Out of the fifty-one descendants of the King and Queen of Denmark, but one, the Duke of Clarence, is dead.

According to the San Francisco Chronicle the steady influx of Japanese into the United States is not viewed with pleasure by the working classes.

At the beginning of the present century there were in the United States five millionaires. Now there are more than 7000. How many will there be fifty years hence?

British farmers are asking their Government to take steps to protect them from the field-mice, which are invading the country, particularly Scotland, in great numbers, and devastating the

The San Francisco Chronicle aversthat "had any prophet twenty years ago predicted that German beer would take the place of French wine as the popular drink of Paris, he would have been regarded as a candidate for an insane ssylum; yet this change has come to pass."

An element in the Southern industrial situation not to be lost sight of, the Washington Star remarks, is the failure of railroad management to pay. Eleven companies with a mileage of over a thousand miles of completed road have in less than two years gone into the receivers' hands.

The Atlanta Journal admits that the rising generation in the Indian Territory have reached the front rank in the march of civilization, and are keeping right up with the procession. The young ladies of the female seminary at Talequah, the Cherokee capital, have arranged to give a leap year ball, and the young men of Eufaula, in the Creek Nation, are organizing a cornet band.

I. C. Libby, of Burnham, Me., who has large cattle interests in Montana, says that if the farmers of Maine would live in shacks, as they do in Montana, with no furniture to speak of and the coarsest of food, no Sundays, no boiled shirts, no top carriages, no pianos or other articles of luxury, they could make money just as fast as it is made in the West. Mr. Libby thinks that a year in grumbling at his native State.

The males are in the majority in the United States. The Census Bureau has finds that in 1890 there were in the that leaves us so little time to think." United States 32,067,880 males and 30, 554,370 females. In the decade the increase of males was 25.66 per cent., while that of females was 24.02 per cent. Of the 62,622,650 inhabitants enumerated 53,372,703 were born in the United States. The colored people, including in that category Chinese, 7,638,360.

In endeavoring to find causes for the present deplorable condition of affairs existing in that portion of Russia commonly known as "the famine district," one almost inevitably concludes, after even a slight examination, writes W. C. Edgar in the Forum, that other and more weighty ones than that usually given (the unfavorable weather of last year) are at the bottom of it. The longer the investigation is continued, the firmer grows the impression that fundamentally the system of communal ownership of land is responsible for the situation. The "mir" or community has simply exhausted itself, and the thirty years which have elapsed since the emancipation of the serfs have been more than sufficient to demonstrate that the entire foundation upon which Russian agriculture is based is radically weak, and that the practical result of holding land in common, at least in Russia, is a complete and utter

The climate of the United States is much the same now that it was a hundred years ago, though perhaps a little milder, for astronomers tell us that the North Pole is actually moving southwhich is good news for the explorers of the future-and yet the aborigines of America lived to a good old age before "sanitary woolens" were invented, or overcoats had come in style. In fact, if we are to believe the historians, they wore leggins, moccasions and bunting shirt of deer skin with the hairy side turned toward the body, and caps made of the fur of animals, and that was all they did wear. When these garments were wet through, for you know mackintoshes and umbrellas are the products of an "effeta civilization," they were about as comfortable as none at all, and when frozen stiff, as they often were on a winter's morning, "Lo" might as well have donned sheet-iron stove pipes instead of his primitive trousers and been equally and coarsely sifted coal ashes make an

Some Paris sugar refiners not long ago alleged that their loss of sugar by thefts of bees amounted to \$80,000 per annum.

The official statistics of France have shown that in 1891 about 72,000 persons died of starvation in that country, and the number of those who became insane from misery amounted to 75,000.

A gentleman of Concord, Mass., boldly asserts that pie of various kinds is a brain stimulator, and he cites Emerson, Gladstone, Carlyle, Moliere and others as giants who thrived on pie.

Formerly nearly every man wore boots, but now shoes are the prevailing style of footgear. The change has had a great effect on the leather market. The curtailment this season will amount to one million sides of finished leather.

A striking fact about the Chinese use of tea, which is told on the authority of a Chinese officer, is that it is employed for preserving the bodies of the dead. A corpse placed in the centre of a chest of tea, he says, will "keep" for years. He further asserts that tea which has been employed in this capacity is often exported for foreign consumption, the boxes being marked in a way known only to the natives.

The United States is making rapid strides in accumulating wealth. The revised census figures give the wealth of the Nation as \$63,648,000,000, or about \$1000 each for every man, woman and child. Population has about doubled since 1860, and so has the per capita wealth, which was then only \$514. The wealth of Great Britain is estimated at \$50,000,000,000: Uncle Sam is ahead in the race, and yet he has only commenced the real development of his vast resources. Within twenty-five years, predicts the Poston Cultivator, New York City will be the money centre of the world, a position now held by Lon-

In a close study of the problem of domestic service Mrs. C. H. Stone says: "I do not wish to imply that intelligent romen are to blame for the present condition of things. There is a difference between being the cause of a condition and being to blame for it. Women have had a trying time in this century. The rapidity with which our sex has been raised from the position of head cook to Montana would cure a Maine farmer of that of the most responsible of human beings-without adequate preparation at that-makes one dizzy to think of. A century is a short time in which to pass from the belief that even a knowledge recently completed its classification of of writing may be superfluous for a the population by sex and nativity, and | woman of to-day's indiscriminate study,

"While it is true," states George R.

Knapp, of New Jersey, in the American Agriculturist, "that nearly all incorporated towns have laws compelling the building of sidewalks, and regulating their width, material, etc., is it not as evident that the necessity for some sidewalk in Japanese, and civilized Indians, numbered | the country is sufficiently great to warrant the agitation of the subject? I would not, for a moment, advocate any law which would compel the building and maintenance of plank, flag, or even gravel walks in the country, but a well defined path or sidewalk might be had without injury to any one. It is true that the average pathmaster would be of little use in carrying out a plan of this nature, but certainly it is possible to so construct a law that the parsimonious man can be made to fall in with his more public spirited fellow citizens. I remember well a New York farm I worked some years ago which had a frontage of nearly five hundred feet on the road. At an expense of less than ten dollars in labor a path four feet wide was constructed along that whole front. The work consisted simply in marking out, by means of lines, the required width, using an edge cutter to loosen the sod next to the lines, and a horse, with a light plow, to loosen up the earth and sod between the lines; the iron scraper was then brought into play, and the work of making a path was done, with the exception of the trimming up, which was performed with a hoe. Near New York many of the towns are so close together that there is practically no division line which is to be seen by the casual observer. In most cases these are macadamized roads running the whole distance through to the city. Certainly there is nothing which will prevent the path I speak of being constructed at the side of such a road. In some places it is done, and the expense is so small and the improvement so great that, from a pecuniary standpoint solely, it has been considered a good investment. Public spirit is all very well in its place, but we all know that it is possible for three or four close fisted men in a town to prevent improvements which are plainly for the good of the whole community. Some way of converting these short-sighted people is what we want. Gravel paths are used in Ohio,

excellent covering for sidewalks."

## SHOT BY THE ROBBERS.

The Dalton Bandits Loot a Train in Indian Territory.

Over \$75,000 in Booty Secured After a Fight.

Missouri, Kansas and Texas train No. 2, northbound, was robbed at Adair, twenty miles south of Vinita, Indian Territory, a few nights ago. For a week it has been known that the notorious Dalton boys, with several associates, making a party of eleven, were in the country and the railroad com-

pany put guards on its night train.

It was expected that Prior Creek would be the point of attack, and until the train whistled for Adair no one thought of an attack there. Just as the train whistled, several men surrounded Night Operator Haywood at the station and ordered him to flag it. As they were armed he had no alternative and complied. As the conductor stepped off the train he was made prisoner, and a moment later the entire crew were doing duty as breastworks.

breastworks.

There was a short fight, in which Detective J. J. Kinney of the railroad company was shot in the shoulder, and Indian Police Captain Laflore in the arm. An officer named Johnston had his watch shot to rises the same built embedding used in pieces, the same bullet embedding itself in

While this fight was going on, or immediately after, a volley was poured into the Pacific express car, and Messenger George P. Williams opened the door. The offic were compelled to stop firing lest they shot some of the train craw. The express local safe was quickly robbed of \$75,000, and the messenger was ordered to open the through safe. He declared that he could not unlock that went to work and soon got the declared. it, but went to work and soon got the door

While the express car was being robbed the operator was taken into the station and ordered to open the station safe, but finally convinced the men that he could not do so. The cash drawer was broken open and \$3 or \$4 taken from it.

When the robbery was completed three or four of the men started down the street west from the depot, and 200 feet from it they passed Dr. W. L. Goff, of Frederickstown and Dr. T. S. Youngolood of Adair sitting on a porca. They fire I at the two men. and fell forward, exclaiming "I am
" Dr. Youngolood, although shot in the leg, started to run, but another builet brought him down. He made his way to the depot, however, and told what had happened. Goff was found to be badly wounded in

Youngblood was shot in the leg and in the foot. Both were taken abound the train, where surgical aid could be obtained. Dry Frontier and Bagby, the local surgeons of the road, were summoned, and made an examination of the wounded men. Dr. Goff had bled a great deal. One of his legs were amputated, but he died next morning at 6

The wounds of Dr. Youngblood were speedily dressed, as were also those of the officers. On a subsequent examination of Dr. Youngblood's wounds it was foun i nec-

essary to amputate his foot at the instep, There were eight officers on the train and there were eight oncers on the train and there were eight men engaged in the rob-bery. The amount of booty secured is a matter of conjecture. The night operator says the robbers filled one sack and partly filled another.

The robbers have good horses, and, knowing the country well, having live i here for years until three years ago, are more than likely to escape.

Within the last seven years five robberies have occurred on the M. K. & T. Railroad, within thirty-five miles of that place, but not since the first of these has any one ocea. killed or even wounded until nor

## THE LABOR WORLD.

THE filemakers went on strike in Philadel-

CARPET manufacturers are making more Carpet.

NEARLY 150,000 toilers at Pittsburg, Penn., are idle.

THE last great iron and steel strike was in 882. It cost \$12,000,000.

The rolling mill output has been veduced, and the iron trade generally is dull. THE International Union of Bricklayers and Masons has at present 305 local branches. THE wages of the city laborers in Holyoke, Mass., have been increased to \$2 a

A two per cent, increase in wages has been made in the Pennsylvania coal re-

THE labor and farmers' organizations of

Kansas City, Mo., have no minated a county THE New York City street cleaning bri-

gade wear uniforms and have numbers on their hats.

TENTHOUSAND miners in the San Juan District, Colorado, have made up their minds to strike

THE construction of a good deal of additional mileage is also recognized as within the probability of the next year or two.

THE Belgian Government Board of Arbitration has settled 1145 grievances in the harlerol District alone during the last six

In all of the New England States the smaller industries are beginning to run full time, and a busy summer seems to be assured on all sides.

Oven 18,000 men are employed in naviga-ting 1114 steamers an 1 6339 barges on the Mississippi River and its tributaries. They earn an average wage of \$350 a year. FIFTY clerks and thirty boys have been

dded to the postoffice force in Chicago The increase is made to meet the large vol-ume of business caused by the World's Fair.

THE annual financial report of the American Flint Glass Workers' Union shows that the Union has at present 7303, whose aggregate wages amounted to \$4,600,420 last year. They have a surplus of \$128,000 in the treas-

THE sympathetic strike of the pavers and rammermen of New York City, in aid of the locked-out granite cutters in the New England States, ended in an unconditional surrender of the Union to the terms offered by the paving contractors. The strike lasted

# FLOODS IN ALABAMA.

Hundreds of Acres of Crops Destroyed

and Houses Swept Away. The floods in the Warrior and Tombigbee Rivers in Alabama caused by the recent heavy rains, were unprecedented at this season of the year. The overflow of the lands in cultivation in the valleys of the two rivers was the most damaging in years. An additional rise of a few inches spread the water over hundreds of acres of luxuriant corn and cottou, and the result was their total de-

struction.
Some of the largest plantations on the lowiands were entirely submerged, and the lowiands were driven out. There was much destruction and suffering among the tenant class, mostly colored planters, who have been driven from their homes.

Governor Jones issued a proclamation, calling upon the citizens of the State in sections not affected by the floods to contribute to the wants of the sufferers. In response the Mayors of the cities ap-

pointed committees to solicit subscriptions in their aid. The loss to the planters and farmers in the river bottom lands will aggre-gate millions in stock, cultivated fields and homes swept away by the waters.

## THE NEWS EPITOMIZED.

Eastern and Middle States. CHARLES PARSONS, aged seventeen; Willie Day, twelve, and Fred Pièrce, twelve, got beyond their depth while bathing at New Portland, Me., and were drowned before assistance could be rendered.

EX-LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FRANCIS B. LOOMIS, of New London, Conn., died in Hartford a few days ago. He was born in Lyme, Conn., April 9, 1812.

THERESA BLESSING, eighteen, and Louisa Heany, fourteen, both of Providence, were drowned while bathing off Pleasant Bluff,

GEORGE H. WENSEL, aged twenty-seven Superintendent of the Newburg (N. Y. Paper Box Manufactory, discharged all the employes and then committed suicide by

MRS, HARRISON continues to improve in nealth at Loon Lake N. V Parker reached there from Washington and said the President would return to the mountains as soon as Congress adjourned. THE Congress Committee finished its in-

quiry into the troubles at Homestead, Penn. A VIOLENT tornado struck the town of Auburn, N. H., destroying trees and growng crops.

THE National Educational Association ended its session in Saratoga, N. Y. NON-UNION men were set to work in the sig mills at Homestead, Penn. Mr. Frick took advantage of the presence of the sol-liers to bring in fifty or sixty men, and fires were kindled again in some of the fur-saces. The non-union men came in small parties after the strikers' scrutiny of new arrivals was stopped by General Snowden. The entire force of assistants to the civil engineers in the employ of the Carnegie Steel Company struck out of sympathy for the locked out men.

THE body of Cyrus W. Field was buried beside that of his wife, in the family plot in the Stockbridge(Mass.) Cemetery.

#### South and West.

AT Paducah, Ky., seventy-five armed clored men had a conflict with the Sheriff's osse, and one of the latter was fatally

STRIKING miners at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho blew up a bridge to prevent the entry of

the Federal troops.

SIXTEEN lives were lost by the capsizing of the pleasure steamer Frankie Folsom at

Two persons were fatally hurt and a large number of buildings destroyed by a tornado at Springfield, Ohio. At least 100 dwell-ings are wrecked. The Zion German-Lutheran Church was struck by lightning and almost totally destroyed.

Bob Masterson, a desperado, shot and fatally wounded Sheriff Bowles at Spokane, Washington, and was himself shot and killed

Tur Kansas Prohibitionists nominated a omplete State ticket at Topeka, headed by J. O. Pickering for Governor.

MISS ETHEL RAMSEY, of Belle's Creek, W. Va., was attacked and killed by a bear while passing through a strip of woods on

THREE Italian laborers were fatally infured by an explosion of naphtha in West-

THREE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED men employed by the Carnegie Company in weat are known as the Lawrenceville mills, at 19th and 33d streets, at Pittsburg. guit work. The day men shut off the natural gas from the furnaces, put everything in good order, and left the mills without any demonstration. No great strike was ever begun so quietly. They struct out of sym-pathy with their brethren at Homestead.

Marrial law was put in force in Shoshone County, Idaho. Federal troops arrived at the Cour d'Alene District, and the riotous

miners assumed a more peaceful aspect. THE State Convention of the People's party at St. Paul, Minn., nominated Ignatius Donnelly for Governor.

THE Governor of Alabama received word from Gainesville, Sumter County, stating that flood sufferers were destitute and without provisions for even twenty hours, and asking him to appeal to Congress for their

CHARLES BLACKMAN, colored, has been hanged in the jail yard in Greensboro, N. C. for wife murder

NEWTON BOOTH, ex-Governor of Cali-fornia and ex-United States Senator from California, died at Sacramento, Cal., a few days since, in his sixty-seventh year. Mr. was born in Salem, Ind., and went West in 1850.

QUARANTINE has been ordered at Puget ound, Washington, against British C bia on account of the smallpox prevalent at Victoria.

THE non-union men were escorted back to the mines at Wardner, Idaho, by a strong force of Federal troops. There was no hostile demonstration upon their arrival.

## Washington.

Captain Heats has reported to the War Department that the sinking of the Tilton off Sandy Hook, N. J., by a shot from a ten-inch rifle was beyond prevention.

SECRETARY FOSTER has ordered the colction of \$500 fine from the American steamer Oteri for violating the neutrality laws by aiding the insurgents in Honduras. This is the steamer lately reported pressed into the

THE President has signed the Pension Appropriation bill and the River and Harvor Appropriation bill

THE Senate passed the World's Fair bill y a vote of fifty-one to fourteen. Mr. Peffer's proposition that liquor shall not be sold on the Fair grounds, and Mr. Quay's Sunday closing amendment were a dopted.

Russia has accepted the invitation of the United States to participate in the International Monetary Conference. The matter will now be laid before Congress.

THE nomination of Lieutenant Samuel C. Lemly, to be Judge Advocate General of the

Navy, has been sent to the Senate. THE President has signed the Indian Appropriation bill; also the Postoffice Appro-

THE proprietors having failed to comply with the requirements of the new building regulations, an order was issued revoking the license of the new National Theatre. Washington is now without a licensed play-

THE President has withdrawn the nomination of William D. Crum (colored) as postmaster of Charleston, S. C.

THE President has approved the act to establish an intermediate rate of pension between \$30 and \$72 per month; the act extending the privileges of the immediate transportation act of the port of Fernandina, Fia.; the District of Columbia appropriation act and a number of private pension

## Foreign.

A CABLEGRAM from London states that William Waldorf Astor is not dead. The report that he had expired was cabled to his New York agent by some malicious person for the purpose, it is thought, of annoying the family. THE returns from the Midlothian district

of Edinburghshire, Scotland, show that Gladstone is re elected to the British Parliament by a majority of less than 700 votes. The Liberal leader received 5750, and his Liberal-Union opponent, 5077.

THE Argentine torpedo catcher Rosales oundered in a storm off the coast of Jruguay. The officers were saved. The crew, numbering seventy, at last reports, were missing.

WIDESPREAD rioting in Spain has been caused by the octpoi duties. THE work of searching for the bodies of those who lost their lives in the terrible dis-

# aster at St. Gervals-les-Bains, when the Bionassy Glacier broke loose from the side of Mont Blanc and swept down the ravine in which Et. Gervais is situated, was con-tinued. Seventy-five persons staying at the holel, forty servants and forty-five peasants of Le Fayet, were killed.

A BALLOON left Havre, France, with three

passengers, all of whom were drowned. DURING an election row between the Parnellites and anti-Parnellites at Shull, County Cork, Ireland, one man was killed and several were seriously injured.

GIFTS of money and clothing are urgently needed at St. John's, Newfoundlan', the burned-out people being practically without

THE Czar of Russia, walle aboard his yacht, sent word to the Imperial Chamber-lain, M. Lindholm, that he wished to see The Chamberlain tripped on the cabin stairs and fell at the feet of the Czır, sus taining injuries which resulted in his death.

## FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

#### In the Senate,

129TH DAY .- Mr. Manderson introduced a bill directing the Secretary of State to affix the great seal of the United States to the document entitled "The Administration of the Government of the United States at the Beginning of the 400th anniversary of the Discovery of America" — The Sundry

Civil Appropriation bill was discussed.

130TR DAY.—Mr. Washburn spoke in support of the Anti-Option bill——The proposal to close the World's Fair on Sunday was discussed.

13ist DAY .- The Anti-Option bill was put back upon the calendar, losing its advau-tageous position—Sunday closing of the World's Fair was discussed.

1320 DAY.—The World's Fair appropria-tion bill was passed. The Quay proviso for Sunday closing of the Fair and the Peffer amendment for prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquor were adopted in Committee

1330 DAf.—The proviso, closing the World's Fair on Sunday, passed in Committee of the Whole, was confirmed, that prohibiting liquor was rejected—The appropriation for the Geological Survey was largely reduced—Mr. Higgins introduced a bill for retaliatory measures toward Cana-da for its unjust discrimination against the Unite i States-The Senate Committee on Contingent Expenses reported a resolution calling for an investigation by seven Sena-tors of the employment of Pinkertons not only in regard to the Homestead trouble, but since they were first heard of— Mr. Sherman introduced a bill repealing the provisions of the act of 1890, commonly known as the Sherman act, which requires the monthly purchase of 4,500,000 ounces of silver. It also repeals the provision for the ssue of Treasury notes in payment thereof. but at the same time provides that nothing in this act should impair or change the legal character of the silver certificates already

134TH DAY.—The Senate confirmed the nomination of William H. Leaycraft as Assistant Appraiser of Merchandise in the dis trict of New York—The Senate agreed to a House resolution further extending exist-ing appropriations till July 33—The Senate concurred in the House amendments to the Naval Appropriation bill, and the bill

#### In the House,

151st DAY .- The Stewart bill for the free coinage of silver was favorably reported without amendment — The House devoted the remainder of the day to the discussion of conference, those on the Postoffice and Invalid Pension Appropriation bills and the Arizona Funding being agreed to. The re-ports on the Naval and the Legislative Appropriation bills were disagreed to, and

ew conferences were ordered. 1520 DAY.—The Speaker appointed Messrs. 1520 DAY.—The Speaker appointed Messrs, Herbert, Lawson, of Virginia, and Dolliver as conferrees on the Naval Appropriation bill—Mr. Whoeler submitted the conference report on the Military Academy Appropriation bill. The report was agreed to—yeas, 112; nays, 96—On motion of Mr. Bentley a bill was passed appropriating \$250,000 for the publication of the Eleventh Census—Mr. Dockery presented a disagreeing report on the District sented a disagreeing report on the District of Columbia Appropriation bill. A further conference ordered—Mr. Outhwaite presented a disagreeing report on the Army Appropriation bill. A further conference

15ith DAY .- The resolution proposing a Constitutional amendment as to election of

155TH DAY,-The Rules Committee's resolution to consider the Silver bill was de-feated by a vote of 154 to 185—The House then proceeded to the consideration of the

conference report on private bills.

156TH DAY, -Mr. Scott introduced a bill making it unlawful for any transportation empany to carry any body of armed men, whether assuming to act as detectives or police force or not, other than United States or State troops --- Mr. Raines introduced a bill appropriating, under certain conditions, \$50,000 for the purpose of testing principles in aeronautics and machines on plans sug-gested by Hyland C. Kirk in the Engineering Magazine for February, 1890 - Foe House yielded to the Senate on the Naval

Appropriation bill,
157H DAY,-Mr. Watson endeavored to ecure consideration of a resolution to investigate the labor troubles at the Cour ene mines, Idabo, and the conduct of the Sullivan police therein, but objection was made —Mr. Enloe offered a resolution calling on the Postmaster-General for inon as to whether any new mail service has been established since March 4, 1889, the amount of pay per mile, and the com-pleted lines upon which postal service has not been placed. The resolution was passed, 169 to three——The House went into Committee of the Whole on the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill, Mr. Lester in the chair. All the amendments were non-concurred in except that in relation to the World's Fair o'clock. The night session was devoted to

## POWDER MILL BLOWN UP.

Three Americans and Three Chinese Killed in California.

An explosion occurred at the Judson Giant Powder Works near West Berkeley, twelve miles from San Francisco, Cal., just after 9 o'clock in the morning, destroying the works and much property for several miles around. Five shocks were felt in San Francisco within a few minutes, the last four being of terrific force, shaking buildings, cracking a number of walls, and breaking plate-glass in build-ings eight blocks up from the water front. Six lives are known to have been lost—

three white men and three Chinamen, Thousands of people visited the scene of the explosion next day and gazed wonderingly at the immense cavities dug in the side of the hill by the force of the explosion, and at the wrecks of the buildings. The damage to the powder and chemical works is estimated at over \$290,000 and probably \$25,000 more damage was done in San Francisco and Oakland by windows breaking.

## BURNED AND SUFFOCATED.

Eight Children Lose Their Lives in a Burning Building.

A terrible disaster at Berkhampstead, England, resulted in the death of eight children. A planing mill having caught fire the

caretaker en leavored to reach the basement, where his eight children were sleeping. Five were suffocated on the staircase, while the other three were burned to desta.

The wife was rescued from an upper

## TORNADO SINKS A STEAMFR

Many Lives Lost on the Pleasure Craft Frankie Folsom at Peoria.

The river steamer Frankie Folsom, from Pekin, Ill., with seventy persons on board, was sunk in Peoria Lake a few nights ago.

Twenty of her passengers were drowned, despite the efforts of the crew and the rescued passengers to save them. When it was seen that the vessel was spra to sink the panic on board was heartrending to witness. The passengers made frantic efforts to avoid the awful fate which stared

them in the face, and their appeals for help were pitiful to hear.
Professor Paine had been giving a pyrotechnic display there for the past two weeks, and a good view of the exhibition could be obtained from the lake in the northern part of the city, and large numbers on excursion boats and small rowboats took advantage of

the free exhibition. It was a tornado that caused the disaster At 10 o'clock the tornado swept unannounced over Peoria, Ill., leaving death and destruc-tion on all sides. At Lake View Park, a mile above the city, a representation of Pompeii was being given.

For this occasion the Folsom came up with forty passengers. A landing was made, and two or three couples joined the party. There were also fifteen got on the boat at the park, so that the passenger list reached

As the boat came out of the landing and started down to the city she was struck by the tornado and turned over. She was about midway in the river and sank rapidly.

More trouble with the Indians is announced by the Secretary of the Interior as likely to occur in the near future, unless claims made by some of the redskin depredations are adjudicated and paid.

#### THE MARKETS.

Late Wholesale Prices of Country Produce Quoted in New York.

BEANS AND PEAS. Beans-Marrow, 1891, choice. \$2 10 @\$ Medium, 1891, choice.... 1 60 @ 2 00 Pea, 1891, choice.... — White kidney, 1891, choice 2 40 2.50

@ 160 Creamery—St.,&Penn,extras 2014@ St. & Penn, firsts...... 19 @ Western, firsts..... Western, seconds..... State dairy-half tubs, and pails, extras... Half tubs and pails, 1sts. Half tubs and pails, 2ds. Welsh tubs, extras..... Welsh tubs, 1sts..... Welsh tubs, 2ds..... Western—Im. creamery, 1sts.

Im. creamery, 2ds. . . . . Im. creamery, 3ds ..... 15 1434 @ CHEESE. State factory-Full cream, large size white, fancy ... Full cream, colored, fancy 7540 full cream good to prime Part skims, choice Part skims, good to prime Part skims, common.... Full skims..... EGGS.

State and Penn—Fresh..... Western—Fresh, fancy.... Fresh, fair to prime..... FRUITS AND BERRIES-FRESH.

Cherries, large, black, lb.... Large, red and white.... Jersey, per quart.... Md. & Del., per quart... Blackberries, Md., per qt.... Jersey, per quart....

Gooseberrries, prime green, qt. Raspberries, red, Jersey, pint. Currants, large, lb...... Small, per lb..... State-1891, choice, per lb... 19 22 00 1890, common to choice.. Old odds.....

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LIVE POULTRY. Fowls-Jersey, State, Penn. . -Roosters, old, per lb...... Turkeys, per lb..... Ducks-N. J., N. Y., Penn., 836 per pair..... Southern, per pair..... 50 @ 60 Geese, Western, per pair.... 1 25 @ 1 37

Southern, per pair..... 1 12 @ Pigeons, per pair..... 30 @ DRESSED POULTRY-FRESH KILLED. Turkeys-Selected hens, lb. 14 @ Mixed weights.... Toms, fair to prime..... Chickens—Phila., broilers... L. I. broilers..... Fowls—St. and Penn., per lb Western, per lb..... Ducks-Western, per lb.....

20 VEGETABLES. Potatoes-Southern, seconds @ 175 L. I., in bulk, per bbl. . \_ \_ Cabbage, L. I. per 100 . . . . 200
Norfolk, per barrel . \_ \_ Conions—Eastern shore, bbl. . 250 40 5 00-

Eastern shore, basket.... 1 25 Squash-Southern, marrow, 75 @ 100 @ 100 @ 250 Peas, S. Jersey, 6 bbl. basket — 62 — 25 Long Island, per bag. . . . 1 00 @ 1 25 Cucumbers, Charleston, crate 42 @ 00 Jersey, per basket . . . — @ 1 00 @ 1 25 Tomatoes, So. Jersey crate . 1 50 @ 2 00 Maryland, per crate . . . . 1 50 @ 2 53

LIVE STOCK. 

GRAIN, ETC. Flour-City Mill Extra.... 4 25 @ 4 45. Patents...... 4 90 @ 4 85 87 79