete to-day, so far as the administration could effect it. In the Supreme Court, Attorney-general Garland moved that Judge Vincent be admitted to practice, eulogizing him in the warmest terms, whereupon his name was placed on the roll of attorneys.

Bond Purchases.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—To-day's bond offerings aggregated $59,500, as follows: Fours, registered, $500 at $1.29 1-4; four-and-a-halfs, registered, $59,000 at $1.09 and $1.09 1-8. The Secretary of the Treasury to-day accepted $30,000 four-and-a-halfs, registered, at $1.09.

Indiana Pensions.

Pensions have been granted the following-named Indianians:

Original Invalid—T. R. Bunnell, Monticello; H. W. Parish, Greenfield; J. A. Gilbert, Prairieton; G. Davidson, Greencastle; R. D. Geddes, Roanoke; J. Coy, Clarksburg; J. H. Phillips, Alpha; A. Mendenhall, Belleville; J. D. Franklin, Spencer; P. Evans, Spencer; A. K. Lane, Odon; J. W. Gordon, Benham's Store; S. H. Hester, Broun's Valley; J. D. Mason, Stockwell; H. Woertz Adams, Lanesville; A. L. Ryans, Adams; W. F. Chapman, Kokomo; W. Tatman, Clifty; H. Trout, Warren; B. Adams, Rushville; S. Brechner, Servia.

Increase—J. Richards, Star City; H. Meadows, Guthrie; W. S. Chestnut, Loogootee; I. Premer, West Chester; E. Stephens, Greenfield; G. W. Hatfield, Bourbon; J. Hosler, Corunna; H. Work, Ash Grove; J. McGaughey, Fincastle; Z. Steed, Hartford City; I. A. Batchelder, Ligonier; T. Kennedy, Decatur; J. Jordon, Orleans; E. Druckenmiller, Warsaw; I. E. Mason, Oak Forest; D. O. Mann, Eoralton; D. L. Hodges, Hadley; D. Palm, Geneva.

Re-issue—J. Dobson, New Salisbury; A. Dougherty, Epsom; A. Shaffer, Clinton.

Re-issue and Increase—J. Henry, Clinton; J. Jackson, Franklin.

Widows, etc.—Sarah, mother of G. C. Vanmeter, Royal Centre; minor of J. Eastin, Brownstown; Mary J., mother of B. H. Marshall, Lawrenceburg.

General Notes.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Mr. Pettit, formerly manager of the Occidental Hotel, Indianapolis, is in the city.

John W. Coleman, of Union, Pike county, was to-day admitted to practice before the Interior Department; also, David Hull, of Argos, Marshall county, and Jason G. Lamison, of Lima, O.

The board of managers of the National Soldiers' Homes will meet here on Friday, and if the borings for gas to be used at the new home, which has been located in Grant county, have not proven successful, the board will agree upon a new location for that home.

The Comptroller of the Currency has authorized the Iowa State National Bank, of Sioux City, Ia., to commence business with one hundred thousand dollars' capital.

Southern Honors to an Englishman.

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 21.—At the meeting of the Society of the Army and Navy of the Confederate States of America, held here last night, Sir Garnet Wolseley, adjutant-general of the British army, was elected an honorary member of the society. The reason given for electing General Wolseley was that he was with General Lee and saw part of his campaign. General Wolseley was conducted to General Lee by Gen. Bradley T. Johnson in October, 1862, after the battle of Sharpsburg. This General, in an article written lately, said that General Lee was one of the five greatest generals who ever lived. He also had a lively sympathy with the South during the late conflict. For these reasons the society honored General Wolseley by making him their second honorary member. He will be officially notified of his election.

Burglar Shot and Killed.

MAYSVILLE, Ky., Jan. 21.—Wilson's store, at Wilson's Landing, has been robbed frequently of late, and on Saturday night James McCormack kept watch. He was concealed in an upper room, and was awakened at a late hour by persons who had effected an entrance. Proceeding to a lower room, he was fired upon by one of the men, the bullet grazing his forehead. He returned the fire with a double-barreled shotgun, killing the fellow instantly. The rest fled. The dead man was found to be Al Harrison, aged twenty-one, son of respectable parents, and who had always been well thought of in the community. He had a revolver in each hand. Harrison's companions are still unknown.

Young Negro Girl Mortally Wounded.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 21.—A difficulty occurred this afternoon between Wm. J. Sapp, of Shelby county, Texas, a student at the Memphis Hospital Medical College, and Lee Palmer, a negro. The two engaged in a rough-and-tumble fight. After several blows had been struck, the negro ran toward his home, which was near by, when Sapp fired two shots at him. The bullets struck Mary Palmer, aged fifteen, a sister of the negro, who was inside the house. One lodged in her hip, the other in her bowels, inflicting what is thought to be mortal wounds. Sapp was arrested to-night at the Iron Mountain depot. He had purchased a ticket and intended leaving the city for Marshall, Tex. He denies having done the shooting.

INDIANA AND ILLINOIS NEWS

A Man Confesses to Murdering Two Persons, and Ends His Life by Suicide.

Veterinary Surgeon Bitten by a Mad Horse—A Convict Asks to Be Taken Back to Prison—Thieves Among College Students.

INDIANA.

A Suicide Confesses to Having Murdered a Man and Woman in Missouri.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

VINCENNES, Jan. 21.—A sensational suicide and more sensational confession occurred at Sandborn, thirty miles north of this city, last Friday night. Mr. Frank Watson, who lives three miles southeast of Sandborn, went to the little village and bought nearly a drachm of morphine, and went home, took the terrible dose and told his wife what he had done. He also told her that he had resolved to die, and that he had feared the results of a crime he had committed in a Missouri town, in a house of ill-fame. He said he had slain a man and woman in self-defense, and that he had been told that afternoon that the Missouri officers were after him to take him away to the scene of his crime. He had committed the crime while living under an assumed name, and he had made up his mind to die rather than go back. He asked his wife to send for William and Herbert Allen, whom he wanted to pray for him; that the only regret he had was that he feared he would lose his soul. He died on Saturday night. Watson is the brother of William Watson, who killed a man at a political gathering near here in October. The parents of these depraved youths are crazed with grief. The suicide went to Sandborn about six months ago and married a widow, and determined to settle down to a quiet life. The location of the crime in Missouri was not learned until this evening.

Hydrophobia in Montgomery County.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Jan. 21.—There remains no doubt now as to whether the dog that has been biting horses and cattle in the southern portion of Montgomery county was mad or not, as the application of the mad-stone to the arm of a man who was bitten by a horse previously bitten by the dog, has proven that hydrophobic symptoms were there. Last week Dr. Highway, a veterinary surgeon of Ladogo, was called to see a horse in the country. The Doctor thought the horse had colic, and in attempting to administer medicine to the animal he was bitten on the wrist. The horse soon afterwards died in convulsions. Then the Doctor began to inquire whether the mad dog had been in the neighborhood where the owner of the horse lived, and ascertained that such was the case. Dr. Highway did not rest easy over the injury received from the bite of the horse, and resolved to apply a mad stone. He went to Terre Haute and applied the stone to his wrist, just above the wound. The first time it was applied it adhered thirteen hours, and the second time eleven hours, making twenty-four hours at both times. People are almost panic-stricken in the vicinity of Ladoga, as there is no telling as to how many, or what cattle, horses or dogs have been bitten and may at any time bite other animals or persons.

Escaped Prisoner Gives Himself Up.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

FRANKLIN, Jan. 21.—This afternoon, at 2 o'clock, a man entered Sheriff Hazelett's office and laid a revolver upon the desk upon which Mr. H. was writing, and said: "Mr. Sheriff, I am a fugitive from justice, and I want you to take me back to the prison." The sheriff questioned him, and he told the following story: "My name is Edward Sebert. I made my escape from the Ionia (Mich.) penitentiary last September; was sentenced for seven years for stealing a pair of horses and a carriage; served five years; became a "trusty" and then made my escape. I want you to take me back." Sheriff Hazelett telegraphed the warden of the Ionia penitentiary, giving the above facts and a description of the man, and in reply received word from the warden that the statement made by the man was a true one, and requesting Sheriff Hazelett to take the prisoner to New Buffalo, Mich., where officers of the prison would meet him and take charge of the man. The prisoner refused to tell where his home is or where his folks reside. He looks to be about thirty years old, is well dressed and is a genteel-looking fellow. Mr. Hazelett left for New Buffalo with the prisoner in charge.

Greensburg's New and Old Churches.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

GREENSBURG, Jan. 21.—The new Baptist Church of this city was formally opened and dedicated yesterday, and, notwithstanding the inclement weather, a good audience was present. Rev. D. W. Sanders, the pastor, was assisted by Rev. Rawls, of the First M. E. Church; Rev. Torrance, of the Presbyterian Church; Rev. B. F. Cavens, a former pastor, now of Peru, and Rev. Reynolds, of the Centenary M. E. Church. The building cost nearly $10,000 and is perhaps the neatest church structure in southeastern Indiana. The debt was nearly $3,000, about half of which was subscribed yesterday.

With the completion of this church building, this place may well be called the city of good churches. The Centenary M. E. Church, built about 1866, cost $18,000; the Christian Church, built about 1868, cost $15,000; the First M. E. Church, built about 1874, cost $20,000; the Presbyterian Church, built in 1878, cost $22,000; the Catholic Church, built in 1884, cost $14,000 and now the Baptist Church at a cost of $10,000. Besides these there are two smaller frame churches—one African M. E. Church and the other belonging to the "Church of God."

Coal Discovered in Northern Indiana.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BLUFFTON, Jan. 21.—Frederick Reppard, a farmer residing in the vicinity of Courtland, a small station on the Chicago & Atlantic railroad near here, began drilling a well for water a few days ago, but was unsuccessful in his efforts, and at the depth of 150 feet the drill came in contact with what was at first supposed to be stone. Upon withdrawing the tools, the farmer was much surprised to find that the supposed rock was coal. Specimens have been sent to parties in Pennsylvania, who pronounce it an excellent quality and advise the sinking of a shaft. They have also tested some of it in blacksmith forges, and it is said to burn as well as the best Pennsylvania coal. Operations will be begun at once to make a thorough test as to whether it exists in paying quantities.

Thievery at Franklin College.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

FRANKLIN, Jan 21.—Franklin College has an unknown thief among the students. For some time past students have been missing various articles of value, and during the last few days several sums of money have been stolen. On last Friday night the room of a Mr. Burton was entered and $20 taken. Several of the lady students have had their purses stolen from the ladies' reception-room, and this morning it was discovered that $5 had been taken from the college library and reading-room. In the chapel this morning Dr. Stott, president of the college, made a speech to the students in regard to the matter, saying that when caught, the thief, whoever he was, would suffer at the hands of the law. The faculty evidently have a clew to the thief.

Fastidious Prisoners.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RICHMOND, Jan. 21.—Jarred Kibbey, who shot Jeff Ranck; Oscar Heath, who shot a couple of men slightly, while in pursuit of him, at Centerville, and Ambrose Arington (colored), in jail for burglary, were all locked up in their cells and put on bread and water, to-day. There has been mutiny breeding there for some time, the bill of fare not suiting, and when they were given nothing more extra than been-soup, bread and meat (beef), sauerkraut and gingerbread for their Sunday dinner, Kibbey began to demur, by declaring the meat rotten; (the sheriff had a piece of the same on his own table.) Heath talked about tearing down the jail if they did not get better fare, and Arington got into trouble for grabbing up the food belonging to other prisoners.

A Spry Centenarian.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MARTINSVILLE, Jan. 21.—James H. Culver, residing four miles southwest of this city, was born on March 4, 1789, in Virginia. He was well known as one of the F. F. V.'s. He has just finished grubbing three acres of new land for David Bothwell, near Hyndsdale, and is as supple as many men at fifty or sixty years of age. About forty years ago he was the Owen county jailer, at Spencer, and his hair was snow white then. He will probably attend the inauguration of General Harrison on his one-hundreth birth-day anniversary.

A Daughter Reunites Father and Mother.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LOGANSPORT, Jan. 21.—Twenty years ago Henry Dritt and Emma Adams were married in this city. A year later a girl baby was born to them, and shortly thereafter a divorce was decreed to Mrs. Dritt, whereupon she went to Detroit and opened a boarding-house. Last week the daughter came to this city and succeeded in adjusting the estrangement between the parents, and as a result a quiet marriage took place at Mt. Carmel, Mich., last week. Mr. Dritt is quite wealthy.

The Jury in the Wathen Will Case Disagrees.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

SALEM, Jan. 21.—The jury in the Wathen will case, after being out nearly forty-eight hours, was dismissed by Judge Collins yesterday morning, as they could not agree upon a verdict. It is understood that the jury stood five to seven in favor of not sustaining the will presented for probate. The whole case will have a new hearing elsewhere soon.

Minor Notes.

Hobart, Lake county, having voted to be incorporated, will elect officers June 21.

The Chicago & Atlantic depot, at Boone Grove, recently burned, at a loss of $2,000, is being fast rebuilt.

W. H. Long has resigned as postmaster at Russellville and Uriah Brown, a Republican, has taken his place.

A Jeffersonville firm has obtained the contract to build six boats for the government, for use on Southern rivers.

It is estimated that 8,000 barrels of oil recently leaked, near Crown Point, from the pipe line. Forty acres were flooded.

Thomas Peters, a farmer of Jackson township, Cass county, was thrown from a buggy, on Sunday evening, and instantly killed.

James Hancock, one of the oldest settlers in Clinton county, died on Saturday, aged eighty-two. He has been totally blind for twenty-five years.

The skeleton of an Indian has been discovered on the farm of Jacob Lutz, near Whitlock, Montgomery county. The bones were badly decayed.

Horace Griffes, a merchant of Connersville, died in Cincinnati, yesterday, from the effects of a surgical operation performed upon him in that city.

Some time ago Mr. Trump, of Lowell, was relieved of an insect, or animal, which he had swallowed. For awhile he regained strength, but now is failing rapidly.

In the Circuit Court, at Madison, yesterday, Judge Friedley fined Mrs. Captain Finley $50 and costs, for assault and battery on Annie O'Connell, her adopted daughter.

Bartlett O'Neal, aged eighty-seven years, died at his home near Columbus, yesterday morning, of old age. The deceased was a pioneer citizen of that section, and was highly respected.

At Goshen on Saturday Judge Van Fleet granted the murderer Scott a change of venue to the St. Joseph court. Scott is a wealthy Texan and murdered Crowley at Elkhart in August.

A man representing himself as a drummer for Fox Bros., of Fort Wayne, has been making collections for the firm in Goshen and surrounding towns. He is said to have made over $1,000 by the swindle.

If the window-glass trust carries out its decision in closing down all the Western factories, it will prove a blow to Marion and Kokomo, in throwing out of employment hundreds of men at both places.

Mrs. A. J. Hobbs died at Greensburg, on Saturday, aged seventy-one years. Her maiden name was English—a family prominent in the early settlement of Decatur county. Mrs. Hobbs was burried yesterday.

The wife of S. A. R. Beach, a prominent farmer of Coal Creek township, Montgomery county, died on Monday from dropsy. The deceased was a daughter of James Espey, of Champaign county, Illinois.

G. M. Billings, of LaPorte, fell asleep in the depot at Fort Wayne, and while in that state was cloroformed by robbers. On recovering from the anesthetic he was taken with hemorrage of the lungs and is now in a dangerous condition.

Elder Sellers, of the Christian Church, evangelist for the district composed of Shelby and Johnson counties, is holding a revival meeting at Morristown, and is having crowded houses every night. Twenty-six persons have united with the church in the past two weeks.

Considerable excitement has been occasioned at Rockport over a White Cap warning received by the grand jury. The notice, which was prepared in the usual style, was tacked over the door of the grand jury room and warned the members of that body to "walk straight or git."

James B. Neal, one of the oldest citizens of Salem, fell and broke his hip bone last Saturday. He is seventy-five years of age, and the injury is a serious one. It is a singular coincidence that his wife met with an exactly similar accident a few years ago, which resulted in her death.

On April 1, 1888, Martin Mulloy took the train at Wellsboro, LaPorte county, for Syracuse, N. Y., and has not been heard from since then. On the morning of April 2 a train was wrecked on the Grand Trunk railroad, near the Canadian line, and it is now thought Mulloy was among the number killed.

While John Yarbro, of Jeffersonville, was driving home on Saturday night, he was attacked by two negro highwaymen, who pressed pistols at his head. Meanwhile the team ran away and both men were knocked from the wagon, but not before one of them had torn a piece out of Mr. Yarbro's cheek. A little later a similar attempt and unsuccessful, was made on John Beatty.

Lon Nelp, the Peru business man who recently went to Brooklyn, N. Y., in search of a wife, has just returned with his bride, who was a Miss Henrietta Borchers, of that city. The couple were married last Tuesday. Nelp never saw his bride until he arrived in Brooklyn, where the matter was arranged by his mother, who became attached to the lady and made the match.

Robert Osborne, a Democratic deputy marshal stationed at Waynetown on the last election day, arrested a man named Haas for some alleged attempted fraud. Haas was taken to Crawfordsville and at once released. Mrs. Haas then had him arrested, charging him with assault and battery. The case was called in the Montgomery County Court yesterday, and Osborne was fined $5 and costs.

A serious runaway accident occurred near Waynetown on Saturday night, whereby Edward Hall and his wife were thrown from a wagon. Mrs. Hall was almost scalped, the skull being laid bare from the crown of the head forward to the eyes. Her husband was knocked senseless. Mrs. Hall, however, had presence of mind enough to wrap up her face and head and walk nearly two hundred yards to a church, where services were in progress, to get assistance for her husband. Both are badly injured.

ILLINOIS.

Coming Annual Celebration of the Odd-Fellows of the Central Part of the State.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MONTICELLO, Jan. 21.—The I. O. O. F. district meeting have decided to hold their annual celebration at Monticello, on April 26, which will be one of the largest gatherings of the order ever held in central Illinois. The district embraces the counties of Piatt, Champaign, Vermillion and Macon. Many prominent men of the order will be present. The Monticello Odd-fellows are preparing to give the visiting brethren a hearty reception.

Brief Mention.

Coal has been found at Pana at a depth of 730 feet.

John H. McElhanon, aged eighty, and Mrs. Elizabeth Purvess, aged sixty-six, were married at Nashville on Saturday. The groom is said to be as spry as most men are at fifty.

An animal, supposed to be a panther, is causing much consternation among farmers near White Heath.

Dr. A. R. Thain, for eleven years pastor of the First Congregational Church at Galesburg, has resigned to take charge of a Congregational Church in Omaha.

The Central Illinois Turn Bezirk met at Bloomington on Sunday. Delegates were present from Pekin, Peoria, Peru, Decatur, Moline, Jacksonville and other cities.

The new and beautiful church erected by the Presbyterians at Galesville was dedicated on Sunday. The Rev. Dr. Wheaton, of Farmer City, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Waller, of Monticello, conducted the ceremonies.

Walter P. Morgan, one of the oldest Wabash conductors, died at Decatur, on Sunday, of blood-poisoning, resulting from a carbuncle. He had been employed by the Wabash company for thirty-eight years, eighteen years of the time being spent as a conductor.

Nathaniel Bordwine is the oldest man in Fulton county, having been born in 1799. He has chewed tobacco for sixty-seven years, never been sick, chops all the wood used on his farm, and plows and harvests with the younger generation. His hair is only slightly gray.

A loving boy and girl, each aged fifteen years, ran away from Comstock because the girl's teacher reprimanded her, and walked thirty-five miles to East St. Louis. The lad dressed himself in some of the girl's clothes in order to avoid detection. He expected to procure work in East St. Louis for himself and sweetheart, but before he had opportunity to carry out his plans the girl's father put in an appearance and took her home.

LABOR TROUBLES.

Strike of the Lake Erie & Western Freight Brakemen at Lafayette.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Jan. 21.—The freight brakemen on the Lake Erie & Western railroad at this point to-night refused to go out, and up to midnight not a freight train had moved. Those made up were abandoned. The brakemen demand two cents per mile on through freights, and three men on local freights, the company having yesterday reduced the number to two. The brakemen also object to shoveling coal on the engine at Hillesburg. It is claimed that word was to-night sent out to strike all along the line, from Lima, O., to Peoria, Ill.

Strike of Miners Probably Averted.

SPRING VALLEY, Ill., Jan. 21.—The threatened strike of the 1,800 coal miners, decided on on Saturday, will probably be settled to-day. Thomas Mulkely, the man whom the company refused to dismiss, has notified the miners that he will quit work, and as this was the only bone of contention, the others will probably resume their places as usual.

Miners Refused an Advance.

FORT DODGE, Ia., Jan. 21.—The miners in the coal mines at Boonsborough, which employd 300 men, are out on strike because of a reduction in the rate from 41 1-2 to 40 cents. Mine-owners claim that the strike will benefit them by limiting the output and raising the price, while the miners are obstinate and say they are out to win.

Boycotters Beaten in Court.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 21.—Barker Bros., builders and contractors, who have been boycotted by the Brick-layers' Union of this city, were awarded $3,700 damages against the union by a jury this afternoon.

DAILY WEATHER BULLETIN.

Indications.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.

For Indiana and Illinois—Fair; warmer; southerly winds.

For Michigan and Wisconsin—Generally fair; warmer; winds becoming southerly.

For Minnesota and Dakota—Light local snows; warmer, except in western Dakota, colder; winds becoming westerly.

For Iowa—Fair; warmer; variable winds, generally southerly, veering to westerly.

Local Weather Report.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 22.

Time.	Bar.	Ther.	R. H.	Wind.	Weather.	Pre.
7 A.M.	30.12	11	85	West	Cloudless.	0.04
7 P.M.	30.28	26	82	S west	Cloudless.	.....

Maximum thermometer, 29; minimum thermometer, 10.

Following is a comparative statement of the condition of temperature and precipitation on Jan. 21, 1889:

	Tem.	Precip.
Normal	31	0.09
Mean	18	0.04
Departure	–13	–0.05
Total excess or deficit since Jan. 1	*114	*0.10

*Plus.

General Observations.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 21—7 P. M.

Station.	B'r'meter	Thermomet'r Exp.	Min.	Max.	Precip't'n	Weather.
New York city	29.86	22	32	38	T	Cloudy.
Buffala, N. Y.	30.02	22	20	26	.02	Cloudless.
Phil'delphia, Pa	29.96	32	32	38	....	Cloudless.
Pittsburg, Pa	30.16	26	28	30	.02	Cloudless.
Wash'ton, D. C.	30.10	30	28	20	....	Cloudless.
Charlest'n, S. C.	30.22	46	44	50	....	Cloudless.
Atlanta, Ga.	30.30	38	34	44	....	Cloudless.
Jacks'nv'le, Fla	30.24	46	46	56	....	Cloudless.
Pensacola, Fla	30.30	46	..	52	....	Cloudless.
Montg'm'ry, Al'	30.32	46	36	50	....	Cloudless.
Vicksburg, Miss	30.34	42	28	48	....	Cloudless.
N. Orleans, La.	30.30	44	36	50	....	Cloudless.
Little Rock, Ark	30.28	42	24	48	....	Cloudless.
Galveston, Tex.	30.04	44	34	48	....	Cloudless.
S'nAntonio, Tex	30.28	46	28	50	....	Pt. Cloudy.
Memphis, Tenn	30.34	38	24	42	....	Cloudless.
Nashville, Tenn	30.30	34	26	38	....	Cloudless.
Louisville, Ky.	30.28	30	20	34	....	Cloudless.
Indian'p'lis, Ind	30.28	26	10	28	....	Cloudless.
Cincinnati, O.	30.28	28	22	30	....	Cloudless.
Cleveland, O.	30.20	22	24	26	.02	Cloudless.
Toledo, O.	30.24	16	16	24	T	Pt. Cloudy.
Marq'ette, Mich	30.08	14	14	24	.02	Cloudless.
S.St.Mari', Mich	30.06	18	8	20	....	Cloudless.
Chicago, Ill.	30.22	14	0	16	....	Cloudless.
Cairo, Ill.	30.24	34	20	38	....	Cloudless.
Springfield, Ill.	29.22	24	2	26	....	Cloudless.
Milwaukee, Wis	30.16	12	2	18	....	Cloudless.
Duluth, Minn.	30.02	16	2	20	....	Cloudless.
St. Paul, Minn.	30.04	12	–2	30	....	Cloudy.
Moorh'd, Minn	29.90	6	–24	4	....	Cloudless.
St.Vinc'nt, Mi'n	29.80	6	–24	6	....	Cloudless.
Davenport, Ia.	30.14	18	–2	26	....	Cloudless.
Dubuque, Ia.	30.14	14	–4	22	....	Cloudless.
Des Moines, Ia.	30.04	26	2	22	....	Cloudless.
St. Louis, Mo.	30.22	34	12	40	....	Cloudless.
Kans's City, Mo	30.16	40	14	44	....	Cloudless.
Ft. Sill, Ind. T.	30.16	38	20	56	....	Cloudless.
Dodge City, K's	30.20	34	16	48	....	Cloudless.
Omaha, Neb.	30.02	30	6	34	....	Cloudless.
N. Platte, Neb.	30.10	18	–8	36	....	Cloudless.
Valentine, Neb.	29.96	30	4	48	....	Cloudless.
Yankton, D. T.	30.02	16	0	28	....	Cloudless.
Ft. Sully, D. T.	29.90	26	–4	28	....	Cloudless.
Bismarck, D. T.	29.66	32	–8	34	....	Cloudless.
Ft. Buford, D.T.	29.74	26	..	38	....	Cloudless.
P.Arth'r's L'd'g	30.08	0	..	18	....	Cloudless.
Qu'Apelle, N.W.	29.70	18	4	26	....	Cloudless.
Ft.As'nab'ne, M	29.72	30	..	32	....	Cloudy.
Helena, M. T.	29.82	26	16	34	....	Cloudy.
Boise City, I. T.	30.06	28	16	36	.08	Snow.
Cheyenne, W.T.	29.94	30	22	40	....	Cloudless.
Ft.M'K'n'y, W.T	29.92	22	18	44	....	Cloudless.
Ft. Washakie, W	30.10	2	10	30	....	Cloudless.
Denver, Col.	29.98	36	16	46	....	Cloudless.
Pueblo, Col.	30.12	32	8	44	....	Cloudless.
Santa Fe, N. M.	30.14	18	6	22	....	Cloudless.
Salt Lake City	30.22	22	6	26	....	Cloudy.

T—Trace of precipitation. Note—One inch of melted snow equals ten inches of snow.

Obituary.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 21.—Xavier Vaugier, a native of France, died this morning from heart disease, at the age of eighty-five. He was one of the pioneer residents of this city. Vaugier participated in the Algiers campaign under Napoleon I, and used to relate many personal recollections of the first consul.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—The Right Rev. Joshua Hughes, D.D., bishop of St. Asaph, is dead. He had been ill for a year and was unable to attach his signature to a resignation. The diocese, in consequence, has virtually been without a bishop during that time.

Fatally Shot with a Toy Rifle.

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