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PURSUED BY HOUNDS.

Ferocious Dogs and Determined Men Chasing the Gogebic Stage Robber.

Montana Democrats Nominate Delegate Toole for the Governorship.

Mellette Has a Cold Cinch on the Convention at Huron.

Impressive Scene at the Funeral of the Late Judge Vilas.

Special to the Globe.

ASHLAND, Wis., Aug. 27.—Bloodhounds have been put on the track of the Gogebic stage robber by Sheriff Foley, of Gogebic county, and the pursuit of the murderer has been renewed with favorable chances for his capture before twenty-four hours have elapsed. A pack of human game hunters were taken to Gogebic this afternoon by an Indian from the Bad River reservation at Odanah. The hounds are well trained, and if the highwayman is still in the woods he will be captured. Manager Whitcomb, of the Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western railway, has offered a reward of $500 for the capture of the robber. Circulars have been sent out giving a very good description of the fugitive. Should he be captured it is likely that he will be lynched, so strong is the feeling against him. Mr. Fleischbein, the Booneville, Ill., merchant, who was shot in the hip during the fight with the road agent, died in the hospital at Bessemier to-day from loss of blood and internal hemorrhage. The fact has developed that the highwayman had eaten breakfast at the same table on the day of the robbery with the party he held up. They were on conversant terms with him and he was the last man they would have taken for "Black Bart's" double. He is described as a smooth-talking gentlemanly appearing young fellow with good manners and showing evidence of good-breeding, and not the bushy-whiskered hardened-looking villain he is imagined to be. However that may be, it looks as if he had robbed his last stage coach and rifled his last train.

RAISED THE REWARD.

Special to the Globe.

ASHLAND, Wis., Aug. 27.—The Milwaukee, Lake Shore & Western railway officials announced here to-night that the reward of $500 offered for the capture of the Gogebic robber has been raised to $1,000.

TOOLE FOR GOVERNOR.

Montana Democrats Put a Slashing Ticket in the Field.

Special to the Globe.

ANACONDA, Mont., Aug. 27.—The Democratic state convention to-day nominated the following ticket: Congressman, Martin McGinnis, Helena; governor, Joseph K. Toole, Helena; lieutenant governor, John H. Conrad, Billings; attorney general, W. Y. Pemberton, Butte; secretary of state, Joseph A. Brown, Beaverhead; treasurer, Jerry Collins, Great Falls; auditor, Thomas B. Fitzgerald; superintendent public instruction, J. K. Russell, Butte; chief justice, Stephen De Wolfe, Butte; associate justice, five years, Francis K. Armstrong, Bozeman; seven years, Walter M. Bickford, Missoula; clerk of the supreme court, George F. Cope, Virginia City. The platform calls for a revision of the tariff, which shall have due regard for the interests of the several states of the country; charges President Harrison with lowering the standard of the civil service by making appointments to subserve private and family ends; favors permission being given to actual settlers to cut timber on the public domain; thanks the Democratic majority in congress for its persistent and successful efforts to obtain the admission of Montana and other territories, and directs attention to the opposition which the Republicans of the legislature made to admission. It also calls upon Secretary Windom to rule upon the question of admission of lead ore free of duty. The spirit of the convention was entirely harmonious.

A WALKOVER FOR MELLETTE

He Will be Nominated for Governor of South Dakota by Acclamation.

Special to the Globe

HURON, S. D., Aug. 27.—All the delegates to the Republican state convention to be held to-morrow are here. The Black Hills' delegates, with Judge Moody and Judge Carson arrived in a special coach this afternoon. They represent forty-nine votes for Mellette, Moody and Carson. Much caucaussing was done this afternoon. Prohibitionists in council agreed on a resolution favoring constitutional prohibition, which will be presented to the convention to-morrow. Delegates who are members of the farmers alliance, in caucus late this afternoon agreed to support A. L. Vanasdel, of Yankton, for lieutenant-governor. Until this meeting, J. F. Patten, of Carthage, was in the lead, but on his refusal to allow his name to be used except at the head of the ticket, the farmers went back on him and rushed to Vanasdel. But the will not be supported by the Prohibitionists because of his having voted in favor of two high license laws, while a member of the legislature, which became laws. The Scandinavian caucus endorsed A. O. Ringsrud, of Lake county, for secretary of state, while, with the Farmers' alliance, they favor Maj. Pickler, for congress, whose nomination seems assured. Gifford and Gamble are in the race for congress, with Gamble somewhat in the lead. The Mellette caucus this evening polled 444 votes for him for governor, all but four, who were absent, of the entire vote of the convention. A caucus will be held at 7 o'clock to-morrow morning to decide on a temporary chairman. Col. Smedley, of Grant county, is likely to be named. A Republican state league was organized this afternoon by electing Col. Foster, of Frankfort, president; C. F. Hackett, of Parker, secretary; Frank J. Washabaugh, of Deadwood, vice president; E. S. Orr, of Bangor, H. C. Sessions, of Columbia; D. F. Rayer, of Alpena, an executive committee, with one from each county. The convention will meet at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

Charged With Stealing Letters.

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 27.—Yesterday a United States detective arrested Joseph Breze, son of a prominent local hotel manager, on the charge of taking letters from the Madison postoffice. Much money, railway tickets, drafts, etc., have been missed, and some suspicious fragments were found in Breze's house. He has been held for trial in $1,000 bonds. He was a letter carrier here for several years, and thus secured free access to the working part of the postoffice.

LAID TO REST.

Funeral of the Late Judge Levi M. Vilas.

Special to the Globe.

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 27.—At 2 o'clock this afternoon the last sad and impressive funeral services over the remains of the late Hon. Levi M. Vilas, district judge of the second judicial district of Minnesota, were solemnized at the residence of his mother, Mrs. Levi B. Vilas, Langdon and Henry streets, in this city, Rev. Dr. Durlin, of the Episcopal church, officiating. The friends and former associates of the dead jurist were gathered about his bier to a large number. Fame and distinction, position and station, all paid tribute to the beloved man who had lived in Madison as a boy, who grew with it into the respect and esteem of its people, and who returned but a few few months ago to the city of his childhood to lay down the wand of his already brilliant and now promising career, and found a sad peace and resting beside the tomb of his father, the late Hon. Levi B. Vilas, and that of his deceased brother and sister, Henry Vilas and Esther Vilas. The floral offerings were numerous, rich and beautiful, and the casket containing his remains lay buried in a bower of floral sentiment. Early this morning the delegation of the Ramsey County Bar association arrived, represented in the persons of Judges Kerr and Brill, Gen. J. B. Sanborn, John W. Willis, County Attorney J. J. Egan, James W. Lusk, B. W. Amstrong, James M. Hutchinson, S. L. Perrin and the two former law pupils of the deceased, John B. Fleming and Henry W. Wack. These were met at the depot by Dr. Charles H. Vilas, of Chicago, and escorted to a

PLACE OF CONVENIENT MEETING.

The Madison bar turned out in a body and attended the cortege to the grave. A large contingent from Chicago and Eastern cities, as well as many friends from Eau Claire paid a last visit to the Vilas home and viewed the remains of the widely lamented jurist. The pall bearers were Judge J. B. Cassidy, of the supreme court of Wisconsin; Judge Romanzo Bunn, of the United States court; Judge Ed. E. Bryant, Hon. J. C. Gregory and Col. George W. Bird, of Madison; Peter Baldy, Judges Bull and Kerr, Hon. J. W. Lusk and Dr. D. W. Day, of St. Paul. Hon. William F. Vilas, late secretary of the interior, arrived shortly after his brother's death last Sunday morning, and made whole the immediate family, which anxiously watched the life tide ebb from the flesh of its member. Besides him all the family were present, composed of Hon. William F. Vilas, Edward P. Vilas, of Milwaukee; Dr. A. F. Vilas, of Chicago; Mrs. Levi B. Vilas, mother of the deceased, and Mrs. Levi M. Vilas and four daughters, Jessie, Elizabeth, Kate and Margaret. As the long train of carriages wound its way to Forest Hill cemetery, the concourse was augmented by voluntary escort from the citizens of Madison. The entire city is in mourning, and many places of business and the places of court and capitol were deserted. The grief-stricken community is but too sensible to the loss it has sustained in an untimely dissolution of a life so noble, so conspicuously grand and so honored.

SPRINGER MAKES A SPEECH.

The Illinois Congressman Given a Reception at Jamestown.

Special to the Globe.

JAMESTOWN, Dak., Aug. 27.—Congressman Springer, of Illinois, arrived here this afternoon, and was serenaded and given a reception to-night. He made a short speech, in which he said his mission was not a political one. That he was not here to claim any particular credit for the passage of the omnibus bill, and advised the people by all means to ratify the constitution. Mr. Springer's efforts, coupled with those of ex-Gov. Ordway, in securing the admission of North Dakota into the Union at the same time and on the same terms as South Dakota are well known, and he was applauded throughout his speech. He goes to Bismarck to-morrow, and will be at Fargo Thursday.

SPRINGER AT FARGO.

Special to the Globe.

FARGO, N. D., Aug. 27.—Hon. William Springer arrived in the city this morning and was entertained by the Democratic committee at breakfast. He left in the afternoon for Jamestown and Bismarck, and will return here Thursday morning in time to meet the delegates to the convention. His stay in Fargo will not be limited, and the citizens will no doubt do themselves honor by giving him a grand reception. Another enthusiastic meeting of the local Democracy was held this evening, and further arrangements completed for the reception of delegates. No indications of who will be the standard bearers has yet been developed. The universal expression is, "let every delegate have his say." The Millerites are beginning to smell a mouse. Both Miller and Ordway spent the day here.

BISMARCKERS WILL CELEBRATE.

Special to the Globe.

BISMARCK, N. D., Aug. 27.—Congressman Springer, of Illinois, will be here tomorrow, and the Democrats are preparing to receive him with open arms. Inasmuch as he was chairman of the committee on territories, and was the most conspicuous among those interested in his famous omnibus bill, under which the territories are taking on statehood, he is a drawing card in North Dakota. He will be invited to address a meeting on the issues to-morrow evening. He will return to Fargo to-morrow night to be present during the meeting of the state convention.

BURNED TO A CRISP.

A Two-Year-Old Boy Cremated at Lake Benton.

Special to the Globe.

LAKE BENTON, Minn., Aug. 27.—On Friday evening, Aug. 23, the house of Lem Marcellus, situated seven miles north of Lake Benton, was burned, and his boy two-and one-half years old, was consumed in the flames. The boy, tired of play, was asleep on the bed Mrs. Marcellus built the fire for supper and went to the well for water. When she returned to the house she could not enter the door, the smoke and fire so filled the room. She broke the window to the bed room and entered, but in the smoke and fire could not find the boy. She was badly burned. In ten minutes their home was in ruins. When help came they dug in the ruins for the child, bringing out only the trunk. The head and extremities being burned to a crisp. Loss on house and clothing about $500, partially insured.

KICKED TO DEATH.

Shocking Death of Postmaster Kidder, of Farm Hill.

Special to the Globe.

ROCHESTER, Minn., Aug. 27.—Asa Kidder, a well-known resident of this county, was kicked by a horse yesterday that he was driving to a road cart and almost instantly killed. The deceased has lived in Olmsted county for thirty-three years, and has been postmaster at Farm Hill, this county, for the past twelve years.

WATERED THE STOCK

The Late Editor of the Chicago Times Charged With Crookedness.

He Is Alleged to Have Made an Over Issue of Stock.

Four Men Killed and Two Fatally Injured by a Boiler Explosion.

Fire Causes a Panic Among Convicts at Columbus and Does Great Damage.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—H. J. Huiskamp, one of the proprietors of the Times, procured warrants this afternoon for James J. West and his secretary, Charles E. Graham. He charges them with illegally issuing 1,000 shares of stock of the Times company. Shortly afterward, when the board of directors of the Times were in session in the Times building, Mr. West and W. A. Paton, a former director, appeared and presented a writ of injunction issued to-day by Judge Jamieson, restraining the present board of directors from acting as such. At about the same time Mr. Graham, Mr. West's private secretary, appeared, and the constables, with the warrants for their arrest, having also put in an appearance, Messrs. West and Graham were taken into custody. Joseph R. Dunlop, editor of the Times, and a member of the board of directors, when asked about the matter, after Mr. West had left the building in company with the constables, said:

"The board of directors were in session when Mr Patton, a former member of the board appeared. Mr. Patton had resigned and his resignation had been accepted, and he had no right there, but, as a matter of courtesy, he was admitted. Once inside the room he produced the injunction issued by Judge Jamieson. Mr. Graham, the private secretary of Mr. West, then tried to force his way in, and was promptly arrested on the charge of assisting in the issue of fraudulent stock. You can rest assured that the Times will remain in charge of its present managers, and that there will be no change. This whole thing is a rank bluff, and it won't work."

Previous to the issuance of the warrant Mr. Dunlop said to a reporter:

"Yes, we have come to the conclusion that Mr. West must be arrested. There are a dozen charges of criminal misappropriation of funds of the Times on which we can prosecute West, but that of an overissue of stock will be the only one presented. Mr. West has been trying to injure in every way the standing of the Times, and because of this we determined to do something radical. Mr. West has not a cent's worth of interest in the Times, and the only connection he has with the paper is that his signature is required to some papers before everything is absolutely the property of the Chicago Times company. Mr. West has refused to sign these papers, and has been holding off for an offer from us, which he will not get."

"Did Mr. West get the money for the overissued stock which he sold?"

"He did, and more, too. He sold about everything he could lay his hands on and mortgaged his Kenwood residence twice over. The money he borrowed on the second mortgage he secured from Hon. Irwin, and urged that the mortgage be not recorded, as it would injure his business standing. We have proof that Mr. West's debts are almost $250,000."

The text of the warrant for West's arrest is as follows:

State of Illinois, Cook county, ss. The complaint and information of H. S. Huiskamp, of the city of Fort Madison, county of Lee, state of Iowa, who is president of the Chicago Times company, made before the Hon. D. J. Lyon, one of the justices of the peace in and for said county, on the 27th day of August, 1889, who, being duly sworn upon his oath, says that one James J. West did on, to wit, the 1st day of June, 1889, he, the said James J. West, being then and there the president of the Chicago Times company, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the state of Illinois, knowingly and designedly, and with the intent to defraud the Chicago Times company, issued, sold, transferred and pledged, to wit, one thousand (1,000) false, fraudulent and simulated certificates or shares of the capital stock of the Chicago Times company, a corporation as aforesaid, and did willfully and designedly sign as such president, with intent to issue and pledge the same, to wit: One thousand shares of the said The Chicago Times company, a corporation as aforesaid, the same being in excess of the authorized capital stock of the said Chicago Times company, a corporation as aforesaid; that this complainant has just and reasonable grounds to believe, and does believe, that the said James J. West committed said offense, and therefore prays that he may be arrested and dealt with according to law.

H. J. HUISKAMP.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of August, 1889.

D. J. LYON.
Justice of the Peace.

The affidavit upon which the warrant for Secretary Graham's arrest was issued was identical to the above.

Justice Lyon held Mr. West and Mr. Graham to await the action of the grand jury, fixing bail for each at $10,000. H. Hart, of H. Hart & Co., and George H. Taylor, signed the bonds, and the prisoners were released.

SCALDED AND CRUSHED.

Five Persons Killed and Two Fatally Injured by a Boiler Explosion.

SCRANTON, Pa., Aug. 27.—The rolling mill and nail factory at Towanda, Bradford county, operated by Bostley, Godcharles & Co., was partially wrecked this afternoon at 5 o'clock by the explosion of a boiler, the disaster resulting in instant death of five men and fatal injury of two others, and slight injury of a dozen other workmen. The dead are:

SANFORD B. SMITH, puddler, married.
RICHARD ACKERLY, puddler, married.
JOHN BOSTWICK, roller, married.
GUY HERMAN, helper, married.
ISAAC BANDFORD, helper, single.

The fatally injured are:

CHARLES ZEBICH, terribly burned by molten metal.

JAMES RIDER, both legs broken and internal injuries.

The force of the explosion was terrific, lifting the entire roof off the southern portion of the mill, tearing away the rafters and girders, allowing the whole mass to crush into the mill upon the terrified force of workmen who were scattering in every direction and crouching behind all kinds of obstacles to escape the fury of the hissing steam which was filling the structure from the nest of boilers that were displaced and broken in their steam connections by the exploding boiler, pieces of which were hurled through the mill. The larger portion of the bursted boiler was carried through the side of the mill, landing away in a mass of scrap iron fully 150 feet. The explosion's awful sound was heard all through the town, and great crowds of the inhabitants rushed to the mill to learn its effect. Workmen were soon marshaled by Richard A. Bostley and Simon Rendall, members of the firm, and they speedily removed the debris and released the men who were buried in it and also recovering the bodies of the killed, some of whom were badly mangled and scalded.

BIG BLAZE IN A PRISON.

Fire Does $150,000 Damage at the Columbus Penitentiary.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 37.—Fire started at 7:30 this evening in the chair factory in the penitentiary, owned by J. W. Bann. The flames spread with great rapidity and the large building was soon destroyed. The fire spread to C. C. Corner's cooper shop, and H. A. Lanman's buckle shop. These too, were totally destroyed. The loss to the state will be about $5,000 and to the owners about $100,000. The fire is still burning but is under control. Several persons were seriously injured by the explosion of an oil tank, Thomas Kearns, fireman, probably fatally.

CONSTERNATION AMONG CONNICTS.

The scenes at the penitentiary were exciting. The prisoners were locked in their cells, but lights had not been put out, and the greatest consternation prevailed. Thousands of people assembled outside the walls and watched the conflagration. The greatest excitement prevailed also among those working inside the walls. Adjoining the chair factory was the gas works which supply all the state buildings with gas The gasometer containing many cubic feet of gas was scorched by the flames, and an explosion was momentarily expected, but fortunately averted. The fire was under control at 9 o'clock. Thomas F. Kerin, assistant superintendent of fire alarm; George Snydam, city fireman and Daniel C. Sheridan, a member of the prison fire department, were in the warehouse when the roof fell in. The men were rescued promptly, Kerin and Snydam sustained slight injuries. Sheridan did not fare so well. He had a gash eight inches long cut in his head and back and left arm injured. He will probably recover. Sheridan is a Hamilty county prisoner. The factory, occupied by the Columbus Chair company, was a two-story brick building 50x130 feet, and was valued at about $5,000. The loss of the Columbus Chair company is about $15,000, on which there is $8,000 insurance. I. N. Dann, of New Haven, Conn., is president of the company. About $4,000 worth of machinery in this factory belonged to the J. W. Dann Manufacturing company, on which there is about $2,000 insurance. The company employed

ABOUT SEVENTY-FIVE PRISONERS.

The factory occupied by the Columbus Bolt works was a three-story brick building, about 150x50 feet and cost $12,000. The lost to the Columbus Bolt works is about $40,000, on which there is about $20,000 insurance. Alfred Thomas is president of the company. They employed about 100 prisoners. The warehouse, formerly used as a cooper shop, was a one-story brick structure, 225x30 feet, and cost about $2,000. About 20,000 gross of brushes belonging to the Oorner Brush company, which recently began operations at the prison, were destroyed, with the building, the loss amounting to about $10,000 on which there is no insurance. The Brown-Hinman company, Columbia Chair company, and Columbus bolt works also had material valued at from $5,000 to $10,000 stored in the building. The total loss will aggregate about $95,000; of this loss about $20,000 is on the buildings, which were owned by the state and on which there was no insurance. The factories will probably be rebuilt and operations resumed as soon as possible.

MOTHER EARTH MOVES.

Severe Earthquake Shock in California.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 27.—A sharp shock of earthquake occurred here at 6:13 this evening. It began with a slight tremor, which lasted a few seconds, then the vibrations grew stronger, and ended with two heavy shakes. The entire duration of the disturbance was about ten seconds. Clocks stopped and the ceilings cracked. So far as now known, no other damage was done. The shock was the most severe experienced here in many years.

PASADENA, Cal., Aug. 27.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here this afternoon, lasting about five seconds. It began at 6:20 p. m.

A SHOCK IN RUSSIA.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—An earthquake was experienced on the Russian frontier yesterday. In the village of Khenzorik 129 persons were buried alive.

PURSUED BY A MOB.

A Fight in Porkopolis Nearly Leads to a Riot.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 27.—A fight took place in the lower part of this city today that almost resulted in a riot. Frank Jones, a negro employed in a gang engaged in improving the streets, was discharged two days ago. This morning he came down to where the men were at work and attacked Thomas Gannon, a laborer whom he suspected of having caused his discharge, and stabbed him, inflicting a dangerous wound. The working gang pursued Jones, who was forced to take refuge in an engine house, where he was arrested. Meanwhile, a large crowd of negroes had gathered and were attempting to rescue Jones, while the laborers wanted to revenge Gannon. The police, however, held the mob in check until Jones was safely jailed.

SMITH WAS SLUGGED.

A Prominent Empire Statesman Found on the Highway Unconscious.

UTICA, N. Y., Aug. 27.—S. Mason Smith, a prominent Democratic politician of Oneida county, was found lying in the road near his home in Lee Center yesterday morning. He was in an unconscious condition under the wreck of the vehicle in which he had driven from Rome the night before. There was a bruise on his face, but no other marks of violence. One theory is that he was taken with an apopletic fit, while others think he was a victim of foul play. He died this afternoon. He was a member of the Democratic state committee.

AT A ROPE'S END.

Two Negroes Seen Hanging to Trees in Alabama.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 27.—Trainmen on the Alabama Great Southern railroad train arriving here at 8:30 tonight, report that they saw the bodies of two negroes hanging on trees near Meridian. The train men were told in Meridian that two of the editors of the incendiary negro organ, the Independent, who were driven out of Selma last week, were caught last night, and it is supposed that they were lynched. No particulars were obtainable.

A Tale of the Ocean.

OCEAN CITY, Md., 27.—"Lost Aug. 14, John Davidson, of the schooner Ellen Harbuck. Please inform 314 East Eighteenth street, New York." This was written on a piece of paper found one mile north of Ocean City on Aug. 27, at 9 a. m., in a sealed bottle. Pieces of charred wreckage are coming ashore.

BERLIN, Aug. 27.—A royal order which has just been issued sanctions the creation in Jerusalem of an evangelical establishment with corporate rights. The object of the new body is to preserve existing evangelical institutions, and add to their number.

MANVEL'S NEW MOVE

The Manitoba's General Manager to Be President of the Santa Fe.

President Strong Forced Out by the Brokers for the Bondholders.

Mr. Manvel Has the Confidence of Baring Bros. and the Bostonese.

However, He Says the Report of His Promotion Is a Lie.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—The reorganization of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway company to-day assumed definite shape. President W. B. Strong retires and will be succeeded by Allen Manvel, now the first vice president of the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba road. George C. Magoun, chairman of the Santa Fe board of directors, and William Libby, a member of this body, were some time ago appointed a committee on reorganization, and these gentlemen completed their labors today. Mr. Magoun was seen by a reporter this evening, and talked freely in regard to their conclusions. "You can state," said Chairman Magoun, "that the resignation of President William B. Strong will be accepted at the meeting of the board of directors in Boston on Sept. 6, and that he will be succeeded by Allen Manvel, who is at present first vice president of the Manitoba road. Mr. Manvel will assume his office in this city on Monday, Sept. 9.

"What other changes have you determined upon?"

"No others will be decided upon until after that date. There are now first, second and third vice presidents, and the incumbency of these positions will be considered and settled with the advent of the new president. The first vice president's position has been vacant for some time by the resignation of C. W. Smith."

"It is stated that you have decided to liquidate all indebtedness by assuming a blanket mortgage to cover the whole system?"

"I wish to state, in regard to that matter, that no funding scheme has yet been determined upon at all, and will not be for some time. The present control have looked forward to largely increased earnings with a view of ascertaining the proper basis for action. The construction of the new lines was practically not completed until a late date, so that really no opportunity has been presented of determining just exactly what the property, as an entirety, can do. And until such demonstration is made, which, of course, will be largely contingent upon crops to be moved during the season, no policy with regard to the funded debt will be determined upon. You can state that the matter is simply held in abeyance."

"Have you anything to say in regard to President Strong's management or mismanagement of the affairs of the company?"

"I would prefer to say nothing upon that point. There is really no occasion to make any statements in regard to President Strong's management or the causes of his retirement."

"Has your committee come to any conclusion as to the rumor of deals and collusions in the matter of State street real estate when the Santa Fe under Gen. Strong's incumbency was fighting for entrance into Chicago?"

"I would prefer to make no statement in regard to those rumors. I will say, however, that the property the company has secured in Chicago is all very valuable. It is in the section of the city in the direction of which the large retail business of Chicago is growing, and it will necessarily increase in value."

"Has Mr. Manvel ever been connected with the Santa Fe System?"

"He has not, but he is a railroad man of known ability. He was, however, at one time connected with the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, and is well known. He stands high as a railroad manager, and has the confidence of the Santa Fe owners in the East. So his coming here will naturally add a great deal to the strength and management of the organization."

It is stated upon good authority that the resignation of A. C. Armstrong, purchasing agent of the Santa Fe system, will also be accepted on Sept. 6. While Mr. Magoun did not deny that this would be done, he asked to be excused from any expression on the subject of Mr. Armstrong's retirement. President Strong was seen this afternoon in his room at the Grand Pacific hotel. He admitted without hesitation that he had resigned.

"I have been contemplating this step for some little time," he said. I asked to be relieved July 13, but the board of directors took no action on my request. My formal resignation was tendered Aug. 16, to take effect Sept. 6. I shall probably remain until Sept. 8, as my successor will not be ready to take charge of affairs until that date."

"Who is to be your successor?"

"Allen Manvel, who is now first vice president and general manager of the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba road. He is the choice of the directors, and has accepted the position."

Mr. Strong declined to discuss the relations between himself and the new board of directors of the Atchison. He said it was a matter of no public interest whether his views were in harmony with those of the board or not, and he thought it was enough to know that he had resigned. He also declined to answer the question as to whether his resignation was voluntary or not.

SAYS IT'S A LIE.

Mr. Manvel Repudiates the Report of His Promotion.

Mr. Manvel was seen last night at 10 o'clock by a GLOBE representative at the residence of H. P. Upham, 209 East Ninth street. In response to a statement that the GLOBE was in receipt of Chicago dispatches announcing that he was to be the future president of the Santa Fe road, and that his resignation as first vice president of the Manitoba had been tendered, Mr. Manvel said:

"That's a lie."

"Do you know where or how the story originated, presuming it to be untrue?" was asked.

"I know nothing about it, sir. I have nothing to say on the subject whatever, except that I deny the statement in the dispatch you mention, and repeat that the whole thing is a lie."

"Have you no idea what could have given rise to such a statement?"

"I have nothing at all further to say on the subject. I deny the story, and that is the whole thing in a nutshell. I have nothing urther to say."

Did Nothing but Talk.

CHICAGO, Aug. 27.—A meeting of the Trans-Missouri association was held today for the purpose of agreeing upon a basis of through rates between Chicago and points in Kansas and Nebraska to correspond with the sum of the two locals from Chicago to the Missouri river and from the river to points beyond. The present arrangement is alleged to discriminate in favor of Chicago and as against Missouri river jobbers. Nothing was done at to-day's meeting beyond a general discussion. Another meeting will be held to-morrow.

Refuses to Resign.

NEW YORK, Aug. 27.—President Shaw, of the Hocking Valley Railroad company, has refused to resign, as requested to do to-day by the board of directors.

Tie and Track.

President Hill, of the Manitoba, will arrive home from Montana to-day. It is thought in some circles that P. P. Shelby, formerly of the Montana Central, will accompany him and will shortly take a position in the general offices here. Nothing is known by the offices, however, of any such intention, and all that has been said with regard to Mr. Shelby's future position with the road is mere conjecture.

A large number of veterans went to Columbus last evening over the Milwaukee road. The Dakota department was included among the number. The special was in charge of W. H. Dixon, assistant general passenger agent of the road.

Harry Lucas went to Chicago last night to assume the position of city passenger agent of the Baltimore & Ohio. His successor as traveling passenger agent has yet to be named.

J. A. Mannheim, of the Burlington's Duluth office has returned home after spending a couple of days in St. Paul.

Western Superintendent Kies and General Manager Ball, of the Empire line, were in St. Paul yesterday.

Rates of $14.30, based upon the $9.70 Milwaukee rate, are now being made by all Chicago lines.

J. E. Osborne, depot ticket agent for the Omaha at Sioux City, is in town.

HE IS A DEMOCRAT.

But He Had Done Well and Will Be Elected Under the New State.

Special to the Globe.

PEMBINA, N. D., Aug. 27.—Henry D. Borden, the present clerk of the district court for Pembina county, was nominated at the Democratic county convention at Hamilton, this county, on Saturday as the first Democratic nominee for that office, to be elected under our state government at the October election next. The nomination of Mr. Borden for clerk at this time is a very complimentary testimonial to the fitness, ability and recognized Democracy of the nominee. Mr. Borden, though a young man, is a Democrat of sterling worth, always has been found on the side of Democracy (as were his parents before him); never the tool of any clique or faction of that party, but on the contrary an open, candid, intelligent supporter of the principles and candidates of his party. As clerk of the district court for two years past, appointed by Judge William McConnell, he has filled the office with admirable fitness and ability. Being conversant with all territorial laws and a member of the legal fraternity, he brought to the office at the outset a knowledge of law and business that is absolutely necessary for the proper management and an efficient discharge of all the duties in connection with that position. Then, too, his superior penmanship and mastery of details in routine office work have combined very largely in securing for Mr. Borden this most fitting recognition at the hands of his party. His election by a good majority is already predicted.

MONEY TALKS.

Eastern Capitalists Negotiating for the Purchase of the Superior Lumber Company.

Special to the Globe.

ASHLAND, Wis., Aug. 26.—Eastern capitalists are negotiating to secure the controlling interest in the Superior Lumber company, the biggest institution of the kind in the state, and they probably will soon close the bargain. The capital stock will be increased to $600,000 and big improvements made. Col. W. F. Vilas' stock will be purchased by a new man. Col. Knight retires from the management, but retains his monetary interest.

Heard at Hastings.

Special to the Globe.

HASTINGS, Minn., Aug. 27.—No inquest was held over the dead man found in the river yesterday afternoon, Coroner Cadzon deeming it unnecessary. No marks of violence were discovered upon his person, or nothing to indicate what his name was, though it is supposed he was a steamboat hand.—Confirmation services will be held at the church of the Guardian Angel next Sunday morning.—Nicholas Stein was fined $5 and costs by Justice Johnson to-day, for keeping his saloon open on Sunday. —Herman Piel has been granted a pension of $4 a month, dating from February, 1889. He belonged to Co. B, Fourth Wisconsin cavalry.—The Stewart Concert composed of colored ladies and gentlemen, will appear at Opera hall on Thursday evening.—Robert A. Grimes and Miss Viola A. Niskern, of Farmington, were licensed to wed to-day.

Northwestern Inventors.

Special to the Globe.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The following patents were granted to Minnesota inventors, reported by Paul & Merwin, patent lawyers: Minnesota: Utilizing heat for boilers, Frank H. G. Butts, Minneapolis; riveting machine, Abraham Diged, Granite Falls; toy building blocks, Adolph F. O. Garuen, Minneapolis; grate for refuse burners, John C. Kelcher, New Richmond; motor, Henry Keller, Sauk Center; chimney cowl, Charles B. Loveless, Worthington; barrel cover, Joseph Moosbrugger, St. Paul; grease and oil separator, Edward H. Murphy, St. Paul; constructing car wheels, James Rigby, Minneapolis; charcoal apparatus, Jacob Scherffins, Winona; corn cutting knife, James P. Wood, Faribault. Dakota: Band cutter, William H. Alston, Buffalo; harvester attachment, Edward Hout, Blunt.

Red Wing School Marms.

Special to the Globe.

RED WING, Aug. 27.—The board of education has completed the corps of public school teachers by re-electing Misses Grace M. Harlow and Florence King to the existing vacancies. The schools will open Monday next, with Prof. A. W. Rankin as superintendant and Prof. Zenos N. Vaughn as principal of the high school.

Governor's Day at Red Wing.

Special to the Globe.

REDWING, Aug. 27.—Thursday, Sept. 19, has been designated as governor's day at the annual fair of the Goodhue County Agricultural society, to be held at Zumbrota. Gov. Merriam will be present all that day and deliver an address.

Normal School Anniversary.

Special to the Globe

WINONA, Minn., Aug. 27.—The quarter centennial of the state normal school was celebrated to-day with about 200 of the alumni present. A business meeting was held this afternoon and a social reception this evening.

Wheat From the Hill Farm.

Special to the Globe.

ST. VINCENT, Minn., Aug. 27.—Capt. Donaldson, manager of Hon. James J. Hill's farm here, shipped to-day 1,300 bushels of No. hard wheat. It is the first shipment of new wheat over this division.

DEMPSEY DEFEATED.

The Famous Nonpareil Is Compelled to Surrender to the Marine.

Two Thousand Persons Witness the Great Battle in San Francisco.

Dempsey Had the Best of It Almost to the End.

In the Thirty-Second Round He Was Squarely Knocked Out.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 27.—In point of popular interest the fight between Jack Dempsey and George Le Blanche, which occurred under the auspices of the California Athletic club to-night, eclipsed all similar contests ever held in this city. There was no better evidence of this than the great crowd which commenced to collect at the club room as early as 6:30 o'clock, and insisted on admission with more or less impatience until the two pugilists appeared in the ring. It was anticipated some time ago that the old gymnasium, which has been used by the club for more than a year past, would be totally inadequate for the present contest, so another room, used as a drill hall by one of the national guard regiments, was fitted up for the purpose. The ring was pitched on a platform in the center of the room, and high tiers of seats were arranged on every side, besides which a spacious gallery at one end of the hall added to the accommodations. There were probably 2,000 persons who wanted to and could not witness the fight between the middleweights, besides those who were fortunate enough to get an admission to the hall. The streets outside were crowded with men and boys eager to catch the slightest word from within in regard to the

PROGRESS OF THE FIGHT.

The police department of the city was represented by a few men, but there was no attempt on their part to stop the proceedings. Hiram Cook, of this city, who has acted as referee in the California club contests for several years past, occupied the same position to-night. Dempsey's seconds were Denny Costigan and Dave Campbell, and Le Blanche's seconds were John Donaldson and Paddy Gorman. Betting for several days past has been in Dempsey's favor, usual odds being $100 to $75. Both principals showed marks of careful training when they entered the ring to-night. More than an hour was occupied in preliminary settlings between local pugilists, and it was nearly 9:30 o'clock when the two men appeared. They came out of the ante-room and jumped over the ropes within a moment of each other. Both were given a most enthusiastic reception, and cheer after cheer was given. It was some little time before order could be restored. The master of ceremonies announced that the contest was not for the middle-weight championship, as Le Blanche weighed 161 pounds and Dempsey 151 pounds. The few preliminaries were arranged as speedily as possible. After the usual hand-shake, time was called at 9:35.

Round One—The men sparred cautiously for a moment, when Le Blanche led with his right, but Dempsey avoided the blow by jumping back. Le Blanche again led and caught Dempsey lightly on the wind. A clinch followed. This was reapeated as the round closed.

Round Two—Dempsey opened with a short blow on the Marine's chest. A clinch followed, during which Le Blanche caught Dempsey in the side. As soon as they broke Dempsey landed a good right-hander on the Marine's jaw. A short clinch followed, and the Marine slipped to the floor. The round closed with some light in-fighting.

Round Three—Dempsey reached the Marine's neck, and received a hard one in the breast in return. In half a minute Dempsey landed a hard one on Le Blanche's chin, which caused the latter to stagger a little. Several lunges were made by each man, but no harm was done.

Round Four—Dempsey backed from Le Blanche, and then got in two light blows on the latter's head. During a clinch, which followed Dempsey came near going to the floor. A moment before the round closed Dempsey again landed on the Marine's chin, and the latter responded with a vicious rush, forcing Dempsey against the ropes.

Round Five—The men clinched and the Marine threw the Nonpareil to the floor amid a mingled storm of hisses and applause. Some sharp fighting at close range followed, in which neither had the advantage. The Marine struck Dempsey a smart blow on the forehead as the round closed.

Round Six—At the opening of this round the Marine, amid a storm of hisses, lifted Dempsey on his hip and tried to throw him to the floor. La Blanche followed this with several rushes, but accomplished but little. Loud cries of foul were heard on every side, and great confusion ensued, but the referee would not allow the claim.

Round Seven—Le Blanche made a vicious lunge, and landed lightly on Dempsey's jaw. He followed this up quickly, and caught Dempsey two or three times in the same spot just before the round closed. Dempsey responded with two heavy left-handers on Le Blanche's chin.

Round Eight—Dempsey landed with much force on the Marine's ear, which he repeated in the next minute. A clinch followed, and as the men broke away Le Blanche struck Dempsey a stinging blow on the jaw which staggered the latter. Loud cries of foul were heard, but the claim was not allowed. Some spirited fighting at close quarters completed the round.

Round Nine—Le Blanche opened with a rush and clinched with the Nonpareil and then threw him heavily to the ground. Another cry of foul was raised but was not allowed. Dempsey next gave the Marine a sharp upper-cut, but the latter caught Demp