PRICE 2 CENTS EVERYWHERE.

BUT SECRETARY GAGE HAS NO POWER TO RESCIND HIS ACTION.

Offer to Vacate Retaliatory Tariff if the United States Will Remove Sugar Differential.

EXCHANGE NOTES

THAT HAS MADE CLEAR THE RUS-SIAN GOVERNMENT'S ATTITUDE.

M. De Witte Informed That the Sugar Matter Is Now in the Courts and out of Gage's Control.

ASKED BY CHINA

INDEMNITY DEMANDED FOR OUT-RAGES AT BUTTE, MONT.

Celestials Alleged to Have Been Treated in Shameful Manner-Army Promotions and Appointments.

WASHINGTON, July 9 .- Another important exchange has occurred between the Russian government and the United States relative to the tariff. The Russian minister of finance, M. De Witte, has proposed that Russia will vacate all of the additional duties levied on American goods since the imposition of the sugar differential if the United States will vacate its action on the sugar differential. To this Secretary Gage has replied that the offer of the Russian government cannot be accepted, as the question of the sugar differential is now in the hands of the court, thus precluding action by the executive branch. These exchanges, although made nominally by the minister of finance and Secretary Gage, have gone through the medium of the Russian Foreign Office and

the State Department. The proposition of the Russian minister of finance was the direct result of Secretary Hay's note of about two weeks ago In that note Mr. Hay pointed out that the nor was it meant to have any connection with the previous action of the government on sugar. This appears to have reconin the policy previously taken respecting sugar. Accordingly M. De Witte's response was communicated to Washington, Count Lamsdorff forwarding it to M. De Wollant, the Russian charge here. It is not long, but is quite to the point. It makes no further issue as to the petroleum order. The chief attention is given to sugar, and the specific order is made to vacate immediately the increased duties which Rusvacate its action on sugar. This would amount to re-establishing the status quo which existed before the United States took its initial action relative to Russia. The Russian proposition was duly communicated to Secretary Gage, who has responded promptly that as the sugar question is now before the courts, it is not pos sible for him to avail himself of the Russian suggestions. Thus the matter stands. The reductions which would have resulted

under M. De Witte's tender are those affecting cast-iron wares manufactures of iron and steel, boiler work, tools for artists, factories and workshops, gas and water meters, motors and dynamos, sewing machines, portable engines, not including threshing machines, fire engines and other machinery of iron and steel, also white rosin, galipot, brewers' pitch and bicycles increased duties on iron and steel goods followed after the imposition of the sugar differential, while those on bicycle and rosin followed the increase on pe-De Witte's proposal was to take off all of the increased duties. In the course of his letter it is stated that the secid retaliatory move on bicycles and resin was not due to the American action on petroleum, although it had so appeared in riginal Russian note, but that it related back to the American action on sugar. This is thought to be the result of Secretary Gage's reply to Russia to the effect that its action, in increasing the duty on American bicycles and resin, was a violation of our treaty with that country.

No European Combination.

LONDON, July 10 .- "Contrary to the opinion expressed in Vienna," says a Berlin dispatch to the Daily Express, "it is held that there is no possibility of a general European trade combination against the United States, Germany's trade relations with the United States being too extensive to permit her to assume an attitude of hostility."

CHINA WANTS INDEMNITY.

Laundrymen at Butte Alleged to Have

Been "Boxerized." WASHINGTON, July 9.-The Chinese government, through Minister Wu Tingfang, has filed a claim for indemnity to the amount of a half million dollars on account of alleged outrageous treatment of Chinese at Butte, Mont. There is a suggestion of Boxer outrages reversed in the presentation of the case to the State Department, the treatment inflicted on the Chinese at Butte being claimed to have been cruel and oppressive. It is charged that some of them were killed, others lost their property and nearly all were ruined in business and many of them were driven out. The claimants number several hundred. The outrages date back to 1886 and it is declared that the

upheld the rioters and boycotters. ARMY APPOINTMENTS.

Promotions in Regular Service and Surgeons and Assistants Named.

WASHINGTON, July 9 .- The President has made the following appointments: tenant colonel of infantry, John J. O'Connell, John W. Hannay; major of infantry, William A. Mann, Millard F. Waltz, Edwin Glenn, George R. Cecil, John H. H. hine; captain of infantry, Isaac Newell, George H. Shelton, Herschel Tupes, Elwyn E. Hampton, Harry F. Rethers, William B. Cochran, Alga P. Berry. Captains of cavalry, Herbert A. White, Harry T. Cavenaugh, Nathan K. Averill, Paymaster, rank of major, Thomas C. Goodman, James B. Houston, Major engineer corps, James G. Warren;

captain engineer corps, George P. Howell. Captain artillery corps, Samuel A. Kep-Chaplains, Joseph Clemens, Timothy

O'Keefe. Surgeon volunteers, rank of major. Robert Burns, Ralph S. Porter. Assistant sur- capital of not less than \$1,000,000 and a geon volunteers, rank captain. George H. surplus of \$500,000 additional, thus start-Calkins. Assistant surgeons, rank of first ing off with large increased resources. An lieutenants, Charles H. Geer, Patrick H. other party is also anxious to reorganize McAndrew, Gideon McD. Van Poole, Henry | the bank, and at the meeting of directors Rutherford, Ernest L. Ruffner, William and important stockholders on Tuesday of H. Brooks, Matthew A. Delaney, Horace D. | this week definite steps will be taken tocomberg, Compton Wilson, John A. Mur- | ward the upbuilding, tagh, Eugene R. Whitmore, Charles Y. Brownice, Irvine W. Patter, William W. Robert U. Patterson, Carroll D. Buck, George H. R. Gosman, Conrad E. oerper, John H. Alien, Roderic P. O'Con- into the affairs of the Seventh National nor, William Roberts, George P. Heard, Bank, Subsequently General Burnett said Robert E. Noble, James W. Van Dusen, toger Brooke, jr., Wallace De Witt, Albert anything has been discovered by Captain B. Henderson, Robert M. Thornburg, Ball of a criminal character in the manip-Arthur M. Line, Paul S. Halleran, Herbert, ulation of the affairs of the Seventh Na-G. Shaw, Clement C. Whitcomb, Robert B. tional Bank. Nothing will be done until

Swayne, John R. Deveraux, Kent Nelson, Peter C. Field, Lloyd L. R. Krebs, Robert Smart, Louis Brechman, jr., William P. Woodall, Charles Barney, Milton E. Lando,

George M. Ekwurzel. Thomas R. Wallace, of Iowa, United States consul at Crefeld, Germany. Pietro Cuneo, of Ohio, United States con-

sul at Turin, Italy. NATIONAL BANKING SYSTEM.

Controller Dawes Says Its Condition Indicates High Prosperity.

Currency Dawes is quoted by the Washington correspondent of the Press as saying relative to the condition of the national banks of the country: "The latest detailed reports received from the national banks of the United States indicate an unusually high degree of prosperity. The condition of the national banking system can be taken as a practical barometer of the industrial and commercial condition of the country generally, and, therefore, the remarkable showing now being made by these institutions indicates clearly that every branch of American trade and industry is flushed to a correspondingly high degree. The resources of the banks are greater than ever before in the history of the national system and the condition of the banks generally is satisfactory. The present condition of the banks stands out in strong contrast against the dark background of the condition that prevalled some seven or eight years ago. In 1893, for instance, the record for bank failures was reached when thirty-eight of the national banks went permanently into the hands of receivers. During the first six months of the present year only seven banks have failed, while during the entire year 1900 only five went

Colonel Hay Receives Chekib Bey. WASHINGTON, July 9 .- Secretary Hay returned to Washington this morning from his New Hampshire home. He was driven directly to the State Department and was closeted for some time with acting Secretary Hill and Assistant Secretary Adee. The new Turkish minister, Chekib Bey. called, in company with Ali Ferrough Bey, the retiring minister. The new minister must await until a later date to be presented at the White House, owing to the President's absence, but he will from now on exercise all the functions of a minister as a matter of courtesy. This course i (CONTINUED ON PAGE 2, COL. 5.)

WANT MORE SAFEGUARDS

CUBANS AFRAID OF THEMSELVES AT THE ELECTION POLLS.

Conservatives Oppose the Law Framed by the Electoral Committee and It Is Defeated, 13 to 12.

HAVANA, July 9 .- The Cuban constitutional convention this afternoon rejected | O. G. M'CULLEN, of Cincinnati, mail the committee's project for the electoral | clerk. law by a vote of 13 to 12. The Conservaaction taken as to petroleum was not new, tives claimed that the law as proposed was too radical, inasmuch as it provided that there should be no interference with ciled the Russian officials in their view that | the elections by the central government the petroleum order was only another step and because the last elections showed it to be impossible to conduct elections honestly without some restraining power. They pointed out that the provinces and municipalities were as yet unable to govern themselves and contended that a free hand regarding elections would result in calamity to the country. In the opinion sia has levied, if the United States will of the Conservatives the first elections under the election law should be conducted with all possible safeguards, with safe guards equal at least to those provided by the military Governor. Rather than accept the commission's project the committee said it would favor holding the elections under the existing law and leave to the Republic the task of drawing up a suitable law later. Another objection was that party lines had not been clearly defined as yet and that the law provided for political representation on the election boards, which, under existing conditions would be a farce. General Sanguily voted with the Rad

icals, explaining that, although he did not believe in the projected law, he thought it would be a better plan to amend than to reject it. A new committee will be appointed to-morrow. The Conservatives claim a majority in favor of the plural vote, based on the Belgian law. The Municipal Council to-day passed vote of thanks to Capt. Lucien Young, captain of the port, for his recent display of promptitude and resolution in saving lives threatened by the overflowing of the | Lake Shore.

Almendares river. Mr. Young has informed the contractors who have undertaken to raise the wreck of the United States battleship Maine that unless the work is begun immediately the contract will be annulled.

PROBABLY WILL RESUME

SEVENTH NATIONAL BANK MAY BE REOPENED FOR BUSINESS.

Fred S. Heath Said to Be Confident All the Money Required Has Been Promised.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

at an early date.

WASHINGTON, July 9 .- Private advices received here from New York through Fred

S. Heath, of Muncie, contain assurances that the Seventh National Bank will surely resume; that the money to pay the depositors in full has been promised, and which led to the bank's suspension, will be were on the train. All escaped injury, but taken off the bank's hands. These things accomplished there appears to be nothing City Council of Butte and the state courts | in the way of the bank resuming business

> W. G. Nicholas says in the New York Telegraph: "The three Heath brothers-Fletch- | there that the North Coast Limited No. er S., Perry S. and Fred-may decide to 3 west bound train on the Northern Pacific, concentrate their resources and reorganize | due in Helena at 6:45 p. m., had run into a the Seventh National Bank and build it up as a distinctively family institution. Strong friends have given them assurbrothers can mass about \$2,000,000, and as a matter of family pride they are likely to decide to make a stand in New York to re-establish themselves and regain the position and prestige los through their connection with the collapsed bank. It now is well known in the inner councils of Wall-street banking circles that President Kimball was responsible for the bad loans that resulted in the no idea of the fix the bank was in until the Saturday before the failure, and the time was too short for him to raise the money for salvation. If the Heaths were injured. and their friends reorganize the Seventh National Bank it will be with a

Gen. Henry L. Burnett, United States district attorney at New York, was in consultation on Tuesday with W. S. Ball, his assistant, who was designated to examine "I do not care to say at this time whether Grubbs, Edmund D. Shortlidge, Vergee the investigation is completed.'

KNICKERBOCKER "FLYER" PARTLY WRECKED AT NOTTINGHAM, O.

NEW YORK, July 9 .- Controller of the Ran Into an Axle Dropped by Freight Car and Was Hurled Over an Embankment Into a Ditch.

TWO MEN INSTANTLY KILLED

ENGINEER ANDERSON AND POSTAL CLERK O. S. M'CULLEN.

Fireman and Unknown Man So Badly Hurt They Will Die and Others Seriously Injured.

SEVERAL INDIANIANS ABOARD

PEOPLE FROM THIS CITY, ANDERSON AND ELSEWHERE IN THE STATE.

All Reported to Have Escaped with a Shaking Up and to Have Continued Their Journey Eastward.

NOTTINGHAM, O., July 9 .- One of the worst wrecks on the Lake Shore road in years occurred at 2:30 o'clock this morning in the center of this village, ten miles east of Cleveland. The southwestern limited on the Big Four from St. Louis, Cincinnati and other Western cities and which goes onto the Lake Shore tracks at Cleveland, was ditched by running into an axie dropped by a freight car. Investigation shows that the journal of a car near the middle of a freight train was burned out. thence over onto the opposite track, directtrain. No passengers were killed.

-The Dead .-FRANK ANDERSON, engineer of the passenger train, of Buffalo.

WILLIAM ELLIOTT, of Buffalo, fireman of passenger train; probably will die. WILLIAM BAKER, of Columbus, mail clerk, injured on head and body; not seri-WILLIAM REGAN, both hands smashed.

E. F. LOVELESS, Cincinnati, mail clerk; A. HIRTZ, Cleveland, serious.

I. JOHNSON, Buffalo, serious. TWO UNKNOWN TRAMPS, hurt. The shock to the passenger coaches was terrifle and although the occupants were badly shaken up no passenger was hurt. When the front end of the engine plowed into the ground of the gully it became disconnected from the other coaches that went over the embankment and whirled REPORT sideways so that it pointed in the other direction. The mail car crashed into the tender, surrounding it completely. The engineer met his death by being pinioned under his engine. McCullen, the mail clerk, was crushed between the side of the car and coal tender. He was found with his head forced down between his knees. The other clerks, when they awoke to their condition, were able to extricate themselves from the wreck without assistance. At least one person is believed to be buried under the wreck. Two Nottingham doctors responded to call for assistance. The roadbed and the two tracks were torn up for quite a distance and the

CLEVELAND, O., July 9 .- Five of the men injured in the collision were brought to the Cleveland general hospital early to-day. One man, whose name is unknown, lies at the hospital unconscious. His condition is critical. I. Johnson, of Buffalo, also at the hospital. They received broken

embankment will have to be repaired be-

fore the track can be relaid. The Lake

Shore track is blockaded east, and all

trains are being sent over the Nickel-plate

taken to Cleveland over the Nickel-plate,

The passengers of the wrecked train were

and wrecking trains are at work on the

Indianapolis People Safe.

Four, which leaves this city at 6:25 p. m. It | the night. was composed of ten cars, one being a Buffalo. A telegram late yesterday afternoon from Miss Ketcham announced that all of the persons from this city were safe and were proceeding on their journey. Advices from Anderson and other cities in Indiana say persons from those places

West Coast Limited Not Wrecked. ST. PAUL, Minn., July 9 .- A dispatch from Helena, Mont., says it was reported

some were shaken up.

wash-out between Custer and Big Horn stations. At the offices of the Northern Pacific in ances that they can have all the help north coast limited had not been wrecked Colonel of infantry, John W. Budd; lieu- they may want should they conclude to as reported. There had been some trouble remain in metropolitan banking. The with another train, it was stated, but the officials denied that the accident was of a serious character.

Mail Clerk Badly Hurt.

HAMILTON, O., July 9 .- The southbound Cincinnati, Hamilton & Indianapolis express No. 41 jumped the track at South will recover. A number of other passengers | adequate rates and a good business sys-

JAPANESE WON.

White Fishermen on Fraser River Overawed by Superior Numbers.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 9 .- The Japanese are now in control of Fraser river. spent the night in fishing. The union men organized patrol of boats manned by armed

boat went near the fishing grounds several of the Japanese patrol approached the boat, surrounded it and simply overawed the strikers by force of numbers.

LOST PART OF HIS TONGUE.

Rear Admiral Bunce. BOSTON, July 9 .- An operation for cancer was performed upon Rear Admiral Francis M. Bunce, United States navy, retired, of Hartford, Conn., at the Elliott No Roosters, Except Those from Their Hospital yesterday, entailing the removal of nearly the whole of his tongue. The admiral rallied finely after the operation. His condition is such that he is expected to be able to leave the hospital in a week. Although the surgeon was obliged to remove the major portion of the tongue, Adtne power of speech. His wife and daugh-ters are with him at the hospital.

PREACHER "CANED."

Publicly Beaten by a Mayor, Who

Paid \$3 and Costs.

EDINBURG, Ill., July 9.-The Rev. T. M. Dillon, a Methodist minister, was caned on the street to-day by Mayor Vigal, of Edinburg. Dillon had published in the Rochester Item, of which he is editor, an article headed "Czar W. H. Vigal," in which he denounced Vigal, who refused to allow a bandstand on the main street of CLEAN SWEEP FOR THE BOSSES Edinburg, as "Un-American, ungentlemanly, un-Christian and insane." To-day Mr. Dillon visited Edinburg, Mayor Vigal met him, cane in hand, and beat him severely. The mayor was then taken before Justice George and fined \$3 and costs. HAVE SECURED CONTROL OF ALL

BROOMS ARE HIGHER.

Advanced 25 Cents a Dozen by the Central Association.

CHICAGO, July 9 .- Brooms were advanced 25 cents a dozen in price to-day by the Central Broom and Brush Manufacturers' Association. The higher price takes effect at once and another advance of similar amount will be made on Aug. The retailer is expected to add at least cents to the price of every broom he selis. The scarcity of broom-corn and the in-creased price of the product is the reason assigned for the advance.

LOSS OF \$10,000,000.

Kansas Crops Have Suffered from the Protracted Hot Spell.

TOPEKA, Kan., July 9.-The hot weather in Kansas continues with no immediate As the limited was passing the freight the prospect of relief. Corn is fast shriveling in the rural districts the latter element axle on the car dropped to the ties and up. The oats crop is worse than a failure and hav is scarcer than for years. In westly in front of the fast-running passenger | ern Kansas the conditions are better than in eastern Kansas. It is estimated that Kansas has already suffered crop losses from the protracted hot spell to the extent of \$10,000,000. To-day's temperature here

IN BAD CONDITION.

Shortage Alleged to Have Been Found and It Must Be Made Good

Without Delay.

OF O. H. FETHERS

RECKLESS FINANCIERING AND MIS APPROPRIATION IS CHARGED.

Past Officers May Be Prosecuted-Only \$135 to Meet \$500,000 Claims on July 1.

of the Knights of Pythias has a deficit of especially on credentials and resolutions. \$225,267. This announcement was made by the purpose of looking into the affairs of

Mr. Fethers's announcement was based on | tion here and that the McLean-Kilbourne and A. Hirtz, of this city, suffered serious | the official report of the insurance com- | men controlled the committee on resoluinjuries, but will recover. The two tramps missioners of Illinois, Connecticut and Kan- tions as well as all other parts of the consas, who made an exhaustive examination | Salen never to surrender, but to insist both collar bones and are not seriously injured. of the financial condition of the order, and before the committee on resolutions and copies of these reports were placed in the in the convention for the incorporation of the Cuyahoga plank, which is made specific hands of the representatives. Before the in that it mentions railroads and other cor-The wreck early yesterday morning at rank can legally continue doing business porations as not bearing their full portion Nottingham, O., of a train on which there as an insurance institution this deficit must of the burdens of taxation. Some with Johnson were a number of Indianapolis people be made good, and the question of how Mr. Salen called at Colonel Kilbourne's caused for a time much concern as to their it is to be done, and the greater one of how headquarters and these two, with M. A. safety, but it was ascertained that none the funds of the organization are to be of the passengers was injured. The train safeguarded in the future, occupied the Colonel Kilbourne's room, where they rewas the Knickerbocker special on the Big attention of the Supreme Lodge officers and mained behind locked and guarded doors

That there has been misappropriation of meeting of the Cuyahoga delegation this sie Kinport, fourteen years old, was assleeper put on in this city. In the Indian- funds of the organization by past officers afternoon, when members of the committee apolis sleeper were Miss Sue Ketcham, of the Endowment Rank was freely charged | were selected. Mr. Salen told his colleagues Misses Lila and Lucia Ketcham, Miss in the reports, as well as in the meetings from Cleveland of his talk with Mayor with a knife. Christian Jensen, a farm Jessie J. Smith, principal of school No. 33, to-day, and there was said to be little Johnson and urged them to stand by the hand, who is in custody, has confessed he Miss Kate Metcalf and Miss Helena Wills, doubt that after the Supreme Lodge had Cuyahoga platform to the last. He even en route to the White mountains; Mrs. finished dealing with those who are thought warned them against getting mixed up with John M. Spann and daughter and Mrs. to be responsible the evidence will be laid the interests of any of the candidates for R. M. Seeds and daughter en route to before the state's attorney, with a request nominations. He said Cuyahoga county that it be submitted to the grand jury. made to expel John A. Hinsey, who was here for principles and not men. He expresident of the endowment rank during the period in which some of the funds in the convention to-morrow before the of the organization are said to have dis- order of nominations was reached, and appeared and others to have been invested | that after the resolutions were disposed of in poor securities, but the motion was laid all could then work for their personal on the table, when it was reported to the preferences for the nominations. He then meeting that M. Hinsey had expressed his | modified this by stating that the delegaintention of appearing before the Supreme | tion would vote as a unit under its instruc-Lodge at its meeting to-morrow for the tions. purpose of defending himself against any charge that might be made of misappropriation of funds or of having made investments which he had not previously assured himself were safe and amply se- in everything and the Johnson men got been given by her mother, who, on return

The work of investigation by the Supreme Lodge was not finished to-night, this city the statement was made that the and will be resumed to-morrow. It is stated that charges of reckless financiering, what is expected to be a protracted sesjuggling of accounts and misappropriation f funds were made by the report of the board of control. On July 1, it is asserted, the Endowment Rank found itself with a half million of unpaid death claims and only \$135 in the bank with which to pay them, while little more was available from \$480,000 of investments, most of the properties being in the hands of receivers. The Knights of Pythias, however, regard themselves as legally responsible, the Endow-Hamilton last night at a switch. The en- | ment Rank being a part of the order, its closing of the bank. Fletcher Heath had gine and two passenger coaches turned control being vested in the Supreme Lodge, over, but nobody was killed. Mail Clerk and will devise plans for making good the John Connor, of Hamilton, was thrown | deficits, paying off the claims and putting from his car and badly cut on the head, but | the insurance rank on a firm basis, with

AMPITHEATER FELL.

Governor and Mrs. Yates Escaped, but Others Were Injured.

entertainment given by a "Streets of In- E. M. Heisley, W. H. Spence and W. I They won the fight during the night dia" show here to-night the amphitheater | Finley. Of these Heisley represents John through clever tactics. About 3,000 Japanese fell, throwing fully six hundred persons to bourne's name to the convention, favors the ground. Governor and Mrs. Yates were a compromise, especially on the taxation present, but fortunately escaped injury. plank. The others are claimed by the conwhites and natives. The Japanese, how- Those receiving injuries were: Mrs. Ed- servatives, aithough some of them differ ever, had a good patrol comprising a much | ward Yates, Pittsfield; Mrs. Larson, Mrs. | among themselves as to the verbiage of half that number. Whenever a union patrol i place, all of whom received cuts or bruises. delegation from Montgomery, the Mason his case was said to be serious.

Operation for Cancer Performed on M'LEAN AND KILBOURNE MASTERS OF BUCKEYE DEMOCRACY.

> Barnyard, Will Be Permitted to Crow at the Convention.

miral Bunce will not be wholly deprived of TOM JOHNSON'S LITTLE FLOCK

MAY FLAP ITS WINGS AND ATTEMPT TO MAKE A NOISE,

But Paeans of Victory Will Be Crowed Only by Products of the McLean-Kilbourne Incubator.

CONVENTION COMMITTEES. Cleveland's Mayor, However, May Be

Heard from To-Day When His Game

Bantams Appear in the Hall.

this afternoon secured control of all the committees and will accordingly have everything their way at the Democratic state convention to-morrow. They were so strongly in the majority that there was no

In the Twentieth and Twenty-first districts, which include Cleveland, the Johnson men had things their way as much as the McLean men in the First and Second districts, which include Cincinnati. But got almost everything. The controlling element did not "ride roughshod" over minorities in any of the districts, but when names were proposed for places on the committees there were inquiries as to how they stood and if replies were not satisfactory "they were excused;" in some cases as quietly as jurors and in others with bal-

The McLean-Kilbourne element, while unusually courteous, made no concessions. tee on resolutions for an all-night fight and then into the convention to-morrow for a "finish." They have two strong men and vigorous speakers in Heisley and Baker, both members of Mayor Johnson's cabinet at Cleveland, on the committee on resolu-

As the Montgomery contest, and prob-ably the Butler contest, will be carried by minority reports on credentials into the convention for final action it is predicted that the convention will not reach the order of nomination till late to-morrow protracted into the night Ex-Governor Campbell the Mason-Gray delegation from that

county was to-day given the ticket by the

old state committee.

LOVELY TIMES POSSIBLE. With all the efforts of the McLean-Kilbourne men for harmony there is every indication of unusual scenes on the floor CHICAGO, July 9.- The Endowment Rank of the convention over minority reports, voke the privilege granted Oscar F. Spate gaging in a fight with razors in front of a Tom L. Johnson, who is still in Brooklyn, Supreme Commander Ogden H. Fethers called Charles P. Salen on the long-disto-day to the Supreme Lodge of the order, | tance telephone to-day and had a talk with which has been assembled in this city for him regarding the plank on a revision of the taxation laws of the State. When Salen informed the mayor as to the situaof the burdens of taxation. Soon after Dougherty, of Lancaster, and E. M. Heisley, of Cleveland, went into conference in representatives all day to-day and far into for more than an hour. The taxation plank was under consideration. At a joint had no candidate and was not represented At the session to-night a motion was here in the interest of any one. They were plained that the platform would be adopted

> EFFORT AT HARMONY. After the district meetings in the evening the Kilbourne men advocated harmony the benefit at the meetings of the com- | ing home, found her child's bed empty and mittees to-night of the movement for harmony. In order to expedite business at sion to-morrow the committee on permanent organization voted unanimously to make the entire temporary organization permanent. This continues Charles P Salen, of Cleveland, as chairman and Negley D. Cochran, editor of the Toledo Bee, as secretary.

The committee on resolutions first heard

expressions of opinion from each of its twenty-one members. The committee stood 17 to 4 against special mention of free silver in the platform in addition to indorsing the Kansas City platform, 15 to e platform without any further declaration on silver and 14 to 7 against reaffirming the Kansas City platform with the Johnson plank on state taxation. There were some who favored no reference to the Kansas City platform. No vote was taken the tally on preferences being secured from his views.

The following subcommittee was ap-JACKSONVILLE, Ill., July 9.—During an pointed: M. A. Daugherty, chairman, Barton Smith, Judson Harmon, E. M. Kennedy,

delegation from Butler and the McCloud delegation from Union county. The bands and glee clubs to-night serenaded the candidates at the Southern Hotel, where speeches were made by Kilbourne, Zimmerman, Monnett and others, including Congressmen Norton and Lentz.

Republicans Nominate a Democrat. DALLAS, Tex., July 9 .- At Corsicana today the Sixth district Republicans nominated Judge Philip D. Lindley, of Dallas, for Congress. Judge Lindley was a Gold

sas City platform. John Wenver's Pledge.

ounced that the reason for putting out a

candidate was that the Democratic con-

gressional convention reaffirmed the Kan-

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 9.-John Weaver, the regular Republican nominee for district attorney, to-day accepted the nomination, and in his address pledged himself to administer the office fairly and faithfully without fear, except of God, and absolutely without favor to any man or any

set of men. Grainger Defeats Jefferson.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 9.-Charles F Grainger defeated Thomas L. Jefferson for the Democratic nomination for mayor of Louisville in a legalized primary held to-

FLORIDA "GUN FIGHT."

Farmer Killed and Son-in-Law, Wife and Baby Wounded.

TAMPA, Fla., July 9.-In a gun fight near Plant City Edward Franklin, a farmer, was killed and David Kinard, Franklin's son-in-law, Mrs. Kinard and their baby were seriously wounded. Franklin, it is alleged, had employed a farmhand to do some plowing, for which he was to receive 700 strawberry plants. Work having been finished. Franklin gave an order on Kinard for the plants. When the employed man presented the order Kinard refused to fill it. This was reported to Franklin, who armed himself with a shotgun and went to the Kinard home. Arriving there he opened fire, it is said, on hi COLUMBUS, O., July 9.- The McLean- | son-in-law, missing him, but striking and | Special to the Indianapolis Journal. Kilbourne element at the district meetings | seriously wounding his daughter and grandehild. Kinard ran for his gun and returned the fire. Another volley was exchanged, Franklin falling dead and Kinard family, was arrested this evening, charged seriously wounded. Kinard has not been | with complicity in the murder of little arrested.

NOVEL WAR IN NEW YORK

PEOPLE OBJECT TO PAYING FOR RE-SERVED SEATS IN A PARK.

Mob Defies Police, Routs Toll Collectors and Smashes Chairs-Terry McGovern Not Disturbed.

The old state committee met previous to use of which a fee is charged, were con- so much it is believed that he will tell all. the district meetings and gave the tickets | tinued in Madison-square Park to-day. A PYTHIAN ENDOWMENT RANK FUNDS of the McLean-Kilbourne men when there | mob of several hundred took the police by | that Dunn has been a neighborhood tyrant were contesting delegations, and they took | surprise and began a wholesale destruc- and had the people of Wallen terrorized. all the districts except those which in- | tion of the chairs at the north end of the | It was not until the three farmer horse clude Cleveland, in which, under the unit | park. The attendant was swept from his | thief detectives of Huntertown braved his rule, they could not control a vote. But feet and carried down with his property. | threats and overruled his objections that the Johnson men, after the result of the The chairs were scattered over the path- his premises were searched. The villagers district meetings, promptly announced ways and the police reserves were unable of Wallen had not courage to insist on exthey would carry the fight into commit- to quell the riot for a time. They charged amining his cistern for the five days fol-

> One of the occupants of a pay chair today was Terry McGovern, the pugilist, except for Dunn's safe incarceration here who called on one of the attendants to in the strong county jail there is no doubt 'come and collect." The attendant, however, did not accept the invitation. In the early evening at Madison square the crowd kept growing larger and larger and blocked the path where the pay chairs were. The police were practically unable to clear a passageway. Two men sat postmortem examination for the defense, down. One of the chair men attempted to The body will be buried to-morrow. The collect from these. They only laughed at afternoon and the proceedings may be him, and another attendant without further girl Marie grew up in a Chicago orphans' parley walked to the rear of the chairs | home, her mother being dead. Her father and dumped the occupants out. This pre-Schwab delegation from Butler county and | cipitated a squabble, and as the cheering crowd encouraged the men to "stand by their guns" the police interfered and the two men and the second attendant were marched to the police station. The atwas on a charge of disorderly conduct Late to-night Park Commissioner Clausen announced that owing to the storm of

to place pay chairs in the parks.

oposition which had arisen he would re-

AGED WOMAN KILLED BECAUSE SHE BUMPED A CRAZY MAN.

Fourteen-Year-Old Girl Assaulted and Mutilated in Her Home-Farm Hand Arrested-Mob Thwarted.

DENVER, Col., July 9.-Mrs. Armenia A Bullis, sixty-two years old, was murdered last night on a lonely road near the city limits, being stabbed to the heart, and Jessaulted at her home and terribly mutilated murdered Mrs. Bullis. He says she ran against him on the road, and, believing she had a gun, he stabbed her. He is believed | Eigenbrodt the woman was suddenly to be crazy. Mrs. Bullis lived on a small startled by the appearance of Fisher, her farm, and was walking home when murdered. Robbery was evidently not the motive for the murder, as the woman's money | to-day. Fisher gives out no information was not taken.

Chief of Police Armstrong is of opinion that the assault on Jessie Kinport was not committed by Jensen, although some circumstances point to him. The girl was | fortune's wheel. alone at her home when assaulted. The girl's assailant gained access to the house through a window. He choked her, cut her, and otherwise maltreated her. She was found lying on an ash dump about midnight by searchers after an alarm had loodstained. Physicians believe the girl will recover.

It has developed that a young man was at the Kinport home calling on the girl and | was in the city this morning inquiring of remained until after 10 o'clock. Jensen was arrested about 9:45 o'clock in the evening, making it impossible for him o have committed the assault. A crowd of several hundred gathered out ide of the jail to-night and made threats of lynching Jensen. A report came to the station that a mob was coming from South | State and is getting everything in readiness Denver to take Jensen from the authorities and lynch him. Chief Armstrong de cided that Jensen would be safer out of | the case would be brought up for trial durreach, and to-night he was taken to Colorado Springs on the 9:30 o'clock train.

A Bad Negro Chased.

DOUGLAS, Ga., July 9 .- Jake Devoss, a negro laborer on James McKinnon's plantation, to-day shot dead two mules because they balked. Devoss's wife expostulated with him and he shot her, probably fatally, the speeches as each one was called on for James McKinnon and his brother Charles | several mills in Indiana the case is of conappearing, Devoss shot Charles McKinnon lead and wounded James McKinnon so badly that he will probably die. Then Devoss escaped to the swamps. County authorities started in pursuit of the murderer

with bloodhounds Monte Jacobs Stabbed.

NEW YORK, July 9.-Monte Jacobs, theatrical manager, was taken from the larger number of boats, including the larg- A. M. Upham, Dr. F. P. Norbury, William the taxation plank.
est and widest fishing boats in the river. Newman, Walter Lacey, Miss Grace Green- The committee on credentials to-night to-day suffering from a stab wound in the est and widest fishing boats in the river. Newman, Walter Lacey, Miss Grace Greenwhereas the union boats had each only leaf and Miss Ethel Williams, all of this decided to report in favor of the Dowling abdomen. He was bleeding internally and injured in Indiana factories last year and

MADE IN CONNECTION WITH THE ALICE COTHRELL MURDER.

Democrat and supported McKinley in both campaigns. The Republican convention anat Fort Wayne and Some Strong

Direct Evidence Adduced.

TALE OF A NEW ENOCH ARDEN

EVANSVILLE MAN LEFT HIS WIFE OVER TWENTY YEARS AGO.

Returned Recently to Find Her Again Married, and Her Divorce Has Just Been Granted.

CONDITIONS IN THE FACTORIES

INSPECTOR M'ABEE SAYS THEY ARE BETTER THAN EVER BEFORE.

Welcome to Clinton County Soldiers-Water Pollution Suits in Prospect

-Anderson Diamond Robbery.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., July 9 .- Marie Sampleton, a domestic in Charles Dunn's Alice Cethrell, of which Dunn is accused. Her detention was ordered on the strength of an incident related by a Mrs. Madden, of Wallen, who told Prosecuting Attorney Emrick this afternoon that Del Reed, the boy employed on Dunn's farm, said he overheard Marie say to Dunn Tuesday afternoon as they were coming down stairs, "She aint dead yet." Dunn then, according to Reed, replied, "Well, she will be soon.

I will finish her." Reed further said that Dunn warned him to keep still about the matter or he would be put where the girl was. Reed also is under arrest, and both he and Marie were subjected to the police sweatbox to-night. Marie closed up like a clam and would say nothing. Reed's story is believed by the NEW YORK, July 9 .- The demonstrations officers. He evidently has been in great against the reserved park chairs, for the fear of Dunn, and now that he has told It is now a matter of common remark with drawn clubs and several men were lowing the girl's disappearance. There is intense excitement now about Wallen, and

there would be a lynching. Dunn has retained Henry Colerick to defend him, and Dr. Greenawalt and Dr. Rosenthal have been employed to make a lives in Illinois. Dunn will be arraigned on

| Saturday. Almost Another Murder.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MUNCIE, Ind., July 9.-Muncie all but had another murder to her discredit this evening as a result of two colored men enbarber shop where they were employed. Manning Allen attacked Johnson Bradley, but the latter knocked the razor from his assailant's hand and then used his own weapon in a terrible fashion. The injured man had his chin cut off, has two deep gashes across his right arm, three other gashes in the face and two long cuts across the abdomen. The man fought until exhausted from loss of blood and is now at

the hospital in a dangerous condition. Bradley is in jail.

A NEW ENOCH ARDEN. Queer Story Developed in Divorce

Proceedings at Evansville. Srecial to the Indianapolis Journal. EVANSVILLE, Ind., July 9 .- A diverce was granted here to-day that had a tinge of unusual romance and sadness in it. Seventeen years ago Peter G. Eigenbrock and Mrs. James Fisher were united in marriage, and from that time until a few days ago lived happily. Five years before this marriage James Fisher had disappeared from home and no trace of him was found. Later the wife was led to believe her husband dead. She mourned him for several

years, for their wedded life had been happy, but finally married Eigenbrodt. After all these years as the wife of Peter first husband, who asked her to return to him. This was followed by the filing of the divorce suit, the decree being granted as to his sudden disappearance and the woman will not talk regarding her future plans. Eigenbrodt and his late wife are greatly distressed over the queer turn of

INDIANA FACTORY CONDITIONS.

Mr. McAbee Says They Are Continually Improving. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Ind., July 9 .- State Factory Inspector Daniel H. McAbee, of Indianapolis, the court as to the time when the case to enforce the weekly pay law, in which the Republic Iron and Steel Company is defendant, would come up for trial. Mr. Mc-Abee is looking after the witnesses for the to fight the case. He was informed that ing the present term of court or before Judge Leffler adjourns for the summer vacation, if the time is not too short to have one. The many assault cases that have come to the notice of the court must be tried first and the weekly wage suit probably will be last on the programme. The case was brought by the State at the instance of employes of the company. It has been customary for the company to pay its men every two weeks. As the company has

siderable state importance. This morning Mr. McAbee said, relative to conditions in the factories over the State: "The conditions in Indiana are much better than heretofore, and continue to improve. The manufacturers are seeing the benefits derived from the department of factory inspection and say they have found the semi-annual visits of the inspectors to their factories to be to their benefit. Two-thirds of the manufacturers in the State now pay wages to sick and injured men and in addition to this many pay more than \$36,000 was paid out in benefits