

SHADE OF GLOOM

Cast Over the Festivities at Louisville in the Closing Hours by an Accident

TO MANY OF THE SPECTATORS

A Grand Stand, Containing 10,000 Spectators, Collapses—Many Badly Injured.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 13.—The unprecedented hospitality and good will in connection with the Twenty-ninth national encampment of the G. A. R. closes with sadness. While 100,000 people were watching the fireworks along the river front last night a portion of the grand stand, in which were seated 10,000 people, gave way and many were injured. That no one was killed is marvelous. The exact number of injured probably will never be known. Several policemen say that it was from 50 to 75. All the ambulances and patrol wagons in the city were summoned. Those injured, as far as known, are as follows: John Harris, Mrs. Herdfield, Mrs. J. W. Veillard, Miss Mattie Morgan, Miss Fedora Starr, J. Burks, Miss Eva Willis, Miss F. Seina, Miss Julia Moore, Mrs. Maggie Ferris, Miss Bennett, Col. Jos. Packard, W. H. Gregg, George DeLong, Minnie Hayes, R. S. Stein, F. S. Overton, Henry Hart, Kate Hides, Wm. Walters, Mrs. A. J. Thurber, Benjamin Scroggins, Mrs. McMillan, R. P. Grover, Marc Walden, Steve Guttman, Carrie Donnelly. Fully 100 people are suffering from injuries received at the collapse of the grand stand. In addition to the fifty names of injured given above, there are about fifty others who were taken to their homes in carriages by friends. Only the names of those taken away in ambulances were available. The hospitals are full of patients suffering from the effects of heat and injuries received at the accident last night. All these are reported doing well. Mrs. H. Herdfield, who had her foot smashed and hip dislocated, may not recover. Edward Hoar, a musician of Springfield, Ohio, who was not on the grand stand, but on top of the sanitary booth that caved in during the fire works, is in a critical condition.

HOMeward Bound.

Earl Dunraven Cannot Secure a Fair Field and No Favor.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The Valkyrie left her anchorage at Bay Ridge today, and went to Erie basin. On the arrival at the end of the basin the Valkyrie was hauled into position between two steamers just outside the dry dock, where she had several times been dried out for cleaning and repairing. The crew, under command of Captains Cranford and Sycamore, were immediately set to work to strip the yacht and prepare her for her voyage across the ocean. The yacht will doubtless be kept rigged for the ocean voyage as she was when she sailed from England for America. What ever doubt may have existed as to Lord Dunraven's intentions of racing the Valkyrie in this country again was dispelled this morning by Mr. H. Maitland Kersey. When seen by a reporter he said: "No; the Valkyrie will never again race on this side of the Atlantic. The races are over and that settles it. I have more to say on that point." "It was rumored last evening that Lord Dunraven intended to start for Niagara Falls today," said the reporter. "If that is so the rumor is false. He may go to Newport for a day or two, but when I cannot say." Mr. Kersey, speaking of the offer of Col. Taylor of Boston, said that as Lord Dunraven had decided not to race his yacht again in America, it would be idle to discuss that or any other offer. The Defender, decked with flags, left Bay Ridge this morning bound for New Rochelle.

London Press Opinions.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The conclusion of the international yacht race for the American cup furnished a text for articles in all the London afternoon papers. In general the press upheld Lord Dunraven in his refusal to sail over the course yesterday without a guarantee that it would be kept clear of excursion steamers and other craft. In the yachting columns the papers say: "While in our opinion the Defender, under fair conditions, would probably have beaten the Valkyrie at least three out of five races, we cannot but regret the Valkyrie had no chance of sailing under fair conditions. To say the Defender fairly retained the cup would be ridiculous." Further on in the same article the Gazette says: "We hope Earl Dunraven will consent to sail for the Propand cup off Marblehead, as all are anxious to see the comparative merits of the yachts tested, and may the best boat win. Should the Valkyrie win, which we think improbable, neither Lord Dunraven nor any one else would hasten to challenge again for the America's cup, which the new trophy would replace. Should the Valkyrie lose we know that Dunraven would take his defeat like a sportsman." The Sun, which throughout has made sneering comments upon Americans as sports-

men, says: "A feeling has grown up here that fair competition must not be looked for in the contest for the cup." The paper adds, however, that it does not sympathize with that view. The Evening News says: "The whole business is in the highest degree discreditable to the reputation of Americans as good sportsmen." The Westminster Gazette says: "Of course we all love our American friends very much, but our newspapers beg to assure them that we all cordially support Lord Dunraven's retiring in disgust from a contest in which there was so much rowdiness and unfairness." The Globe puts the entire blame upon the excursion steamers and thoroughly indorses Dunraven's course, which maintained to the full the high honor of a British sportsman.

TUNNEL ON FIRE

On the Northern Pacific in the Bridger Range.

Special to The Tribune.
HELENA, Sept. 13.—Word was received at the Northern Pacific headquarters in this city that the Bozeman tunnel was on fire and that no train could pass through it. It is thought the fire started some time last night, but was not discovered until an early hour this morning. Trains No. 1 and 2 were compelled to transfer their passengers, causing several hours' delay. The Bozeman tunnel, running through the Bridger range, is the next longest in the state, being second only to the Mullian tunnel, and is over three-fourths of a mile long. The tunnel has been sealed up at both ends, and it is expected the fire will soon be out, for want of air.

ANOTHER WITNESS

Has Appeared to Confound Theodore Durrant.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—In the trial of Theodore Durrant, Mrs. James Crosssett, who knows him well, will testify that on the afternoon of April 3 she rode to the mission upon the same car with Durrant and Blanche Lamont. Shortly after 1 o'clock the car arrived at Twenty-second street. Durrant assisted the girl from the car and then gave his hand to the elder lady. The three walked to the sidewalk together and stopped there a moment to chat. Durrant introduced Miss Lamont to Mrs. Crosssett. A few moments later he and Blanche, talking and laughing, walked toward the church.

WRONG ORDERS.

Engineer and Company Both to Blame For the Accident.

ST. CLOUD, Minn., Sept. 13.—The verdict of the coroner's jury in the Melby railroad accident was as follows: "We, the jury, find the direct cause of the accident is to be laid to Engineer Haines in acting on wrong orders. We further blame the company for ordering passenger trains to meet at a blind siding where there is no agent and where no lights are kept; also, for allowing conductors to send two orders to the engineer when only one was needed."

Wouldn't Be Stopped.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—This morning's World was probably the only regular issue of a newspaper which contained not a line of advertising, the flooding of the press room on account of a fire reducing the press capacity so that it was possible to print but eight pages. Eight solid pages of advertising were thrown away rather than cut the news. In spite of delays during the fire itself and consequent upon it, which included the stopping of all the typesetting machines by the cutting off of the gas, the paper went to press on time. The World is receiving expressions of regret from newspapers throughout the country at its loss. The World expresses gratitude for the cordial interest manifested, assuring its friends that no serious damage has been done, owing to the fireproof nature of the building.

The Reason Why.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The president has commuted to imprisonment for life the sentence of death imposed on Cephas Wright, a Choctaw Indian convicted of murder, who was to have gone to the gallows today. In indorsing the commutation Mr. Cleveland says: "This convict is a full blooded Choctaw Indian, and at the time of the commission of his offense was thoroughly enlightened, entirely ignorant of the English language and had apparently no idea of the enormity of his crime in the light of civilized law."

Death of Aged Mason.

PETERSBURG, Sept. 14.—Rev. Dr. Samuel Wakefield died today at West Newton. Dr. Wakefield was said to be the oldest Mason and the oldest preacher of the Methodist church and likely the oldest of any denomination in the world. He had been a member of the Masonic fraternity almost 75 years. He published several books on theology and music when comparatively young, which made him widely known. "Wakefield's Theology" has become classic in the lifetime of the Methodist church.

Worn Out Flange.

MARSHALL, Mich., Sept. 13.—The west-bound north shore limited train on the Michigan Central was wrecked here shortly after noon. The locomotive jumped the track on a curve. George Peppit, engineer, is under the engine badly injured. The mail and express cars are smashed and the first three passenger coaches thrown from the track. No one was injured except the engineer. A worn out wheel flange caused the accident.

GRAVE ROBBERS

The Government Bond Syndicate Preparing to Rob the Depleted National Treasury.

DEPENDING ON CROP EXPORTS

To Save the People From Evils Which the Syndicate Couid Avert if Desirous.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—The following announcements for gold shipments by tomorrow's steamers have been made: W. H. Crossman & Bro., \$1,000,000; Hankier, Wood & Co., \$500,000; Hard & Rand, \$200,000; Neesslage & Fuller, \$100,000; Lazard Freres, \$2,500,000; Handy & Harmon, \$150,000.

The fact that Lazard Freres is an important member of the government bond syndicate increases the already great surprise over the gold shipment. A member of the firm made the following statement to the Associated Press: "We believed that during the first half of September a sufficient amount of grain and cotton and other bills would be offering and that the necessity of exporting this gold would thus be avoided. Our shipment of gold is an imperative necessity in order to fulfill our business obligations in Europe. We hope there will be a temporary suspension and that within the next few weeks plenty of bills will be offering and everything will come around all right."

The firm asserts that the low prices ruling for our breadstuffs, the slow movement of cotton and the fair supply of that staple already in European hands are the causes for the shipment of gold.

The Hanover National bank has deposited \$500,000 at the sub-treasury in exchange for greenbacks. The sum of \$500,000 was withdrawn from the sub-treasury this morning; it is a part of the engagements announced for shipment. Hardy & Harmon have increased their shipment to \$250,000, making the aggregate thus far \$4,500,000. Zimmerman & Forestry will forward 3,000 pounds of English gold tomorrow. J. Pierpont Morgan, head of the government bond syndicate, when asked as to a rumor of the dissolution of the syndicate, replied: "The syndicate is still in the field; there has been no rupture; the syndicate will continue to do all they can to help maintain the treasury gold reserve at \$100,000,000; the obligations of the syndicate, however, expired some time ago." Morgan expressed surprise at the slow movement of the cotton crop and the present scarcity of bills against breadstuffs. He said that offerings of these bills would be daily received in the next few days, and thus a safeguard against exports will be made. The president of a large down town bank said the syndicate was accumulating gold as fast as possible and that it would be loaned to the treasury.

LEWISTOWN NEWS.

John Boylan Took Nicotine—W. F. Gay Gets a Contract.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.
LEWISTOWN, Sept. 12.—The coroner's jury in the inquest over the body of John Boylan, formerly of Great Falls, who committed suicide in Little's drug store Sunday, returned a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death from the effects of poison administered by his own hand. Dr. Monahan testified that, in his opinion, the poison used was nicotine.

Boylan was a member of the Knights of Pythias and that order forwarded his body to Glendive for interment.

Boylan left the following letter, addressed to Charles F. Little, his employer:

"LEWISTOWN, Mont., Sept. 7, 1895.
"Friend Charles:
"She's off!
"I have played the limit and now the only thing I can do is to die to win. I have a policy in Tom Hogan's safe in Glendive which will square me with this world, but the next is a dead guess. I care you \$200. Be sure that you get it. The remainder of my insurance will pay my debts and bury me in good shape."
"JOHN."
"P. S.—Please excuse me to John Campbell for leaving him tonight."
"JOHN."
"Dean and Frank have just come in, so it's off! The boys are here and I cannot write any more. Good bye, Dean, and Frank, and everybody, good bye."
"JOHN."

The Fergus county fair was a great success, although the weather on one of the days on which the fair was to be held was so disagreeable that the events were postponed until later in the week. On the last day of the exhibition, it is estimated, fully 1,000 people were on the grounds. They came from all sections of Fergus county and from the eastern portion of Cascade county, and many families camped near the grounds during the fair. There were also visitors from Helena, Fort Benton, Billings, Great Falls and other cities.

The races were fiercely contested and much bad blood was engendered. There are still hints of "jobs" in the races, but the judges maintain that all was square. Divergee, Crowley's stallion, which was at the Great Falls races in July, won the Fergus county stallion trot. Duncan McLeod's Kitten got second in the quarter-mile dash. Lady Wallace,

the second day, trotted in 2:22. The track was heavy and it was claimed that she could make 2:12 on this track, when it was in good condition.

In Floral hall, there were great heaps of wheat, rye, oats and barley, with long heads filled to the utmost with plump, sound grain; big ears of sweet corn, jars of canned fruit, preserves and jellies, bread, butter, rolls and cheese. Among the vegetables were potatoes, onions, cabbage, beets, turnips, rutabagas, parsnips, carrots, tomatoes, citrons, cauliflower. The home grown fruits shown were red and white currants, dewberries, and a pack of fall apples grown by Jas. Fergus, of Arnolds creek.

The display in the ladies' department was an exceptionally good one, and while not up to that of 1894, was a credit to the exhibitors.

Many of the exhibits will be taken to the Cascade county fair at Great Falls next month.

Attorneys James Donovan and George W. Taylor of Great Falls are attending district court.

W. F. Gay of Great Falls has been awarded the contract for the erection of a stone school building in Lewistown, subject to the sale of building bonds of the district. The bids were as follows: Wm. F. Gay, Great Falls, according to plans, \$8,400; James McKay & Co., Great Falls, stone, "rag rustic," \$8,000; part brick, \$9,800; according to plans, \$12,182; F. Moshner, according to plans, with furnace, \$10,875; according to plans, without furnace, \$10,475; brick, with furnace, \$9,175; brick, without furnace, \$9,075. Mr. Gay states that he will employ Lewistown labor and material as far as practicable.

ANACONDA PRIZE FIGHT.

Lasts Through Fifty-Five Rounds—A Hot Affair.

Special to The Tribune.
ANACONDA, Sept. 13.—Alleged pugilists, named McCall and Sims, gave an exhibition of brute strength in a hall at Anaconda last night, which lasted until 5 o'clock this morning. There was no fake about the affair and the few Butte sports who attended and who wanted to see a finish fight were not disappointed, for it was a hot affair. McCall won in the fifty-fifth round after breaking an arm on the head of Sims, who is a colored man. The fight lasted 4 hours and 45 minutes.

THE JUDD MURDER CASE.

Albert McGee, the Defendant, Found Not Guilty by the Jury.

George H. Stanton returned home Saturday from White Sulphur Springs, where he has been defending Albert McGee of Monarch on a charge of murder for the shooting of a man named Judd, on June 14, at Monarch, just across the Cascade county line.

The facts in the case were about as follows: Judd and a woman who had lived with him as his wife for a good many years, bearing him two children, went to work at the McGee ranch last winter. The woman became enamored of Albert McGee, a son of the rancher, where the couple were stopping, and as she claimed that she and Judd had never been legally married, she took advantage of Judd's absence to slip off to Barker with McGee one day and the two were married. Judd naturally felt pretty sore over the matter and was determined to at least recover his children from the mother and her new husband. To several parties he expressed his intention of going to the McGee ranch and recovering the children if he had to kill both the mother and McGee. On the 14th of June last he appeared at the McGee ranch armed with a revolver, and according to the testimony of the defense picked up a Winchester in the house, where his former wife was alone, and fired a shot at her. The woman moved with him and tried to take away the rifle. McGee, who was not far away, hearing the shot, hurried to the scene, and coming up behind Judd, shot him through the head, killing him instantly. The prosecution tried to show that the woman fired the shot with the Winchester at Judd and that the latter was trying to disarm her when he was killed. Messrs. Gormley & Smith appeared for the state, and George Stanton made a brilliant defense for the prisoner. The jury, after being out an hour and a half, brought in a verdict of "not guilty" and McGee is, therefore, cleared forever of the charge of murder. Mr. Stanton received many compliments on his conduct of the case.

THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

A Business Meeting at Which the Church Is Reorganized—Officers Elected.

The business meeting of the Congregational church, held at the new chapel Saturday, was well attended and much enthusiasm prevailed. It was decided to continue the church under the old organization, but several changes were made in the articles of faith and church government in the direction of stricter orthodoxy. A considerable addition was made to the church membership. The following church officers were elected: Board of Trustees—S. B. Robbins, Frank Gehring, E. D. Dibble, E. V. Ragotson and Fred School. Deacons—E. D. Dibble and E. H. Elliott.

Clark—Mrs. W. Mitchell.

Treasurer—Fred School.

Sunday School Superintendent—S. B. Robbins.
The new church will be decorated with flowers. It is a very pretty edifice and the interior is artistic, being gothic in design, with frescoed walls and ceiling and stained glass windows and handsomely carpeted.
Rev. Joseph B. Clark, D. D., senior secretary of the Home Missionary society of the Congregational body, will preach in the new church this morning and also in the evening. Rev. Bell of Helena and Rev. O. C. Clark of Missoula will also be present. The pulpit will be supplied up till next October by Mr. Clark and others, and after that date Rev. A. G. Williamson, late of Belpro, Ohio, will officiate as pastor. Mr. Williamson is a graduate of Oberlin college, and is said to be a gentleman of unusual ability and earnestness.

Football at Butte.

Special to The Tribune.

BUTTE, Sept. 14.—Tomorrow at 2 p. m. the champions of Iowa and the Butte football team will meet on the "gridiron" and settle the question of supremacy in the matter of kicking, pounding, gouging, scuffling, and general wrestling. The Iowans claim the championship of their state and of Nebraska and base their claim upon the fact that they have defeated all of the crack teams in those two states. They are now reaching out for the honors of the west and realize that by defeating Butte they gain the title of champion over all teams hitherto defeated by Butte.

FOR MORE BONDS

A Chicago Banker Says Cleveland and Carlisle Are Negotiating for the

ISSUE OF \$25,000,000 BONDS

While the Syndicate Is Greedy for \$50,000,000—Crops Only to Save the Country.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Developments bearing upon prices of stock exchange securities yesterday were again operative today, causing extreme activity in dealing, attended by pronounced weakness. Calm reflection over night on the part of the financial community at large resulted in the conviction that the general outlook is such as to warrant decided caution. Outside holders of securities were not disposed to risk the possibility of heavy liquidation in the apprehension of large withdrawals of gold for shipment next week. Up to the close of business today no news of contemplated exports for next week had been reported, nor had any further deposits of gold by the banks or syndicate been made. The exchange market showed no reflection of today's heavy outgo of gold, aside from an insignificant decline in the rate for demand sterling. The upsetting influence of gold export probabilities and the discussion on the treasury situation were supplemented by rumors of an impending advance in the money market.

Thus far a firmer tendency in money rates has only been indicated on small loans.

Opinion in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—The consensus of opinion here is that the issue of bonds before congress has had an opportunity to set is extremely improbable. It is argued that the shrinkage in the shipment of cotton is very unusual and that grain shipments must soon begin, and that the improved business will stiffen money rates. The fact that the United States has since January 1, 1894, exported more than \$120,000,000 in gold in excess of her exports, it is claimed, is a very strong argument in favor of a speedy return to its normal condition. What action congress will take is problematical yet it seems more than probable that the administration will present some plan for the retirement of United States notes now out-standing. These amount to over \$247,500,000 and their presence in the currency is regarded as a constant menace to financial stability. It is thought that Carlisle is now working out a scheme by which this volume of currency can be retired without any serious financial disturbance.

A Banker's View.

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—Charles Hutchinson, president of the Corn Exchange bank, in an interview today says that arrangements for a new issue of bonds are about completed. "I have it on the best of authority," he said, "that the Morgan-Belmont syndicate is negotiating with President Cleveland. The only point undecided is the amount, the president desiring to make it \$25,000,000, while the syndicate wants at least \$50,000,000. My information is from New York."

BYTHER IS DEAD

Jack Jolly's Victim Passes in His Checks.

Special to The Tribune.
BUTTE, Sept. 14.—L. W. Byther, who was almost fatally stabbed in the neck by Jack Jolly about five weeks ago, died at 11 o'clock last night from injuries and diseases which were probably caused by the cutting. Byther was thought to be slowly recovering, when, about two weeks ago, he was taken down with typhoid fever and, while in a state of delirium last Friday afternoon, jumped from the window of his room, in the third story of the D'Acheul block. His fall of nearly fifty feet was partly broken by an electric wire, but the force was sufficient to shatter his right arm and cause internal injuries. It was thought at first that there might be a chance to save the arm, and everything possible was done to that end, but it was finally decided that an operation would have to be performed to save the life of the unfortunate man. The arm was amputated Thursday afternoon and the patient seemed to be recovering, but a turn for the worse took place yesterday and death came to the suffering man last night at 11 o'clock.

The body is now at the Butte undertaking rooms, where an inquest will be held.

o'clock sharp, as the visiting team is compelled to leave on the Union Pacific the same afternoon, so that no more school days will be lost than necessary. The field officials will be the same as in the Portland game: J. V. Bohn, referee; W. H. Armstrong, umpire; W. W. Dixon, Jr., line-man; H. J. McDonald, M. D., field surgeon.

The Iowa team arrived in Butte this morning. They are whales. Only one could be carried in a back at a time, and Van Campen, the giant of the Hawkeyes, was with difficulty carried up town in a dray. "If we beat that aggregation," said Captain Brooks, "we will surely be entitled to the championship of the west."

LABOR-DAY STATEMENT.

Receipts and Expenditures for the Park Pavilion.

The following statement shows the receipts and expenditures of the Labor day committee in connection with the erection of the pavilion in the park, which was turned over to the city:

EXHIBIT "A"—MATERIAL.

Goodrich Lumber company	\$ 25.00
Hammond Lumber company	25.00
B. and M. Commercial company	25.00
Holter Lumber company	25.00
Murphy, Macley & Co.	12.75
Sam Wilbur	10.00
W. P. Beachly	12.35
Great Falls Hardware company	7.50
Strain Bros.	5.00
F. D. Squires	5.00
Jos. Hamilton	5.00
Como company	2.00
Acme Sign and Advt. company	2.00
A. Desjais	2.00
Total	\$163.00

EXHIBIT "A"—CASH.

Northwestern National bank	\$ 25.00
First National bank	25.00
Great Falls Water Works	25.00
Montana Brewing company	15.00
L. M. McDonald	10.00
A. F. Longway, for Great Falls Hospital company	10.00
S. E. Atkinson	10.00
R. S. Ford	10.00
B. E. & W. L. Cook	10.00
Great Falls Iron Works	10.00
C. M. Webster	10.00
Paris Gibson	10.00
C. T. Grove	5.00
J. H. McKnight	5.00
Great Falls Meat company	5.00
Churchill & Webster	5.00
M. H. Luther	5.00
A. J. Shore	5.00
Dr. Fairfield	5.00
J. F. McClelland	5.00
Archie McDonald	5.00
J. A. Largent	5.00
W. M. Atkinson, Royal Mill	5.00
J. H. Johnson	5.00
Johnson & Jensen, Cascade Steam Laundry	5.00
Wm. M. Cockrill	5.00
A. Nathan	5.00
Tod & Kelly	5.00
Wilcox & Rogers	5.00
Lapeyre Bros.	5.00
Nate Wertheim	5.00
Sam Stephenson, city attorney	5.00
Fray & Hanson	5.00
J. C. Mitchell	5.00
A. E. Dickerman, county treasurer	5.00
The Hub Clothing Store	5.00
Will & Co.	5.00
Chas. Gies	2.50
C. J. B. Stephens	2.50
Foster & Jardine	2.50
Stark & Sullivan	2.50
Rev. J. J. Dols	2.00
C. C. Proctor	1.00
Taylor & Riley	3.00
J. F. Thomas	3.00
J. F. Fox	2.00
O. M. Holmes	2.00
By cash subscriptions	11.50
Total	\$322.00

Cash subscriptions outstanding \$ 8.00

EXHIBIT "B"—CASH EXPENSES ON BUILDING.

Holter Lumber company	\$ 57.50
B. and M. Lumber company	54.00
Goodrich Lumber company	70.00
Hammond Lumber company	83.50
C. M. Lambert	30.00
A. Desjais	2.00
A. Caspell	2.00
By others as per exhibit "A."	163.00
Total	\$510.00

Total cost of building up to September 2, 1895, at which date it was turned over to the city of Great Falls, \$510.00

Am't of value of material, \$163.00
By cash collections, \$ 32.00
Am't of subscriptions outstanding, \$ 8.00

Balance, paid by committee, \$ 7.00

We certify the foregoing accounts to be true and correct in all particulars, and that the receipts bills are on file with the secretary of the Trades and Labor Council of Cascade county.

Edward Grosser,
Chairman of Joint Committee,
Geo. A. Masses,
Secretary of Joint Committee.

THE SCHOOLS.

The Seating Capacity Is Overtaxed—Enrollment.

During the last week 1,022 pupils have been enrolled in the public schools which are under Supt. Largent's supervision. The other schools in the district, the Watson, Gon, Chichester, and Elm, have not yet opened.

By building the enrollment is as follows: Whittier, 401; South side, 378; Third avenue south, 51; West side, 120; B. and M. addition, 47; North Great Falls, 39; copper smelter, 38; silver smelter, 8; total, 1,022.

In the buildings within the city limits all the rooms are crowded, in many instances two pupils occupying one seat. In addition to the inconvenience to pupils caused by this arrangement there is great detriment to successful work.

After this week no pupils can enter the schools, so when the total enrollment is finally known, arrangements can probably be made to properly seat the pupils, but this may necessitate the employment of one or more additional teachers.

Wanted—To employ an energetic lady or gentleman to represent our business in every county; salary, \$50 per month, and a commission. Address with stamp Charles A. Robinson & Co., Olive, St. Louis.