

TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

WASHINGTON. Trade relations with Germany will be greatly influenced by the coming Reichstag election. It is expected that the Agrarians, who favor excluding United States goods, will be defeated and the Social Democrats installed. The latter favor better import relations.

SOUGHT IN VAIN FOR IDEAL WIFE.

Pennsylvania Minister Who Advertised His Matrimonial Wants Is Not Satisfied.

TRAVELED OVER 5,000 MILES.

Pretty Girls Vain and Arrogant; Ugly Ones Disappointing—Still Seeks Woman Who Cares Little for Dress.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Reading, Pa., June 21.—The Reverend C. W. Brownback, the minister who advertised for a wife, officially announces that he can't find his ideal and at last relates his experiences in detail.

LOCAL AND SUBURBAN. A riot of picketers following the arrival of an excursion train at Union Station caused a riot.

Health Commissioner Simon made a plea for the adoption of the charter amendment to-morrow.

The Catholic Church of the Shrine of the Sacred Heart was dedicated.

The Tenth-Ward Improvement Association heartily endorsed the proposed charter changes.

The baccalaureate sermon to St. Louis University was preached and the feast of St. Aloysius celebrated at St. Xavier's College Church.

Bishop Glennon confirmed 800 children at St. Leo's Church, the last opportunity under Father Hart's pastorate.

The last service was held in the Carondelet M. E. Church, South, which is forty-five years old.

Lester Babcock, a pioneer South Side citizen, died.

Mrs. Bessie Casey was seriously injured in leaping from a runaway car. She saved a child, whom she carried in her arms, from injury.

The Indian Baptist Association has passed a resolution excluding all whites from its meetings.

White Eagle, the chief of the Poncas, has resigned and been succeeded by his son Talgy.

GENERAL DOMESTIC. Harry Temple is killed by a bolt of lightning at Adrian, Mo.

Groups are being organized in Central Missouri and Nebraska by the National League, a candidate for the vice presidency.

Senator Hanna declares that he will not be a candidate for the vice presidency and the nomination cannot be forced upon him.

Two members of a swimming party are drowned at Madison, Tex.

Representatives of the Civic Rights and Protective League of Illinois a negro organization with headquarters at Chicago, have gone to Springfield to appeal to Acting Governor Northcott to call a special session of the Legislature to impeach the officials of St. Clair County on the charge of failing to investigate the recent lynching of a negro at Belleville, Ill.

Major James Burton, lecture manager through thirty years for some of the world's greatest personages, is dead at his home in Jersey City.

In an interview given to a Chicago newspaper man, Clark Howell, editor of the Atlanta Constitution, declares that the negro problem will be solved when the North keeps its hands off and lets the southern whites, those directly affected, to settle the question in their own way by industrial methods.

A Delaware mob made two attempts to lynch a negro who had assaulted the daughter of a preacher.

A policeman Albert Nichols of Macon, Mo., was fatally stabbed by a negro he attempted to arrest.

A law similar to the old blue laws went into effect at Hot Springs, Ark., yesterday, and as the result every store, shop, park and place of amusement in the city was closed.

A newspaper was sold or distributed, and milkmen and women were not allowed to serve their customers.

One man was killed and three others injured in a railroad accident in California.

The textile strike in the Lowell mills has been called off. The 17,000 men involved have lost more than a million in wages.

The Pennsylvania minister who advertised for a wife who can cook, bake and sew, is willing to work, care little for dress and will take her pleasure in her home and God, is still waiting.

Three men have been arrested, charged with setting fire to the Queensboro Park Factory, which was burned April 18.

J. G. Scott of Osceola, Mo., was killed by lightning while on his way to church.

Omaha has arranged an elaborate program for the entertainment of the National Editorial Association, July 7.

Major James B. Pond, manager of lecturers and singers, died yesterday.

FOREIGN. Several riots occurred in France in connection with the religious procession.

Several changes in the Italian Cabinet are announced.

Assistant assassins in the Belgrade tragedy are receiving their blood-money.

treachery to the King and Queen of Serbia has been rewarded with promotion.

SPORTING. Cornell is the favorite in the intercollegiate regatta at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Colorado and Wisconsin is expected to capture second place.

J. E. Schmidt of Milwaukee was awarded the King medal upon official inspection of scores in the national tourney yesterday.

Browns win third straight game from Senators by score of 2 to 1.

Harvard horses to win the Varsity eight-oared race with Yale this year, as well as the fours, but the freshmen have had bad luck and may not be able to hold their own on the Thames. Harvard's last victory was in 1899.

Marine Intelligence. Brow Head, June 21.—Passed: Canada, Montreal, for Liverpool.

Seattle, June 21.—Passed: Zealand, New York, for Antwerp.

London, June 21.—Arrived: Ionian, Montreal.

Rotterdam, June 21.—Sailed: Ryndam from Rotterdam, New York, for Seattle.

London, June 21.—Sailed: Iberian, Montreal; Mantou, New York.

Queensdown, June 21.—Sailed: Umbria from Liverpool, New York.

New York, June 21.—Arrived: Blucher, Bremen, Southampton and Cherbourg; Columbia, Glasgow and Moville; La Gascogne, Havre.

Body Identified. The body of the young man who committed suicide in Forest Park Saturday, according to reports, is that of John Flett, Jr., of Toronto, Canada. Flett, the police man, Kieley yesterday received a telegram from John Flett, the young man's father, who instructed the authorities here to bury the body.

THE REPUBLIC: MONDAY, JUNE 22, 1903. AGENTS FOR STANDARD PATTERNS.

Unequaled Undermuslin Values. Comparison of the qualities of the garments in this great June sale with undermuslin values six months ago will convince you that, price for price, garments offered to-day were not equaled.

White Goods 1/3 Less. This season's; our direct importation; originally marked below value; now again reduced one-third.

To the Sale of Pattern Robes and Patterns, in our fourth-floor dressmaking reception-room, have been added many choice patterns from our Silk and Dress Goods Sections.

BORAX BOARDERS TO TAKE A REST. Experiments in the Effect of Preservatives Will Be Suspended From June to October.

RETURN TO THE WINDY CITY. Chicago Real Estate Men Say They Were Treated Royally.

SHOT TWICE IN THE HEAD. Man Supposed to Be Felix Steinberg Found in a Vacant Lot.

POWERFUL. A Pure Food Drink Has Great Sustaining Power. The sustaining power of Postum Coffee when properly cooked is greater than most people imagine.

Agents for Standard Patterns. Sprague, Vandervoort & Barney.

\$2.50 for Sorosis Tan Shoes. Our shoe buyer has just returned from the East. He reports that women of fashion are wearing tan shoes very extensively.

Wash Goods. Our special Printed Batiste at 15c a yard comes in many new designs—the quality is unequalled.

Special Values in White Shirt Waists. At \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00—They are in this season's most popular style of making—made of good qualities of white Lawn and nicely finished.

CITY'S POOR NEED CHARTER AMENDMENTS. Continued From Page One. care for the paupers, watch the sanitary conditions of the city, disinfect houses where there have been contagious diseases, afford temporary relief at the dispensary for the sick and wounded, transport the sick, wounded and insane to the different institutions and keep all the records pertaining to this large department, necessitates the employment of about 150 persons—59 men and 20 women.

DEATH OF JOSEPH S. CHARLES. Car Accountant of the Terminal to Be Buried To-morrow. FIRE DAMAGES BEEF PLANT. Steam Pipe Bursts on Fourth Floor of Building.

A. O. T. ALL ON TIME. A. O. T. The Merchants' bridge route of the Chicago and Alton Railway is open for traffic and all trains are arriving and departing on time via both routes. The magnificent ALTON LIMITED RED TRAIN For Chicago is again arriving and departing from the Union Station.

Ayer's Malaria and Ague Cure. A terrible chill, raging fever, profuse sweating every other day. That's the genuine old-fashioned ague.