#### NATIONAL CAPITAL.

#### What is Being Done in Congressional Halls for the Country's Welfare.

PROCEEDINGS FROM DAY TO DAY BRIEFLY TOLD-BILLS AND MEASURES UNDER CONSIDERATION-OTHER NOTES.

TUESDAY .- On the opening of the session of the house Tuesday morning the death of Representative Stackhouse, of South Carolina, was announced. The deputy sergeant-i hrms. was notified to

the deceased, adjourned.

Wickegday. — after the trans ction of some routis. — after the trans ction of some routis. — a test of the whole, Mr. Creary, of Kentucky, in the chair, on the fort fication appropriation Mr. Breckehridge, of Kentucky, in charge of the bill, briefly explained its provisions. It appropriated \$2,412,376, being \$1,362,427 less than the amount of the bill of last vear, and authorizes the secretary of war to make contracts for certain work involving the further expenditure of \$1,376,600. The appropriation made for the enlargement of the water and islet arsenal and for finishing and assembling eight, ten and twelveinch sea coast guns at that arsenal, the committee on appropriation believed to

mittee of the whole-Mr. Biount, Georgia, in the chair-upon the tin plate bill. The bill engrossed the time of the house during aimost in entire session Notwithstanding the importance of the bill, little attention was paid to the cebate. The exodusto Chicago had began. v York, sp ke for over an favor of the bill. Messrs. E. B. opposing it. Messrs. Atkinsof, O'Neill lately afterwards. and Huff, of Pennsylvania, cach spoke briefly against the bill, and Mr. Hemphill, of South Carolins, addressed him sell to the financial question, and urged congress to enact legi-lation which would relieve the people of the south from burdensome legislation, under which they were now suffering. Without action on

the bill the house adjourned. and harbor bill reported a disagreement. The house adopted a resolution to insist on the disagreement, and the bill was again sent to the conference. The private claim bill, known as the Sibley bill, was then taken up. After a short time spent in filibustering upon it, the house came to the point, when no quorum voted, and, in order to escape from the stifling atmosphere of the chamber, took a recess until 8 o'clock, the evening session to be for the consideration of private pension bills. The house failed to break its usual Friday night's record. Various efforts were made by the champions of private pension bills to bring their me sures before the house, but each effort was unavailing, and the house ad-

/ Turspay .- Immediately on the assembling of the senate Tuesday morning the death of Representative Stackhouse war announced and the body adjourned as a

WEDNESDAY. - In the senate, Wedneslay, in presenting a petition from Riley bunty. Kan., in relation to the prevalence I lynch law, Mr. Peffer stated that from 1 Ewspaper reports the | r wtice was growing in all parts of the country, north, -particularly colored people-are being hounded and hunted and hanged or shot. to death when merely suspected of crime, the construction of a ship canal connect-It was time, he thought for the American ling lakes Union and Washington with congress to take action in that matter, Puret sound. and he hoped that the judiciary committee, to which the petition was referred, would report promptly. A conference was ordered on the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, an i Messrs. Hale, Allison and Blackburn were appointed conferces on the part of the senate. The bill to provide for the free coinage of gold and silver was taken up and Mr. Palmen mered to strike out all of the bill except the first section which fixes the ing from a disorder of the boweis. standard of gold and silver dollars, makes it minted for heir benefit and without the father first with some general inticharge. My Morgan addressed the sen- mation of the sad news. The ex-secreate in support of the bill. The silver tary and his wife were at Bar Harbor, plank in the Minneapolis republican Me., and efforts to get telegraphic coma money metal. It was still timid and death leaked out. It was not until about irresolute and dealt in equivocal phrases. But it seemed to cut loose forever from the single gold standard of the | senator from Ohio, and to demand the use of both gold and silver as standard money. The people had the right however, to expect that the democracy would, in Chicago, step to the front and demand not only standard silver money equal with gold, but that silver should have the right of free coinage, After a brief out action on the bill or on Mr. Palmer's amendment, the senste, at 4:40 o'clock

THURSDAY .- Nearly all the senators who attended the Minneapolis convention were in their places in the senate Thursday morning, but the first action of the body was to provide for adjounment till Monday. . Mr. Morrill addressed the senate in opposition to the bill for the free coinage of gold and silver. Mr. Stewart took the floor as soon as Mr. Morrill left it. Taking up and replying to some of Mr. Morrell's statements he said that the utterance of such novesens would become, he should think, "dampable iteration." after a time. The press in commercial cities was he declared subsidized and spoke only the language of the gold power, which was itself an "arrogant moloch." - The bill went over without action. The house bill defining options in futures and imposing special taxes on dealers therein was laid by

fore the senate, and Mr. Washburn moved its reference to the judiciary committee. It had been expected that the reference of this bill would provoke a somewhat bitter controversy, but that expectation was not realized. After a short discussion it was referred to the judiciary committee. Conference report on the river and harbor bill was made by Mr. Frye, who stated that an agreement had been reached on all but two amend, ments-which were for a boat railway around the dalles of Columbia river and for a canal in the state of Washington, to connect the waters of Lake Washington with those of Puget sound. After a long discussion the senate insisted on it smendments and agreed to a further conference, and then the senate adjourned make arrangement for the funeral, and till Monday. Messra. Frye, Dolph and the house, in respect to the memory of Ransom were appointed conferees on the river and harbor bill.

#### Neither house being in session Tuesday, members of both houses devoted

Chicago convention.

has been awarded to Colin MacGrant, of with the party. Charleston, S. C., on his bid of \$10,833.

\$7,298. In the senate, Thursday, Washburn, of Dispatches of Friday from Mankato, his bill will pass. Other senators, equally hear from. The cy decide this question.

Notice was given Wednesday by Mr. and the return from Minneapoli as slow. The hall was practically atted throughout the session. Mr. Bunneng, of bers—one from each state and territory—

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out for some distance and train service is pur in are expected to assemble in Washington suspended. At Sparta one end of tunnel hylor, city at 12 o'clock noon next Monday at No. 3, on the Northwestern, caved in of Onio, and Dalzel, of Penns ania, the Ebbert house and that they will pro- and five houses were washed away. No each occupied nearly as such time in | ceed to the executive mansion immediatives are reported as lost.

The Appropriation Bill. the settlement of disputed points in the of Gladeston, and was ditched. The FRIDAY. - The conferees of the river the simple statement of their parlia- were Italian laborers. mentary status would indicate to the unpracticed eye. By an extraordinary display of energy the house has succeeded in passing every one of these bills ex- man of the Minnesota democratic central cept the general deficiency bill, and is transferring them to the senate with such rapidity as to tax severely the working either on electors or state officers. He capacity of the committee on appropria- said the democrats had made a poll of

from the record tont the senate is far behind the house in passing upon these important measures. The River and Harbor Bill. The conferees on the river and harbor

appropriation bill, after being in confer-

ence three days, have failed to reach an agreement and have decided to report that fact to the two houses and ask for instructions. The conferees, it is learned, were able to agree upon nearly all of a ship canal connecting Lakes Union and the twenty five per cent cut in the first year's appropriations for contract projects, to which the house conterces were willing to actoken of respect to the deceased member | cede. But the conferences disagreed hopelessly upon two new Oregon and Washington projects. They were both senate amendments, one appropriating \$187,500 for the improvement of the Columbia at Three Mile rapids, including the construction of a boat railway around Dalles, with authority to make a contract south, east and west. Many poor people for the completion of the work at a total cost of \$2,672,856 and the other an amendment appropriating \$200,000 for

#### BLAINE'S SORROWS. His Son Emmons Dies Suddenly at

# Chicago.

Emmons Blaine, son of ex-Secretary of State James G. Blaine, died at his residence in Chicago, at 11:15 Saturday morning from blood poisoning originat-

The fact of Mr. Blaine's death was kept these coins legal tender and permits the concealed for some time after he had owners ql silver or gold byilion to have passed away, the object being to reach platform was, he said, a step to the front munication with them failed, however, in the way of the restoration of silver as and about 12:15 e'clock the news of the a quarter of an hour poor to the fatal moment that the least intimation that Blaine was in a dangerous condition became known, and then it was only to a few. When the sad intelligence finally reached Mr. and Mrs. Blaine, they were

prostrated by the terrible blow. During the convention young Blaine seemed in perfect hearth, and no one who heard of his sudden- passing away was more shocked than those who saw free silver speech by Mr. Cockrell, with- him part cipating in the caucuses, early and late, night and day, in his father's interest. It is thought possible by many that the strain of excitement at Mineanolis, followed by keen disappointment the outcome, had not a little to do with the physical prostration ensuing .

### Homeopathic-Convention.

The forty-fifth session of the American institute of homeony hy was opened at port of the bureau of organization, registration and statistics showed that there had been a general advance in homeopathy, all along the line during the year. | Galva, Itl., are reported from Peoria. The reports stated that there are in the United States forty general and thirtynine special homeopathic hospitals, at which \$1,294 patients were treated last year. The death rate was 3.31 per cent. It was also shown that there are in the United States fifty-five homeopathic dispensaries and thirty homeopathic jour-

### NEWS IN GENERAL.

#### Happenings of the Day Culled from Our Telegraphic and Cable Dispatches.

HAT IS TRANSPIRING THROUGHOUT OUT OWN COUNTRY, AND NOTES OF INTER-EST FROM FOREIGN LANDS.

A London cablegram states that the house of commons committee has authorized the government to purchase telephone trunk lines throughout the country to cost a million pounds.

On Thursday the republicans of the seventh Kansas district nominated Chester Jerry Simpson's district and Long is from Medicine Lodge, Simpson's home.

A large portion of the regular New York delegation left for Chicago Wednesmuch of their time to talk about the day. Richard Croker, Hugh McLaughlin, Chairman Murphy, Lieutenant Gov The contract for a wharf, etc., for a ernor Sheeban and other distinguished quarantine station at Sapelo Sound, Ga., leaders of the New York democracy were

A dispatch from New York says: Gold Bids were opened at the treasury de- coin aggregating \$3,760,000 was on Fripartment Tuesday for a heating apparatus day ordered from the subtreasury for shipfor the public building at Chattanooga,
Tenn., the lowest being that of Ischopik,
Blackburn & Co., of Chattanooga, at
\$7,298.

ment to Europe at once, making the total
to go \$3,350,000, and the total for the
week \$7,100,000. It all goes to Bremen
by the steamship Aller.

be amply sufficient. The bill also appropriates \$151,000 for the enlargement of the heavy gnn carriage plant at the Watertown arsenal, Massachusetts.

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The REDAY.—The house went into comwell informed, say that it will not pass. | worst that has ever visited the north-A post of the senate will be necessary to west. The greatest loss was about Wells

Dispatches state that a cloudburst oc Hoyt, of Tennessee, secretary of the com- curred in the western part of Wisconsin mittee appointed by the Minneapolis con- Wednesday night doing great damage vention to notify President Harrison of At Boscobel five bridges were carried

A dispatch from Galesburg, Ill., says Four men were killed and twenty-five The history of the first session of the more or less injured in an accident on fifty-second congress is practically made, the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy and it is probable that from now on to railroad Sunday morning. A construct the end of the session the effirts of both | tion train on the Keithsburg branch ran branches will be confined principally to into a drove of cattle three miles north appropriation bills. These measures engineer was killed and his body buried are really much farther advanced than under the wreck. The other victims

A dispatch of Wednesday from St Paul, Minn., says: It has been definitely announced by Marshall Campbell, chair committee, that there would be no fusion between the democrats and alliancemen, ions of that body, consequently it appears | the state recently, and were so confident of getting a plurality this fall that they did not care to make any alliance.

A New York dispatch of Thursday says: Several of the committee of union printers who went to Minneapolis in regard to the matter of transforming the Tribune composing room from a "rat" to a union office, returned to the city Wednesday. They say the matters in dispute between Reid and the printers have been satisfactorily adjusted, and that a union foreman and union compositors will be put at work in the Tribune

to the effect that the National League of the anti-Parnellites have rejected honorable terms for a truce, and have declared war to the knife, and predicts that three years will elapse without home rule for Ireland being granted. At the expiration of that time, the manifesto continues, part of the McCarthyites will have deserted to the enemy and others will have fled the country in disgrace. The little band of Parnellites will then form save the nation.

### A CYCLONE'S WORK.

#### An Illinois Town Almost Swent Out of Existence.

A very destructive cyclone passed through the northeastern part of Knox county, Ill., Monday, and ruin was left along its path. It seems to have first made its appearance northwest of Galva. About 7:30 o'clock two black, threatening clouds were noticed in the west appreaching one another, and the tornado is thought to have resulted from this junction. Its course was south and east through that city and the main body of the storm passed along the main business streets of the city. It came with such suddenness that the citizens had no time

in which to fly to places of safety. Many buildings were totally wrecked; and that many people were not killed is a miracle. The saddest feature occurred at Augusta Olsen's house. There were in the house at the time Mr. and Mrs. Olsen, Charles Olsen and four others. The residence collapsed, killing Olsen instantly.

The others escaped by a miracle. The place Tuesday was in a state of demoralization. Business was completely suspended, the streets being filled with debris of every description. The stores were more or less in ruins. Hardly a residence but what will need repairs. The damage is estimated at \$200,000. Considering the number of buildings wrecked it is surprising that, there was no greater loss of life. Mr. Olsen was the only one killed. Eleven persons were badly hurt. The track of the storm was three to four miles wide. West of Galva, apout a mile, stood a fine large farm Washington Monday. The general re- house before the storm, not a vestige of

which now remains. A Washington dispatch says: Cyclonic storms, similar to that which struck Sandwich, Rockford and elsewhere in Hilinois, Boone, Ia., and Hammond, Ind. A great deal of damage was done to property, and many people were injured, but there was no actual loss of life.

THIRTEEN mills have been started in Germany as the result of the Indian cora propaganua, and a great increase has occurred to the importation of the American product

#### STATUS OF TRADE.

#### Dun & Co's Report on Business for the Past Week.

The review of trade for the week ended June 17th, published by R. G. Dan & Co., says: Hot weather and hot politics together have affected business at many points, but there is, nevertheless, an improvement both in actual trade and in prospect. One obvious cause is the swift improvement of the crop outlook. After weeks of soaking, grain has now just the weather for most rapid growth. Floods still make some trouble in the lower Mississippi valley, but elsewhere throughout the west and northwest excellent farm prospects stimulate trade.

At the east the demand for manufactured products is large for the sesson, and L Long for congress. The seventh is the settlement of many labor controversies, especially in the building trades, while the fear of the long strike in western iron works also stimulates purchases

of iron and steel products. The political movements have much encouraged conservative men with regard to the monetary future. The iron output June 1st was 175, 174 tons weekly, only 2,712 tons less than May 1st, while the unsold stock has decreased 26,427 tons. In spite of some increase at the south, the output is now 18,728 tons less than the greatest ever attained on March 1st, or about 9 per cent, but it is 28,000 tons greater than a year ago. At Pittsburg the demand for finished iron is good, the prospects of wage difficulties stimulating, workers demanding last year's scale, and maufacturers are reducing. Hardware is very active,

IMPROVED TRADE AT THE SOUTH. . Improved trade is noted at Louisville and Nashville, and business holds on well the production of naval stores being conwith little demand. Better weather and a decrease of only 12 per cent, in cotton acreage, according to the most reliable report, have caused a fall of five-sixteenths in that price, with sales of \$13, 000 bales, receipts and exports being larger than last year. Cotton spinners are taking more cotton than a year ago, and unsold stocks of goods are comparatively small. Exports of products continue heavy for the half of June, 234 per cent larger from New York than last year, with a moderate increase in imports. Money is everywhere abundant and unusually cheap, and complaints of collections fewer than usual. Business failures occurring throughout the country during last week number, for the United States, 153; Canada, 26; total, 179.

## THE BRIDGE COLLAPSED

## And Forty-three Men Hurled to Their

A Cincinnati dispatch says: One of

the most fearful accidents in the history

of this vicinity was that of the fall Wednesday of a bridge which was in course of construction over Licking river, between Covington and Newport, Ky. Forty-five workmen were on the structure. So far as is known only two escaped unhurt. Others were either killed by the crushing of iron and timbers or were drowned in the water. The cause of the accident is surmised to be the weakening of the wooden false work. The high river had washed out the earth about the supports, and it is claimed that one of the contractors said a day or two ago that he was afraid the structure would not stand under the weight of the heavy material. Wednesday a force of A London cablegram of Wednesday is forty-three men were engaged in putting in place the heavy iron work on the main Great Britain has issued a manifesto to span. Suddenly there was a cracking Irishmen in Great Britain. It said that sound of breaking timbers, a swaying of the structure and the headlong plunge of the whole mass into the muddy waters of Licking river fifty feet below. It was almost like the foundering of a ship. Very few forms were to be seen struggling on the surface, the others were drowned or crushed by the material. In a short time the river was lined with rescuing parties on both sides. The bodies of the following were recovered: the nucleus of the new Irish army to Richard Gorman, Covington; Thomas Burke, Ohio; William Hartner, Jeffersonville, Ind.; John O'Neal, Covington; Charles Schampor, Robert Baird, Cleveland: Thomas Downing, Newport; Dick Spooner, Newport; Fred Brent, Cincinnati; Charles Deveneck, Newport; James Johnson, George Burge, N. W. Burton, Dennis Harlow, B. F. Phelps, C. F. Paffenbach, B. Thomas, Pittaburg. Those

J. J. Murray.

Oliver were fatally injured.

hurt and two escaped without a scratch. dence, and at two o'clock went home The bridge was being built by a Cleveand, O. syndicate which has in view the building and operating of the Belt electric line of street cars in Covington and Newport, in connection with the Cincinnati line: It crossed the river at Representative tate, of Arkansas, a mem-Twelth street, Covington, and was to be used for vehicles and foot travel as well.

## ARKANSAS DEMOCRATS

#### Name a Full State Ticket and Select Chicago Delegates.

The Arka sas democratic state convention met at Little Rock, Tuesday, and the following state ticket was nominated: torney general; K. H. Clarke; secretary of state, P. S. Armistead; auditor, C. B. Milis; commissioner of lands, C. E. Mevers; commissioner of agriculture. John D. Adams; superintendent of publie instruction, J. H. Shinn; treasure; R. N. Morrow; associate justice supreme court, W. E. Hemmingway, The convention took a ree as after the nominations were made until 8:33 p. 19, 2 which time delegates at large to the Chicago convention were elected.

SIGNAL TAULET FLAG, 31.005. Huntsvirle, Ala., is the queen Jersey cow of the worlf, closing her year record a few nights ago with a product of 1047 pounds, 6314 ounces of butter, beauing Besson's Betle eighteen pour is and seventy. three and one-eighth ounces.

### THE SOUTH IN BRIEF

#### The News of Her Progress Portrayed in Pithy and Pointed Paragraphs

AND A COMPLETE EPITOME OF HAPPEN INGS OF GENERAL INTEREST FROM DAY TO DAY WITHIN HER BORDERS.

A Baton Rouge dispatch of Wednesday states that the democratic state convention has agreed upon a compromise by ble nature of the contents of the which an equal division is made of all warehouse caused the blaze to the appointments and the party stands spread with lightning-like rapidity. united henceforth.

in session at Montgomery Tuesday, and a number of interesting papers were read

Fire at Elizabeth, W. Va., Wednesday, destroyed over three hundred thousand dollars' worth of property. It broke out in the Independent bung factory, the largest in the United States, which was destroyed. The loss was \$250,000. The flames spread to Barnes Bros.' & Hoffman's works. They were also destroyed.

Recently the Anniston Pipe works sent out the heaviest shipment of pipe city. It was consigned to Lancaster, N. H., and consisted of a solid train of twenty-five cars, and was the heaviest train load of pipe that ever left a southern city to cross Mason an Dixon's line. A Savannah telegram of Sunday says:

Three passenger coaches and eight freight | ice. All the to samper of the schooncars belonging to the Richmond and ers named was for the season at Savannah, a decrease in Danville railroad, which came here in the damaged. The h Line warehouse was course of regular business, were seized totally destroyed with its contents, intemplated. High water mark makes by local creditors of the road Satur- cluting 5,000 bales of cotton and over business dull at New Orleans, but sugar day. Other seizures will follow when- one thousand, two hundred barrels of is quiet and steady and money plenty, ever property of that company can be caught in this section.

The preliminary hearing of the mail obbers was begun at Jacksonville, Fla., Tuesday, Fuich Flord and Stafford waived a preliminary hearing and were remanded to jail without bail. McNamara was tried. The evidence was rather contradictory. He was held without bail, The cases will come up again in about a week or ten days.

At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce at Raleigh, N. C., Tuesday evening, preliminary arrangements were made for the construction of a railway from Raleigh to Averasboro, the head of navigation on the Cape Fear River. The length of the road is thirty-one miles, and the cost is estimated at \$156,000. Raleigh capitalists will take the bonds.

The sub-associations of the General Turpentine Operators' Association of Georgia, Florida and Alabama, met the factors in private session at Savannah a few days ago and decided, in view of the present prices being so low, that operations were conducted at a loss. Each operator showed a reduction in the working of yearlings and old boxes of at least 2 per cent. They believe that this soon will have an effect on the receipts and a beneficial result on prices.

The chancery court at Montgomery, Ala., adjourned Tuesday after a special session held to try cases growing out of the failure of Moses Brothers, bankers, last July for about one million dol ars. The court has taken under advisement a petition praying for a decree for the sale of Moses Brothers' building, one of the handsomest structures in Montgomery, and worth about two hundred thousand dollars. A decree ordering the sale will probably be handed down in two or three

A Jackson, Miss., dispatch says: Judge Cooper, of the supreme court, on Wednesday entered suit against the Alabama and Vicksburg railroad for \$4.30. The circumstances were that the judge bought a ticket to Columbus, the road failing up to the time of the purchase of the ticket to note on its bulletin board the fact that the train was five hours late. When the delay was bulletined the judge demanded the return of the money. offering to return the ticket, which was refused. Hence the suit is intended doubtless to settle the rights of the public and roads in cases of delayed trains.

### GEN. STACKHOUSE DEAD.

### He Was an Alliance Congressman from

South Carolina. General Eli B. Stackhouse, a member of congress from the sixth district of South Carolina, and a prominent member Frank Muir, Charles Farro, William of the Farmers' Alliance, died in Wash-Barton, William Alvis, Harry Kramer, ington City at half past one o'clock Tues- turpen in . 60 bars, 60 lbs. \$225 a 250 ; G. E. Sheehan, B. Krantz, Ed Nolan, day morning. He was one of the party Ed Sullivan, Dan Brinkley, Pat Murray, | that accompanied the remains of the late Colonel L. L. Polk, president of the Andrew Baird, Cleveland; William Farmers' Alliance, to Raleigh, N. C., Wilson, inspector; John Phillips, New- last Saturday. Mr. Stackhouse returned 6%c; XXX pearl oysters 6c; shell and excelsion port; Elmer Barber, W. D. Robe, Henry to Washington Monday morning. He went to the house of representatives, Three of the men were only slightly which is only one block from his resito luncheon. He complained of a. slight attack of indigestion, but seemed to be in good sprits. He remained at Pickles, plan or mixed, pints \$1 0021 40; quarts home for a while, but returned to the \$1 50al 80. Powder-Rolle, kegs \$5 50; 1/2 kegs house before adjournment of that body. ber of the Farmers' Alliance, who has rooms in the hotel where Mr. Stackhouse staved, says that the general did not re- \$3 50@\$490. turn to the hotel for dinner. About 12 No. o'clock Tuesday night Mr. Cate was call. Mixed 45a-c; ed to the rooms of Mr. Stackhouse and The only persons at his bedside when he Large sacks 97 (e. small sacks 140 Cotton died were his son and Representative For governor, William M. Fishback; at | Cate. His remains will be taken to Little Nock, S. C., for interment.

### The Census Count.

The census bureau on Thursday finished its last count of the population of the country, according to the returns of the eleventh census. The population, invations, is 62,979,766. These figures are absolutely final, and not subject to change.

### Weaver For President.

A dispatch from ! acoms, Wash., says: The people's party in the convention Wednesday evening elected delegates to the Omaha convention. The platform declares in favor of General Weaver for president.

### BIG BLAZE AT BALTIMORE.

#### Several Vessels Damaged and 5,000 Bales of Cotton Destroyed,

The big warehouse of the Bay Line of steamers, at the foot of Union dock, Baltimore, took fire Tuesday afternoon from an unknown cause, and within five minutes was a roaring mass of flames. Stored inside the warehouse, which is several hundred feet long, were between five hundred and one thousand bales of cotton, several shiploads of rosin in barrels, and a great number of hogs heads of molasses. The inflamma The big four-masted schooner Augus-The Alabama Banker's Association met | tus Weil, the steamer Caroline and a number of other vessels lay at the pier when the fire broke out. The Caroline on favoring the abolition of days of grace | caught fire, but the tugs made a desperon commercial paper, and another in ate fight to save her. The schooner Wirt opposition to the free coinage of silver. | was wrapped in flames in a few minutes. The heat from the burning warehouse, together with that of the weather, was terrible on the firemen, and several

dropped at the hose pipes. The loss will approximate \$1,000,000. The fire is thought to have originated from spontaneous combustion among the cotton. None of the vessels lying at the man.-Life. docks were totally destroyed, because a tugboat drew them into the stream, but still it has a denomination of where the fireboat, Cataract, and streams from the tugs saved them from total loss: but several fine vessals were badly dam-Among these were steamers Caroline and Gaston, schooners Wesley O iver, Mamie Howard, William Wirt and Augustus Weil. The latter had just arrived with 1,200 tons of | that cannot lower the rider .- Truth, whisky, intended for foreign shipment.

#### AN EX-CONGRESSMAN KILLED While on His way to the Chicago Con-

vention. A Memphis, Tenn., dispatch says: Ex-Congressman Morgan was shot and killed in a crowded train Saturday morning by Heary Forster, an attorney of Memphis. me." Enpec-"I must have be gibbering lunatic."—New York He Morgan beat Perster with his cane some time ago. S turday they met for the first time since that occasion. Bath at once pulled pistols and began firing, with the result that Morgan was killed. Pandemonium reigned in the car. Many of the passengers were ladies, and they were terri la felie tonad.

#### England at Chicago.

A London cablegram pays: On the supplementary vote in the hous; of commons Tuesday, granting £10,000 to the royal world's fair commission, A. C. You like going to school, boy?"

Coming Man—"I like going well to school, boy?"

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Coming Man—"I like going well to school, boy?" (liberal), member for Peter- lers at."-Fun. Morton borough, asked if intending exhibitors were satisfied with the arrange. ments made by the commission. Fir you have your dress cut with a John Gorst, financial secretary to the! treasury; replied that the vote was in- ness's sakes have it an account creased to £60,000, in order to give free space an 1 render the exhibit worthy the United Kingdom. Mr. Morton said he hoped the government would do its uttermost to make the British section a great success. The vote was agreed to by the Field's We

### A Threatened Strike.

There is likely to be trouble between the Lehigh Valley railroad and its switchmen. On May 21st they cut wages and hourk Hatr Nancy C reduced salaries between five and six dollars per month. Grand Master Sweeney, of the Switchmen's Brotherhood has held a conference to try and reach an amicable settlement. The men say they will use arbitration as far as possible. a settlement cannot be reached by that means a strike will surely follow.

### ATLANTA MARKETS.

### CORRECTED WEEKLY.

Groceries.

Coffee-Roasted-Arbuckle's 19.60 P 100 15. ases Lion 19.60c; Levering's 19.60c, Green-Extra choice 20c; choice good 19c; fair 18c; common 16%6. Sugar-Granulated 5c; on granu--c; powdered 3%c; cut loaf 5%c; white extra C 4%c; New Orleans yellow clarified 41/c; veliow extra C 4c. Syrup—New Orleans choice 48@50; prime 21@40c; common 30@35c. Molasses-Gennine Cuba 35@38c:imitation 22@25. Teas-Black 35@55c; green 40@60c. Nutmegs 65@70c. Cloves 25@30c Cinnamon 10@ 12%c. Allapice 10@11c. Jamai-ca ginger 18. Singapore pepper 14c; Mace \$1.00. Rice fair 71/c; good 61/c; common 51/@6c; imported Japan 6 @7c Salt-Hawley's dairy \$1 50; Virginia 76c. Cheese-Full cream, Cheddar 121/c: flats 13c; White fish, half bbl. \$4 00; pails 60e-Soaps-Tallow: 100 bars, 75 lbs \$3 00; 3 75; Candles-Parafine 12c; star 10%c. Matches-400s \$4 00: 300s \$3 00s3 75; 200s \$2 00s2 75; 60s, 5 gross \$2 75. Soda-Kegs, bulk 5c; do 1 lb pkgs 51/c; cases, 1 lb 51/c. do 1 and 1/lbs 8c. do 1/lb 7c; lemon cream 9e; XXX ginger snaps 9c; cornhills 9c. Candy-Assorted stick 61/c; French mixed 12 /c. Canned goods—Condensed milk \$6.00a8 00; imitation mackerel \$3.95a4 00; salmon:\$6 00a7 50; F. W. oysters \$1 75a---; L.W. \$1.25; corn \$2.50 a 3.50; tomatoes \$1.60. Ball potash \$3.20. Starch—Pearl 4c; lump 5c; nickel packages \$3.00; celluloid \$5.00. 1 65. Shot \$1 70 per sack.

rain and Meal. \$ \$5.75; second natent : fancy \$4 50; family \$5.25 : extra f No. 1 white 70c. mixed 67c. Oatses 47c; Kansas rust proof 53c. . Hav-noice timothy, large bales, 971/c; No. 1 timothy, large bales, 95c; chides was told that he was dying. A physician timothy, small bales, 9754c.No. 1 timothy, small was immediately summoned, but before bales, 95c; No. 2 timothy, small bales, 90c. timothy, small bales, 97%c.No. 1 timothy, small | 1. he arrived Mr. Stackhouse was dead. Meal-Plafu 68c; bolted 63c. Wheat branseed meal-\$1 10 per cwt. Steam feed-\$1.35 per cwt. Grite-Pearl \$3.50.

### Country Produce.

Eggs 14@15c. Butter-Western creamery Pl 221/a25c; choice Tennessee 18a20c; other grades or t 10a121/c. Live poultry-Turkeys 10@ 121/c per 1 large 20a25c; small spring 125/a15c. Dressel #10 ens 15al6. Irise puatoes, 756 83c per but, mismat cluding Alaska and the Indians on reser- sweet potatoes \$1.15a1.25 per la, Honey-Strains ed 8a10c; in the comb 10a12c. Onions 23 00s 3 5) per bbl. Cabbace-Green Florida 21/82: per lb. Louisiana 114.

> Provisions. Clear rib sides, boxed 71/c; ice-cury a bellies 836c. Sugar-cured hams 114, a13c, adjurding to brand and average; California 83 breakfast bacon 10%c. Land-Pars iq leaf 7%; refined none.

Cotton. Market firm - Middling 7360.

A RECIPE FOR A DAY Take a little dash of water cold, Anda little leaves of prayer, and a little bit of morning gold Dissolved in the ma Add to your me And a thought for kith and kit

And then, as your prime ingred A plenty of work thrown in. And a little whilf of plays Let a wit ald book and a glan well made day.

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haling outfit-The birch I bacillus has become famou ill nature.-Boston Transcrip When one jumps at a conc. rarely reaches it,—Dallas/News, If you want to keep up with, you must go slow. - Dalla's Ney It is unkind to refer too the as a note shaven - Washit g The least overworked this country is the office late

Money is not exactly a religious arti

own .- Rochester News. The man who points out our faults to us is a true friend; but we feel like kicking him just the same .- Puck.

It is not every bicycle rider who c lower the record, but it is a poor b Waiter-"Will you have salt on vo Guest-"No.

They're not at all fresh."-Pick Me U If you have rowed against the tide, And all your ready cash is spent;
If you have nothing left but pride
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Dressmaker-"Miss Fussb

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