'Commodore' Miller and 12 other con victs working in a camp about six miles from Dallas, Tex., assaulted and disarmed the guards, and escaped. A hundred armed and mounted men are in pursuit.

W. R. Crossett, of Hope, Ark., who de-ulted with \$21,000 school funds and consaderable money belonging to the People's Bank, of which he was cashier, has been ar-ested at New Orleans. He attributes his downfall to speculations.

Two practical joker fools in Kansas City attached an electric wire to a piece of ma-chinery which T. R. Vincent handled. Mr. t is now dead and the officers are oking for the two practical jckers.

Sergent Alfred Halliday, drill instructor of the Twenty-second Regiment, employed by Arnold & Constable, New York, was held in \$1,500 for forgery. \$He confessed baving robbed the firm of \$1,500 the last 15 weeks. He spent the money in fast living.

Jacob Breitstein, a carpenter, shot his wife three times at San Francisco and then eent a bullet into his own head. Both were mortally wounded. The couple had been separated several months, owing to domestic roubles caused by jealously on Breiten-stein's part, and a suit for divorce by the woman was to have been heard in the Superior Court on Wednesday.

Washington was excited Wednesday by the suicide of Colonel William P. Canady, ex-eergeant-at-arms of the United States He shot himself in the head shortin the morning the Colonel's office was burglarized and his partner, J.G. A. Houghton, told him he did not believe it, and that he would have the Colonel arrested for it. This affected the ex-sergeant-at-arms very greatly and was the cause of his suicide.

Frederick Mellenberg, of Patterson, N. J., nurdered his wife, wounded his daughter murdered his wife, wounded his daug and killed himself. Family quarrels

A man named Murphy shot and fatally wounded his wife, in New York, because she asked him for money to buy bread for the children's breakfast.

Congressional Nominations

The Democratic Congressional Conven-tion of the Second Alabama district met again at Evergreen, Ala., having adjourned at Brewton over a week ago after 750 bal-lots. J. F. Stallings, of Butler was nominated on the one thousandth ballot.

H. F. Hixson, of Racine, Wis., has been cominated for Congress by the People's

The Republicans of the Second district of Wisconsin have nominated Lucius B. Caswell, of Ft. Atkinson, for Congress.

State Senator W. S. McNary was nominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Penth Massachusetts district. The Ninth district Democrats renominated Joseph H. Congressman Robert E. DeForest, of the

Fourth Connecticut district was renomina-ted by the Democrats. Lewis Sperry was nominated by the Democrats of the First district. The Republicans of the Twelfth Texas district have nominated Henry Terrell for

Congress. Marcellus Audier of Port Washington,

Wis., was nominated for Congress from the Fifth Congressional district by the People's party. Gus Wilson was nominated for Congres

by the Republicans of the Fifth Kentucky

Henry Terrell, Assistant United States District Attorney, and brother of Edwin Terrel, Minister to Belgium, has been nomina-ted by the Republicans as candidate for Con-Twelfth (Pa.) district against The Democrats of the First Maryland con-

gressional district nominated Senator John B. Brown to fill the unexpired term of Hen-try Page, who resigned to accept a judgeship, and ex-president of the State Senate Robert F. Brattan for the full term. John A. Quackenbush was nominated for

Congress by the Nineteenth district Republicans of New York, at Troy.

The Second district Republican Congress ional Convention of Connecticut nominated Congressman Stephen W. Kellogg, of Wat-

The Hon. Al S. Berry, mayor of Newport, Ky., was nominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Fifth district after taking 372 ballots. This is Carlisle's old district. Disasters. Accidents and Fatalities.

Fire at the home of Washington Stucker. Fire at the nome of washington studeer, Shelbyville, Ind., burned his house and two small children. The father rushed through the flames and secured the children, but not

re they were fatally burned. The bursting of a locomotive boiler near Coalburg, Ala., killed Engineer Elmore and wounded three others.

Brunswick, Ga., was visited by a cloud erst, which damaged \$20,000 worth of operty and flooded a number of streets with four feet of water.

The dwelling of Samuel Adkinson, Teloup, Kan., was struck by lightning Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Adkinson and their two children were killed. The house

Two Idaho prospectors William Carlett and Henry Gerford, while hunting in a canon, were killed by mountain lions.

By the explosion of a boiler in the saw-mill of Joseph Lalonde at Embrum village, Ont., Pierre Stone and J. B. Lazure were killed and five men badly wounded. A pusher on the Buffalo, Rochester

Emperor William has issued an order to pardon all women in German jails under sentence for first offenses, or for crime at-tributed to distress or anger. A pusher on the Buffalo, Roccesser Apusher on the Buffalo, Roccesser by the explosion of the boiler while standing on a siding 'near Grove Summit, Pa. Engineer Wise and Fireman Flynn were literally blown to pieces. The schooner J. W. Dean, from Paris Boro, N. S., for Digby, having on board s crew of 14, is now 11 days out, and as the run usually occupied half a day, it is sup posed she is lost with all on board.

NANCY TROTS A MILE IN 2.04 runner, Abe Lincoln, stood opposite flag while Nancy was taken well up Capital. Labor and Industrial. The furniture strike at Cincinnati which had assumed National importance, is over. The unions directed their efforts against Robert Michell's factory and Mitchell fought. The strikers have now accepted won an eight-hour day. Two years ago they struck for it in vain.

The union printers in the Milwaukee Sentinet office struck on the employment of non-union men. The latter fill the office

At Pottstown, Pa., the Ellis and Lessig other situations, with pay equating that de-manded of Mitchell, and the latter has now employed non-union men, and is paying lhem what the strikers demanded,

The wages of South Scotland miners wil ed six pence per day, beginning

The Ishpeming, Michigan miners hav Steel and Iron Company have advanced the wages of the mea in the nail works 7½ per

At Decatur, Ill., 300 miners struck because

The locked-out granite cutters at Milford, Mass., have refused to resume work in company with non-union men. The employers will take them back on no other terms.

In a fight between union and non-union lumber handlers at Buffalo, N. Y., Charles Schroeder was stabbed in the back and had

his skull fractured. Thomas Clark was badly hurt and a number of others were

Turf News

Less than 24 hours after Nancy Hanks trotted at Terre Haute, Ind., in 2:04 a pacer has has touched the same mark, and that too in a race. The honor belongs to Mascot, a bay gelding owned in Buffalo. Last Saturday he tied the record of 2:07 made on a kite shaped track, and Thursday lowered this just three seconds, with Flying Jib, who was previously the champion, only a neck behind. This second phenomenal mile by quarters was 224, 314, 294 and 31 seconds, the third being just one quarter of a second faster than Nancy Hanks over the same part of the course.

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Evangeline, a 4-year-old bay mare, owned by A. H. Moore, of Philadelphia, proprietor of the Cloverdale stock farm, died at the club grounds at Columbus, Ind., from a broken hip, caused by getting down in her stall. She made a trotting mark of 2.112, and was valued by her trainer, George Sandwas valued by her trainer.

and was valued by her trainer, George ders, at \$40,000. Moore bought her a year

Fires Minn., was over one-third destroyed by fire. Loss \$15,000: insurance, \$10,000.

At Belingham, Mass., 13 business houses.

ings. Loss \$50,000; insurance, \$25,000. At Warren, Mass., Sayles & Jenks's-woolen mill. Loss, \$300,000; insurance

At North Bend, Neb., half of the business

At Mount Washington on Monday the wind reached a velocity of 150 miles an

The Minneapolis World's Fair Auxiliary

has voted in favor of keeping the Fair ope

Conway's mountaineering party, now in the Hindoo Koosh, have climbed a peak 3,000 feet high. This is 1,000 feet higher

It is learned on the best authority that no railroad corporation operating in Massa-chusetts and doing an extensive business

will comply with the law passed by the last Legislature, requiring them to have on sale mileage books, representing 1,000 miles, for

\$20. and interchangeable on all railro

lines in the State. The law went into effect

October 1, yet no railroad has made prepar-ations to obey it. It is claimed that it is unconstitutional. The roads will simply ig-nore it, and let the commissioners take

The Wisconsin Supreme Court rendered

decision declaring the new apportionment made at the recent extra session of the Legislature invalid. Justice Winslow dis-

sented. Another extra session will doubt-ess be called, and the Legislature will make

second attempt to conform to the rulings

Political.

Governor Wm. E. Russell was unanimous-v renominated, and James B. Carroll was

amed for lieutenant governor by the Mass-

The official figures show the election of

Senator Rodger Q. Mills is lying very ill at orsicana, Texas. He may be unable to

Sir William Johnston Ritchie, chief ins

tice of the Supreme Court of Canada, died at Ottawa, aged 79.

The boll worm is still devastating South

BEYOND OUR BORDERS.

Thirteen persons have died at Angouleme France, after eating what they supposed to

A second victim of the Berlin "Jack, the

of a woman, mutilated after the same butcher who brutally murdered a notor ious woman the other day.

A Portuguese launch at Mozambique was

cked recently, and all but one of its

In celebration of the birth of his daughter

Cleaves the Republican candidate for Gov

achusetts Democratic State Convention.

or in Maine by 12,512 plurality.

take part in the campaign

be mushrooms.

Ripper," has been found.

eight occupants were dre wied.

of the court by framing a third apportion

Loss, \$55,000; insurance, \$10,000. At New Orleans, 24 houses, mostly dwell

part of the town. Loss, \$50,000. Miscellaneous.

than any recorded climb.

Railread News.

whatever course they see fit. Judicial.

ago for \$18,000.

\$270,000.

hour.

on Sunday.

cents a day.

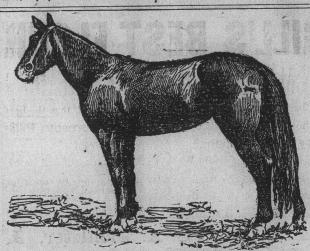
injured.

The Remarkable Time Made on the Old Style Regulation Track. The Growd Covered the Little Piece of Lightung With Roses, and Gav. Doble a Triumph-al Ride on Its Shoulders.

At Terre Haute, Ind., the world's record for the light harness horse, either trotting or pacing, was lowered Wednesday when Nancy Hanks trotted the mile in 2:04. The 10,000 people who saw it sat breathless

nag while Nancy was taken wen by stretch for the start. Coming like a whiriwind down the stretch Abe was at her wheel, and Doble nodded for the word. The clip was a terrific one. She was at the eighth in 15½ seconds and at the custact in 31 seconds. The second was not be compared to the compared to th She was at the eighth in 15½ seconds and at the quarter in 31 seconds. The second, an "up-hill" quarter, was done in 3½ seconds, the half being reached in 1.022. The excited the nail being reached in 1.02?. The excited crowd began to cheer, but at a word of admonition from the judge lapsed into silence. This was only broken by murmured 'oh's" when, the third quarter was done in 294 seconds.

Even the judges were appalled at the wonderful burst of speed and thought the



NANCY HANKS - THE WORLD'S TROTTING RECORD BREAKER.



LATER NEWS WAIFS.

The Postoffice Department will place the The Postomee Department will place the new return postal cards on sale early in October. One is for domestic and the other for international service. The half of the double domestic card is three and a half inches wide by five and a half inches long. The international card is slightly smaller.

The President appointed Orlando H Baker, of Iowa, Consul to Copenhagen to succeed Consul Ryder, who is now awaiting trial in that city for speculation of a large sum of money.

The Brish steamer Bayonne, reported burned at sea, has arrived at Avonmouth, its fire having lasted only 40 minutes.

The grand s'and, Prince of Wales's fox and stables adjoining, on the Aintree track in London, have been destroyed Hectar Jonathan Cremieux, the noted dramatic author, committed suicide in Paris

by shooting himself in the head with a re Samuel Howard Whitfrend has been

elected to supply the vacancy in the house of commons caused by Cyril Flower being elevated to the peerage. The boiler of a steam thresher exploded

at Indiana, Pa., on the premises of County Commissioner A. C. Rakin. Harry Myer aged 14, was blown to pieces. Aaron and Frank Gromley, all prominent citizen of this place, were probably fatally injured

At Rome. Ga., Lord Walter S. Beresfield alias Sidney Lacelles, the noted English forger, was to-day sentenced by Judge Hen to six years hard labor in the peni

At a meeting of the committee of the Schuvlkill, Pa., Exchange the rates of wages for the miners and mine laborers of Schuylkill region was fixed at 6 per cent. above a \$2.50 basis, an increase of three per cent. over the preceding month. All Read ing and Lehigh collieries are included in the

At Chicago, Charles Kee, a Chinese mar ufacturer of cigars, who employs none bu white union cigar makers, to-day defied the edict of the Chinese Six Companies, and made application for a certificate of resi-dence, under the provision of the amended exclusion law.

The League Record.

The following table shows the standing the various base ball clubs:

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Pittsburgh	38	29	0	
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l'hiladelphia				
New York				
Cincinnati				
Cincinnati	2.1	64		
Chicago	02			
Louisville	28			
Baltimore	24	38		
t. Louis	24	45	0	
Washington	22	43	1	

WEATHER-CROP BULLETIN

Condition and Prospects of Growing Farm Products Throughout the Country.

The following is the weather-crop bulle-tin issued by the weather bureau at Wash-The warm, dry weather of the week has

the warm, dry weather to the week has been favorable to outstanding corn, and for cutting and housing tobacco. A large part of the corn crop has already been cut, and that remaining in the fields now is considered safe from injury by frosts, which have, ed sate from injury by frosts, which have, however, caused some damage to corn and vegetables in lowlands of Northern New York on the 20th, and slight damage was done in Northern Illinois on the 20th. So far this season the injury from frosts has been comparatively slight.

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While the warm, dry weather in the Colorado valleys and Northwest has been generally favorable for securing crops moderate rains would be beneficial for fall plowing and seeding.

Special telegraphic reports: Pennsylvania—Winter wheat looks well; corn cutting about finished; poratoes and apples poor, buckwheat good crop.

North Carolina—Crops a'l short.

Georgia—Cotton rotting, bolls; heavy crop of rice, but in danger of sprouting; fine crops of corn and fodder.

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Louisiana—Cotton improved; rice being harvested; large yield cane continues fine. Arkansus—Cotton improved, opening rapidly, and picking will be general this week; large increase in acreage of winter wheat. Kentucky—Tobacco cutting progressing; crop-will be safe from frost in the days; much corn matured.

Illinose—Frost in three northern counties on the 26th slightly injured outstanding corn; on low ground early corn being cut: plowing for fail grain retarded by dry ground in southern portion.

Indiana—Wheat seeding nearly completed; corn ripening rapidly; nearly safe from frost.

er; corn appears
Frost.
West Virginia—Corn all about cut. Large
acreage of wheat sown; pastures very short.
Ohio—Wheat seeding well along; early
sown wheat coming up nicely.
North Dakota—Fine weather for thresh-

ing and ripening of corn.
South Dakota—Corn beyond danger from

frost.
Nebraska—Bulk of corn crop beyond injury by frost; very large acreage of winter wheat sown.
Kanssa-Weather favorable to corn, haying and threshing, unfavorable to fall plowing, seeding and pastures.
Colorado—Crops are out of danger from

INSANE WOMAN'S AWFUL DEED. Three Small Children Choked to Death at Bordentown, N. J.

Lena Scmeidt murdered three young children, ranging from 1 to 3 years old, at her residence in Bordentown, N. J., by choking them to death. One of the victims was her own son, and the other two were sons of William Bowker, a neighbor. After killing the children the woman, who is believed to be insane, went to Marshal Jones and told him that he would find three dead bodies at her house. She admitted the killing, but ould not give any reason for the act.

CHARGED WITH TREASON.

Coun'y Officer Makes an Information Before Chief Justice Parson Again all the M mbers of the Advisory Co mittee for Treason Against the State A new and startling: move against the Homestead strikers was executed. Saturday when County Detective Harry Beltzhoover went before Chief Justice Parson, of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, about to suit in Pittsburg, and made an information against all the members of the Advisory Board, charging them with treason against the State. Warrants were at once issued and placed in the hands of the Sheriff of Alle-

gheny county.

The information made by Mr. Beltzhoo reads as follows:

Commonwes the of Pennsylvania

Versus

David H. Shannon, John and Lenckle, David Lynch Thomas J. Crawfort, Haugh O'Donnell, Haurr Bayne, Emer E. Ball, Band Pyers, Health Charles, M. Hander C. Bander M. Hander M. Han

THE LAW FOR IT.

The law under which the proceeding is brought is the Crimes act of 1869. There are said to have been a number of prosecutions under the same act. The first section of it reads as follows.

"If any person, owing allegiance to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, shall levy war against the same, or shall adhere to the enemies thereof, giving them aid and comfort within the State or elsewhere, and stall be there-for convicted, on contension in open court or on the testimony of two witnesses to the same overt act of the treason whereof he shall stand indicted, such person shall on conviction be adjudged guilty of treason against the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and be sentenced to pay a fine not-exceeding \$2,000 and und-rgo an imprisonment by separate and solitary connement at labor, not exceed in \$12 years."

The act further provides that any person having knowledge of such treason and concealing it, shall be imprisoned not exceeding \$1,000 as guilty of misprision of treason. A long list of related offenses are declared high misdemeanor, and are punishable by fine of \$500 or imprisonment of 12 months.

It is believed that the imprirance of the

States Troops to the Columbian Celebration

An order has been issued at the War Department at Washington directing General Howard, commanding the Department of the East, to concentrate his troops in New York City on the 12th inst., to participate in the Columbus celebration there on that date. The Superintendent of the West Point Military Academy has been directed t) send the cadet corps of the academy and a battalion of engineers. The troops offered to New York will aggregate several thousand nd will be a fair representation of the

United States army.

The War Department has also decided to have the army well represented at the dedication of the World's Fair buildings at Cheago, and Gen. Miles, commanding the Department of the Missouri, has been instructed to have troops there on the 21st and 22nd inst. The troops who will take part in the ceremonies at Chicago will consist of the cavalry and infantry from posts in the Department of the Platte and Dakota Kansas. Indian Territory. Nebraska and Montana, aggregating nearly 3,000 men, who, with the troops of Ft. Wayne, Michigan and Fort Sheridan, Illinois, will make a handsome display. The cavalry and artillery will take their horses and equipments.

CRASHED INTO A HANDCAR. Three Men Instantly Killed by a Locamorive and Three Others Hurt.

Three men were killed and three seriously injured in a wreck on the Vandalia line near Greenville, Ill. The westbound express dashed into a hand car on which were six section men, and hurled it from the track. Three of them were instantly killed, and others seriously injured. The accident is attributed to the fact that a sharp curve prevented the hand car being seen by the engineer until too late to stop his train.

THE HOMESTEAD STRIKERS

STILL STANDING OUT.

Advisory Board Issues an Address. More Troops Recalled. What it Has Cost Both Sides.

The beginning of the fourth month of the world famous Homestead strike finds the situation still decidedly interesting. The Carnegie Steel Company is as determined as ever to operate its works with non-union men. During the past three months upward of 4,000 men have been given employment at the works. Of this number about 2,200 remain and are being instructed, at a great cost to the company, in the art of making steel. The company does not claim that the new men are operating the plant successfully, but it appears determined to stick to it, cost what it may, until the plan s turns out the old-time product. It is estimated by some that up to date the strike has cost the firm over \$1,750,000.

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There have been defections from the ranks of the strikers to the number of about 200, but the main body claim to be injuct, although a wavering spirit has manifested itself. Some idea of the loss the men have sustained may be had from the fact that about \$50,000 was paid out in wates every two weeks prior to the strike.

MORE TROOPS TO GO HOME.

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Bricadier General Wiley visited Homestead Thursday and issued an order releving four companies of the Sixteenth from duty—Company E. Captain L. L. Ray, Cooperstown: Company F. Captain J. G. Crawford, Franklin; Company K. Captain M. R. Rouse, Titusville and Company H. Captain Harry A. Hall, Ridgway. They left Homestead Friday morning, after having been in active service 80 days. Companies I and D, which have been stationed on the north side of the river, will be transferred to Homestead. This reduces the military forces one-half, the companies remaining being A. C. D. and I. Geueral Wiley thinks this force sufficient and it will remain until the strike is definitely settled.

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The a-visory committee issued the following: "The opening of the fourth month of our fight finds us more sauguine than on the 29th of August. We are yet amply supplied with money, with enthusiasm. We find among the summer, and the summer as unprising a supplied with money, and what is more important at this time, with enthusiasm. We find among the general supplied with money, and what is more important at this time, with enthusiasm. We find among the general supplied with money and a surprising and an account of energy in working for our side. They are indefatigable and seem to divine instantly where it is nossible to score a point from the firm. Very many desertions of skilled men have been brought about by energetic procepting on the part of the rank and file, who watch for weeks for an opportunity to confer with the workers, and when once brought face to face with them are suce saful in their arguments. "There has not been a single desertion from the ranks of the Amalgumated Association. The reports that five men went back in the past two days is untrue for not one of the live was in the organization. The mechanical departments meet to-night to complete their organization, and also desire to work at the company's termis. Altogether the advisory based feels justified, at the inception of another month in the wage struggle, in extending congratulations to the locked-out men and strikers, expressing conficeage in ultimate victory."

AN OUTLAW'S DEATH.

Frank Cooley Shot and Instantly Killed Mear Fairchance, Pa.
Frank Cooley, the leader of the notorious Cooley gang, was shot and killed instantly Sunday afternoon about 5 o'clock at the home of his father, "Lute" Cooley, between Fairchance and Smithfield, Pa.
The authorities some time are decided.

The authorities some time ago decided that their frequent raids into the moun-tains would never capture the gang, and that their frequent raids into the mountains would never capture the gang, and they changed their tatics. George Fisher, a United States secret service detective from Hagerstown, Md.; Frank Pegg, of Uniontown; Policeman Harticy, of Fairchauce, and others have been lying about the neighborhood for the past three weeks. They observed that the gang came down from their mountain retreat to old man Cooley's every Sunday for three Sundays. Cooley's every Sunday for three Sundays and amused themselves playing cards and drinking.

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the ball that piered Cooley's heart as ne lay against the stump, killing him instantly.

A number of shots were fired at the outlaws by other members of the Sheriff's posse. Ramsey started off on a run as soon as he saw his chief was killed, with some of the Sheriff's party on his heels, racing after him and firing as they ran, but he got away. Coroner Holbert, of Fairchance, was summoned and held an inquest on the body of the outlaw, and he now lies at the home of his father. The greatest excitement prevails in the southern end of the county, and a feeling of rejief is felt over the death of the outlaw leader.

Frank Cooley is the second of the gang to die a violent death, his brother Jack being shot with a spring gun a few months ago while trying to rob the spring house of a farmer named Collier. John Ramsey is the only member of the original tobbers now remaining. Brinton and the Montanan have foined him and Ramsey during the part year. If he escapes finally from the officers he will naturally become the leader. He is a comparative stranger to the people of the distinct in which the desperadoes have been operating, and so are the remaining members of the wang. Coo y was raised among them and the officials have complained that the people of them, were shielding him.

A Singular Acciden

Two men were killed and a third fatally injured at North East, Pa., under singular circumstances. Orin Sweet, Charles Ketcham circumstances. Orin Sweet, Charles Ketcham and Charles Smith stopped to talk together at a late hour on the depot platform. A Lake Shore & Michigan Southern train drowned the no se of a train approaching from the opposite direction. Sweet was struck by the pilot beam of the engine and his dead body was hurled against Ketcham, killing him and sending him against Smith with such violence that his death is imminent. The men were deeply engrossed in a political dispute.