GROISEARD ADMITS.

SPANISH MINISTER OF STATE SAYS GRESHAM CLAIMS REPARATION.

SPAIN WILL DO WHAT'S RIGHT

PROVIDED THE DIGNITY OF THE NATION IS NOT INFRINGED UPON.

Groiseard Made a Statement of the Allianca Affair in the Chamber of Deputies Yesterday in Which He Hoped the Matter Would Be Peacefully Settled.

Madrid, March 15.—Replying to questions propounded in the chamber of deputies today, Senor Alejandro Groiseard, minister of state, said that the report that Minister Taylor, acting on behalf of the United States government, had claimed that reparation from Spain was due the United States on account of the Allianca incident was true. The United States government, he said, at the same time demanded that American trade with Cuba shoud not be interfered with. He hoped the Allianca affair would be amicably settled. The United States government, he explained, considered the firing on the Allianca to be a violation of the principles of international law.

Minister Groiseard, in conclusion, said

PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING.

Plans for a Three Story Structure Submitted to the Board.

Messrs. Hackney and Van Brunt, architects of the new public library, have completed a third design for that building, a cut of which appears in this morning's Journal. The board of education has now a choice of one of three designs. The latest design is for a three story building. The other two designs, cuts of which appeared in the Journal of March 3, are for two story buildings. The design given here is for a three story library in the French chateau, or French renaissance style. The plans for the first and second floors are substantially those which were drawn for the other two designs. The floor plan of the third story has been sketched by the architects, but has not been completed. The plan will provide for library or art purposes. The rooms on this third story will be fifteen feet high. The exterior walls are designed to be of stone, and the roof of red clay tiles. The interior decorations are those planned for in the other two plans: Marble mosaic or encaustic tile floors, heavily paneled ceilings, with stucco ornaments and variegated marble wainscotings. The board of education will meet next Thursday night, when a selection of a design will be made, and the materials for the building selected.

MARKET GETTING ACTIVE.

Real Estate Agents Report a Number of Sales for the Week Just Closed—The Outlook Bright.

A number of real estate sales of more or less valuable property were closed yesterday. Walton H. Holmes sold a thirty-five foot lot to T. G. Schweiger, and a forty foot lot adjoining it to John Schweiger. Both lots are situated on Locust street, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets. W. Diehl & Co. made several sales. Through them John Fitzgerald bought of Frank Hadley two houses and lots on Woodworth avenue for $2,500. The same firm sold a vacant lot on the East

EADS' CASE AGAIN.

IT WAS UP BEFORE THE HOUSE YESTERDAY MORNING.

HE DENIES THE ALLEGATIONS.

THE AFFIDAVIT HE PRESENTED IS RULED OUT OF ORDER.

A Bill Passed by the House Which Will Interfere With the Profits of the Professional Juror — Tame Proceedings in the Senate.

Jefferson City, March 16.—(Special.) The Eads investigation was before the house again this morning. It came up by the presentation by Mr. Denslow, of Grundy county, of an affidavit of Henry L. Eads, chief of the engrossing force, denying the report of the investigating committee on his case. He charges the committee reported without first having given him an opportunity to be heard. Mr. Bittinger, a member of the committee, thought the report an insult to the members and that Eads deserved to be expelled from the force. Messrs. Swanger, Denslow and Sartin thought no man ought to be criticised without first being heard in his own defense. Mr. Bittinger explained that the committee had given Eads an opportunity to be heard, but he was absent at the time of the committee meeting and the report was based on the evidence of the clerks

DESIGN NO. 3 FOR A PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING.

that the Spanish government had ordered that fullest investigation of the affair be made. The government, he added, was willing to agree to any settlement, provided the principles of international law were not infringed upon, and that no attempt was made to prejudice the dignity of the nation.

Senor Diaz Moreu, formerly an officer in the Spanish navy, said the commander of the gunboat had the right to demand that the Allianca should show her flag. He argued that the Spanish officers also had the right to search any vessel found in Spanish waters.

Minister Groiseard declined to make any further statement or to attempt any explanation of the incident, until complete details and the reports of the Spanish officers of the gunboat, who, it is claimed, fired on the Allianca, are received.

Questions relating to Cuban affairs were hotly debated in the chamber of deputies. General Lopez Dominguez, minister of war, censured the press for recent comments upon the situation. At this all the reporters quitted the chamber of deputies. This was intended as a protest against the official defense made by the minister of war of the officers who last night attacked the offices of the Madrid newspapers. These attacks on the newspaper offices were provoked, it is claimed, by the appearance of articles charging that the officers in the service of Spain have been so reluctant to volunteer for the Cuban service that the government has been compelled to draw lots to determine who should be ordered to the front. Great excitement prevails here. The military governor of Madrid has resigned. The directors of the leading newspapers held a meeting this evening, and agreed that unless the government would guarantee the liberty of the press, they would suspend all issues.

NO WORD FROM TAYLOR.

Our Minister at Madrid Has Communicated Nothing to Mr. Gresham.

Washington, March 16.—Secretary Gresham was at the state department to-day for a short time, but Mr. Uhl, the first assistant secretary, is still acting as secretary. In answer to an inquiry he said that no response had yet been received from United States Minister Taylor at Madrid concerning the demand made by the state department for reparation for the firing upon the Allianca.

The Alabama claims decision upon which this demand was based is coming in for a good deal of discussion here, and the diplomatic corps are by no means a unit in giving it their adherence. One official contends that there never has been a practical application of the doctrine since it was enunciated and urges that the United States itself is the last power that can afford to surrender its claim to jurisdiction, extending even to the right of detaining and searching suspicious vessels within the waters lying three miles from our coasts.

Should this position be taken, however, it is alleged that it would be practically impossible to prevent wholesale smuggling and the violation of our customs laws at every turn. The same doctrine, if extended to Behring sea, would throw open the seal fisheries to the vessels of all nations other than England, which would be stopped only by the specific treaty.

Signor Muragua, the Spanish minister, is calmly awaiting developments, but up to noon to-day he had not heard from the state department or from Spain concerning the Allianca affair. It was reported that the minister had been at the state department during the morning, but this was not the case, and as Secretary Gresham is dealing directly with the Spanish officials at Madrid, Signor Muragua feels that he will have no occasion to communicate with the department unless Mr. Gresham sends for him. The minister said to-day that he hoped the excitement over the affair would not prevent temperate and goodnatured consideration of the case. He has been frank and outspoken concerning it, but does not want this to be mistaken for irritation or lack of every diplomatic courtesy to the authorities here. "At the very outset," said the minister, "I sought Mr. Uhl, the acting secretary, and assured him that if the facts disclosed that the Spanish boat was in the wrong then an apology would be made, and my only desire has been to have official action based on established fact."

Dockery Speaks His Mind.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 16.—Congressman Dockery, of Missouri, was in the city today en route from Washington to his home. Concerning the Allianca affair he said: "Spain will have to make a complete and ample apology for the firing of one of her men-of-war upon an American merchant ship. Although only one side of the matter has been heard, yet there can be no excuse for the deed. Nothing that the captain of the warship could offer would place him in the light of being justified in interfering with the commerce of this nation."

side to Charles Reinholdt for $550, and a vacant lot, fifty feet front, in Alexander park, to Charles Repsome for Mr. Dubrow for $750. B. T. Whipple & Co. made two sales: To Mrs. Clara B. Cohen, for Miss Mabel Walker, of Boston, the double brick house, Nos. 1407-9 Wabash avenue, with fifty feet of ground, for $3,750, and eight lots in North Evanston addition to J. Boswell, for Mrs. Catherine Hall, for $750. The one story brick saloon, No. 1331 Grand avenue, and twenty-four and three-fourths feet of ground were purchased yesterday by the Joseph Schlitz Brewing Company from J. C. Herold for $8,000. Mrs. Maud Stark Guinotte, the wife of Probate Judge J. E. Guinotte, purchased of E. S. Truitt & Co. a nine room, modern dwelling on fifty feet of ground, on Garfield avenue, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, for $8,000.

THIRTY YEARS AGO.

The Most Valuable Piece of Property Was Then at Fourth and Main.

City Treasurer Green grew both reminiscent and prophetic the other day as a result of rummaging over the records of assessments and taxes of thirty years ago. He said in conversation with a Journal reporter:

"In the year 1865 the most valuable piece of real estate in Kansas City was the northwest corner of Fourth and Main streets, having an assessed value of $15,500, and then owned by Louis Vogle. The next most valuable piece of property was the southeast corner of Delaware street and River Front, at that time owned by William Gilliss, and assessed at $11,000.

"At present the most valuable property in the city is the New York Life building, assessed at $400,000, with the Board of Trade, Coates House and a number of large office buildings having assessed valuations of several hundred thousand dollars each.

"The largest amount of taxes paid by any one individual in 1865 was $119.40, paid by Colonel E. M. McGee; the next largest amount was $463.80, paid by Colonel Coates. At the present time a number of our largest property owners pay each over $4,000 annually.

"The total assessed valuation of all property, real and personal, in 1865, was $1,920,000; at present it is $70,000,000.

"It is interesting to note that among the heaviest taxpayers at that time were T. H. Swope, Nathan Scarritt, I. M. Ridge, J. S. Chick, Robert and John Campbell, J. C. Irwin, Charles E. Kearney, Mike Dively, N. Holmes and others, all of whom had an abiding faith in the future of Kansas City, but I venture the assertion that none of them ever dreamed of such a change being wrought in such a short period of time. A village of hamlets converted into a metropolis of magnificent public buildings, private palaces and gigantic business houses and the center of the greatest network of railroads, having the largest mileage immediately tributary to it of any city on the face of the globe.

"In the light of past history within the memory of thousands now living here, what may reasonably be expected in the way of future growth and development? If during the past thirty years Kansas City has gained 3,500 per cent in assessable wealth, which is a fact according to the present assessed valuation, is it not fair to estimate that she will gain 500 per cent during the next thirty years, which will give an assessed value of $350,000,000; and if she has gained 2,500 per cent in population since 1865 ought we not to look for a gain of 400 per cent during the next thirty years, which would give us a population of 600,000?

"Then if the above estimate as to assessable wealth and population is approximately correct, the territory embraced within the city limits 30 years hence will likely be enlarged to three times its present area. And as the assessed value is about one-third of the real value of the property, then the total actual value of all property within the city limits will amount to $1,050,000,000.

"Who will get the benefit of this enormous, yet conservative estimated increase in value? These facts are worth pondering over, and the young men of today would do well to take notice and govern themselves accordingly."

For the Boys' Club.

Rev. W. W. Mucklow, formerly of London, will deliver an illustrated lecture at the First Congregational church to-morrow night on the subject: "The Modern Babylon." The lecture is for the benefit of the Boys' Club and the admission will be 25 cents. The lecture will be illustrated with 100 fine stereopticon views and will no doubt prove interesting and entertaining.

Wanted to Die.

Florence Van Buren was found unconscious in her room at No. 928 McGee street at 12:45 o'clock, from the effects of laudanum taken with suicidal intent. She was taken to police headquarters, where she was attended by Police Surgeon Iuen, who succeeded in saving her life.

on the force. At this point Speaker Russell sustained a point of order that the affidavit contained personal charges, so the matter was ruled out of order. Here the matter will stop.

Heading Off the Professional Juror.

The house passed Speaker Russell's bill to do away with professional jurors. Under this bill when extra jurors are needed the sheriff shall go outside of the court building to select them.

Dramshop Bill Fails.

The senate dramshop bill releasing dramshop keepers from the necessity of securing a new petition each time, unless a remonstrance is filed thirty days before the expiration of the license and signed by one-third of the assessed taxpayers failed to pass by a vote of 17 yeas and 56 nays.

Senate Proceedings.

The senate did nothing to-day except consider the appropriation bills passed by the house, and amended by the senate committee on appropriations. No change was made in the amounts recommended by the senate committee save raising the appropriation for the Warrensburg normal school $1,500. Although the senate is far behind in its work, this did not prevent all but eight members going on the excursion to Sedalia this afternoon. This, of course, prevented any work save engrossing bills, whereas had the senators remained at the capital they might have in part caught up with the house's excellent progress.

Russell's death penalty for train robbing bill was up for consideration in the senate this morning. Some opposition was manifested to it, and while a motion to read a third time was pending, the bill was passed informally. Thereafter the senate went into committee of the whole to consider appropriation bills.

WILL KILL HOGS.

Schwarzschild & Sulzberger Will Give Employment to More Men.

A new department has been added to the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger packing plant. Up to the present time only beeves for the export market have been killed in the plant, but a few weeks ago it was decided to add hog killing. The necessary machinery was procured. It was tested yesterday and found to be in excellent working order, and on Tuesday the company will begin killing hogs with a force of 100 men. This force will be increased should the demands of the market justify it.

A Good Concert Programme.

The concert given at Mason & Hamlin's hall last evening for the benefit of L. H. Hubbard, a young Kansas City violinist, was a success from an artistic point of view, although it was not so largely attended as the merits of the beneficiary and the other entertainers deserved. Mr. Hubbard played a De Beriot air, with variations, showing a good deal of musical instinct and not a small degree of technical skill. There was abundant evidence that the young man should pursue the study of the violin.

The other numbers were contributed by members of the Rubinstein Club and by Minnie Long, who substituted for Mrs. Mayo-Rhodes, the illness of whose husband prevented her from being present. Miss Jennie Rose and Mr. Macielinski played a Polish dance by Scharwenka, and Mr. Macielinski, Miss Hazel Grean and Miss Theo Frain played two numbers—a berceuse and a serenade—by Carl Busch. These concerted numbers were well chosen and well given. Miss Rose's solo was Liszt's Hungarian rhapsody No. 12, which was given with quite remarkable tone power and with superior taste. This young pianist works hard and conscientiously and is making constant progress. For encore she gave a Scharwenka valse caprice.

Miss Long sang Strelezki's "Day Dream," a number well suited to her rich and musical voice, which blended well with an obligato played by Mr. Macielinski. She also gave two pretty songs by Miss Theo Frain—"Hey Baby" and "My Dove." Mr. Macielinski's numbers, which are always a strong feature on a concert programme, were a vieux tempo reverie and a Wieniaski's "Chanson Polonaise."

Ladies Auxiliary to the A. O. H.

In accordance with resolutions passed at the national convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in Omaha last August a ladies' auxiliary to the local lodge will be organized at cathedral hall at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The customary ball in honor of St. Patrick will be held to-morrow evening at the Casino. Though all of the lodges of the order will co-operate the proceeds of the occasion will go to lodge No. 3.

Marriage Licenses Issued.

The following couples were yesterday licensed to marry:

Name.	Age.
Abe Weinberg, Kansas City	
Sophie Greenberg, Kansas City	
Harry D. Jeter, Kansas City	
Nellie Foster, Kansas City	
Edwin Judy, Kansas City	
Gertie Weaver, Wyandotte, Kas..........	

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The atmospheric conditions and the wet sidewalks and streets are conducive to such affections, and you cannot be too careful about keeping your feet dry.

"77" will "break up" a stubborn cold that "hangs on."

The praises of Dr. Humphreys' Specifics are on every tongue and sound like

Miracles.

Frederick Carr, Esq., Geologist, 145 East 16th st., New York, formerly of Montana, writes: "The change from the high altitude of the Rocky mountains made me an easy victim of GRIP. I had intense fever, bad cough, pains everywhere. 'Twas then I commenced taking '77,' and the results have been extremely satisfactory, beneficial and wonderful. After tenhours I felt great relief, and the second bottle cured me."

C. S. Bascom, Southampton, Mass., writes: "I have used your Specifics for many years and value them highly. Your '77' for GRIP is a marvel. It has just carried us through SEVERE COLDS, or as most people would say, 'Grip.'"

H. J. Gude, Duluth, Minn., writes: "Have been using your Specifics in my family for the past three years, and with the greatest success. Your No. 1 Specific for FEVERS is a perfect wonder."

S. T. Nicholson, Raleign, N. C., writes: "Your No. 10 Specific for DYSPEPSIA has done wonders for me. I have gained 11 pounds in ten weeks.

F. W. Burdick, Chicago, writes: "I am using my third bottle of your Specific No. 10 for DYSPEPSIA, and I feel better since I have begun using it than I have before in a year."

Thos. Foster, New Bedford, Mass., writes: "I used your Specific No. 15 for RHEUMATISM, and it has made a new man of me. I was so bad that I could not get up or down stairs, but, thanks to you and your grand medicines, after taking two bottles I could go about my work as well as ever. It has been a godsend to me, and I shall never be without it."

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OUT OF THE JAWS OF DEATH.

Johnson Jacob, Sentenced to Be Shot, Saved at the Last Moment by a Reprieve.

Caddo, I. T., March 16.—(Special.) Johnson Jacob, the Choctaw, who was sentenced to be shot at Pushmataha, thirty miles east of here, yesterday, for the murder of his wife last fall, is yet alive, but is so by mere accident.

Jacob had taken an appeal to Judge Everidge, one of the supreme judges, who refused to grant him a hearing, and everything was ready at 2 o'clock yesterday evening for the execution, when a courier came with the papers, granting him a hearing before the supreme court next month.

Religious services had been held and Jacob had made peace with his Maker and was ready to go. He had shaken hands with all his friends, bade them farewell and had pulled off his coat and boots, painted a spot over his heart and had taken his seat to await the firing of Sheriff Lawrence's Winchester, when the courier arrived with the glad tidings. Had the courier been ten minutes later Jacob's soul would have been sent into eternity. Owing to the extreme cold day and high waters on the Boggy, the courier came very near failing to reach the execution ground in time to do any good.

DEATH OF DR. JOHN A. BROADEUS

He Was a Celebrated Divine and One of the World's Best Greek Scholars.

Louisville, Ky., March 16.—Dr. John A. Broadeus died at 3:30 this morning.

The death of Dr. Broadeus removes one of the most celebrated divines of his day. He was well known, both in this country and in Europe, as a scholar and orator, and has several times lectured before Yale and Johns Hopkins universities, and was considered one of the best Greek scholars in the world.

He was born January 27, 1824, and leaves a wife and five children, four married daughters and one grown son.

HE HAS SUFFERED ENOUGH.

Terrible Experience of Henry Tyson, Sentenced to Be Hanged for Murder.

Denver, Col., March 16.—The district court is hearing arguments to-day on a motion for the discharge from custody of Henry Tyson, convicted of murder and sentenced to be hanged, but whose sentence was suspended on account of insanity.

For three years the miserable man was confined in a cell, allowed to see or talk with no one. He lost both sight and hearing and the power of motion. But when Warden McAlister took charge of the penitentiary in 1892, two convicts were detailed each day to exercise Tyson. Gradually the tortured man regained his senses, his eyesight returned and finally he could distinguish sounds. A jury has now declared him sane, and he may be re-sentenced to be hanged. His attorneys hope to secure his release on the ground that he was convicted under an ex-post facto law.

Deaths and Funerals.

Miss Dora D. Hanna, a daughter of A. N. Hanna, of this city, died at Littleton, Col., yesterday morning. The remains will be brought to this city for burial.

The remains of Joseph Kleckner, the father of A. M. Kleckner, of No. 1023 Highland avenue, will be taken to White Pigeon, Mich., for burial. Mr. Kleckner died on Friday, aged 73 years.

The remains of William Gallcher, at one time superintendent of the land department of the Memphis road, who died on February 3 at St. Joseph's hospital, were taken from the vault in Union cemetery, yesterday, for burial at Jersey Shore, Pa.

Annie Gorman, an infant child of John Gorman, of No. 803 Charlotte street, was buried yesterday afternoon in St. John's cemetery, Kansas City, Kas.

Matilda Johnke, an infant child of William Johnke, of No. 2407 Locust street, was buried at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon in Union cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Kittie Roberts will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from Stewart & Carroll's to Oak Grove cemetery, Kansas City, Kas.

Benjamin F. Swain, a contractor, died yesterday at his home, No. 2714 Chestnut street, aged 54 years.

An infant child of Arthur Nichols, of No. 2018 East Nineteenth street, died yesterday. The funeral services will be at 2 o'clock this afternoon and the burial will be in Union cemetery.

Hattie Westrom, an infant child of P. Westrom, of No. 2228 Belleview avenue, died yesterday. The funeral services will be held to-morrow afternoon and the burial will be in Union cemetery.

The funeral services over the remains of Marjorie Reymond, infant daughter of J. P. Reymond, of No. 4422 Main street, manager for Parke, Davis & Co., were held at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the Rev. Dr. S. M. Neel officiating.

Naval Officers Interested.

Brooklyn, N. Y., March 16.—The utmost interest was expressed by officers of the Brooklyn navy yard to-day in Secretary Gresham's demand upon Spain to explain the firing on the Allianca.

Preparations are being made to respond to any orders that may come from Washington to have the ships now at the navy yard ready for sea in case they are wanted. It is the general opinion, however, among the officers in Brooklyn, that if any vessels are called upon to patrol the Cuban coast they will be taken from Admiral Meade's squadron, now in the West Indies.

The Maine is about the only warship now at the navy yard which could be made ready for sea on short time. The battleships Puritan and Terror are still in course of construction. The Vesuvius left the navy yards several days ago to blow up derelicts in the sound.

Republican Primaries at Topeka.

Topeka, Kas., March 16.—(Special.) The Republicans of this city held their primaries to-day to nominate a municipal ticket. The counting was still in progress at midnight with the indications in favor of the nomination of C. E. Fellows for mayor. His opponent was T. W. Harrison, the present incumbent.

REPORT WAS NOT TRUE.

Pennsylvania Road Has Not Been Demoralizing the Rates—New Road Building in Colorado.

Chicago, Ill., March 16.—The passenger committee of the Central Traffic Association, which has for some time been investigating the charges of demoralization made against the Pennsylvania and other lines, has concluded its work and found that there was no demoralization to speak of, and whatever irregularity there was could in no way be charged against the Pennsylvania. The charge against the latter line was found to be a putup job, several of its mileage books which were bought at tariff rates having been mutilated and put into the hands of brokers. This was done, the committee believed, to give pretext to other lines for manipulation of rates, or to, in a way, support cut rates already made. It was announced after the adjournment that the Buffalo agreement was being practically maintained, and that there were no existing cut rates, and no present prospect of any demoralization.

Notice was to-day given by the Omaha road that it intended to open another city ticket office in Minneapolis. The reason given for the action is that other roads have ticket offices in West's hotel. It is expected that hotel offices will soon be started in all the large cities in the territory of the Western Trunk line passenger committee.

The board of arbitrators which listened to the arguments of the Central Traffic Association lines on the application of differential rates to party and theatrical business, reached a decision late this afternoon. They held that the differentials may be applied in one way only to parties of ten or more. There was a warm dispute between the lines as to the matter, the weaker lines desiring the application of differentials to all party business, the stronger lines taking the opposite view. The arbitrators were Chairman J. C. Caldwell, General Passenger Agent Fee,of the Northern Pacific, and D. W. Shattuck.

Will Build a New Road.

Denver, Col., March 16.—Articles of incorporation of the White River Valley Railway Company were filed with the secretary of state to-day, with a capital stock of $250,000. The incorporators are A. C. Drumm, of Denver; H. J. Hay, I. N. McBeth and W. M. Kinnison, of Garden City, Kas.; W. F. Tengarden, of Craig, Col; Isaac Baer, of Leadville, and F. E. Sheridan, of Meeker. The object of the company, as set forth, is to contract and operate a line of railway and telegraph from Newcastle, in Garfield county, to Meeker, the metropolis of the White River country, a distance of fifty miles. This road will open up to settlement 10,000 square miles of territory in Colorado, with a mineral and suitable for farming.

On Its Own Tracks.

As has been generally known, the Burlington's St. Louis line has been running in over the Wabash from St. Peters, crossing the Missouri river on the St. Charles bridge. Commencing to-day, the trains will reach St. Louis over the Burlington's own tracks, crossing the new double-tracked steel bridge at Bellefontaine, and run into the new Union station, having a double track all the way from the bridge. This new line reaches St. Louis in full view of the Mississippi river, passing both the Merchants' and Eads' bridges, and also passes the Broadway station, which is in the heart of the business portion of the city.

Receivers Will Go West.

Boston, March 16.—All five Union Pacific receivers will probably start for the West Tuesday, accompanied by Mr. Samuel Carr, Jr., and Mr. Green, son of Alexander S. Green, who will represent the company's interest at Denver upon the question of the court's approval of the 100-mile extension of the Union Pacific, Denver & Gulf. It is understood that the Eastern interests in the Union Pacific are opposed to building this extension, although they feel that the ten years' contract demanded by the Rio Grande is a little long for a receiver's contract.

Will Use a New Bridge.

St. Louis, March 16.—Commencing tonight about half of the roads entering St. Louis from across the Mississippi river will come into the city over the Merchants' bridge, thence to the Union station over an elevated road running along the levee. Heretofore only three roads have made use of these facilities, which will, in the near future, be the means of bringing almost, if not all, of the trains into the Union station. This change will be greatly appreciated by the traveling public, as the ride through the tunnel was anything but desirable.

Suit for the Loss of an Arm.

Fort Scott, Kas., March 16.—(Special.) A suit for $30,000 damages was filed in the district court of this city to-day against the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis road, by William Caruthers, a young man who resides in Ohio, for the loss of his right arm on the road near this city in 1877. He has just attained his majority, hence the suit.

Demand for Better Train Service.

Topeka, Kas., March 16.—(Special.) The citizens of Quenemo and Rosemont, in Osage county, have filed complaint with the state board of railroad commissioners against the Missouri Pacific railroad, in which they demand that the company shall maintain the train service provided for in the stipulations made at the time the road was constructed. The hearing has been set for next week.

TRIBULATIONS OF MRS. DWYER.

She Changes Her Mind About Marrying and Loses Five Hundred Dollars by It.

St. Louis, Mo., March 16.—A well dressed young woman, who said she was Mrs. Emma Dwyer, of Chattanooga, Tenn., left a Chicago & Alton train at the Relay depot at 9 o'clock a. m. and reported to Detective Moore that she had been robbed of $500. She said she had left Chattanooga for Carlinville, Ill., where she was to meet and marry Roland Buel, also of Chattanooga.

On the train she met a stranger who came aboard at Evansville, Ind. She became infatuated with the stranger, who said he was John Lynch, of St. Louis, and claimed to be a lawyer. After a necessarilly short courtship en route she agreed to marry him instead of Buel. Lynch conducted her to the Lambert house when they reached St. Louis yesterday, and she remained there with him last night. This morning she started for Carlinville to tell Buel about her change of mind, and Lynch bought her a ticket. While crossing the bridge she discovered that $500 in cash and checks had been taken from her recticule,which Lynch had carried for her.

Lynch was arrested at the Union station and admitted practically all of Mrs. Dwyer's story, except the theft of $500. This he strenuously denied. Lynch is an attorney at Evansville, Ind. Mrs. Dwyer says she owns two business blocks and other property in Chattanooga valued at $100,000.

TIRED OF NON-PARTISAN TICKETS.

Republicans in Coffeyville Nominate Candidates for the First Time.

Coffeyville, Kas., March 16.—(Special.) The Republicans of this city last night nominated the following ticket: Mayor, C. L. Long; police judge, J. M. Gillam; city treasurer, W. H. Shepard; treasurer of the board of education, F. D. Benson; justices of the peace, T. C. Harbourt and J. H. Matthew; constables, Ed Jackson and J. C. Crouch. This is the first time in the history of Coffeyville that a straight Republican ticket has been placed in the field. The so-called "non-partisan" plan of running the city has not proved a success. The ticket nominated by the Republicans, both for the ward and city offices, is an exceptionally strong one and will, no doubt, be elected by a large majority.

Two Tickets at Excelsior Springs.

Excelsior Springs, Mo., March 16.—(Special.) The Republicans met in mass convention this afternoon and nominated the following city ticket: Aldermen, ex-Mayor J. W. Snapp and W. L. Pattison; for members of the city school board, C. C. Carter and A. P. Benson.

This is the first time in the city's history that both parties will have a ticekt in the field and much interest is manifest over the outcome. The city has heretofore elected Republicans, local issues deciding the contest.

Mr. Bland Has the Grip.

Denver, Col., March 16.—Ex-Congressman R. P. Bland, of Missouri, has telegraphed that on account of an attack of grip he will probably be unable to begin his Colorado lecturing tour at the date originally appointed. He suggests a postponement of his appearance in Denver, where he will lecture first, until April 20.

Pink Snow in Colorado.

Denver, Col., March 16.—This locality is covered with snow an inch deep that is of a delicate pink hue. An examination under a mineral glass showed there was no dust or dirt mixed with the snow. There is much speculation as to the cause of the unusual appearance of this snow fall.

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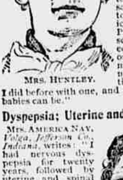

MRS. HUNTLEY.

MRS. LOUISA HUNTLEY, of *1069 Blain St., Station "A," Springfield, Mo.*, writes: "I have been taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Pellets,' *and am well.* Now I have a pair of twin boys; one weighed six and one-half pounds, and the other seven pounds; they are ten days old to-day. I am thankful to say that I owe my safe and easy delivery to the use of your medicines. I think Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription the best remedy for females that one can take. It gave me great relief. I did not suffer so much this time with two babies as I did before with one, and they are as healthy as babies can be."

Dyspepsia; Uterine and Spinal Weakness.

MRS. NAY.

MRS. AMERICA NAY, *Volga, Jefferson Co., Indiana*, writes: "I had nervous dyspepsia for twenty years, followed by uterine and spinal weakness. In the Spring of 1880 I became so exhausted that I was compelled to keep to my bed with symptoms of paralysis in my lower limbs, and many other distressing symptoms. I accidentally obtained one of Dr. Pierce's Medical Advisers from a friend, and finding my ailments so well described therein, I wrote to Dr. Pierce for his advice, which he sent by return mail. For my recovery he requested me to use his 'Favorite Prescription,' his 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and his 'Pleasant Pellets.' He also gave me some directions for every-day living. These means accomplished my complete cure. I am thankful we can have such reliable medicines brought into our homes without great expense."

"Female Weakness."

MRS. SMALL.

MRS. E. E. SMALL, of *Lisbon Falls, P. O. Box No. 106, Androscoggin Co., Me.*, writes: "I write you a few lines to thank you for the goodness of your medicine. When I began to take it I was so miserable with female trouble that I could not walk to the neighbor's, across the road—I could not do any work to speak of; but I bought a bottle of your medicine (Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription), and before I had taken the first bottle I felt a deal better; and after I took the first bottle I felt so much better I took the second one, and I now feel as well as I ever did, and am pleased to recommend it to others."

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Corda. Culpepper

PHYSICIANS PROTEST.

They Sign a Resolution Against the Proposed Reduction in the School Age of Children.

The following protest against the bill for a constitutional amendment, changing the age for the admission of children to the public schools from 6 years to 5 years, is being circulated, and signed by physicians:

"Whereas, A bill is now pending before the general assembly of the state of Missouri, having for its object a constitutional amendment changing the age for the admission of children to the public schools from 6 years to 5 years, and,

"Whereas, It is far better that the age for admission to school should be 7 years instead of 5, therefore,

"We, the undersigned physicians, regard this movement as wrong in principle and disastrous to the physical health of the children. At 5 the child is too young to endure the confinement of the school room, and where children have been admitted at this tender age, the most disastrous consequences to health, eyesight and physical development have ensued. In the interest of humanity to the children themselves, we protest against the passage of any such unwise measure.

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A Dog's Response to a Taunt.

Boston Transcript: A dog story has come to the writer's ears, which, though not within his personal knowledge, is vouched for to him in an entirely trustworthy way. A certain dog, which was growing old, was in the barn one day with his master. The two were up on a haymow from which a sloping ladder led down to the barn floor. The master walked down the ladder, but the dog went around by another way. When the dog reached the floor his master began to say to him somewhat tauntingly: "Poor old fellow! Daren't walk down the ladder any more! Daren't walk down the ladder!" Whereupon the dog, with a quick glance at his master, walked clear up the ladder to the top and then turned around and walked down it again. The proceeding looked very much like a deliberate demonstration on the dog's part, to his master, that he was still capable of walking up and down a slanting ladder. Did the dog understand the taunt, or did he merely catch the words "down the ladder," and take the utterance for a command, which he dutifully proceeded to obey? No one will ever know, probably, since the dog himself can give no account of the matter.

Getting Panicky in a Tight Place.

Lewiston (Me.) Journal: The sailors on the Ammen ram are very wary about going into the manholes that lead to the water tight compartments between the outer and inner shells. The space between the two hulls is barely two feet high, and the manholes admit only one small man. "But if a fellow gets away in there and becomes scared," said a workman the other day, as he screwed on the manhole cover, "he will swell up, and he can't crawl back through the hole to save his neck. I was in that compartment the other day and when I thought how awful it would be to have the outer cover screwed on while I was there I got panicky and tried to crawl back. I couldn't get through anyway, although I had gone in easily enough. The harder I tried the bigger I swelled, and the men finally had to pull me out. When they got me through the clothes were torn off my back, so tightly had I been squeezed."

The Biggest Goose.

Pall Mall Gazette: I heard the other day an amusing tale of a certain well known English nobleman, who had imported two emus with the hope of breeding from them, and on leaving his estate for town, left also strict injunctions that the greatest care should taken of the lady emu, if she produced the desired egg or eggs. The egg arrived in due course, but, as artists have found before now, the lady declined to "sit." The steward, however, was an ingenious man, and thought of a substitute, but his powers of composition were by no means on a par with his inventiveness, and he announced the interesting event to his master in the following terms:

"The emu has laid an egg, but we were in a great difficulty, as she would not sit on it. I did what I thought was best, and in your lordship's absence I have placed the egg under the biggest goose on the estate."

Still He Does Not Come.

Governor Stone, who was expected to arrive in the city last night, did not come, and nothing is known as to when he will make his promised trip to this city.

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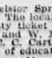

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MISSOURI HAPPENINGS.

Excelsior Springs, Mo., March 16.—(Special.) The local Democrats put the following city ticket in the field to-night. John King and W. M. McKinney for aldermen, and C. C. Carter and J. S. Lewis for the board of education.

Clinton, Mo., March 16.—(Special.) Henry county Republicans met here to-day and put Professor J. E. Kelly up as the Republican candidate for county school commissioner.

Chillicothe, Mo., March 16.—(Special.) John Bailey, son of a farmer, committed suicide yesterday by taking morphine. He was 28 years old, and it is said that a love affair caused the act.