THE NORTHWEST.

Fire Destroyed the West Side Brewery at Eau Claire at an Early Hour Yesterday.

Escape of a Prisoner from a Train Near Black River Falls—The Case of John Pullgren.

News From Various Points in the Northwest Gleaned by Globe Correspondents.

Brewery Burned.

Special to the Globe.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., July 2.—The old West side brewery, of late owned and operated by the Eau Claire Brewing company, a corporation having as its principal stockholders Henry Cousins, C. B. Carstens and James Culver, burned at 1 o'clock this morning, involving a loss of about $6,000 on the building, but as yet the actual loss on the stock cannot be learned, as the manufactured portion of it was kept in a stone vault which cannot be examined for some time. The cause of the fire is not known. The insurance was as follows: With City of London, $2,000 on building and machinery; $1,500 in Washington Fire and Marine on stock, and $2,000 in Hamburg-Bremen on stock.

Escape of a Prisoner.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., July 2.—Charles Miller, under two years' sentence for larceny, in charge of officers of this city, when below Black River Falls, jumped through the car window, handcuffed, and escaped early this morning.

Pullgren's Case.

WILLMAR, July 2.—John Pullgren, ex-register of deeds of Kandihoyi county, under arrest for having robbed the county treasury on May 29, made application for relief against his waiver of examination. The court granted the relief, and an examination was held before Hon. John H. Brown, district judge, sitting as a court. The examination occupied two days. Twenty-five witnesses were examined, Defendant was bound over and his bond fixed at $8,500.

Disgusted Dakotians.

Special to the Globe.

YANKTON, Dak., July 2.— The glaring corruption and open frauds of the two last legislatures have so disgusted the people with caucuses, conventions and voting that only about one in ten of the voters in South Dakota voted in the election on Tuesday for delegates to the constitutional convention. Yankton cast 86 votes; Sioux Falls, 131; Huron, 210; Redfield, 34. The whole thing was a farce, only chronic political bummers, prohibition cranks and woman suffrage lunatics taking part. It was not expected that the few respectable men elected to the convention would ever take their seats. The thing is too dead. The people want division and statehood, but they want nothing under the leadership of the legislature. They want honesty in affairs and purer politics or a continuance of territorial government. In this city the election was a farce. The people have no heart in the thing and the convention had better be abandoned. They think that a legislature that could not defeat the capital commission steal had no right to call a convention preliminary to statehood.

Will Enforce Prohibition.

Special to the Globe.

DUBUQUE, Ia., July 2.—The Dubuque Prohibitionists have concluded to make a big effort next week for the enforcement of the prohibitory law in this city, and to this end they have engaged the services of Col. Woodford of Rock Rapids to speak at the Tabernacle all next week, commencing on next Friday. Up to the present there has been no curb put upon the selling of liquors in Dubuque. As many saloons are running here to-day as before the passage of the law, subject only to the $100 yearly license imposed by the city.

Sunday School Convention.

FARIBAULT, Minn., July 2.—The session of the State Sunday School association to-day consisted of musical and devotional exercises; business address by the Rev. M. H. Hart, secretary of the state board of corrections and charities, on the relation of the Sunday school to the vicious class; address by Rev. Dr. Henson of Chicago on The Dangers of Our Modern System; address by Mrs. Emily Huntington Miller of St. Paul on Primary Work in Sunday Schools, with practical illustrations.

Killed by the Cars.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, July 2.—John Muller, a deaf mute of the Iowa institute, was killed instantly on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad while walking on the track on his way home from a picnic at Zolicoffer's lake. The deceased was 19 years old, and had spent seven years in the institute.

MINNESOTA.

Rush City.

Hon. F. S. Christensen, member of the commission to locate a third insane hospital, has returned after an absence of a week looking at various locations....Mrs. F. S. Christensen is visiting her parents at her old home in Red Wing, accompanied by her daughter....Mrs. Thomas R. Quayle of Mapleton, Minn., wife of Rev. Quayle, formerly of this city, is visiting friends here a few days....Hon. Geo. B. Folsom of Taylor's Falls, formerly receiver of the United States land office at that place, is here combining business with pleasure....Willie Wynkoop has just returned from Shattuck school at Faribault for the summer vacation....Frank Flynn, who had his foot crushed near Pine City by the cars, as noticed in Sunday's GLOBE, is a son of Mr. T. F. Flynn of this place. Dr. Murphy of St. Paul was called here and after consulting with. Dr. Beardsley concluded the foot could be saved, and Frank and his many friends rejoice.....The construction train which has been graveling the road from his point has been temporarily taken north to lay a multitude of new tracks at Duluth for the increasing business of the road, but will again return and complete the work begun....Mr. Charles Smith, the hardware merchant, has purchased the Robie property, lately vacated by the Rush City post of the State Building association, St. Paul, and remodeled, rebuilt and greatly improved the same; also, built an addition to the store, making one of the most convenient stores and residences in the place. He is now moving in....Ramberg's store is about finished. It is over 100 feet long, with office, immense, cellar warehouse connection and the latest improved elevator....W. H. Plummer sold his place adjoining the village, of eighty acres, for $2,000, to George B. Folson.....A special train will be run from here to Grantsburg the Fourth of July, to the celebration to be held that day....William Taylor, a well-to-do farmer living near here, a man of family, skipped out a few days ago mysteriously, leaving everything in good shape, and has not been heard of since....C. W. Smith has closed out his stock of goods at auction and expects to go to Italy for his health....William Kelly lost a child 3 years old on Friday from scarlet fever. The family formerly resided here and had been living in Minneapolis, and were quarantined there, but packed up at night and came back here, with above result. The family still have two children sick. The people here feel very much displeased with the improvidence of the family and the loose methods practiced by the authorities in Minneapolis. This is not the first case of the kind which has occurred by the too easy go-as-you-please management of infectious diseases in that city. Once the small-pox was brought from that, and twice diphtheria by those escaping to friends near here, which makes this state of affairs become burdensome, as well as dangerous. In every instance our people have suffered by numerous deaths, besides all the dangers and losses incident thereto. ....Hon. R. G. Robinson of Pine City is an applicant for the receivership of the United States land office of this district, with a very strong following. He will make a good man for the office and we hope he will "get there."....The appointment of Hon. A. Biermaun, collector of internal revenue for Minnesota, is generally commended here, and demonstrates that the Democratic party, unlike its opponent, does not think that Scandinavians are "voting cattle." This will go far toward uniting our Scandinavian friends with Democracy and right, and show to them the utter fallacy of the argument of the Republican party of the "overthrow of the country," "confiscating their homesteads," and "reenslaving the blacks."

Watertown.

The Sunday school excursion of Clarkites last Monday brought with it the Clark base ball nine. The visiting and home nines met on the diamond in the afternoon, and the game most certainly satisfied the most fastidious, resulting in a victory for the Clark boys—score 12 to 9. The umpire has been severely criticised, and not without foundation, for discrimination was certainly shown in favor of the visitors on some of the closer decisions. A return game will be played at Clark on the Fourth....Mr. Bramble, formerly of Yankton, and the new receiver of the United States land office at this place, arrived at this place Saturday and assumed the duties of his office Wednesday morning....Mr. Day, member of the national Democratic committee, came to Watertown Saturday evening by team, and remained until Monday noon, and made a host of friends during his stay in the city....The political caldron fairly boils, and street talk has it that Kemp, who has hitherto been a promising candidate for the postoffice, now gives way to Thomas, who has been making quiet but effective advances to the position, and has hosts of friends who are urging his claims for official station....Mark W. Sheaf, formerly of Elkton, Dak., the new register at this place, has, like Bramble, come to cast his lot among us, but owing to some informalities of papers, which are being corrected, will not assume his official duties for a few days. Both of these gentlemen are receiving a hearty welcome from our people, and are much pleased with their location. An informal reception was tendered them at the Kampeska house Tuesday evening. Speeches were made by the new land officers and by several of our citizens. The remarks of the retiring register, Mr. Williams, were especially feeling and appropriate.

Jamestown.

Hon. Johnson Nickeus has returned from his long trip to the Sandwich Islands. He says Honolulu is a beautiful city of about twenty thousand people, many of whom are Americans. They are well governed, moral and law-abiding. Mr. Nickeus expresses himself delighted with the country and its climae, and notwithstanding the fact that he was offered an honorable position there, he would not be induced to leave Dakota, where he has made his fame and fortune....Prof. Clemmer and Archie McMillen, secretary of the board of education, are now busily at work taking the enumeration of school children in this city....It is rumored that in case Capt. Dan Marratta is appointed to the United States marshalship he will make Hon D. M. Kelleher of this city his chief deputy, Notwithstanding all this, Mr. Kelleher is still in the field for the marshalship, and will not give in until he is obliged to....Rev. Father Stephan, who is now at the head of the Catholic Indian bureau at Washington, D. C., but formerly pastor of the Catholic church in this city, writes Hon. D. M. Kelleher that he will soon come on a visit to Jamestown. The reverend gentleman was very popular among all denominations while here, and his many Dakota friends will be pleased to see him.... Our Fourth of July celebration promises to be one of the grandest ever held in the territory....Capt. E. L. Wells has returned from St. Louis, where he has been in attendance at his father's funeral....The sound of the school bells will be heard no more till the first Monday in September.... Prof. E. H. Clemmer will spend his vacation in the East. He will attend the meeting of the National Educational association at Saratoga Springs....Col. W. J. Goodrich, one of the most thorough of all Democrats, has been appointed grand marshal of the day on the Fourth of July....A special train will run from Fargo to this city on the Fourth of July, leaving Fargo at 6:30 in the morning, and returning after midnight. In consequence of this the regular train will be abandoned on that day.

Ashland.

Lieut. Gov. Fifield and Attorney Lamoreux of this city will orate at Washburn on the Fourth....A line of steamers, six in number, are expected here about the 4th to transfer the first train load of ore from here to Cleveland. They will carry from 1,000 to 1,500 tons each. It is expected that there will be about 30,000 tons shipped to Cleveland during the month of July....The Young Men's Christian association convention has closed its session in this place. A public meeting was held in the court house which was largely attended. The meetings throughout have been full of interest, and it is hoped that much good will result from the same....The Teachers' association of this state will be held in Racine July 7, 8 and 9. An interesting program has been prepared....Fred N. Innes, the famous slide trombone virtuoso, has been secured by the City Cornet band, and will give an entertainment July 15....The Thompson Opera company will play a season of two nights here, July 3 and 4, opening with "The Beggar Student" and closing with "Billee Taylor."....Madame Gether and her musical quartet are stopping at the Chequamegon....R. M. Williams, editor of the Glidden Pioneer, this county, has received the appointment of postmaster at Glidden....Vaughn & Moore of this city have sold the "Wakefield Option" to J. W. Smith & Bro. of the Appleton furnace, who will open up and work the mine immediately. The property is an excellent one, and the vein carries a fine quality of Bessemer ore. This sale insures the working of another mine on the Agogebic range this season.

Mankato.

The people who went any distance or spent any time seeing the circus were badly fooled. It was a one-horse affair.... The city council held a meeting last evening....Prof. C. J. Gedge of the Bishop Whipple school, Moorhead, is in the city, the guest of Judge Brown....Company F and the regimental band returned home Wednesday evening. It is understood that the band gave very good satisfaction while in camp, eliciting especial commendation from Gen. MacCarthy, Col. Bobleter and Adjt. Pierce....Miss Minnie Smith is attending the Sunday school convention in Faribault, as a delegate from the Presbyterian Sunday school....Mr. Charles Mead has been elected the janitor of the State Normal school....Lake Crystal is making great preparations for the Fourth of July. As we have no celebration here, let all who can attend. The lake is a very beautiful place, not to be beaten in Southern Minnesota for its hospitality....Capt. Foster is preparing also for a good time at Lake Madison, where good fishing, quiet repose and a generous fare can be had....On their route home the regimental band marched to the public park in Owatonna and gave an open air concert, after which they were escorted to the Commercial for dinner. The citizens of Owatonna appreciate good music....The board of equalization held an adjourned meeting yesterday, and will doubtless be in session several days.

Willmar.

H. Haxthausen is building a fine residence near the seminary in the First ward ....The Argus says: John B. Boyd, who served in Company G, Sixty-fourth Illinois Infantry sharpshooters regiment, received lately a back pension amounting to $1,072, with a pension of $8 per month, for injuries received in the United States service ....Last Thursday a mare belonging to Johannes Oftelie, town of Green Lake, and being afflicted with glanders, was ordered to be killed by the board of health: two other horses were ordered to be kept in quarantine....P. P. Eddy of Whitefield, while in town last Friday met with a very bad accident, which might, however, have turned out still more serious than it did. He was at Mr. Haines' place in the west end of town when the short but violent thunder storm passed over his place. Mr. Haines asked him to wait until the storm was over, but he was in a hurry and started off; when about eight rods from the house one of his horses was struck by lightning and instantly killed. The other horse was considerably stunned but seemingly uninjured. Mr. Eddy himself escaped uninjured, although he was violently shaken and felt as if scorched all over. It is the more remarkable that Mr. Eddy was not hurt, as the lightning had torn his pantaloons in several places.

Pipestone.

Miss Mattie Parker has gone to her home in Menona, Ia., to spend the school vacation....The Grand Army boys have added another attraction to their Fourth of July program by obtaining the consent of about forty of the Yankton and Flandrau Indians to be present and give a Sioux war dance. The post is sparing no expense to make this one of the finest celebrations ever held in this section of the state. The Omaha road will run an excursion from Heron Lake, arriving here at 9:30 a. m. and leaving at 9:30 p. m....A war is raging between machine men at this place now and farmers are getting their machinery at very reasonable terms....A little boy by the name of Gates was drowned while bathing north of town....A creamery company has just been organized here with a capital stock of $20,000, divided into shares of $10 each. The shares are being readily taken, and it is intended to begin the erection of suitable buildings at once. Mr. Edward Ewart was elected president and Maj. E. A. Rice, secretary of the company.

Waseca.

The Maplewood Park association is working hard to get up a good series of lectures for the present season. Messrs. Everett, Gaines and Trowbridge are putting in some good work and are meeting with pretty fair success, and with the facilities of the park and the excellent hotel the park should draw a large influx of visitors from all points. There is nice shade, with lamps all over the park, so it is always light at night. A nice steamboat conveys passengers from the city proper to the hotel....Mayor Trowbridge has commenced the foundation for his new brick store on Second street.... Hon. M. D. L. Collester was down from Mankato yesterday visiting friends in the city.

River Falls.

Young Spoon, whose examination for setting fire to the Omaha depot began on Monday evening and closed on Wednesday evening, was bound over to appear for trial at a subsequent term of court. C. Smith, Esq., appeared for the state and Judge Wetherbee of Hudson appeared for the defendant. The evidence in the case was entirely circumstantial, but was adjudged sufficient to warrant a trial in court....The city is preparing to have a celebration on the Fourth....The alarming frequency of fires has led to the organization of a fire department.

DAKOTA.

Presidential Appointments.

The Yankton Press states that Register Sheaf and Receiver Bramble of the Watertown land office, newly appointed Democratic officials, met in Yankton and exchanged views. They were unanimous in the belief that President Cleveland outranks in ability and good qualities all previous presidents, and that he is a gentlemen whom it is the delight of the party to honor. On the other hand Col. Richardson of the governor's staff and of the legislature, claims to have interviewed Capt. Dan Marratta, the early and noted Bismarck Democrat who has been so prominent for United States marshal and named for governer, and the latter shows intense bitterness, charging that the president appoints jackasses to office and is ruining the party. It is evident the captain has abandoned all hope of being marshal, although he has the indorsement of the Democratic committee of the territory. Col. Richardson also states that John A. Rea, the land office man at Bismarck, having three years to serve, has turned Democrat and will probably be able to hold his time out. James Bellows of Mandan wants the place, but he has been a Democrat too long, Marratta thinks.

Dakota Men For Dakota Places.

The Yankton Press has had an interview with Hon. M. H. Day, the Dakota national committeeman, who has been at Washington and is believed to have the confidence of the administration, and reports him as saying that Mr. Ziebach would be appointed governor of Dakota as soon as the place could be reached in the ordinary official routine. He says the president is fully determined to appoint Dakota men in Dakota offices and relates an instance wherein a pompous Democrat called at the executive mansion, announced himself as an ex-governor of New Jersey, and said he desired the place of a territoral governorship for himself and thought he would prefer Dakota, etc., etc. The president asked him where he was from and he replied, "New Jersey, sir—ex-governor of New Jersey." Turning to his private secretary the president said: "Mr. Lamont, what part of Dakota is New Jersey in?" The applicant bolted and has not since been around after a territorial appointment. This story has been related before, with variations, and Mr. Day vouches for its correctness.

Dakota Newslets.

Wahpeton had a wedding the past week among the most recherche society people, in which George T. Propper, a handsome and wealthy young dealer in realty, was the groom and Miss Minnie Harwood, a lovely daughter of the F.F.W's was the bride.

The candidates for the Fargo postoffice feel almost reconciled to defeat in their aspirations since they have been immortalized by hanging their portraits and biographies in the GLOBE. They cheerfully accepted the popular verdict that they are a fine-looking squad, and that the artist has not flattered them.

The president of the Dakota & Great Southern road, J. M. Childs of Utica, N. Y., and some of the directors, have been passing over the route the past week. They claim that capital has been secured and a portion of the northern section can be graded and ironed this year if the farmers will give the right of way.

The Jim River Eagle says: Many contests are being commenced lately which are based on the reported statement of Commissioner Sparks that no person has a right to take more than one claim. We would advise would-be contestants to move cautiously in such cases. There is a reckoning time coming by and by, and Sparks will get left.

The Yankton papers have information that the Chicago & Northwestern railroad will, contrary to previous reports, build a portion of its branch from the new Sioux City & Pacific line north to the Black Hills this season, completing forty-five of the 100 miles before winter. This will for a time evidently nearly monopolize the large trade of the Hills country.

The firemen in attendance at the tournament at Sioux Falls last week were given the freedom of the brewery and are enthusiastic over the quality of the beer made. It has a fine reputation in the South.

Judge McConnell, the new judge of the Third district, is infusing rare energy into the administration of justice, and clearing the jails. The lawyers kick a little at overwork, but the people can stand that. He will evidently win high reputation on the bench. He goes East this week for his family, whom he will take to Fargo to reside.

La Moure is one of the counties that pays a premium for gopher tails. In a single day the past week warrants were issued for 1,973 tails, 900 to one man. Good wages are made gathering them at five cents each. It is suspected that other counties contribute to the tail business, and that maternal gophers are allowed to go free after cutting off their tails.

As to Mrs. Grundy.

This potent personage has been allowed to rule too despotically in the feminine world, and the ladies say that it is time her tyranny received a check. But not even Mrs. Grundy has dared to speak against the value of Brown's Iron Bitters as a strengthening tonic for ladies who suffer from debility. It enriches the blood and completely restores failing health. Miss Sallie L. Paules, Wrightsville, Pa., was cured by Brown's Iron Bitters of backache, kidney trouble and liver complaint.

FLYERS ON THE TRACK.

Large Attendance at the Chicago Races—The Californians Lose Heavily on Jim Douglass.

Detroit Treated to a Sharp Trotting Race, With Several Heats Put in Low Down.

The Champion Lacrosse Game Between St. Paul and Chicago Clubs—Players.

Winnipeg's Boat Club Anxious to Row a Four-oared Race With the Minnesotas.

Chicago Races.

CHICAGO, July 2.—Ten thousand people witnessed the races at Washington park to-day. The weather was warm and pleasant and the track was smooth but a trifle hard.

First Race—Five furlongs, two-year-olds, penalties and allowance. Starters: Juliette Inglesides, Monyea, Hunt, Minnie, St. John, Ida, Burke, Jim Grey, Missive, Tartar, Winona, Argrette, Cuban, Queen, Hazel Kirk, Estrella, Willie Martin, Clonee, and Basknet. Tartar took the lead the first few strides and won easily by a length and a half, Estrella second, Jim Grey third. Time, 1:03. Paris mutuals paid $18.20.

Second Race—Mile, all ages. Starters: Red Girl, Jim Douglass, Katie Fletcher, Ten Booker and Modesty. Pools—Modesty, $300; Jim Douglass, $200; field, $41. Modesty jumped to the lead when the drum tapped, followed by Katie Fletcher and Jim Douglass. Jim Douglass ran into second place on the back stretch, and at the half Modesty led by a length only. Modesty came away again on the upper turn, but Douglass closed on her, and on entering the stretch the mare led by a half length only. Modesty came away again in the straight, and won, hands down, by a length: Jim Douglass second, Katie Fletcher third. Time, 1:41¼. Paris mutuals paid $8.60. The Californians all backed Jim Douglass and lost heavily.

Second Race—Talleyrand went right to the front, and won the race by twenty lengths, Wimbledon second, Elexor third. Time, 1:59¼. Paris mutuals paid $14.50 and $7.30.

Third Race—Boulevard stakes, all ages, mile and one-quarter. Starters: Freeland, Volante, John Davis, Laflin, Valet, Bootblack and Troubadour. Pools: Freeland $200, Volante $145, Laflin $40, Troubadour $30, field $25. Volante and Bootblack alternated in the lead to the half, where Freeland was fifth, and later ran into second place on the stable turn, and entering the stretch Volante led by half a length only. Freeland drew away easily in the straight, and won handily by two lengths from Volante, who was the same distance in front of Troubadour. Time, 2:19. Mutuals paid $10.

Fourth Race—Selling, mile and furlong. Starters: Ouida, Rodger, Eastman, Martindale, Nat Kramer, Bangle, Hazaras, Doubt, Ultimatum and Handy Andy. Hazaras won in a gallop by five lengths, Handy Andy second, Ultimatum third. No time taken. Paris Mutuals paid $10.20. This was the fourth consecutive race to-day that Corrigan placed to his credit.

Fifth Race—Hurdle purse mile heats. Starters: Bagdad, Athelstane, Judge Jackson, Elexor, Tallyrand and Wimbledon. First heat, Tallyrand won, with Wimbledon second, Elexor third. Time 1:50¼.

Detroit Races.

DETROIT, Mich., July 2.—First race, class 2:28, trotting, mile heats, purse $700:

Gilbird's Sprague	1	1	1
Myrtie	2	2	2
Lady Bonner	4	4	3
Annie King	3	5	4
William T.	5	3	5

Time, 2:23¼, 2:23½, 2:22½.

Second race, free-for-all trotting race, purse $800:

Clemmie G.	2	2	3	1	1
Phyllis	1	1	2	4	4
Wilson	4	4	1	2	3
Felix	3	3	4	3	2 ro

Time, 2:20½, 2:17¾, 2:18½, 2:18½, 2:19¾, 2:18½.

Third race, 2:24 pacing race, purse $500:

Little Em	2	1	1	1
Georgetown	1	2	4	2
Uncle Ned	5	3	2	3
Cora Mack	4	5	3	4
Buck Dickerson	3	4	dist	

Time, 2:21½, 2:19¼, 2:23, 2:21¾.

Harry Wilkes Beats Trinket Again.

BOSTON, July 2.—The summer meeting at Beacon park closed to-day. The unfinished 2:33 race of yesterday was won by Hopemont, Flora taking second money. Minnie C third and Green Boy fourth. Best time 2:26.

Class 2:24—

Breeze Medium	1	1	2	1
Revenge	5	6	1	5
Dick Organ	2	3	3	2
Irish Lad	3	2	4	3
Lizzie R.	4	4	6	4
W K.	6	5	5	6
Ward Medium	Distanced			

Time 2:22½, 2:22½, 2:24¼, 2:24.

Class 2:37—

Mill Girl	1	1	1
Helen Wilkes	4	2	2
Champion Wilkes	2	6	4
Bergen	3	3	3
Rex	5	4	5
Lilly Langtry	7	5	6
Harvester	6	dr	

Time 2:27¾, 2:27¾, 2:29¼.

The last event was a special race between Harry Wilkes and Trinket for $1,000. Wilkes easily out trotted the mare.

Harry Wilkes	1	1	1
Trinket	2	2	2

Time 2:19¾, 2:16¾, 2:24½.

In Tuesday's race, Vanness, the driver of Sister Wilkes, was charged with pulling that mare and losing a heat. After much investigation by the judges, it was ascertained that the animal was not in prime condition, but Vanness admitted that he could have won if he had tried. He was thereupon fined $100.

New York Races.

NEW YORK, July 2.—The first race for all ages, selling allowances, three-fourths of a mile, was won by Broughton by two lengths, Eva K second, Lucy Lewis third. Time 1:17¼.

Second race, selling allowances, three-quarters of a mile, was contested by Wandering and Inconstant, and resulted in a dead heat, Joe S. third. Time 1:17. In score off Inconstant won easily by three lengths. Time, 1:19..

Third race, for all ages, selling allowances, three-fourths of a mile, was won by Joe Sawyer by a length and a half, Uberto second, Bessie B third. Time, 1:18.

Fourth race, King's county cup, for three-year-olds and upwards, winning allowances, two miles. In the first round Royal Arch made all the running, the other two riding neck and neck. On the back stretch Fostera was ahead and won by a neck, Gen. Monroe second, Royal Arch third. Time, 3:36½.

Fifth race, for three-year-olds, one mile—Florence M won by a length, Byran Cross second, Three Cheers third. Time, 1:46½.

Sixth race, welter weights, selling allowances, one mile and a half over six hurdles. Won by Jersey Maid by two lengths, King Tom second.

Another Challenge.

The Winnipeg Boat club has challenged the Minnesotas for a four-oared race, to be rowed on July 11. While the Minnesota club would like to row the Winnipegers, they fear they will not be able to get a crew in condition to row so important a race on the day fixed in the challenge. The Winnipeg men desire to have the race rowed on their waters, while the Minnesota men would prefer Lake Minnetonka, and would be willing to row in three or four weeks. The Canadians will offer a silver cup and a gold medal to each of the members of the winning crew. The whole matter has been referred to a committee, which will correspond with the Winnipeg people and, if possible, will arrange a race to take place in thirty days. By that time a crew can be got together here that will be able, at least, to make a respectable showing.

Lacrosse.

To-morrow the St. Paul Lacrosse club will play at White Bear with the Calumets of Chicago for the championship of the United States. The championship is represented by a large silver cup that has been described in these columns. The club that holds this cup is compelled to hold itself in readiness at all times to play for its possession whenever challenged. Last year the St. Paul club won it from the Calumets, but it was a long time before it could secure possession of it in consequence of the claim of the Louisville club. This spring, through the decision of the proper authorities, the cup was sent to the St. Paul club and is now in St. Paul. It is for this cup that the game will be played to-morrow at White Bear. It is understood that the Calumets will come here well prepared to dispute for its possession. That club has been practicing and strengthening up especially for this contest, and propose to take the cup away with them, and will do it, too, unless the St. Pauls put forth their best efforts. The following is the

ST. PAUL TEAM.

L. I. Martin, H. Warwick, A. Giberton, William Fry, H. Beasley, J. Moir, E. Giberton, J. Stark, A. D. Warner, J. A. Hughes, D. Mahoney, G. Warwick, R. A. Devine; field captain, G. J. Lovell.

THE CHICAGO TEAM.

The following compose the list of the Chicago players: N. J. Shannon, A. Baker, A. C. Way, T. Roe, S. O'Neil, J. Dolph, J. Murphy, M. Meehan, B. Crane, J. Feron, M. Kelly, R. McKee; field captain, P. Enright.

THE STILLWATER GAME.

The St. Paul Lacrosse club will send out on the same day a second team of twelve men to play against the Stillwater club at Stillwater for the championship of Minnesota. The following are the names of the players: C. Dufrene, F. B. Peters, B. Shea, R. Martin, A. Stark, A. P. Keough, F. R. Keough, P. H. Scanlon, J. Mann, A. Kerr, E. Murphy, J. Kenny, F. A. Woods, Capt. James Shea.

Cambridge Wins.

LONDON, July 2.—The Argonatus four-oared crew of Toronto, who have been practicing daily for the Henley regatta, rowed to-day. In the third heat for the visitors' cup, the Trinity Hall (Cambridge) crew came in first and the Toronto crew second. Trinity Hall won easily. The Canadians will sail for home next Thursday on the steamer Parisian.

Bruisers Have Sixty-Seven Rounds.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 2.—Last night a prize-fight took place near Westfield. The most noted men in Boston sporting circles were present. John L. Sullivan was referee. The chief backers were Patsy Shepard and Jim Keenan. The combatants were a negro named Kelly and a white man named Murphy. The bruisers had finger gloves to start with, but after a few rounds they used their knuckles bare. In this condition sixty-seven brutal rounds were fought, each man trying to knock out his opponent. With a decisive blow at last, the negro knocked his white opponent unconscious. He won the $500 stakes and about $1,500 for his backer, Shepard.

Base Ball.

AT DETROIT.

Detroit	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	—4
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

AT PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	—6
Cincinnati	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	—4

AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	—5
St. Louis	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

Evangelist Weber.

To the Editor of the Globe:

I noticed an item in your "Dakota newslets" in issue of June 27th, referring to Rev. S. H. Weber, the evangelist, who has recently been holding a two weeks' series of meetings in Sioux Falls, and previous to that time a four weeks' series at this place. I see that the item is a little off in several respects, but, as it was gleaned from the Leader of Sioux Falls, it is not to be wondered at, as that paper, for some reason, has made it a point to pitch into Rev. Weber at every opportunity. The fact of the matter is, Rev. Weber preaches plain, Bible doctrines, which, in all probability, does not exactly suit the fancy of the editor of the Leader. The "pulpit trickery" referred to, which so disgusted the editor of the Leader and the "people," was simply a dismissal of those of the congregation who had been kept in a crowded room for perhaps two hours or over, and a detaining of the working members of the church to talk to and pray with the new converts and those who were seeking; but all were welcome to stay who wished to, whether they took part or not, at least this was the case at this place. The item states that Rev. Weber went to Sioux Falls with the "prestige that he had made 134 converts at Rock Rapids, and brought a special train of them to help him at Sioux Falls." The conversions at this place during the four weeks Mr. Weber was here, were over 170—102 of which united with the M. E. church and 65 with the Congregational church, and some who have united with neither or prefer uniting with some other denomination. As to Rev. Weber taking a special train of his converts from here to Sioux Falls to help him, it is not true. It is true, however, that a special train with 131 persons from Rock Rapids, including many of the best people of the place, and many converts from Rev. Weber's labors, went from this place to Sioux Falls on the Tuesday following the Thursday on which Mr. Weber went to Sioux Falls for a day's pleasure; also to show their appreciation for Mr. Weber's labors at this place, and to encourage him in his work. Furthermore, Mr. Weber did not know they were coming until the morning they started, when he was telegraphed that he might expect them. The people of this town consider Mr. Weber a perfect gentleman, and we know that he did a grand work at this place, the Sioux Falls Leader and Sioux Falls correspondent of the Pioneer Press notwithstanding. From a friend of truth and justice.

J. B. P.

Rock Rapids, Ia., June 30.

Seats in the Park.

To the Editor of the Globe.

It was quite a noticeable feature of the last concert at Rice park to see an officer, late of said park, making himself conspicuous in finding seats for supposedly-tired ladies. This seems to be a new feature inaugurated by our special friend of the park. While we have compassion on this would-be notoriety of the force, we think any gentleman who visits the park would not refuse to give his seat to a lady who may have been unfortunate in getting to the park late, if she speaks for a seat. The park is a public place, and there should be equal rights to all who behave themselves. The visitors to the park did finely in the absence of our hero of etiquette, and presume they could get along quite as well without his services. I think if the city authorities wish the ladies to have seats, it would be well to put a few more in the park, or post a notice prohibiting gentlemen from using them, as it is impossible for all to have seats. I hope that ladies who desire gentlemen to give them seats will assume the responsibility.

A CITIZEN.

Libbey Still Alive.

CHICAGO, July 2.—The announcement is made here to-day that Charles A. Libbey, of the shirt manufacturing firm of James L. Libbey & Co., who mysterously disappeared some weeks ago, is not dead as was supposed, but alive. He has been heard from in Boston, from which city he wrote a letter to his brother in New York stating that he had heard with deep sorrow of his wife's suicide through remorse at his disappearance and supposed death. He intended, he said, to assume another name and begin life anew.

Joining the Strikers.

CLEVELAND, O., July 2.—The men employed in the wire departments of the Cleveland rolling mills joined the other strikers this morning and there are now 1,800 idle men in Newburg. The officers of the mills have telephoned for police protection, but no violence is feared.

The Cunard steamship company has sent the steamer Demerer, with provisions, in search of the overdue steamer Gallia.

HOT TIMES EXPECTED.

Rumors Which Have Originated on the Announcement of the Milwaukee Absorbing the Fargo Southern.

The Northern Pacific and Manitoba Companies Importuned to Advance the Rates on Coal.

Interview With Hon. Frederick Billings Relating to the General Outlook in the West.

An Interesting Situation.

The announcement of the control of the Fargo Southern by the Milwaukee & St. Paul, while generally expected, since the death of General Manager Merrill of the latter company, was, nevertheless, the subject for discussion by the heads of departments of all the railroads centering in St. Paul yesterday. This was because nearly all the lines centering in St. Paul are interested in the move, so much that an exceedingly cold feeling may spring up between several of the companies most deeply concerned. The first trouble of the Milwaukee & St. Paul in taking the Fargo Southern is the making of rates on coal and salt to Fargo on the same basis as those given by the Northern Pacific and Manitoba roads, and yesterday General Freight Agent Bird of the former line telegraphed the general freight agents of the two latter lines from Ortonville, asking for a conference on that subject as soon as possible. That they will favor him with a conference is quite certain, but that they will concede to his wishes is not. The Milwaukee & St. Paul has importuned the Manitoba and Northern Pacific roads to make the same rate on coal from Duluth to Fargo it does from Chicago. Neither of these two lines will do this, as they feel it would be doing an injustice to the public. If they were to concede to the wishes of the Milwaukee & St. Paul they would be giving up the

ADVANTAGES THEY MAINTAIN

on their geographical situation, and at the same time allow Chicago to build up a business in the Northwest to the detriment of St. Paul and Minneapolis. The facts of the case are that the Manitoba and Northern Pacific charge $3.50 for the transportation of hard coal per ton from Duluth to Fargo, a distance of 253 miles, against a rate of $5.50 by the Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Fargo Southern from Chicago, for a haul of 709 miles. The Milwaukee & St. Paul has already been charged with discriminating against St. Paul and Minneapolis by making the same rate to Fargo that it made to the two former places, and merchants at these places are likely to make it interesting for the railroad company unless it discontinues. The controlling of the Fargo Southern was always considered a dangerous adoption by Alexander Mitchell of the Milwaukee & St. Paul, and one time he was heard to say that as long as he remained president the Fargo Southern should never be incorporated in his system. In 1883 a tripartite agreement was entered into by the Milwaukee & St. Paul, Chicago & Northwestern and the Rock Island roads not to build north or west of their present terminals in Dakota, as the country was undeveloped and there was nothing to support any extensions that would have been made. Now the Milwaukee & St. Paul has seen fit to violate this agreement, and the next best thing it can do is to

MAKE RAPID STRIDES

and build into the best regions it deems advisable, to head off the Chicago & Rock Island and Northwestern roads, which will now advance their interests in the wheat regions of Northern Dakota. The first move the former line will probably make will be the extension of the Fargo Southern to Flandrau, opening up a direct route from the Red river valley to nearly all South Dakota, and giving connection with all the lines of the Milwaukee & St. Paul. It is regarded as quite possible that in connection with the Fargo Southern a line will be built from Fargo to Crookston over the right-of-way of the proposed Crookston & Southwestern road. In this event next year will see more miles of railroad built in Dakota than any other year. The Milwaukee & St. Paul is now in the North, and the Northwestern & Rock Island will get there as soon as possible. The Northern Pacific and Manitoba roads will be likely to show what they think about the invasion of the territory they claim. Some of the Chicago lines will be extended to Bismarck and the Turtle mountain region. The proposed road from Fargo to the Black hills too, may be put in process of construction. With all this construction there is one fact evident; that the roads built will have to depend upon their own resources, as no county or town will load themselves very heavily to secure them.

Mr. Billings and the West.

Mr. Frederick Billings, the leading stockholder and director of the Northern Pacific road, returned yesterday afternoon from a four weeks' trip over the line. On leaving St. Paul, Mr. Billings went north as far as Winnipeg, principally to note the condition of the crops in the Northwest. He went along the east bank of the Red river and returned by the west side to Fargo, and then left by the Northern Pacific road for the West. He found the crops in the Red River valley and along the Northern Pacific line in Dakota and