Woman Delegate Question Pops Up In Committee.

BLOW AT THE C. E. SOCIETIES.

Effort Made to Have the Epworth League Declared the Only Young People's Organization of the Church-Preacher's Hustile Interview Causes Trouble.

CLEVELAND, May 13.—The committee on missions of the M. E. general conference has considered the request of the conference of India that missionary work be done among the educated people of that country. A memorial was received requesting that all appropriations for missions be made specific instead of general. Both were referred to sub-committees. The committee recommended that the contingent fund of the missionary societies be increased from \$25,000 to \$50,000.

The woman delegate question popped up fiercely in the committee when South America asked that lay missionaries be scated in the missionary annual conferences Many of these lay missionaries are women and it was argued that their being a part of the annual conference would allow them to be delegates to the general conference. There was a hot discussion and the matter was held in abeyance, but will probably be settled by allowing lay missionaries to occupy seats in conference, but not to vote.

The book concern committee discussed and will probably recommend that The Church Journal be published in Spanish for the benefit of Mexico and South America.

The education committee decided against the proposition to consolidate all the educational institutions, a course of proceedure recommended on the

score of economy. There was a lively time at the meet ing of the church extension committee over some severe criticism of the financial management of the Church Extension society. The society loans money to weak churches with which to build, the society taking mortgages. The complaint was that often these mortgages were worthless and the interest not paid. Rev. Dr. Kynett, the secretary, made vigorous answer that they were a great church and not a money-making corpor-ation; that it would discourage the spread of the church and the Gospel to be overexacting, and that to press for the last penny used for Christ was not in line with true Methodism. The committee upheld Dr. Kynett.

The Epworth League committee debated the proposition to recognize the League as the only young people's society in the church. This was hotly opposed on the ground that it would drive many young people out of the

At the meeting of the committee on episcopacy Dr. J. F. Goucher of Baltimore, for the sub-committee to consider the advisability of electing more bish ops, reported that Bishops Bowman and Foster and Missionary Bishop Taylor were worn out and inefficient and recommended that two additional bishops be elected to strengthen the board Dr. D. H. Moore of Cincinnati moved to make the number four and his motion was supported by Dr. Graw, Dr. Leonard and Dr. Kynett. Before action was e went into execu tive session and when it adjourned nothing could be learned as to the

The session of the conference was brief, but breezy. Considerable oratory was indulged in over the head lines of one of the morning newspapers, which made it appear that a conference dele gate had denounced the Christian Endeavor Society as idiotic, because it had prayed for the conversion of Colonel Ingersoll The storm quickly blew over. however. Rev. W. A. Quayle of Kan-sas City, the delegate referred to, denied the interview, but said neverthe less it was his opinion and he believed it was the sentiment of many of the delegates He was loudly applauded. Amanda Smith, one of the most fa

mous colored evangelists, was present. and the conference suspended business to receive her. She was given the great est ovation of the conference, and was requested to sing. The delegates joined in the chorus, and one song was insuffi-cient and a second was called for and given She aroused the greatest enthu-

The most important matter brought before the conference was embodied in a resolution providing for the appoint ment of a commission to prepare a new constitution. The shortness of the session and the failure of the conference to transact much business was due to the delay of the committees in prepar ing their reports.

At the armory last evening there was a meeting of the church extension society, at which Dr William A Spencer of Philadelphia, one of the secretaries, read statistics showing that \$5,500,000 had been devoted to the work during the past 30 years; 9,962 churches being aided during that time. The collections for the past four years exceeded those of the previous four years by \$31,000

An Ex-Cashier Pleads Guilty.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., May 13.-John bank of Watkins, has pleaded guilty to the indictment charging him with mak-ing a false entry in a report to the United States comptroller. No time has been fixed for passing sentence Love was a defaulter for over \$100,000

Baltimore May Boycott St. Louis. BALTIMORE, May 13.—President Von der Horst, of the Baltimore Baseball club, has sent the following telegram to Manager Von der Ahe of St. Louis "Baltimore paper says you attached our gate receipts If you intend to keep up this nonsense our club will not again appear in your city."

A Receiver Appointed.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., May 13 .- The United States court has appointed Z Taylor Vinson receiver for the whol sale railway and mining supply house of Smith, Hobson, Brandt & Co This was the largest house of the kind in the state Assets and habilities yet un-

Alleged Murderer on Trial. BALTIMORE. May 13.—The work of securing a jury to try Jerome Councell, a boy but little more than 18 years old for the murder of his adopted parents. Captain Frederick and Mrs. Anna M Long, for their money, has begun in criminal court here.

Missionaries Coming Home. CONSTANTINOPLE, May 13. - Mr Wheeler, the missionary, and family and the Gates family, consisting altogether of nine persons, have left Kharpoot, Armenia, on their way to America

Military Surgeons In Session. PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—The sixth annual convention of the Association of

Military Surgeons is in session at the

PI'H OF THE NEWS Spain against a conflict with the United States It is reported that two more Americans

supposed to be members of the Competi-tor's party, have been brought to Havans as prisoners. The queen regent of Spain in her speech from the throne to the cortes discussed Cuban affairs at great length and prom-ised local reforms to Cuba It is rumored at Washington that Sec-retary Olney has requested the with-drawal of the German Ambassador, Baron Thielman. The trouble is the outgrowth of the Stern case.

CONGREGATIONAL CELEBRATION. : | Centennial Anniversary West of the Al-

MARIETTA, O., May 13 .- The centennial anniversary of Congregationalism west of the Allegheny mountains has begun here and will continue three days. The meetings are held in the old First Congregational church, built in 1807, and still used for church purposes. having been frequently remodeled. It stands on the site of the original blockhouse used 100 years ago. The visitors have been indulging in old-time reminiscenses in and around the first white settlement in the northwest territory. Among those who participated in the program today were: Prof. Frank H. Foster, Oakland, Cal ; Rev. Alonzo H. Quint, Boston; President Charles F. Thwing, Cleveland, Rev Delaven L Leonard, Oberlin; Rev. Cornelius E.

Dickinson, Marietta, and Rev James Brand, Oberlin The program for tomorrow includes Rev Washi gton Gladden, Columbus; Prof Williston Walker, Hartford, Conn , and others The celebration will close Thursday evening with addresses by representatives from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan and other representatives of the northwest terri-

When the New England colony first settled at Marietta April 7,1788, they had no minister with them. Rev. Daniel Breck of Topsfield, Mass. was called the following July. In 1796 Rev. Dan-iel Story, a graduate of Dartmouth, was For years the settlement worshiped in the northwest blockhouse in the fort called Campus Martins The church in which the celebration is be ing held is the mother of many churches and colleges in the west.

ANOTHER POINT FOR DEUBER. The Canton Manufacturer Gets In a Blow

on the Watch Trust. CINCINNATI, May 13 - John C. Deuber. watchcase manufacturer of Canton, O. who began the fight which finally broke up the watch trust, scored another point. Deuber and other companies paid to the Elgin and Waltham factories

royalties in excess of \$100,000 on the Colby pater is and pendant watches. Later they refused to pay royalties and were sued. The lower court rendered decision against them. Judge Taft, of the United States court of appeals, not only reversed the lower court's decision, but declared the Colby patent invalid. The companies will now sue for recovery of money already

Relative of Jeff Davis Shot. PARIS, Ky., May 13 - Jack R. Alexander, a great-nephew of Jefferson Davis, has been shot and mortally wounded at his saloon in this city by John Steers, a brakeman, whom he re fused to credit for a drink.

The Metropolitan Handicap. New York, May 14 .- The result of the Metropolitan handicap was: Coun ter Tenor won, Maxim second, Sir Wal ter third. Time, 1:53.

Twenty Buildings Demolished WORTHINGTON MININ, May 13 - A cv clone has struck this place demolishing 20 buildings Fortunately no one was

Ex-Senator Iden Convicted. COLUMBUS, May 13. - Ex-Senator Geo. Iden of Newark has been convicted of having offered Clerk John R. Malloy of the house of representatives \$50 to fal sify a roll call in 1893.

Tipton, Ind., May 13. - Zachariah Mc New, aged 87, has died at Jackson, this county, from the effects of a fall. He had a presentment of his death, for he came to Tipton last week and purchased clothes in which to be buried

Four Killed by Lightning.

Cadiz, Ky., May 18.—During a storm here John J. Wallace, a prominent farmer, and his three sons, sought shel ter under a large sycamore tree. A bolt of lightning struck it and killed all four

Whipped the Matabeles.

BULUWAYO, South Africa, May 13 .-Beale's column has inflicted a defeat upon the Matabeles at Movene, without themselves suffering any loss

THE RIVER AND HARBOR BILL A Vote on the Measure Will Be Takes This Afternoon

WASHINGTON, May 13.- The animated contest which has proceeded for four days in the senate over a deep water harbor on the southern coast of Cali fornia has been brought to a close by a compromise between the conflicting interests. The issue has been between the points of Santa Monica, the terminus of the Southern Pacific, and San Pedro. the locality urged by the California senators. Senator Frye, chairman of the commerce committee, finally harmonized the differences by referring the determination, as between Santa Monica and San Pedro, to a commission, to consist of three civil engineers, a nava! officer and an officer of the coast sur The compromise was accepted by the California senators and was pani

Mr Gor An amendment, urged by Mr Gor man, limiting the expenditures under the contract authorizations to \$10,000, 000 annually led to a lengthy debate. A motion by Mr. Vest to table the amend ment failed, yeas 26, nays 31. An agree ment was reached to dispose of the bill by 3 o'clock this afternoon

BOND INVESTIGATORS NAMED Secretary Carlisle Says He Is Willing to

WASHINGTON, May 13 - At the meet ing of the senate committee on finance Chairman Morrill appointed a sub-committee of five to investigate the bond sales under the Peffer resolution, nam ing for that service Scuators Harris Vest and Walthall, Democrats; Platt. Republican, and Jones (Nev.) Populist Secretary Carlisle's letter to Senator Morrill saying that he was willing to furnish the committee any information at his command was read, and the chairman was authorized to request the secretary to supply a statement in writing with the understanding that if ad ditional facts should be required be would be asked to appear personally.

The Session of the House, WASHINGTON, May 13 - The house on tered upon the contested election case of Rinaker vs. Downing from the Six-teenth Illinois district. The debate was very spirited, Mr. Wheeler (Dem., Ala.) was taken to task for abusing the privilege of printing in The Record, and some extensive interpolations in a recent speech of his were expanged by a vote of 75 to 144. Mr. Evans (Rep. Ky ), in obedience to the instructions of the ways and means committee, gave notice that he would call up the "free alcohol" bill at the first opportunity.

Filled Cheese Bill Reported

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The finance committee of the senate reported favorably the house filled cheese bill, with reduce the annual revenue tax on manufacturers of filled cheese from \$400 to \$240, and on wholesale dealers in the article from \$250 to \$200 The report was adopted by a bare majority of one. the vote standing 5 to 4.

Favorable to Nicaragus Canal. Washington, May 13.—The Mahou Nicaragua canal bill has been ordered reported favorably to the house some-what amended. The canal is to be constructed according to the plans of the engineer department of the army and under its supervision.

A SPLIT IN DELAWARE.

Higgins Men Bolt the Republican Convention.

ADDICKS' ADHERENTS IN CONTROL.

Delegates to St. Louis-The Higgins Delegation Instructed For McKinley-A Lively Convention In Missouri.

Dover, Del., May 13. - Before the adjournment of the Republican state convention here one of the stormiest bat tles in the history of state Republican politics had been waged

Charges of fraud were exchanged and fighting over contested seats it dulged in until it looked as if the convention would end in chaos. The wa.



was between the factions respectively headed by J Edward Addicks and ex-Senator Anthony Higgins. The Higgins men bolted the convention and held a separate one in the statehouse, W. Hastings presiding. These national delegates were chosen:

Anthony Higgins, John Pilling. Hiram Reedy, Dr. Paris T. Carlisle, Cornelius P. Swain and George H Hall They were instructed for Mc

The regular convention selected J Edward Addicks, D. F. Stewart, J. Frank Allen, Dr. Hiram R. Burton, Dr. Caleb The Addicks delegates were unin structed.

FLED TO CELLARS AND CAVES. 4 Cyclone Scares the People of Lin

LINCOLN, Neb., May 13 -A cyclone has swept this section. A funnel shaped cloud shot down from the storm cloud and a general stampede of citizens for cellars and caves ensued.

At the schoolhouse the children fled panic stricken to the furnace room mid the wildest confusion and many of them were hart. The cyclone struck the ground north of the town Itcourse was northwest. The path of the storm was from 200 to 300 yards wide and everything in this path was razed to the ground, including several houses After traversing a distance of about two nules the cloud arose and at a point five or six miles further to the north eropped again to the earth, where it is feared that great damage and loss of life resulted

Ex-Police Captain Sentenced NEW YORK, May 13 -Ex-Police Cap tain Edward B Carpenter has pleas guilty to the charge of bribery and has been sentenced to three months in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$1,500 for receiving a bribe of \$1,000 from the

A Cyclone In Texas

Nocona, Tex., May 13 .- A cyclone has struck the houses of S K Davi and E J Pruett, completely demolish ing them. Mr and Mrs Pruett were severely injured and a small child of Mr Davis was also badly hurt

STATE HAPPENINGS.

New Castle ministers will fight Sunday desecration. A congress of foundrymen is being

held at Philadelphia. The dead body of a child was found in an outhouse at Warren. The state grand castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, is in session at Altonia. Mrs. Catherine Amigo was remanded to jail at Wilkesbarre, charged with

The heavy rain of Monday night drowned out the forest fires in the viemity of DuBois The Uniontown electric road is to be

extended through Leith and Hopwood Mrs William Cox of New Castle fell

down a flight of stairs and received injuries which may prove fatal.

T J Boyer, a druggist at Fortage, Cambria county, was held for trial at court for selling liquor without a license. Beaver Falls citizens have petitioned Senator Quay and Congressman Phil-lips to hasten work on the new post

Survivors of the One Hundred and Twenty seventh regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, held a reunion at Har rishmrg

Several of the workmen in the New Castle mills were overcome by heat on Monday, but none were dangeronsly affected

Andrew Klepple, aged 27, and Joseph Kohn, aged 21, both miners, were run over and killed on the railroad near Keepor Henry Deckweitz of the Fore-

paugh-Sells show was attacked by a copard in Allegheny City and probably fatally burt. Secretary of Agriculture Edge fell over at his desk with an attack of nervons prostration at Harrisburg. It is

feared the attack will be fatal. The breaking in two of a Lake Erie treight train near Homewood caused a bad freight wreck. A number of cars were damaged, but no one was injured. A strange wild animal that carries off small live stock has been terrorizing the residents of Dunbar, and a hunting party to dispose of the animal is being

By the falling of a scaffold in the interior of St Mary's church, Erie, Louis Maranilli, an Italian painter, and Alex Lee, colored, kalsominer, were probably

The grand jury at Greensburg ignored the charge of selling liquor without a heense and gambling against J. P. Pickard, proprietor of the Grand Central hotel at Mt. Pleasant.

The remains of a man supposed to be James Mills were found in the ruins of the house burned at Murraysville, Fayette county. Mills was thought to have been away from home at the time of the fire

Might Have Resulted Fatally. BLUEFIELD, W. Va , May 13 .- A fight has occurred between H P. Woolwing of this place and Chief of Police W. T. Watkins Had not one of the mar-

shals, named Hazelwood, interfered and struck Woolwine with his mace the chief would have been severely injured or Woolwine would have been shot. Deaths From Cholera. ALEXANDRIA. May 13 -There has been 22 deaths from choic reported

QUEEN OF FIGHTING CRAFT.

The Cruiser Brooklyn Greater Every Way .. ban the New York. PHILADELPHIA, May 13 .- The cruiser Brooklyn or as she has been more appropriately dubbed, the "Greater New York." has returned triumphant to her dock at Cramp's shippard. Her journey up the Delaware river from the capes was almost one continuous ovation, every factory along the way saluting the queen of fighting craft as she passed, and flags were dropped re-

peatedly. The most conspicuous objects about the Brooklyn as she steamed up the river were the big numerals "21.07," painted in white on each side of the central smoke stack. These figures told to passing craft the story of the successful speed test. The Bro-klyn has been designer as a more effective ship than the New York, being longer, heavier and possessed of supposed greater fighting qualities. Although the speed called for is the same, many of those on board are confident that she will, on her official test, about July 15, accomplish 22 knots, or one knot more than the New York.

Work is being pushed on the battle-ship lowa and it is expected she will be sent away from the yard for her un-official trial about Sept 1.

A SEIZURE BY RUSSIA.

An American Scores a Point For That Country In China. LONDON, May 13.-A special dispatch from Shanghai says that the Russians through an American agent named Smith have taken possession of the disputed territory at Chefoo, over which the British claim rights. Six Russian warships are there, as well as the Detroit, Yorktown, Olympia and Machias of the United States navy.

The dispatch adds that intense excite

ment prevails at Chefoo.

A dispatch to The Globe from Shanghai says that the Russians have seized lot 12 of the British concession at Chefoo in defiance of all legal and treaty The Globe's editorial comment on the

dispatches from Shanghai contains the remark that: "The seriousness of the news from Chefoo cannot be overestimated. The action taken is in direct contravention of existing laws and treaties and cannot be viewed by Great Britain as other

FILLEY HAS THE CALL. The Missouri Republican Convention

than an unfriedly act."

Adopts McKinley Resolutions St. Joseph. Mo., May 13 - The Republican state convention was in session all night owing to the fight between the

the Filley and Kerens factions. The Filley contested delegates have been Before the opening of the convention members of both factions tried to break into the hall, and the police were compelled to use their clubs freely.

The platform declares for sound money and well-known Republican principles. The delegates are instructed

to vote for McKinley. A. P. A. Supreme Council,

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The supreme council of the American Protective as sociation has held an informal meeting. the first of the convention. No special business was transacted, except the appointment of a committee on credentials, which is arranging to seat all contesting delegations

Trying to Save Jackson's Neck. NEWPORT, Ky., May 13.—The argument in the Jackson trial continues Colonel Crawford devoted much time in an attempt to discredit the testimony of the two negroes Allen Johnson and George H. Jackson, the cabman, but his greater effort was to create a doubt as to whether the girl was killed in Ohio or Kentucky, and also to establish an alibi for Scott Jackson.

Deadly Quarrel Over Women. HOPRINSVILLE, Ky., May 13.—At White Oak Grove Ed Long has been shot through the heart and instantly killed. A quarrel over two women had arisen, when pistols were drawn and

shots fired, one of them striking Long, an innocent bystander. Five of the combatants were arrested on suspicion. Ex-Senator Davis' Son Drouned. WHEELING, May 13 - Word has been received of the drowning at sea of Henry G. Davis, Jr., son of ex-Senator Henry G. Davis and brother-in law of Senator Stephen B. Elkins. Davis had

taken a crosse to South Africa for his health and was accidentally drowned in midocean. THE MARKETS

PITTSBURG, May 12 WHEAT-No 1 red, 78 874c, No 2 red 71@ 72c; soring wheat 7007le. CORN-No 2 yellow ear, 35\6635\c: No shelled, 34 office, high mixed shelled, 35%@ Migo; mixed ear, me

OATS-No 1 white, 25@25%c, No 2 do 24 024160; extra No 3 white, 23549240, light mixed 22 carrie HAY-No 1 tonothy \$15.25@15.50 No. timothy, \$13.500013.75, mixed clover, \$14 min 14.25; packing, \$8.5009.00; No i feeding print rte, \$11 500g12.00; wagon hay, \$19.00g20.00 for

timethy. BUTTER-Figin creamery, 1814@1914c, Ohto laney creamery, 16%17c; fancy country, roll H@12c; low grade and cooking 7@8c CHEESE-Fancy New York, full cream. large size, 95 girlio, New York flats, 10 0 1050 lancy Ohios, 85600c; Wis onsta Swiss in tubs. 14014540, hmburger, 12504130; Ohio Swiss in tubs, 1354@14c. Swiss, in square blocks, 1354@

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CATTLE-Receipts fair this week; 50 cars on sale; market ruled slow and draggy at a decline of 10@12c on all grades. We quote prices as follows: Prime, \$4.20@4.30, good \$4 10@4 20; good butchers, \$3 80@4 10; rough tat, \$3:0023:5; bulls, stags and cows, \$17500 3.50, fresh cows and springers \$15:040 HOGS-Receipts liberal on Monday; demand tan; market steady; today's run light; demand light; market slow. We quote prices

common to fair Yorkers, \$3.50,43.55; beavy hogs, \$3.45@3.50; roughs, \$2.00@3.00 SHEEP AND LAMBS-Supply fair on Monday, 22 cars on sale; market fair; prices luck the lower on both sheep and lambs; medina grades selling best; today the receipts are fair and market steady. We quote as follows: Prime sheep, \$3.65@3.75; good, \$3.00@3.65, fair \$3.20@3.40, common, \$2.75@3.00; cults, \$1.00@ 200; choice lambs, \$450-24.80; common to good lambs, \$3.5074.25; spring lambs, \$5.00@7 00 vest calves. \$400@4.60, heavy and thin calves.

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CINCINNATI, May 12 HOGS-Market active and strong at 13 300 3.50 Receipts, 4,000 head; shipments, 3,000 CATTLE-Market steady at \$2 65@4 25 R ceipts, 200 head: shipments, none SHEEP AND LAMBS-Market steady a \$2.00@3.50 Receip is, 1,100 head; shipments.

700 bead Lambs-|farket steady at \$3.25@4.50

spring, \$4.00,85.00. WHEAT-Spot market brm. No 22 red. 15%c; No 1 hard 73%c. CORN-Spot market steady. No 2 1554c. OATS-Spot market active in an export way; No. 2, 24% @25a CATTLE-Market quiet and lower on common to medium steers and medium to good

dry cows N-tive steers, poor to prime, \$3.50 @4.60; Colo- dos, \$4.00 a 6 27%; oxen, \$4.00; bulls, \$2.75@. J; dry cows, \$1.80@3.25. SHEEP AND LAMBS-Market quiet and lower Clipp 1 sheep, poor to fair, \$3.00@4.00; chipped lambs, common to choice, \$4.50@4.25. spring lambs, \$2.00@4.00 each. BOGS-Market weak at \$3.70@4.10.

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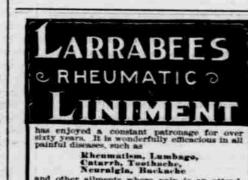
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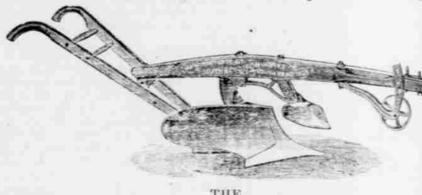
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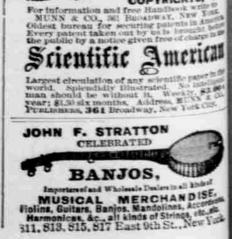
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