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BLASTED BY BOILERS.

Four Men Killed and Mangled by an Bursted Boiler Near St. Louis.

Two Others Will Die as a Result of Fearful Injuries Sustained.

Mill Boilers Explode and Do Horrifying Execution in Michigan.

Seven Workmen Mutilated and Dead at the Scene of the Wreck.

St. Louis, March 21.-Four men were rilled, two fatally injured and three slightly injured this afternoon by the explosion of a boiler at the Laclede Firebrick works, Cheltenham. Following is the list of victims: Killed-Joseph Beckley, brick layers' apprentice; John Bubuchy, machinist; Reinold Deidecke, pan feeder; Larry Hessy, molder. Injured-Frank Seger, fireman, fatally: George Inman, fatally; John Cellert, engineer, slightly; James Summerfield,

laborer, slightly. The explosion occurred in the main were located at the south side of the building and covered by a shed. But one of the boilers exploded. Seven men were at work on the roof of the shed repairing the whistle at the time. The boiler divided in half, and onehalf was carried clean over the main building and landed on the road on the opposite side of the street. The other opposite side of the sites, half of the boiler was carried ten or twelve feet. Frank Seger, the fireman, was blown into a creek thirty feet discovered the sites of the sites tant, and was fished out some moments later. He was badly burned and scalded, but still alive. The four men who were killed were

All Terribly Mangled

Seger was taken to the city hospital, and the other injured were also brought to St. Louis. The noise of the explosion attracted people for miles, and so many gathered at the works that the police had difficulty keeping the crowd back, and the works had to be shut down for the day. The shock was felt for blocks away, while the report could be heard for miles. For a minute or two after the accident a mass of escaping steam, smoke and dust obscured everything from view. When it had cleared away it was seen what awful cleared away it was seen what awful ruin the explosion had wrought. The workmen in the building rushed over to the spot where the boiler had stood as soon as they recovered from their fright, which for a few moments completely unnerved them. They took in the situation in a moment, and lost no time in rushing over to the wreck to learn whether any one had suffered by the accident, and to do what they could for them. As they approached the spot the cries of the men pinioned in the wreck informed them that their fears founded. Men set to work with a vim to rescue those in the wreck. As soon as the officers of the company learned of it they dispatched two ambulances and physicians to the scene to do what they ild toward relieving the sufferings of

Bead Awfully Mangled. The boiler house was completely wrecked, the five uninjured boilers being unscaled and piled in a heap. Fire started in the ruins, but was put out before the flames reached the bodies of the dead and wounded, and they were gotten out after much effort, mangled only by the explosion, but by that in a terrible manner. Beckley and Dubuchy were blown high in the air, while Die-doke's body was found on the third floor of the clay-mixing building, havfloor of the clay-mixing building, having fallen from so great a height as to break a hole in the roof, passing through to the floor below it. Every bone in the body was broken and the head and face crushed beyond recognition. Dubuchy, who was assistant engineer, was blown high in the air, and teil on the roof of the generating house a quivering, trembling mass of blood, flesh and bones. Beckley landed on the roof of the main building also horribly crushed. All three of also horribly crushed. All three of these men were undoubtedly blown at least 100 feet in the air, and falling struck so heavily as to mash them out of all semblance to human shape. They never knew what killed them.

Hussey was found in the ruins of the boiler house crushed between the un-sealed boilers. He lived but a few minutes after he was found, but never spoke. All four of the dead were so horribly scalded that the flesh peeled off wherever touched. The wounded men were at work in the immediate vicinity of the exploding boiler, and were wounded by flying debris, by steam, and by the force of the explosion itself, which hurled them a hundred feet away, one, Inman, being blown across the River des Peres. The pecumary loss to the company is \$20,000 to

SEVEN MEN KILLED.

Saw Mill Beiler Explodes and

Spreads Ruin. CHARLEVOIX, Mich., March 21. - A terrible explosion took place at East Jordan, this county, at an early hour this morning. The big mill of the East Jordan Lumber company was torn to atoms, six men killed and several others fatally injured by the explosion of the boilers. The mill had been running but minutes when there was an awful shock and the roof and all but one end of the mill was rent asunder. The inside of the big building is a complete wreck. The noise of the explosion was heard at this place, fourteen miles distant, and several carloads of people and a physician started at once for the scene of the

The six men who were killed outright or died in a few minutes are: Arbutus Cook, Will Beach, Simon Carney, J. C. Brown. Peter Sheldon, Murray Hunt. A. Christy, the head sawer, who was stationed directly over the boiler, was horribly mangled and has since died; S. Pearson, who ran the engine and was only a few feet from Christy, escaped withing the control of the engineer who has only a rew reet from Christy, escaped uninjured. The engineer, who has charge of both mills, was John Potter. He had gone to breakfast, leaving the fireman, John Ringle, in charge. Ringle was in the engine room at the moment of the explosion, and is dangerously injured to much so to be interviewed as jured, too much so to be interviewed as to the cause of the explosion. The other injured men are James Smith, Sandy Reinhart and Charles Brown, all whom are in a critical condition.
It is impossible to say what caused the explosion. Pearson, the only man

last week, and it is said he told the pro last week, and it is said he told the pro-prietors that he was hardly satisfied with the job, but, owing to the peculiar situation, could not get at the work to hx it as he desired. Several men were working in the yard, and the smoke-stack fell on a horse of one of the teamsters, smashing the cart and killing the horse. The mill was valued at \$10,000, partially insured, and will be

BURNED TO DEATH. One Killed and Five Injured in

West Virginia. WHEELING, W. Va., March 21.-A wreck occurred on the Monongahela River railroad this forenoon near Fair mont, about seventy miles east of Wheeling, in which one man was killed and four others badly injured. A local

and four others badly injured. A local freight train, with a passenger car attached, collided with a coal train, and the freight car in front of the passenger coach telescoped it. Both cars were demolished, and then burned. A dozen passengers were in the car, and all escaped but five.

Following is the list of killed and injured: W. S. Strather, of Fairmont, burned to death. He was sitting near the stove, and was pinned between it and the seat. Frank D. Watson, son of Otis Watson, owner of Gaston mines, badly hurt; R. E. L. Bowie, of Monongahela, seriously hurt; Daniel Cartwright, of Monongahela, will recover; Brakeman Gump, badly cut about the Brakeman Gump, badly cut about the head, may die.

CLERKS IN COLLUSION.

Chicago High Flyers "Razoo"

• Their Employers. CHICAGO, March 21.-Lamson Brothers & Co., a leading board of trade firm, are reported to be out to the tune of building of the works. The two boilers \$40,000 to \$60,000 by the peculations of employes. The firm's cashier and bookkeeper, according to current gossip, were in collusion, and bought from 250,-000 to 300,000 bushels of wheat on their own account, but putting it down to the own account, but putting it down to the firm as open account of various customers. The steady drop in the market and the resultant cails for margins brought the fraud to light. No arrests had been made this afternoon.

The two young men, according to one authority began by making a phenomenation.

authority, began by making a phenomenal profit on the big rise in wheat to \$1.18 in August last, winning \$32,000 on \$50 of their own money which they had luckily placed. This sum they divided, reserving half for future operations on the board, and spending the other half in ricture living. The \$16,000 emital. in riotous living. The \$16,000 capital was wholly wiped out in the long decline which set in, and the two daring scalpers, hoping for a turn, resorted to the frauds until they daily were obliged to plunge deeper. The deal which finally swamped them, it is said, was a nurchase of \$300,000 husbels at 95 cents. purchase of 300,000 bushels at 95 cents. Today the market touched 83%.

Anderleus Catastrophe.

BRUSSELS, March 21 .- The fire which started in the Anderleus colliery has at last been extinguished. The efforts to escue the bodies of those who lost their lives in the mines, which were frustrated by the breaking out of the fire. have been resumed. There are yet 122 bodies in the pit.

CRAZY INFATUATION.

Husband and Home Deserted by an Indiana Woman.

Ind., now furnishes a strange infatuation for woman. Charles Worrall and his wife have separated because of Mrs. Worrall's unnatural love for her sister-in-law, Mrs. Marion Worrall, a widow. The women have heretofore been highly esteemed in the community. Mrs. Charles Worrall is a woman of fine at tainments and was at one time a teacher in Eartham college. Charles Worrall remonstrated with his wife and trued in every possible way to break off the unbut without effect, and finally an ami-cable division of the property was made and the husband and wife separated. The two women have gone to Lorain.
O., to live together. Both are handsome and about thirty-five years of age. They say they cannot live apart.

MRS. ZBOROWSKI ILL.

The Late Wife of De Steurs Is Broken Down.

CHICAGO, March 21 .- The divorced wife of Baron De Steurs, minister to France from the Netherlands, arrived today at the Palmer house. So com pletely is she broken down in health as a result of the suspense in which the trial has held her that it was with difficulty she reached her rooms from the carriage which brought her from the station. Her departure from Sioux Falls was intended to take place the day following the announcement of Judge Aikens' decision in the famous case given two weeks ago, but she was too ill to undertake the trip. She was at once placed in bed at the Palmer and a physician hastily summoned. It is now thought that her illness is serious, and it will at least be many a day before she can leave Chicago.

A MILK TRUST.

Chicagoans Are Likely to Feel Its Power.

CHICAGO, March 21.-Chicagoans wil in the near future be compelled to patronize one immense cow, to be known as the "milk trust," or go without the fluid. Such a corporation has been organized and duly incorporated under the state laws. It has assumed the name of the Farmers' Dairy company, and its first official act has been to secure control of the Chicago Milk Dealers' association. Already immense warehouses have been secured, and temporary preparations made for temporary preparations made for handling all milk which comes to the city. The surplus product will be made into butter, cheese and milk

Victoria at Hyeres. Hyeres, March 21 .- Q ueen Victoria and party arrived here today. They were received quietly by the mayor and prefect on behalf of the town and gov ernment. The queen, in reply to the welcome extended to her, graciously expressed her thanks. The route to the hotel was decorated with arches of flowers and was filled with a cheerful multitude.

Standard Oil Dissolution.

NEW YORK, March 21 .- At a meeting held by holders of Standard Oil trus certificates this morning a resolution to terminate the agreement forming the trust was voted upon and adopted by a large majority, over two-thirds of the certificates being voted in favor of the dissolution. Provisions are made for settling up the trust affairs.

Killed in a Mine.

Special to the Globe, Wis., March 21. in the mill who came out unburt, says it was probably due to low water or too high pressure, but blames roome for the accident. A bollgranker from this place did Some repairs on the boiler

SEVEN ARE INDIGTED.

Frst Names Placed on the New Roll of Dishonor of Chicago.

A Woman Suddenly Bobs Up as a Witness Against the Boodlers.

One Indictment a Day Is Promised Till the Last Man Is Caught.

Alderman Roth Recites How the Lines Were Drawn on the Bribes.

CHICAGO, March 21.-The great state of Illinois may soon have a few more "state boarders." After three days of investigation into the boodle methods of the city council the grand jury this afternoen found a true bill against seven aldermen, This indictment charges conspiracy to commit bribery. The roll of dishonor is as follows:

W. J. O'Brien, Daniel R. O'Brien, Nicholas A. Cramer, T. J. Gorman, Philip Jackson, S. M. Goslin, John F. Dorman. Two more indictments were found, but not returned, against the first named, W. J. O'Brien. charge bribery and state that O'Brien gave Ald. Roth \$1,000 to vote for the Northern Pacific ordinance and \$750 to vote for the Economic Gas ordinance. The names of the witnesses signed to the indictment, besides City Clerk Van Cleave and Ald. Kunz. Chasey, Roth, Vierling and Smith and Secretary Zimmerman, of the People's Gas company, are John Williams and Hannah Larkin.

The fact that there is a woman in the case has heretofore been kept quiet, but it may prove an important factor for the prosecution. In regard to her appearance, State's Attorney Longnecker says: "There are certain houses of illrepute which certain aldermen visited while much the worse for liquor, and

they Talked Too Freely while there for their own good." Asked if more indictments might be expected, the state's attorney replied: "You may look for about one a day from this time until the whole outfit is indicted." As soon as the indictments were out Judge Anthony, of the criminal court, fixed bail at \$10,000 each. Capiases were at once issued and placed in the hands of deputy sheriffs. Rumor, however, flew faster than the officers, and most of the capiases were served in the criminal court building, the indicted aldermen having come in of their own accord. By 6 o'clock all except Alds. Gorman and Goslin had furnished bail, and these two, although not yet found by the offiers, are understood to have the bonds

Ald. Roth this evening makes public, officially, for the first time, the part he has taken in the boodle transactions of the city council. This statement, after reciting the manner of his selection to be a member of the council, says: "I had not been long in the council until I found ordinances were not always passed upon their merits, nor ever upon friendship existing among aldermen, but in some cases settled down to a

Dispensation of Money. At the time of the passage of the Economic Gas ordinance over the mayor's veto, it was found by the boodle members of the council it would be necessary to bring into line some alder men not in line on the original vote or the ordinance. I suppose that, thinking that my voting for it would be worth more in satisfying the public that the ordinance was not wholly bad than the vote of some members whose reputa-tions were less satisfactory than mine. led them to prefer me to others who might have been bought. I was spoken to by one of the O'Briens, who said that I could receive a consideration for my

Knowing the Daily News and other newspapers had taken a vigorous public stand against boodling in the council, and that they would be friendly to any exposure of the council's methods, and with the view of bringing the corruptionists to justice, I called on the Daily News. The matter was carefully talked over by various persons interested in public affairs, and arrangements were made for receiving the money promised in such a way that witnesses could testify to the visit of the man who paid the money. Seven hundred and fifty dollars was paid me in my office, which money I immediately showed to my bookkeeper, explaining who had paid it and why it was paid on the Wednesday after the passage over the mayor's veto of the Knowing the Daily News and other passage over the mayor's veto of the

Gave Up the Bribe This money within five minutes after receiving I took over to the Daily News office and in the presence of witnesses deposited it in a sealed envelop bearing the date and statement as to what it referred to, About two weeks after that the ordinance of the Northern Pacific passed the council the second time. A certain alderman from a South side ward informed me about noon on July 28, the day after the ordinance had possed, that Billy O'Brien had the money and that he was to meet O'Brien at the Sherman house at 2 o'clock.

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I immediately communicated the fact to the Daily News office and I understand they had the Sherman house watched and discovered the statement which had been made to me was correct, and that the aldermen met at that place as appointed. Very soon after 2 o'clock Billy O'Brien met me in the city clerk's office and conducted me into the washroom, where he handed me an envelope with the word "Both" written on the outside of it. The envelope was sealed.

I went over to the office of Mr. Baker,

I went over to the office of Mr. Baker, the attorney for the Tribune, and tele-phoned for representatives of other papers. The envelope was opened in the presence of all these witnesses and was found to contain two \$500 bills. The witnesses took the numbers of the bills and they were then carefully scaled up in the envelope and the signatures of those present placed on the outside of the envelope. This was then, I understand, taken to the Daily News office and placed with the other money.

Watched by Detectives. Afterwards I am told that the variou papers hired detectives to watch various members of the council, and in this manner secured much corroborative evidence. But with this I had nothing to do. I myself took no money at any time for any other purpose than bringing to light the corrupt methods employed in the city council, and have profited in no But with this I had nothing to

way thereby other than in the feeling of satisfaction that follows a duty per-

Although Alderman Roth was I efor Although Alderman Ro'n was tender the grand jury for two h urs, he is not tell all he knew, and will be again called upon. Among the witnesses before the grand jury today were President Hosmer, of the Jefferson and Urban Transit company; Secretary Zimmerman, of the People's Gaslight and Cole company; President Kname. Zimmerman, of the People's Gaslight and Coke company; President Knapp. of the Equitable Gas company; C. K. Bryant, of the Consumers' Gas company; and Attorney Darrows, of the Jefferson and Urban company. Mr. Zimmerman furnished a list of the stockholders of the People's company, and it is said among them were certain aldermen. All the witnesses denied having been of any use to the prosecution.

Not one of the indicted aldermen Not one of the indicted auterment would talk for publication this evening further than to express great surprise that they had been indicted and to profess to be perfectly able to prove their entire innocence of any wrong what

ever. Honor Among Thieves. In the face of possible imprisonment for a number of them the Chicago city council tonight exhibited a disposition to be facetious. All of the indicted members were present except Messrs. B. D. O'Brien and P. J. Gorman. The proceedings were unusually subdued until the introduction of the following:

Ordered that the corporation counsel be instructed to lend to the state's attorney all the aid in his power in investigating the aleged corruption in the city council.

"There ought to be honor among thieves," exclaimed Ald. O'Neill, jocosely, "and I don't think the council should order an officer of the city to do anything of the kind." And on motion of Ald. O'Neill the "order" was placed on file.

Bled for Half a Million

The Tribube today in a five-column, first-page article, charges that the West Chicago Street Railway company (the Yerkes cable system) has been bled for nearly half a million dollars. The statement is made that the blanket mortgage given several years ago to secure the given several years ago to secure the \$4,000,000 of bonds issued when the Yerkes syndicate took control has been Yerkes syndicate took control has been cleverly evaded. The mortgage was to cover all property then owned by the company or to be acquired for cabling. It is now alleged that the real estate records show that the ground on which the Madison street and Milwaukee avenue power houses stand, and which was purchased since the mortgage was given, were heavily encumbered, while title was standing in the names of dummies—clerks employed by the company title was standing in the names of dum-mies—clerks employed by the company—so that the property has lost its value as security. It is charged that General Manager Parsons has refused access to the books for investigation, pleading that there was no motive for inquiry ex-cept stock jobbing.

President Yerkes this afternoon de-nied the truth of the charges. He

ried the truth of the charges. He declared that no officer of the company had made money at its expense.

Frank Seger, one of the injured named above, died at 11 o'clock tonight.

DEVILS AT PLAY. Mexican Bandits Practice Horrible Cruelties.

TOMBSTONE, Ariz., March 21 .- The recently, driving away all his stock. Withers started after the band single-handed, and succeeded in shooting down three of them, before they discovered the man was pursuing them. They succeeded in capturing him as he was trying to get away. Death was his sentence; but shooting was too easy a death. Withers was taken out on the hot sandbeds and left to lie naked for six hours, fully exposed to the sun's rays.

carried, still nude, to a bed of cactus bushes, where he was laid on the sharp points. He was bound tightly to a stake, and then a large anthill, which stake, and then a large anthill, which was near, was torn open with sticks, and he was left to his fate. The insects swarmed out and over Withers' body, and within two hours he was dead from their bites. The ants did not leave him aloue, however, until every particle of flesh was eaten from his bones. A prisoner of the band was taken where he could witness the whole affair, and was afterward turned loose and told to tell the people that that and told to tell the people that that would be the future punishment of all who tried to kill a member of the band.

A FIEND MOTHER.

Drink Converts a Woman Into

Vile Savage. PITTSBURG, March 21 .-- Mrs. McClain, wife of a South side iron worker, came home drunk yesterday afternoon, and when her little three-year-old child be-gan to cry, she threw her upon a red-hot stove. The little one rolled off, but the unnatural mother picked her up, and again placed her on the stove. The screams of the child brought the father, who rescued her and then knocked his wife down. When the neighbors learned of the crucl act, they promptly organ-ized a vigilance committee to tar and feather the woman, but she escaped and has not been heard of since. The child was terribly burned, but will recover,

Omaha Alleged Boodling. OMAHA, Neb., March 21.—Ex-Coun-cilman Moriarity was acquitted on the charge of boodling this afternoon. Im-mediately after the trial his attorneys, Cobb & Clair, were sent to jail for con-tempt by Judge Scott. In the mean-time a special engine bore Judge Offut, their attorney, to Lincoln, where he secured a stay of proceedings from the

He arrived on his return trip at 9:20 with the mandate of the supreme court, and the sheriff at once released the men. Impeachment proceedings will be begun against Judge Scott by the two lawyers, backed by the entire bar of Douglas county.

Chicago Depravity. CHICAGO, March 21.—The depravity of some of Chicago's youth was made evident this afternoon. The police descended on a pool room which for some time hear running under the Heav time has been running under the Hay-

market theater. The only inmates were thirteen boys, all under fifteen years of age, but the regular operations of such places were going on in full blact Got Drunk and Died. INDIAN APOLIS, Ind., March 21.-Miss Nora Denise, a young woman living with the family of Thomas Slegle, at 97 Creole street, this city, drank a half-pint of whisky this morning, presumaably to steady her nerve, and then fired aby to steady her herve, and then fired a bullet from a revolver into her brain, causing death in a few minutes. Miss Denise was disappointed in a love af-fair. Her parents reside at Union City.

Outlaw Turner Captured. MIDDLESBORO, Ky., March 21.—Berry Turner, the celebrated outlaw and leader of the Turner faction for the last eight years in the Barton-Turner feud, was captured by Sherlff John C. Colson and four deputies at White Oaks, Teun., BRADEN REVERSAL.

Big Mineral Land Suit Over a Ruling by Auditor Biermann.

Who Held Land Unleasable Until Patented to the State.

Excitement Over a Heavy Iron Find Above Grand Rapids.

Profitable Gold Strike in the Black Hills--New Foley Company.

Special to the Globe.

DULUTH, Minn., March 21.-A very sensational law suit was begun here today, entitled J. H. Baker, Fannie Griffen and Nellie Griffen vs. R. C. Jamison, John Mather, R. C. Elliott and H. H. Nelson. It involves twelve forties on the Mesaba range, situated in 58-18 and 58-19. The plaintiffs charge State Auditor Biermann, R. C. Elliott, former private secretary of Gov. Merriam; R. C. Jamison, a prominent Minneapolis attorney, and John Mather, of the West Superior, Wis., Water, Light and Power company, with entering into a combination to defraud them, alleging that in April, 1889, the state of Minnesota owned the lands in question, and the commissioner of the general land office ruled that the first applicant for mineral land should obtain the lease. Under the ruling the plaintiff applied for the land and tendered \$25 to the state treasurer after a list had been received at the state land office on April 21, 1891, and they were the first applicants. At that time State Auditor Biermann, who is also state land commissioner, recognized their right. Soon afterward, and before plaintiffs renewed their offers, Jamison, Biermann and Elliott entered into a conspiracy to withhold the fact of the receipt of the lists from the general land office until Jamison could file his application, which he did on April 24. Then the notice was given and the altered conspirators by certain false renewed. leged conspirators, by certain false rep resentations, secured an opinion from the attorney general declaring them entitled to the leases. The land in con-troversy is very valuable, being in the heart of the Mesaba range.

NEW TRON FIND,

Big Ore Deposit Northeast of Grand Rapids.

Special to the Globe. GRAND RAPIDS, March 21 .- For some time parties from St. Cloud have been Indians have always been known for their devlish ways of torture, but it has remained for a band of Mexican bandits to cap the climax. "Dutch" Henry's band of horse-thieves raided Henry Withers' ranch, on the Garrita river, recently, driving away all his stock. working on their lands in 60-22, sinking crew arrived in this town, bringing the report that his crew is now down in eighteen feet of the best ore he ever saw. Capt. Brown is an experienced man, and his judgment is considered good. He predicts that the excitement will soon change to the region in which he is now working. The people of Grand Rapids are greatly interested in these discoveries, as it means the building of a railroad north from this point

> ANOTHER ITASCA COMPANY Which Expects to Mine Iron Near Grand Rapids.

> ST.CLOUD, March 21.-The Foley Mining company has been organized in this city with a capital stock of \$3,000,000. It is composed of the following gentlemen, all residents of St. Cloud: Timothy Foley, president; J. E. Haywood, vice president; D. H. Freeman, secretary; F. E. Seorle, treasurer: H. C. Waite and D. E. Myers. The company has leased nearly 2,000 acres of land from J. E. Haywood, of this city, in township 56, range 24, sections 12, 13 and 23. This land is within fourteen miles of This land is within fourteen miles of Grand Rapids, and a railroad now being built by Foley Bros. has reached within a mile of the property. It is also near the Diamond and Buckeye mines. The company has an option on the land of \$100,000.

Gold Strike in the Black Hills.

ecial to the Globe DEADWOOD, S. D., March 21 - An authenticated report of a strike of a body of gold ore comes from Bald mountain today. The strike was made ten days ago on the Annie and Josie lodes, and has siuce been developed enough to expose a blanket vein fifty feet wide of an average value of \$43 per ton. Th strike is one of the most important made in the Black Hills in recent years, and s drawing a great many prospectors to

pecial to the Globe. KASOTA, Minn., March 21 .- Nels Lar-

Republican Official Injured.

sen, chairman of the Republican county committee, and president of the Young Men's Republican Club of Kasota, met with a serious accident yesterday even-ing. While returning from St. Peter in a somewhat intoxicated condition he fell off the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railway bridge a dis-tance of about thirty feet, fracturing tance of about thirty feet, fracturing his skull and injuring him internally. At the present moment his life is de

Crow Creek Agency Charges. pecial to the Glob

CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., March 20 .- Indian Inspector Cissney is at Crow Creek agency, where he has been for the past ten days investigating charges of fraud and irregularity on the part of the Indian agent and the agent's son, who is issue clerk. The charges are of such a character that, if substantiated, will result in the dismissal of all implicated. Inspector Cissney is the gentleman who unearthed the irregularities at Cheyenne agency some months ago.

Caughtin a Machine. Special to the Globe

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis. March 20. John Dougherty got caught in the hay rope of a car-making machine at the steel works. His arm was broken and ne was injured internally, perhaps tatally.

Suit for a Certificate.

Special to the Globe. WINONA, Minh., March 21 .- A novel suit was commenced in the district court here today. G. W. Dickens saes County Superintend of Schools Braely

THE GLOBE BULLETIN.

Weather--Light snow. Bids ordered for the auditorium Big iron find near Grand Rapids. Gold strike in the Black Hills. Cleveland faction wins at Ashland. Van Epps indorsed at Sioux Falls. Witness Irons declines to answer. Duluth will be highly moral-Hennepin Democrats meet today. Challenge bowling game tonight. Union printers at West's walk out-Epicureans in session here. Two fatal boiler explosions. Seven Chicago boodlers indicted. New river and harbor bill. Bolivian savages on the warpath.

Mills will today be senator-

Exhibit of St. Paul finances. Big mineral suit in Duluth.

Officials mum on Behring sea-

Morrison chairman of I. S. C.

Storm in Iowa and Dakota-

Lewis outwrestles King-

Havre; Colon, trom Colon.

RUN OF THE MARKETS.

A depressing effect resulted from the news received on Chicago 'change yesterday, and prices took a downward shoot. March closed figures on corn: March 37c, May 334c, June 374c. Oats finished at 27c March, 277sc May Pork is 10c below Saturday's figures, at \$9.85 March, \$10 May.

Increasing apathy is noticeable at New York, and dealings are growing more limited daily. Bottom figures of the day were quoted at the close. Movement of Steamships. New York-Arrived: Lapretague, from

SOUTHAMPTON-Arrived: Steamer Elbe, New York for Bremen. n an order to show cause why a first grade certificate should not be issued to him to teach. They were opponents for office last election. The Democratic ward caucuses have been called for Saturday night next for the election of

delegates to the county convention. A MORAL CITY.

Mayor D'Autremont's Surveillance Over Scarlet Houses. pecial to the Globe

DULUTH, March 21 .- It would appear that Mayor d'Autremont intends to keep his promise and make it unpleasant for the scarlet houses on Superior street. Early this morning the police raided the Beekman -block, a wellraided the Beekman block, a well-known resort for "roomers," and arrested about half a dozen men and women, having routed them out of bed about 1:30 o'clock. Some of them gave fictitious names, but none were of any importance socially. This is only the beginning of the end. Another reform will be the manner of handling the social evil. Instead of assessing a monthly fine against the keepers of houses of ill-fame, the mayor thinks that the better plan would be to allow them to take out a liquor license. This would make a difference license. This would make a difference city and at the same time would put an end to the illicit sale of liquor on the "point." The new mayor has made a good beginning, and has won the gratitude and admiration of the best citizens of the city for the firm stand he has

AN EDITOR-CRUSADER.

Twenty Muscatine Saloonkeepers to Be Enjoined. MUSCATINE, Io., March 21.-John Mahan, editor of the Muscatine Journal, associated with six other citizens, begun suits by injunction today against twenty saloons in this city. A Des Moines detective has been here for some days collecting evidence. It is supposed this action has been taken by Mahan today to have its effect upon the Gatch bill, which comes up in the house tomorrow. The saloous here have been paying a \$300 tax and closing at 11 p. m. and on Sundays. License men say that the only result of the suits will be to leprive the city of \$12,000 revenue and

inaugurate the reign of tree whisky. Booming Times at Miller.

pecial to the Glob MILLER, S. D., March 21.-Considerable of a boom in land values has taken place in this portion of the state during the past few weeks, quite a number of new settlers having located here, as well as a good many returning from other states who left here during the hard times of the past few years. At no time since the first settlement of this section, eleven years ago, has the prospect been so bright as now.

Readily Acquitted.

Special to the Globe. WILLMAR, March 20 .- A curious case against two St. Paul cattle buyers, F. E. Baker and Matt Lannan, has just been decided, and the defendants acquitted by the jury. They were charged with stealing a heifer valued at \$24 by one Frank Rose. The evidence showed that the heifer got into the car of stock by mistake, and proved that there was no intent on the part of the defendants o appropriate the animal.

Crooks Sentenced at Huron. Special to the Globe

HURON, S. D., March 21 .- This morn ng Judge Smith sentenced Harry Pratt and George Robinson to state's prison for four years and three months each for robbing Levy's jewelry store here last December of \$1,500 worth of watches and jewelry. Both are notorious crooks, Robinson having been released from the Minnesota penitentiary a few months

Failure at Brainerd. Special to the Globe.

BRAINERD, Minn., March 21 .- The failure of George N. Day, a clothier, was announced today, the assignment having been made to J. Spencer. The heavy creditors are all in Boston and New York. The extent of the failure has not been made public.

Minister Fatally Burned.

MANNING, Io., March 21 .- The ex plosion of a gasoline stove used to heat water in the baptismal fountain in a church here yesterday wrecked the font and set fire to the clothing of the minister, Rev. Boles, burning him fa-

Courts at Brainerd.

Specials to the Globe.

BRAINERD, Minh., March 21.—Judge Holland opened district court here this morning with the largest calendar for some years. There are about fifty civil cases docketed, and a half-dozen of a criminal nature.

IRONS IGNORES ERWIN

A Stenographer's Break in Reporting the Wheat Investigation.

Frank Irons Refuses to Answer Alleged Reiterated Questions.

His Arrest for Contempt Suggested, But Ignored by the Committee.

Attorney Erwin Explains His Position and the Course to Be Taken.

When the wheat investigating committee assembled yesterday morning there were but four members present, Messrs, Geissel, Zelch, Caswell and Barrett. Attorney Severance had hobbled up to the senate chamber on a crutch, to be present at the examination of D. A. Christy, agent of the Lake Superior Transit company, and was naturally hostile when some one suggested an adjournment. He thought the committee might proceed with less than a quorum, and it was so decided. Senator Smith came in later, but had been in attendance only a few minutes when Mr. Barrett went out to dinner, saying that he had breakfast at 4 o'clock in the morning and was hungry. The suggestion that the committee would again be without a quorum didn't stop him in his search for a lunch counter.

Mr. Christy was one of the witnesses before the original house investigating committee, but sent to the present committee an affidavit in which he pointed out the numerous errors in the transscript of his previous testimony. He was present vesterday with his books, and although he testified that they were the same books he had before the house committee, and although he substantiated the accuracy of his affidavit by them, the discrepancies were so great that Mr. Erwin professed to believe that they were different books. Mr. Severance objected to the intimation that Mr. Christy was a perjurer, and Mr. Christy declared again, very emphatically, that they were the same-were the only books of that kind that the company had, or ever had-and that they had not been changed. Mr. Geissel and Gen. Barrett declared that the witness was an honest one, and the manner of giving evidence made this very evident. The discrepancies were numerous and egregious. There were errors in the number of bushels of cargo after cargo, and, in some cases, errors of entire months in dates, while in one or two cases the names of boats were wrong, at least two boats being named which did not enter the port of Duluth that year. The evidence was in regard to

The Mysterious Shipments of the damaged grain, which was the start of the whole investigation. Mr. Christy corrected all the errors of the old record, and when asked about shipping grain without attention to grades, said that his company never did such a thing except by direction of the ship-per, who very frequently, in the case of low grades, threw it all in together, as he had a right to do after he had pur-chased it and taken it from the elevator. Mr. Erwin sought to show that over 50,-000 bushels, as shipped according to the books, hae not been mentioned in the original testimony, but Mr. Geissel thought it was due to carelessness in

marking the point reached when the committee had taken a recess.

Mr. Geissel referred to the old record in scathing terms, and said that so many inaccuracies had been shown that the committee could not depend

upon a particle of it.

Mr. Erwin intimated that the books were erroneous, and said the committee could find out whether they were or not if they wanted to.
"This one I now have," he said, "is not in any shape the same book."
Mr. Severance—Don't call Mr. Christy a Mr. Christy-It is the same one and the

only one.

Chairman Geissel—The stenographer admits some of the errors.

Mr. Erwin still contended that the book could not be the same, because it did not compare with the stenographer's type-written copy of the original evidence.

Mr. Christy—I declare emphatically and positively that it is the same book.
Mr. Severance wanted to shut the whole thing off.
Chairman Geissel—We tried that once. If we tried it again they would make Rome how!

cluded, it being then nearly 3 o'clock, a proposition was made to adjourn until today without calling Frank H. Irons, again want to go into Dakota. today without calling Frank H. Irons, who had been in waiting all the morning, and Mr. McGhee declared that if this was done Mr. Irons would not inswer a single question-not even to

Gen. Barrett was asked as to the nature of the questions he proposed to ask Mr. Irons, and said that he wanted to ask him about how he got his prices from Duluth, and as to whether a committee met there to determine the closing price, as in Minneapolis. He also wanted to know about the traveling agents who went about the country see-ing that prices were maintained. Also if the witness knows anything about any settlement between the companies or if a record is kept of the number of bushels of grain bought at the various stations by the varisous companies?
Also as to whether or not the railroads paid any part of Mr. Irons' salary?

rons—I can answer all that batch of ns in a single word—no. "And," added the general, "many other questions." Then, at 2:50 o'clock, the committee

took a recess until 4 o'clock. IRONS AGAIN TO THE FRONT. Erwin Wants Him Committed for

Contempt. When the committee reassembled Mr. Irons went on the stand, and in reply to Irons went on the stand, and in reply to a question from Mr. Erwin declared that he did not fix prices.

olic church burned at this place within a few years, some suspect it to be the work of an incendiary. he did not fix prices.

Mr. McGee said this ground had all been gone over and it had gone far enough, and unless the questions were confined to the scope of the resolution creating this commission he should in-struct the witness not to answer.

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the questions are, and if the witness refuses to answer it is for them to decide whether he or the modern of the modern whether he is in contempt.

Mr. McGhee said the list of elevators to whom Mr. Irons furnished prices is already in evidence, and Mr. Irons said the list previously submitted was cor-

rect.
Mr. Erwin—Do the elevator companies, by whom you are employed, furnish you with the number of their elevators?
Mr. McGee—I will admit that he knows that, for his salary is based on the number each has.

Mr. Erwin kept on threshing out old straw, and Mr. McGee instructed Mr. Irons not to answer for the reason that the whole ground had been gone over,

the whole ground had been gone over, the witness excused, and the testimony declared closed.

Mr. Erwin moved that the witness be proceeded against for contempt.

The chairman said he had already decided that the committee had gone beyond its authority, and it had no power to place the witness in contempt.

Mr. Moore said the committee had previously ordered a witness under arrest, although the question which was propounded was purely a personal one, referring to trouble with a young lady.

Chairman Geissel—He was only in contempt until he consulted with counsel, and it was dropped.

Mr. Moore—He answered the question.

Gen. Childs—His counsel advised him to answer under certain restrictions.

The Rupley Matter.

The Rupley Matter. Mr. Erwin suggested that Mr. Rupley be called on for his screening books of the Duluth elevator system, and if he again refused to produce them, as he did the old committee, to place him in

Mr. Irons was excused by Chairman Mr. Irons was excused by Chairman Geissel, and, accompanied by his attorney, Mr. McGhee, left the room.

Mr. Erwin continued with the Rupley matter and said the only way in which the screening accounts could be reached was through Rupley's books, and there was suspicion in the refusal.

Mr. Geissel said Mr. Rupley had been present before this committee and if

present before this committee, and if he wasn't called to the stand that wasn't his fault, and he couldn't be placed in contempt. It he had been called, and had then refused to present the books he could have been declared in con-Mr. Erwin wanted to know if there

wasn't money enough left to subpæna him now. Mr. Geissel said there was some money left, but it would require a considerable sum to carry the committee through its consideration of the evi-

The Rupley matter was unceremoni-ously dropped, and Mr. Erwin took up the matter of submitting analysis of the testimony. He could not read through 2,000 pages of evidence and submit an analysis in the brief time allotted. an analysis in the brief time allotted. He had not yet received all of the testimony, and it would take him ten days after he received it to make a fair analysis. He didn't care so very much about it, anyhow, as he should submit an exhaustive report to the Grain Growers' association. Later, however, he admitted that he should like to submit an analysis to this committee.

Attention was called to the understanding that at the conclusion of the standing that at the conclusion of the

standing that at the conclusion of the last session of the committee it was un-derstood that the attorneys should make up their arguments before the commit-tee reassembled. This session was not expected to be one for the introduction of as much testimony as had been pre-sented.

Erwin's Position. A rambling discussion ensued as to whether there should be an adjournment of sufficient length of time to give the attorneys an opportunity to present their analysis to Gen. Childs and to their analysis to Gen. Childs and to give the latter time to formulate an analysis therefrom for the committee.

Mr. Erwin took occasion to explain that his services before this last session were without expense to the state. He had been employed by the Grain Growers' association, and intimated that he should not charge them anything, as they had already paid him all they could afford to. Mr. Erwin got in another stump speech. He said the best

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could afford to. Mr. Erwin got in another stump speech. He said the best interests of the state were involved, and he would make a report to the peo-ple if he didn't to this committee. But he would like to submit his views to the attorney general and have them re-viewed by him and answered by the elevator companies. Senator Smith was willing to adjourn for twenty or twenty-five days if Cas-well Moore and French would return

then. But if it was proposed to carry this investigation over into June he should object.

Gen. Barrett talked of more witnesses. He thought Mr. Chambers and the price-determining committee of the Minneapolis chamber of commerce should be subpensed. He also alluded to Mr. Wolcott.

Mr. Smith didn't think that the committee would take much steek in Walshould object.

mittee would take much stock in Wol-cott with its knowledge of the facts in Chairman Geissel doubted if the Min-

neapolis committee would testify if summoned. Senator Smith thought they would. Mr. Erwin read a letter from a man at Mayville, N. D., relative to trouble in getting cars from the Great Northern Mr. Severance wanted to shut the whole thing off.

Chairman Geissel—We tried that once. If we tried il again they would make Rome low!.

Mr. Severance—Let it how!. This is all loys's ply.

Finally, when Mr. Christy had considered it below they would make the must build a large elevator or none. He claimed that he had been forced from business by a refusal of large and by combination prices.

again want to go into Dakota.

Gen. Barrett wanted to have J. J.
Hill summoned to give testimony as to
the Great Northern's policy relative to
track buyers. In case Mr. Hill is absent he would like Vice President
Clough, but it was explained that Mr.
Mohler had already testified on that

Without reaching any determination as to the future, the committee adjourned until 10 a. m. today.

FATAL TO CHURCHES, The Third One at Glencoe Burned Out.

Special to the Globe. GLENCOE, Minn., March 21 .- The new church of the English-speaking Catholics of this place is in flames and beyond all control of the firemen, who have given up all hope and have turned their attention to the parsonage, which they will doubtless save. At present the cause of the fire is unknown. It was observed about 7:30 in the vicinity was observed about 7:30 in the vicinity of the sacristy, and were it not for the engine failing to work for a considerable length of time the church might have been saved. The building was an elegant edifice of modern design, and was recently completed at a cost of about \$20,000. As this is the third Catholic church burned at this place, within

Chance for a Democrat. Special to the Globe

WEST SUPERIOR, March 21.-Mayor Pattison tonight formally and finally withdrew from the mayorality race, Mr. Erwin—Mr. Irons, what books do you
Mr. McGhee—I object. He has answered
that.
Mr. Erwin—Have you a list of elevators to
whom you furnish prices?
Mr. McGhee—I instruct the witness not to
answer. That's the shortest way out of it.
Mr. Erwin—The committee knows what