SAINT PAUL, MONDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 21, 1881.

OVER THE OCEAN.

Monster Land Meeting Addressed by Parnell -Peace Overtures by the Boers.

HONORS TO PARNELL. DUBLIN, Feb. 20.—Parnell addressed 15,000 people at Clara, Kings county, to-day. He was received by large crowds with great en-thusiasm at railway stations along the route. He advised the people, especially tenants, to remain firm, and congratulated himself on having by obstruction in parliament prevented a suspension of the habeas corpus seven weeks.

RECONNOISSANCE.
LONDON, Feb. 20.—A New Castle dispatch states Gen. Wood, with 100 hussars, made a reconnoissance over seventy-five miles and penetrated within ten miles of Wakkenstroom. penetrated within tell mines of Marketssylvoir. He found the country almost descrited. The general assured the inhabitants the Boers who return to their farmes inmediately will not be molested; 300 soldiers sailed Saturday for the caps; 350 leave early in March.

Wood, to Trinity cenetery. As the carges neared the late residence of Mr. Wood were joined by a number of carriages taining friends and acquaintances. Several servants were at the cemetery, the Tribine says of Fernando Wood: "It need three times, but had no children has first wife. The house and grounds ounding it, occupied by Mr. Wood when he city, are worth over \$500,000, and he possessed of a great deal of valuable real to in other parts of the city. When a yfall in real estate was reported in this following the financial revulsions of 1873, Wood was for a time seriously embarsed financially. Later several judgments obtained against him and he transferred of his property to relations. Recently leared these judgments and the vise in real The Tribune says of Fernando Wood: "It is understood he left a large property to be divided among his four surviving children. He was married three times, but had no children by his first wife. The house and grounds surrounding it, occupied by Mr. Wood when in the city, are worth over \$500,000, and he was possessed of a great deal of valuable real estate in other parts of the city. When a heavy fall in real estate was reported in this city following the financial revulsions of 1873, Mr. Wood was for a time seriously embarrassed financially. Later several judgments were obtained against him and he transferred most of his property to relations. Recently he cleared these judgments and the rise in real estate made him a wealthy man."

NEW YORK, Feb. 21. Otto Crola has begun 1878 suit for divorce against his wife Josephine, and also to recover \$21,250 from her for proand also to recover \$2.1,530 from her for property she now possesses as belonging to him. In 1872, defendant, who was the daughter of a wealthy merchant in Cologne, eloped with Otto Meyer, a music teacher. Subsequently she met Crola, who was then employed on a German paper in Jersey city. She represented German paper in Jersey city. She represented her marriage with Meyer was illegal, and went to live with Crola. The latter fell heir to \$400,ooo, and for a time the couple lived in an ex-travagant manner, until last spring, when she became intimate with Albert Reuter, a com-mission merchant, and deserted Crola, who now brings the suit.

Stabbed by Her Husband.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 .- Mary Simpson was rarona avenue, Jersey City, that her husband sent her over to New York to make money as a street walker. Her husband met her on Water street and having no money to give him she went to the house of Mrs. Feeney, where she again met her husband, who plunged a knife in her left side in the abdominal region. Her husband was confronted with her at the hospital and she fully identi-fied him as having stabbed her, and said Feeney and his wife were witnesses to the fact.

for the lower lake region, occasional light southwest veering to colder northwest winds, rising, preceded in the eastern portions by fallparometer For the Tennessee and Ohi rometer. For the remeasure occasional, followed by clearing weather, winds v west, stationary or lower temperature. rising, followed in western portions by falling barometer. For upper lake region, clear or partly cloudy weather, variable winds, mostly westerly, falling followed by rising tempera-ture, and rising, followed by falling barome-

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 20 .- A fire occurred at Sixth street, near Broadway, this midnight, The flames ran up the stairway and shut off The names ran up the stairway and shut on escape from the inmates of the third story. The fire department, with ladders, rescued the women from the front window. Miss Josephine Bretain, an occupant of a rear room, had made a rope of sheets and pillow cases which she was in the act of using when rescued by a ladder. The fire did trifling damage.

Terrible Accident.

DAYTON, O., Feb. 20.—Last evening a shock-ing accident occurred at Steddar's Agricultur-al Works in this city. Several workmen were carrying a large can containing 1,800 pounds of molten iron on trucks, when it upset in water, causing a terrible explosion. The workmen were frightfully burned and threw themselves into the water to relieve their suffering. One of them will die and the recovery of the others is doubtful

Church Despoiled by a Deposed Minister NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20 .- The officers and friends of Rev. Mr. Bristow, the last pastor of the Ames Methodist Episcopal church, caused the entire floor to be torn out and the furniture of the vestry to be removed, and locked the church against the congregation. Bristow was removed by the council of bishops, on complaint of part of the congregation, charging him with undue familiarity with female members.

Ten Years in the Penitentiary

Sr. Louis. Feb. 20. - The criminal court was in session a short time to-day to receive the report of the jury in the case of Antoine Parati, the Italian who has been on trial several days charged with raping Mary Graffino, a married woman, last June. The jury found him guilty and assessed his punishment at ten years in the penitentiary. A motion will be made for a

Wealthy Cattle Dealer Murdered

GALVESTON, Feb. 20 .- News special of Satarday evening: Four shots were heard in the neighborhood of the Texas Pacific passenger depot, Dallas. The crowd gathering found the corpse of A. R. Struthers, a wealthy cattle man of Ennis, Texas. No clue to the mur-derer.

A Wedding Postponed.

Mr. John O'Reagan is not in love with the new system of street numbering. Saturday afternoon he called upon Justice Wood and arranged with that gentleman for calling at 387 St. Peter street, at 7 o'clock that evening, to unite him in marriage to Miss Elenora Rubedo. Naturally Justice Wood looked for 387 at the upper end of the street. He continued to look until nearly 11 o'clock at night, when he gave it up Mr. O'Reagan. The Jacobs, to fill his engage-fully explained his efforts to fill his engage-ment, and that there might not be another slip, accompanied Mr. O'Reagan to 887, the new number, but a short distance from Third, where the marriage ceremony was duly sol-emnized in the presence of a few friends.

Killed by the Care

HARRISONBURG, Va., Feb. 20 .- A freight train on the Valley road was wrecked by a slide a short distance from Fort Defiance. The depot agent at Harrisonburg, John Waller, was probably fatally injured. Although the train was a complete wreck, no other person was seriously hurt.

Ship Carpenters' Strike.

MILWAUREE, Feb. 20.-The ship carpenter in all Milwaukee yards met to-day and resolved to strike to-morrow. They will demand 50c.

FLOUR EXPORT TRADE.

Minnesota the Banner State as Compared With California by a California Paper-Figures as to Prices and Supply.

A San Francisco paper recently contained a port trade, in which it was shown that Minnesota now boasts a population of 780,807, and a wheat crop of 40,000,000 bushels; while California is credited with a population of 864,836, and a wheat crop of 46,000,000 bushels. The hard wheat of both States is especially adapt ed for milling, and their flour competed for many years side by side, first in the Eastern States and afterward in Great Britain. Eve States and afterward in Great Britain. Even so late as 1873-4 their flour product was about the same. But since then the flour export trade of California to Europe has steadily delined, while that of Minnesota has as steadily increased. This season California will ship say 250,000 barrels of flour to Europe, compared with Minnesota's 4,000,000 barrels. The result is that the Minuesota Canaca for his Caps: 350 leave early in March.

DEACE OVERTURES.

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The Times says the Boers have made overtures for peace through the president of the Orange Free State. The proposals appear to be to the effect that the proposals appear to be to the effect that the proposals appear to be to the effect that the proposals appear to be to the effect that the proposals appear to be to the effect that the proposals appear to be to the effect that the farther wheat has to be shipped to market, or, in other words the higher the Boers have made overtures for peace through the president of the Orange Free State. The proposals appear to be to the effect that the British shall evacuate Transvaal, and a commissioner be appointed to settle its future relations with Great Britain. Gen. Colley replied that if the garrison in Transval were left unmolested and free to obtain supplies, and hostilities were immediately suspended by the Boers the British would agree to appoint commissioners. Gen. Colley has received no final answer as yet.

Burial of Fernando Wood.

New York, Feb. 20.—From the World: The body of Fernando Wood reached this city yesterday morning. The members of the Congressional escort and returning committee of the board of aldermen, and hearse, received the coffin. The procession moved up Broadway and the Boulevard, past the late residence of Mr. Wood, to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood, to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood, to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood, to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood, to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity cemetery. The procession moved up Broadway and the Boulevard, past the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity cemetery. As the carriages neared the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity cemetery as the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity cemetery as the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity cemetery as the late residence of Mr. Wood to Trinity ce

nounts represent quarters: June 30. Dec. 31. Year. 1,300,000 3,200,000 1,300,000 3,200,000
These figures prove that the stock of wheat in the hands of John Bull was remarkably low on the opening of the new year, and stocks during the last five weeks have suffered a still

during the last five weeks have suffered a still further decline. The constant bareness and firmness of the English market this season is so wing to the remarkable uniformity and moderation of American supplies. The Eastern farmer has discovered the knack of selling to the best advantage, and of holding on to his crop, however large, till it suits the convenience of the buyer. The shipping season is all the year round, and if his deliveries are greater at one time than another, it is because the demand is also more urgent. But the main factor with regard to prices this season is the world's supply as a whole, which New YORK, Feb. 20.—Mary Simpson was fatally stabbed by her husband, William R. Simpson. The woman states she lived at 145 Paroma avenue, Jersey City, that her husband sent her over to New York to make money as a street walker. Her husband met her on Water street and having no money to give him she went to the house of Mrs. Feeney, where she again met her husband, who

The Scott County Treasurers.

On last Saturday at the expiration of the time set by the court, when sentence would be pronounced against both Ring and Baumhager, they having been de-clared guilty, at their respective trials, of embezzlement, the defendants appeared, snow, followed by clearer weather, warm and Herman Baumhager was first sentenced, as follows:

To be imprisoned in the county jail for six months and to pay a fine of \$106.50. And it should be stated here, that the amount of the embezzlement which Baumhager was found guilty of by the jury, was only \$53.25, and therefore was not of an amount sufficient to make it a State's prison offense. It should also be borne in mind that Baumhager has not been tried upon the two other indictments that were found against him for similar offences by the last grand jury. And further, that he has not been indicted for the shortage of \$1,628.30, when he turned over O'Dowd, and is bound over to appear therefor before the next grand jury and

term of court.

Ring was then called up and sentenced:
To be confined at hard labor in the State's prison for the period of two years and six months, and to pay a fine of

stated that he did not feel like making any remarks in connection therewith, the duty was altogether too unpleasant a one, but he had studied well the case and framed his sentence accordingly.

Both of these parties have taken an ap-

peal to the supreme court, and given bail to abide its decision, Baumhager in \$500, with John Jenicke and Tom Skalnek as sureties: and Ring in \$15,000 with J. B. Conter, Peter Ficker, Peter Meias, and Jacob Mares on his bail.

A Great Loss.

The burning of Dr. Pierce's palace hotel at Buffalo last week, was in reality a public calamity. It was a credit not only to Buffalo, but to the entire country, it was one of the finest hotel structures

in the country.
Work was commenced on the building in June, 1876, and it was formally opened for business in May, 1878. It had a frontage of 210 feet, with wing extensions of 125 feet; was 216 feet in depth, six stories high and 258 feet in height, including the tower. It was completely and elegantly furnished throughout The total cost of the finished structure

aggregated nearly \$500,000.

The flames were first discovered in the baggage room situated in the sixth story about two o'clock, and in less than thirty minutes, the flames, fanned by one of th severest gates that have visited that section for a long time, had spread to every portion of the building. The origin of the fire is a mystery, the most plausible theory being that of ignition by a gas jet. The house was fully equipped with fire extinguishers, but the tank bursting rendered them useless. The insurance will probably cover about two thirds of the probably cover about two-thirds of the loss.

Walk for the Championship.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 .- Entries for the wall at Madison Square garden, for the belt pre at Madison Square garden, for the belt pre-sented by O'Leary, and the championship of America, closed to-night The number of entries, 22, comprises the following names: Allen Burns, Bendigo Bandstridge, Benjamin Currin, John Ennis, Thos. Golden, John Hughes, F. H. Hart, Geo. Henaker, F. Krohne, Richard Sacouse, J. C. Mulgrew, Owen Mc-Carthy, Peter J. Panchet, Pierce Ryan, David Scanlan, M. Lyman, Harry Howard and three unknown

OTTAWA, Feb. 20 .- While in a procession

Sunday school scholars at Hull, a girl named Garrett was abducted by her brother-in-law, aided by over a hundred French Canadians, who attacked the procession. The whereabouts of the girl is a mystery.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20 .- Charles B. Richard,

ounder of the firm of 6. B. Richard & Co. formerly C. B. Richard & Bros., agents of the Hamburg line of steamers, is dead. Richard was born in Reicenboch, Silesia, July 30. 1818.

ASSERTING THEIR RIGHTS.

To the Editor of the Globe. St. Paul, Feb. 11, 1881 .- In your CLOBE of to-day is found an article, the title of which is, "The War on the Scandinavians." It is said the Scandinavians are importunate and should be repressed by the Republican party; that they number 150,000 in the State, and that they cast about 25,000 votes, and as long as
they confined themselves subordinates
and voted the Republican tickets placed
and voted the Republican tickets placed
in the bands of their lords and masters.

In an interview with Mr. Dillon, that genthey confined themselves subordinates and voted the Republican tickets placed in the hands of their lords and masters, they were esteemed and cajoled. But some of them are preposterous, and think, in addition to voting, they should be entitled to the holding of office; that they contented themselves first with local official positions, that they managed to get into the legislature, then claimed the most lucrative State office and threaten to secure a Congressman now, and the Republicans stand aghast with intent of repressive measures. Is that so? Does it mean a war, inaugurated by the Re-publican party leaders against the Scandinavians because they are not mindful of the important benefits they have de-

rived from them?

Be it admitted that the Scandinavians have, heretofore, been subservient to the Republican party; while they did not know it was contrary to their interest; that some of their countrymen have mis-led them to support Republican candidates to offices, by inducements of benefits to be derived, through the influ-ences of Republican leaders and office seekers, in order to gain votes of sup-

port by the Scandinavians.

Now be it therefore known, that the Scandinavians of the State of Minnesota are not fools, but humble, law abiding citizens, emigrated from a country of high civilization to Minnesota, in order to better their financial condition, and not to be imposed upon by Republican party leaders. They do not ask any favors. They will in due time return to the alle-

giance with the people, which constitute the ever-living Demogracy.

The Scandinavians are made of the same stuff as their ancient forefathers, who were valient enough in the middle who were valient enough in the middle ages to conquer the greatest part of Europe, who discovered and occupied parts of the American continent up to 1347, and who now are fulfilling the prophecy of Odin, to go to and occupy the central parts of the American conti nent, the land flowing with milk and hon-ey, where they can cut large slices of the fat swine—"syrdmer," participate in the rights and benefits of the most beneficent system of a free and enlightened govern-ment for the people and of the people, of which they now constitute an integral part, which they by passion and perseverance of hard labor are supporting and will maintain, regardless of highfalutin political leaders, whose intent it seems to be to subjugate and subordinate them as serfs. The Scandinavians in Minnesota serfs.

may be deficient to some extent in regard to the English language and in statesmanship, so as to constitute efficient members in the legis-lature. Still, there are found amongst them men with such required qualifica-tions, even to occupy the highest position in the State, as well as to become repre-sentatives of Congress, and the days are sentatives of Congress, and the days are not far distant when such things may happen, provided they leave the nearly sunken ship of the Republican party and assert their independence with the people's party, and then good-by political leaders.

The Norwegians were among the first imprises the settled in Minescett and

immigrants who settled in Minnesota, and they have by energetic labor, not only made the then a wilderness blossom and bear fruits for their support, although they were surrounded by extreme poverty they were surrounded by extreme poverty; but they have as common laborers worked on the pathways of railroads, in the woods cutting timber, in the fields cul-tivating the soil for the golden harvest. The young men and maidens of their race have subordinated their ambitions and have been servants to their fellow citizens and as a general thing been honest and faithful. That much cannot be said their lords and masters, and what would have become of them if the Scandinavian had not been the toilers for them.

The Norwegians are in no sense political office beggars; they will very soon know how to govern themselves, and the Scandinavians are not only destined to occupy the lands in Minnesota and Da-kota, but there can be no doubt, they in the future, will become the most import American continent, and infuse new life

and activity in its great destiny.

Don't be scared if you see the elephant and the Norwegians elect their own

member to Congress.
"No curbing of their ambition will be tolerated, nor will the Republican leaders be able to lead them by the ways they o have heretofore been will raise in their majesty of the people and dictate the future, for the well being of good government and humanity."
Forward.

The Morey Letter.

New York, Feb. 20 .- Col. Hadley writes the newspapers he never saw or heard of the Morey letter until after publication, and suggests the authorities offer a reward of \$5,000 to \$25,000 for the author and immunity from punishment to the person who did write the letter if he will make himself known, it being understood neither myself, nor any member or agent of the Democratic national committiee shall receive the reward or immunity. The Colonel further proposes if the authorities will guarantee immunity he will undertake to place the reward agreed upon with sums named in the national bank to credit of committee, who shall have authority to pay it over

A Lively Blaze. .

SILVER CLIFF, Feb. 20 .- A fire which broke out at noon in a saloon on Cliff street de-stroyed a number of buildings. Total loss stroyed a number of buildings. Total loss about \$50,000. Among the losers are the following: "M. Friedman, stock of elothing and building, \$5,500, no insurance; W. Ronker, stock confectionery, \$5,000, insured for \$2,000; Murphy & Osgood, saloon, \$2,000; F. L. Miller & Bro., stock of groceries, \$8,000, insurance \$4,000; Ed Silk, saloon and theater, \$3,000; Kauster Bros., stock of clothing and building, \$6,000; A. E. Bartlett, stock of furniture, \$2,500, insurance \$1,500; J. A. Melvin, hotel and other building, \$5,200, insurance \$2,000; G. G. Miner, \$2,500; Pinney & Henry, \$3,500, insurance \$1,500.

Freak of an Insane Man.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Carl Jansen, aged 28 while lying apparently drunk this afternoon on the battery sea wall was approached by two policemen. Jumping up suddenly Jansen leaped upon the ice floating in the river, and turning toward the officers, emptied a six barreled revolver at them. He then drew another revolver, but changing his mind as he was about to fire, sprung into the water, from which he was dragged by the police and a boatman. Jansen is believed to be insane. He is from Stockholm, and has been seven months a farm hand in Illinois.

Fire in a Coffin Manufactory. CINCINNATI, Feb. 20. -Fire in the new fou

story brick block recently erected as an addistory brick block recently erected as an addition to the factory of the Cincinnati coffin company, on Carr street, north of Richmond street, this afternoon, indicted a loss of \$30,000. The flames destroyed the fourth story, used for manufacturing hardware and silver-plated goods, but did not extend below. Water destroyed fine textile trimmings and robes stored in the second story. Insurance, \$105,000, placed nearly equally in about sixty companies, all outside of Cincinnati. Sherman's Successor.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.-The Times says Chief

Justice Folger of this State will be secretary

DILLON'S OPINIONS.

"A Reply to the War Against the Scandi- What He Thinks of the Coercive Meas-

[Cable Telegram (Feb. 19) to Chicago Times. There is a great deal of excitement over the action of parliament with regard to Irish measures. Large crowds lined all the approaches to the house of commons on yesterday. Comments on the proposed action with reference to arbitrary cutting off of debate on Monday are loud and unfavorable to the ministry. De-tectives swarm all over town, and every move-

In an interview with Mr. Dillon, that gentleman was asked what are the effects of prolonged opposition to the coercion bill. He replied: "It has rendered it impossible for the government to make the wholesale arrests originally intended, and it has made it exceedingly unlikely that the English government will ever again attempt coercion in Ireland." "Is it true that the prolonged opposition has injured constitutional liberty in England?" was asked. "Yes," repliad Mr. Dillon, "but it is well the English people should know for the future that they can take away the liberty of the Irish people only at the cost of parting with their own." "What effect will be produced on land-

eir own."
"What effect will be produced on landlords?"
"The government have destroyed their original bill and are now preparing a much strong-

inal bill and are now preparing a much stronger one."

"Is there any force in the accusation that
the Parnellist party is standing between the
people and the protection which the government intended to afford them?"

"No; the land league put an end to evictions
up to the time the coercion bill was introduced, and will confine its labor to this end as
long as it is permitted to exist. By coercive
action the government declares it will neither
protect the people nor allow them to protect
themselves."

"Will the coercion bill destroy league?"
"No; it will have the effect to increase the strength of the league. A thousand Ulster men who held aloof from the league, having

men who held aloof from the league, having confidence in the liberal parliament, have been joining the league since the introduction of the coercion bill. Farmers all over the country see their only hope in the league. Arrests will only increase the anger of the people."

"Is there any danger of an armed rising?"

"I think not. The national party is too sensible to attempt to resort to arms when not prepared. The present authorities at Dublin castle are endeavoring to get up a rising, but I believe the people are too wise to be caught in this trap."

Mr. Dillon leaves for Ireland to-day, to remain away some time.

nain away some time. WISCONSIN NEWS.

The city debt of Racine is \$213,000.

The village of Brandon is incorporated Two more saw mills are to be built in Ear

A tub and pail factory is being erected in Dexterville. The Richland county Democrat has been sold at sheriff's sale.

A Scandinavian literary association has been formed in Whitehead. In several localities the measles have istaken for smallpox.

Last year in Dane county nearly 7,000 acres were planted with tobacco.

There are cases of smallpox in Oconto, Ahnapes and neighboring towns. The authorities of Racine have the establishment of a ship yard in contemplation.

Cyrus Evans, one of the oldest citizens
Green Bay, died last week, aged 77 years.

The establishment of a morning Gern paper is in contemplation at Appletor The Janesville shoe factory is turning out 300 pairs per day and employs 100 operatives. A Portage county farmer had his entire flock of twenty-one sheep destroyed by dogs recently.

The mortality among horses this winter the county of Manitowoc is reported to very great. The residence of David Cowan, Eau Galle, was recently destroyed by fire. Loss \$2,000; insur-

Over one-third of the schools in Sheboygan and diphtheria. The total amount of money on deposit in the panks of Eau Claire is \$298,293; in Chippewa

The project of building a railroad from Stevens Point to Neillsville, fifty-four miles, s taking shape.

Dennis Crow, of Racine, did not know the shot gun was loaded, and he blew off one of his fingers to find out.

The burning of the Wisconsin Central road

paint shop at Stevens Point involves a loss of \$2,000; insurance, \$750. \$2,000; insurance, \$750.

The total sales of the Grange store at Evansville the last year were \$78,644, an increase of 25 per cent. over the preceding year.
Pierre Labash, a logger in the lumber region, was killed at McKinney's camp a few days ago, on the Yellow river, by a falling

Farmers in the neighborhood of Green Bay have great difficulty in reaching the city

The robbery of the treasurer's office of Kews nee county, has been proved beyond doubt t be the work of the treasner, Janda, who is defaulter in the amount of \$9,000.

Mrs. F. Boardman, of Farmington, hung herself recently. She was 28 years old, and leaves a husband and three children, the young-est a month old. Cause unknown.

A Wisconsin farmer twenty-three years ago

A Wisconsin farmer twenty-three years ago planted a piece of land unfit for cultivation with black walnut trees, which are now from sixteen to twenty inches through, and have been sold for \$27,000.

Frank Wheeler, of Beloit, when returning home the other night from a masquerade was fired upon by some would-be assassins from behind a wood pile. The bullet lodged in the bundle of masquerade clothes which he had under his arm.

Gen. Cook, Indian agent at Rosebud agency assed through the city Saturday. He reports the weather exceedingly unpropitious in that part of the country. He has lost fifteen per cent. of the cattle received as a four and a half months' supply. owing to the severity of the winter. The supply of cattle is not sufficient to last until April 1st, and he will probably have to call on the contractors for deliveries at an earlier date. As there has not been a spot of ground seen since November 15th, and the snow is badly drifted besides, it will puzzle the contractors to make their deliveries, but the contractors to make their deliveries, but the contract price is such that they will probably have a handsome profit if they have to employ bull-whackers to carry the steers on their shoulders one or two hundred miles.

Annie Pixley To-Night.

Lovers of the drama will not forget that this evening Miss Annie Pixley begins her engagement at the Opera house in the border play of "M'liss." No dramat-ic representation of the year has received more universal commendation than this, for the presentation of which Miss Pixley appears to be peculiarly adapted. She will appears to be pecunary anapted. She will be supported by an unusually strong com-pany, embracing quite a number of old stage favorites. The sale of reserved seats will open at 9 o'clock this morning.

Sons of Benjamin.

New York, Feb. 20.-The third annua onvention of the Independent Order of Sons convention of the Independent Order of Sons of Benjamin was held to-day, Wm. Heller, grand master, in the chair. The organization has 370 lodges, three conducted by women. Paid endowments past year, \$7.410; income of lodges, \$15,458; expenditures, \$13,669. Wm. Heller was reelected grand master; Edward Wetheirmer, deputy grand master; Adolph Silberstein, grand secretary; J. S. Wallenstein, grand teasurer. NEW YORK, Feb. 20.-The annual

New YORK, Feb. 20.—The annual convention of the grand lodge of the order of Koshel Shel Barzel was held to-day. The endowment committee report receipts for the past year of \$62,915, and disbursements of \$59,273. The surplus amounts to \$19,701. Sinking fund in the lodges, \$25,000. Isaac Marx was chosen grand president. Congressional Temperance WASHINGTON, Feb. 20 .- The Congressiona

Temperance society held its forty-seventh an

iversary this evening. Addresses were made

Munro, Ward and Ballow. Resolutions were adopted requesting the President to forbid the sale of liquors by storekeepers at army posts.

ALL AROUND THE GLOBE.

Skobeloff is returning to Russia The striking colliers of Yorkshire, Eng., have refused to submit to an arbitration.

Charles F. Bereton, an old and respected cit-The village schools at Redwood Falls have been suspended on account of the lack of fuel.

Germany has given its adherence to the proposal for an international exhibition tricity at Paris.

It is reported that the Canton, Ohio, car works will probably soon locate a branch fac-tory in Mankato. Baptiste Costa, the Italian who killed his brother near Collinsville, Ill., Friday night, has been arrested.

Ex-corporation counsel Joseph F. Bonfield, Chicago, died Saturday evening at his own esidence in that city.

The Georgia Southern or Mobile railway route to New Orleans is again complete, the floods having subsided. Mrs. Wilson, at Petersburg, Va., has been found guilty of the murder of her husband and sentenced to be hanged.

It is understood the English cabinet and Boer government are discussing terms of peare proposed by the latter.

The village of Brevieres, France, has been completely destroyed by two avalanches. Ten of the inhabitants were killed.

Rockwell & Churchill's printing establish ment of Boston was damaged by fire yesterday Loss, \$30,000; partially insured. An enthusiastic in progress for suppression of veriety thesters and opposit halls

Detroit, Mich., is in progress for suppression of variety theaters and concert halls.

John M. Justice, a prominent citizen of Erie, Pa., while on a hunting expedition Saturday, accidentally shot and killed himself.

The pope is said to be indignant because the land league leaders appear to have formed an alliance with the anti-clericals of France.

The Maine Hause Schwider indefinitely

The Maine House, Saturday, indefinitely postponed the concurrent resolution passed A new Corliss engine, slxty horse power, is soon to be put in Berry's mill at Marshall, to take the place of the old and weak one now in

At a planing mill in Sunbury, O., Saturday, a saw broke in pieces, one of which entered the breast of L. D. Green, causing his instant death.

A synagogue at Neustettin, Pommerania, has been destroyed by an incendiary fire, which has been destroyed by an incendiary fire, which occurred shortly after an anti-Jewish meeting had been held in the building.

The grand hotel built at Omaha by George Francis Train, which has been closed several years, has been bought by parties who will rebuild it and reopen it as a hotel. Senator-elect Fair, of Nevada, arrived at Omaia Saturday evening, on his way to Concord. N. H., to visit his two children at school there, before going to Washington.

Mrs. Rebecca Corseilline and Mrs. Darely, Mrs. Repecta Corseiline and Mrs. Dately, her mother, have been arrested at Columbus, O., on charge of murdering the former's first husband at London, O., two years ago.

Duffy and Murphy, the Laprade (Tenn.) murderers, who turned State's evidence, are reported to have been found hanging to a tree near Guthric, Tenn., Saturday morning.

The reserver of the receiver of the Onio &

The report of the receiver of the Onio & Mississippi railroad for 1880 shows a large in-rease of net earnings, reduction of the float-ng debt and improvement of the roadway.

The municipality of Marseilles, France, by a vote of 35 to 1, has annulled its grant of a site for ejection of a statue to Thiers, on the ground that he was an enemy to radical ideas. The Boston lancers and Charleston cadets, on their way to New Orleans to participate in the Kardi Gras parade, had an enthusiastic military and civic reception at Chicago Satur-

ay.
The Paducah & Elizabethtown road of Kentucky, has abandoned the experiment of doing express business and entered into con-tract for it with the Southern express com-

Body-snatching continues of frequent occur-rence in the villages near Montreal. Saturday the police of Montreal recovered the stolen body of a woman in the dissecting rooms of Bishop college.

The elevators at St. Louis are busy loading barges with wheat and corn for foreign ship-ment via New Orleans. Three to four hundred bushels will be sent out early this week, and more will follow.

Joseph H. Wade plead guilty at Indianapo-

he was once found guilty and sentenced to be hung, but obtained a new trial,] and sentenced to the penitentiary for life. to the penitentiary for life.

The Norwich line steamer, City of Boston, and the Elm City, of the Hartford line, were in collision on Long Island sound Saturday in a fog, but without serious injury to either boat or harm to passengers.

Henry D. Klothe, a wealthy farmer living pare Glasgor Mo, suicided testerday morning.

near Glasgow, Mo., suicided yesterday morning, shooting himself through the head He was a prominent church member, and highly es-teemed. No cause is known for the act.

The body of the late Dr. Kourden Hounsenberg, of Indianapolis, was cremated in Le Moyne's furnace at Washington, Pa., Saturday afternoon. This was the tenth cremation there and created no excitement in the village. A Deer Trail, Col., dispatch tells of W. A. Middlemost, a wealthy stock man, of that region, being found frozen to death, with two of the four horses he was driving also frozen to death, and the other two in bad condition. The family of Fernando Wood having forbidden any public funeral ceremonies at New York city, his body on arrival there from Washington, where funeral services were held Saturday, was to conveyed direct to Trinity

The jury which has inquired into the late atal accident at the Buffalo depot of the New York Central railroad, finds that the roof fell

o'Leary offers to wager \$5,000 that his uu-known will in the coming six day pedestrian contest excel every previous six day record; and also offers to wager \$5,000 that his con-tract with the "unknown" is already signed and witnessed.

The international medical and sanitary ex

The international medical and sanitary exhibition will be held in London on occasion of
the meeting of the international medical congress, from July 16 to August 23. Applications from America for space will be received
until April 16.

The two unurderers of Baber, having waived
examination and been committed to the Nashville jail, were taken from Winchester to Nashville angles as strong military reads much to

ville under a strong military guard, much to the dissatisfaction of a large crowd which was ready to lynch them.

James Adams was arrested at Lee's Summit,
Mo., near Kansas city, Friday night, for the
murder of Samuel Armstrong, at New London,
Conn., three years ago. Adams has been living at Lee's Summit two years under the
name of J. P. Halls.

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J. T. Ogden, supposed to have formerly been a resident at Port Jefferson, Ohio, committed suicide at St. Louis, Friday night, by shooting himself. He lay on a bed and fired the pistol into his mouth. Cause, despondency on account of ill-health and poverty.

The steamer Fairplay, with 800 bales of cotton, and wharfboat Katie, with 500 bales of cotton and a large amount of merchandise, were destroyed by an incendiary fire Saturday morning. The people on the boat barely escaped in their night clothes, and one, Eddie Hancock, a printer, was burned to death.

At a masked fete of students of the academy of painting, Munich, Friday, the costumes of some of the students caught fire, and four students were burned to death, and eight seriously injured. None of them were Americans. A German student started the fire in lighting a cigar, and spread it by running among the others. Death of Miss Darlington, of St. Mary

Episcopal Church. Episcopal Church.

Miss S. P. Darlington, principal of St.
Mary's Episcopal school, died in that institution last night, of pneumonia. Deceased
moved to this city in 1860, and has been connected with the Bishop Whipple schools ever
since, holding the position of principal of St.
Mary's school from 1866 to the day of her
death. She leaves many friends, both here
and in St. Paul, to mourn her loss.

lead to the greatest destruction of human life, mainly in consequence of their being systematically neglected—"left to go as they came"—until a simple, curable affection is converted into a serious and generally fatal disease. It is better to take care of a cough or cold from its incipiency, by using promptly Dr. Jayne's Expectorant, a remedy thoroughly adapted to remove these complaints, and equally effective in the primary stages of consumption, asthma and bronchitis. Washington, Feb. 20.—At the annual meetng of the American Tract society, addresses ere made by Justice Strong and Representacolportage on the frontier. Aggregate receipts for the year, including balance brough lorward, \$382,283.79.

RAILROADS.

St. Paul & Duluth Shares -A Propose Railroad from Moorhead to Brecken-ridge via McCauleyville.

The New York World of the 17th remarks The rise in Northern Pacific gives additional vidence of the low prices at which St. Paul and Duluth common and preferred shares are ruling. The latter road is not bonded at all, and the probabilities of a consolidation with the St. Paul and Omaha (though often denied) are still great."

are still great."

The Argonaut, of Moorhead, Minn., of the 17th inst., publishes the proceedings of meetings held at Moorhead, on Tuesday and Wednesday last, at which the preliminary organization was effected of a company which proposes to build a railroad on the Minnesota side of Red River, from Moorhead to Breckenridge via McCanleyville. Articles of corporation were agreed upon and signed by twenty-one residents of Moorhead, Breckenridge and McCauleyville, and the following named were chosen for the board of directors, viz: S. G. Comstock, A. A. White, H. A. Bruns, F. J. Burnham and John Erickson, of Moorhead, and J. R. Harris and David McCauley, of McCauleyville.

auleyville.

After obtaining some further signatures to After obtaining some further signatures to the articles of incorporation at Breckenridge, they will be filed with the secretary of state and the directors will be ready to negotiate for for building the road. The route, following an almost level plain, one-half mile to six miles from the river, will be direct, easy and cheap in construction. It is probably a far better route than could be had on the west side of the river and it is possible therefore that the new company may in time yield place to the M. & St. P., St. P. & M. or N. P., to either of which companies the proposed road may prove a valuable acquisition. The Argonaut esteems the project for its promise of contributing to make Moorhead a railroad center and consequently a stronger commercial town. d consequently a stronger commercial town

CITY GLOBULES.

Supt. Birge has established a new fire alarm at the St. Paul & Manitoba railroad, to be numbered 43.

Collecter Bickel returned Saturday evening om an official inspection of the Red river and St. Vincent branches of his department. The annual ball under the auspices of the

iederkranz society, intended to signalize the close of the private dances of the winter series. will take place to-night. The arrangements are fully perfected, and a very pleasant time is expected. About 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon a team, attached to a covered sleigh, from McKinney's stable, became frightened; on Hill street,
and started to run away. The animals scudded
up Hill street with the rapidity of greased
lightning, coming to grief on Fort street,
where they collided with a rig driven by Mr.
Simons. Both vehicles were demoralized, but
no personal injury was inflicted.

About noon, yesterday, Dr. Chas. N. Dori on, while passing from Christ church, on on, while passing from Christ church, on Fourth street, after the morning services, slipped on the ice, and was thrown upon the sidewalk, sustaining a fracture of the left ankle and other painful injuries. He was assisted to his residence, corner of Fifth and Washington streets, and may not be able to leave the house for some days. He will continue his practice, receiving patients at his residence.

The entertainment given by the Rosenfield isters and Seibert's orchestra at the Athenæum last night attracted a large and enthusias-tic audience. The programme was substanti-ally the same as that given at the Opera house last week, and the musical talent of these ac complished artists was never displayed to bet-ter or more satisfactory advantage. The per-formance was highly enjoyable throughout, and the artists were the recipients of enthusi-

There was a dance at Knapp's place, Roger's block, Saturday night, and after the glims had been doused, which was late yesterday morning, several of the merry makers went up stairs to bed. Among these was Joe Ackerman, who possessed, on retiring, a valuable gold watch. On waking up yesterday morn-ing he discovered that the "jigger" had been cabbaged from his vest pocket. Two men were arrested on suspicion, but as no evidence was forthcoming they were released.

The ladies of the Fanny Parnell Land league are preparing a grand entertainment to be given at the Opera house on the evening of the 24th inst. Besides the laudable object proposed, namely, "to assist the women of Ireland to defend their homes," the programme be made by Rev. Father McGolrick of Minne-polis, and Messrs. Wm. L. Kelly and C. D. D'Brien of St. Paul. The Misses Banning have

Vorter of St. Patt. The Misses Banning nave kindly consented to read selections from Fanny Parnell's beautiful poems. There will also be vocal and instrumental selections, league songs, etc., under the direction of Mr. Wm. F. Markoe.

About 8 o'clock last evening, while passing along Third street near Jackson, the attention along Third street near Jackson, the attention of Sergeant Walsh and Officer Nugent was attracted by the unseemly conduct and loud conversation of a man and woman, both under the influence of liquor. They were ordered to make less noise and move on, whereupon the man became cranky and threatened to whip the officer. They were both put under arrest, and as the female refused to walk, a cutter was procured by Officer Nugent while Sergeant Walsh started for city hall with the man. The cutter had only proceeded a short distance up Walsh started for city hall with the man. The cutter had only proceeded a short distance up Third street when the woman jumped from the cutter and tried to escape. She was overtaken by the officer, when a lively scuffle ensued, the irate Amazon showing fight. After great difficulty she was locked up. The woman's name is Ella French, well known in St. Paul, and the man is a Minneapolis duffer named Frank Mallory.

ENCOURAGEMENT FOR IRELAND.

interesting Meeting of the Sixth Ward Land League. The Sixth Ward Land League held very successful meeting yesterday afteroon. Father Gallagher presided and kept business moving lively. Short and stirring speeches were made by Chief Justice Wood, P. Crowley and John G. Donnelly. An interesting incident of the meeting was the reading of an extract from an Irish paper by Mr.
C. M. McCarthy of the central league of
this city, referring to a speech of Michael
Davitt, made before some two thousand Orangemen, showing that the land ques-tion is uniting Irishmen as they were never before. The resolutions adopted

never before. The resolutions adopted by the central league Saturday night, published in yesterday's issue of the GLOBE, were endorsed, in addition to which the following, presented by Ald. Jerry McCarthy, were adopted: Resolved, That we hall the approaching unity of the Irish people, as now indicated by the present agitation of the land question in Ireiand, and the kindred agitation in the United States, and believe that the time is not far distant when all local barriers and differences will be absorbed in the one thought, that Ireland must be united and free.

Resolved, That we believe and hope that the congress of the United States, the legislatures

Resolved, That we believe and hope that the congress of the United States, the legislatures of the several States thereof, and all public commercial bodies, will speedily and strongly declare in favor of the rights of the Irish people to own, as well as to occupy, the soil of their native land.

Resolved, That we tender our sincere thanks to the governor of this commonwealth, Hon. J. S. Pillsbury, for the promptness with which he communicated the cheering news of the action of our State legislature to the friends of the cause in the old country, who will be greatly encouraged thereby. will be greatly encouraged thereby.

Some twenty-five new names were en-

oome twenty-live new names were en-rolled, making a total membership of over one hundred. On next Sunday after-noon the league will be addressed by Senators Adams, Crooks and Bonniwell. Vocal and instrumental music will also be provided, making the meeting the most interesting of the league. After war, pestilence and intemperance cold ead to the greatest destruction of human life,

Business men go to Stees Bro.'s for Moo Patent Counting House King Desks.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

A union high school is to be established in There were eighty-eight freight cars snowed in at Willmar.

in at Willmar.

Owatonna will give a site for the new State prison, and \$10,000 besides.

The liquor war at Worthington, Nobles county, continues at white heat.

The New Ulm Review records two more deaths from diphtheria in that village.

George Parker has been appointed deputy coal oil inspector for Kittson county. The sheriff of Pope county meanders about on snowshoes to serve his legal papers.

The public schools of New Ulm were clo last week on account of the drifted snow. The Baptists in Grove City, Meeker count are holding a series of religious meetings.

It is alleged that over 1,000 deaths fro diphtheria occurred in Minnesota last year.

The Bulletin says the indications point to an active building season in Wabashaw during A new semi-weekly mail route has been es tablished between Sleepy Eye and Fort Ridgely via Golden Gate.

A family in Wadena were poisoned the other day by eating canned beef. By timely remedies their lives were saved. The house of S. S. Dickinson, of North-field, was destroyed by fire last week. Loss, \$1,200; insurance \$750.

The temperance \$750.

The temperance people of Winnebago City are considering the matter of establishing a temperance paper in that place.

Not a single member of either House of the present legislature of Minnesota is a native of the State. Carpet baggers all.

The merchants of New Ulm have received but little freight since Christmas, and are low, or out of many kinds of goods. All the State papers are "storm bound," their columns heavily "blockaded" with "bliz zard" accounts and storm articles.

D. W. Compton, one of the oldest settlers of Fremont, Winona county, is dead. He has lived in that town twenty-one years. Material for a new Lutheran church edifice s being placed on the ground in Long Prairie, preparatory to building in the spring.

The imports into Blue Earth City in 1880 amounted in pounds to 25,468,202, and the exports amounted in pounds to 11,708,765.

Recently P. G. McGuire's office and machinery warehouse in Crookston, were destroyed by fire. Loss \$1,500; uninsured. At Albert Lea it is said Bjornson struck a church revival among his countrymen and talked infidelity to them, and was not appre-

The other day Sheriff Hunter, of Lyon coun ty, was severely wounded by the discharge of a revolver which he was carrying in his panta-Farmers living four or five miles from Fair-

mont, Martin county, went into that town the

The Mapleton, Blue Earth county, Censor has been obliged to suspend its publication for lack of patronage. It has been published between nine or ten months. A wild cat weighing fourteen pounds was caught in a trap at Glenwood the other night. Its appetite had demanded the slaughter of twelve hens the night previous.

eams being snow bound.

It is alleged that long, hard, snow-bound winters like this are uniformily followed by mmense crops of wheat. A compensation of this kind is now confidently looked for. The deep snow is making wolves hungry and bold. Recently, at Sauk Center, they fol-owed a team from the woods, howling and making angry demonstrations, till the team reached the village.

Recently the barn of H. Brady, on his farm four miles from Benson, Swift county, took

four miles from Benson, Swift county, took fire and was totally consumed with all its con-tents, including three horses, two cows, a number of calves and fowls. The report of destitution among the farmers west of Sleepy Eye, in the finding of a family consisting of father, mother and three children, frozen to deeth in their shanty, is denounced as a sheer fabrication.

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One of the farmers of Freeborn county, for the purpose of exchanging wheat raising for stock raising, bought seventy calves last summer. Forty five of them have died, it is thought from improper feeding.

W. W. Williams, of the Albert Lea Standard, had a hand-to-hand-scuffle with J. R. Ellerton, recently, in a saloon, in which the former came out second best. The difficulty grew out of an article in the Standard.

A good reason why there were no cupriorly.

A good reason why there were no quarterly meeting religious exercises held in Glenwood, Pope county, the other day, was that there was no presiding elder, no minister and no

lives recently from gas from a coal stove in the night time. The cover of the stove had been left off. A timely discovery only saved their lives. They were seriously affected by the gas. the gas.

A 6½ year old son of James Burke was drowned in the Mississippi river, opposite Winona, the other day. He ventured too near an opening in the ice, the ice broke, he fell into the water, and the current drew him under the ice.

William Guetting, of New Ulm, was recently operated upon with the surgeon's knife for strangulated hernia, successfully. The dangerous and difficult operation occupied some wenty minutes, and the patient has fair pro-

pects of recovery.

Some of the older settlers think that the winter of 1856-7 equalled this in the severity of the cold and the great amount of snow while other old settlers declare that this win ter, for cold and show, is without a paralle since the settlement of the State. St. Peter Tribune, Feb. 16: Five hundre

shovelers worked on the Winona & St. Peter railroad on Friday shoveling snow, and the wind on Friday night filled in twice as much as the five hundred men took out. It is very discouraging work, this trying to open up snow blockades. John C. Carlson, a Norwegian living near Dexter, Mower county, had a little one year-old girl scalded to death. The careless mother put a teakettle of boiling water on the floor, where the little one was creeping about. The child pulled the kettle over onto itself, with the result noticed.

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A chopper was cutting down a tree by the roadside in Morristown, Waseca county, the other day. Just as the tree was about to fall Mr. Hoblin drove up with his team, and the tree falling a limb struck one of the horses, killing it. The other horse was injured and so was Mr. Hoblin, slightly.

The town of Mankato is reported to be

The town of Mankato is reported to be one vast wood yard this winter. The vacant lots around the railroad, mills and factories are covered with immense piles of wood, while thousands of cords are placed elsewhere for next fall's use. One firm are getting out 11,000 cords for shipment.

Last year the name of the village of Sleepy Eye was changed to "Loreno." The newspapers and the villagers refused to accept the change and stuck to Sleepy Eye right valiantly. Now a bill has been introduced into the legislature to change the name to "Sleepy Eye Lake," and the villagers kick at that worse than they did at "Loreno." They refuse to take any "Lake" in theirs. Sleepy Eye, pure and simple, and nothing else will satisfy the sleepy fellows.

Grove City, Meeker county, Times, Feb. 11: On Thursday of last week a fourteen or fifteen year old son of Henry Halverson Thon, of the township of Litchfield, was killed in a sudden and deplorable manner, The boy was driving a horse hitched to a horsepower, used for driving a circular saw. As it was cold, the boy was walking behind the sweep to which the horse was attached. Suddenly the hitching arrangement broke, letting the sweep fly back with great power, and striking the unfortunate boy ou the chest with such force as to instantly kill him. Western Union Telegraph Stock.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19 .- In the (ounty clerk's

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—In the county clerk's office, to-day, a certificate increasing the stock of the Western Union Telegraph company to \$50,000,000 was filed. It was signed by Marvin Greene, Edward Morgan, Augustus Schell, A. Durkee, Samuel F. Barger, Joseph Harker, A. B. Cornell, Russell Sage, Jno. Van Horne, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Wilson G. Hunt, E. S. Sanford, Thomas F. Eckert, D. C. Mills, O. H. Palmer, Samuel A. Munson, Jay Gould, Annon Palmer, Samuel A. Munson, Jay Gould, Anson Stager, Edward Worcester and William D. Bishop.

The certificate is filed because of questions that have been made as to whether the articles of association under which said company is organized have provided for the increase aforesaid and te exclude all possible pre-

Don't forget it, ladies. Only one week more. Splendid bargains. Goods still being marked down. Nothing like the rush. They must be closed out before March 1st.

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AMONG THE HORSES.

Sport on the Ice Track-English Spring Handicaps - Miscellaneous. On the Ice.

The speeding track on the river is now in xcellent condition, in fact could not be improved, and presents a lovely scene each afteroon. Saturday last there was a goodly crowd, neluding crab, cob and trotter. Mr. Heron, with the chestnut gelding Stacey, and Mr. Burwell with his speedy mare Kitty B., show-

Burwell with his speedy mare Kitty B., showing the most speed, were accorded the right of way. Stacey generally had the best of the mare, she being at times unsteady and rank, but when well on her feet made the pace hot for Mr. Heron's horse. These gentlemen evidently enjoyed their afternoon's sport, speeding down the track together repeatedly. Stacey was in fine feather, going level and fast, evidently to the satisfaction of Mr. Heron, who could be noticed when jogging up the stretch, casting his weather eye towards town, probably looking for Lady Brown to make her appearance, but Charley didn't show up, much to the disappointment of the crowd, for his mare has greatly improved in speed of late, many believing her to be able to show her heels to Stacey. She would have required worlds of endways to have done it that day, but she was not there, and speculation of this kind is as cheap as ever.

The "architectural" wonder, Golden Star, was out in the crowd, but Mr. Radeliff did not show his quality, but the cobs and crabs were sent for all that was in them, and more, too, and the boys, old and young, had lots of fun.

The English Spring Handicaps. [Kentucky Live Stock Record, 19th.] The acceptances for the English Spring

Handicaps have come to hand, from which it appears that Robert the Devil is de-

clared out of the City and Suburban, leaving Peter the top weight at 128 pounds. As

clared out of the City and Suburban, leaving Peter the top weight at 128 pounds. As a whole the acceptances are large as they usually are. Out of the 115 entries for the Lincoin Handicap 38 declared out, leaving Peter the top weight at 131 pounds. Of the 47 entries for the Newmarket Handicap 11 declared. For the Newmarket Handicap 11 declared out of the 52 entries, including Fashion and Westbourne, the two top weights, which left Lucetta at the head of the list with 120 pounds, and as the top weight must be 124 pounds, the weight on Lucetta was raised four pounds, as also were all the others entered for the race, including Wallenstein, who has now 118 pounds, Neriad 114 pounds, Mistake 111 pounds and Brakespeare 101 pounds. For the Epsom spring meeting nine declared out of the Great Metropolitan and sixteen out of the Great Surrey handicap, for which Mr. Keene's Spendthrift is the top weight at 128 pounds. The Prince of Wales stakes lost eighteen, including the four top weights, which leaves Wallenstein occupying that position at 130 pounds. The City and Suburban lost twenty-one only out of 108 entries, all the Americans remaining in, including Uncas at 103 pounds. Neriad at 94 pounds, Iroquois, Foxall and Barrett each at 91 pounds, and Seminole at 84 pounds. The Chester cup suffers more in proportion than any other race, 19 declaring out of the 47 entries, none of the Americans having been entered. For the Liverpool Grand National steeplechase 13 declared out of the 47 entries, Liberator, the winner in 1879, being the top weight at 175 pounds, with Regal, the winner in 1876, second on the list at 165 pounds.

The leading turf papers have abandoned the 2:30 figure as the trotting zero, that rate of speed having become too unanimous, and have adopted 2:25 as the maximum of time allowed for a horse to get his nose under the wire in order to obtain a record worthy of being considered par excellence. The number that can

sidered par excellence. The number that can now respond to such a roll call being nearly 400, it will soon become necessary to drop another five seconds, as there are about 100 others that are now excluded by a fraction of a second only, that will soon be claiming fellowship in the aristocratic equine circle.

Among the curiosities of breeding can be cited that of the stallion Tatler, by Phlot, Jr., having two of his get in the 2:25 and better list, Indianapolis and Voltaire, each having the same record, 2:21. Walkill Chief, by Hambletonian, also has two in the list, Great Eastern and Dick Swiveller, to whom he has transmitted equal speed, each having a record of 2:18.

Mr. Charles S. Lloyd, a well-known turf man, died Thursday last at Halmdel, New Jersey, of heart disease.

The entries for the spring receting of the

Jersey, of heart disease.

The entries for the spring receting of the Nashville blood horse association, which closed Thursday, are unusually large, guaranteeing an interesting and successful meeting.

The St. Louis Jockey club have changed their dates to June 6th to 11th inclusive. This will give ample time between the Chester Park, Cincinnati, O., and St. Louis meetings, and enable owners to run their horses at both places. A family in Zumbrota came near losing their

places. W. P. Balch, Boston, Mass, has purchased places.

W. P. Balch, Boston, Mass, has purchased from R. P. Couklin, Northport, R. I., for a gentleman of Worcester, Mass., the brown stallion Wedgewood, 2:19, ten years old, by Belmont, dam Woodbine by Woodford. It is stated, however, that Wedgewood and Parana will be in Splain's stables the coming season. In the case involving the ownership of the trotting horse Charlie Ford, of Chicago, the Wisconsin supreme court he sfound in favor of James McKesson.

Mr. W. C. France, of St. Louis, owner of Hattie Woodward, Alexander, Lizzle Smith, and other trotters, is, it is stated, about to take up his residence in Chicago.

Mambrino Hambletonian, the sire of the grand young mare Parana, died the 29th ult., of typhoid pneumonia, in the stables of his owner, Mr. Emery, at Cleveland, O.

An Intelligent and Noble Dog As a general thing dog stories having reference to the marvelous instinct and sagacity of this most intelligent and faithful animal of the brate creation, are, to employ a vulgar saying, as thick as hair or fleas on a goat. The

the brate creation, are, to employ a vulgar saying, as thick as hair or fleas on a goat. The latest and by far the best illustration of the sagacity and intelligence of the canine is now going the rounds in this city and it is not only vouched for by competent authorities but is susceptable of daily verification.

Mr. B.; a Seventh street saloon keeper, owns a valuable dog, part pointer and part Newfoundland. Now B, who is accounted a very intelligent man and a great reader withal, subscribes for both of the St. Paul morning papers, the Pioneer Press and the Globe. Outside of his residence at the gate is a wooden receptacle for mail, and into this box the papers are dropped each morning. The dog had been trained to visit the box each morning and bring the papers to the house. Latterly he has only brought one paper, the Globe. Thinking it strange that he should not receive the Pioneer Press, Mr. B. came to the conclusion that it was not delivered, orif so it must be stolen from the box.

A few mornings ago, on looking out the window, his attention was attracted by the strange conduct of the dog. The animal was observed to go to the box, take one of the papers and tear it up; the other paper he brought to the house. Investigating the affair, he found that the animal had torn up the Pioneer Press and, as usual, he brought the Globe to the house.

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Globe to the house. "Whether or not he has a prejudice against the carrier of that paper is not known, but while his reasons are not known, his good judgment cannot be questioned.

The Sixth Ward Levee The Ramsey county delegation in the legis lature gave audience during the recess yester

day noon to a committee representing the Sixth ward, which consisted of Messrs. J. C. Mcward, which consisted of Messrs. J. C. McCarthy, James Starkey, C. H. Lienau, Wm. Berlandt, S. D. Lord, Thomas Cochran, Jr., and Ansel Oppenheim. The object of the committee was to arge favorable action upon the bill anthorizing an expenditure of \$25,000 for acquiring property and building a leve along the Sixth ward front, and that the amount should be increased to \$40,000. Mr. McCarthy was the principal spokesman for the committee, and made a strong argument, which he clinched by the declaration that nearly \$400,000 worth of buildings and 2,000 people are in danger of a flood, which may destroy the property and drive the people away. "How much would not the city of St. Panl pay, he said, for an addition of 2,000 people and 400,000 worth of building? How much will it pay to keep them?" Before the conference closed it was agreed that the bonds to be authorized should be increased to \$40,000 and it was understood the whole delegation will cordially support the bill as amended.

PERSONAL

Ex-Sheriff Johnson, of Washington now of Fargo, is visiting in St. Paul.