## OLD FOLKS ARE AT SALTAIR TODAY

And Enjoying Themselves at the Beautiful Resort This Afternoon - President Snow's Interesting Address.

good as we possibly can. I esteem it a

ness to find out what that purpose is and then to order our lives accordingly.

I believe that you who are before me

have done this, and that you have discovered where you came from, why you are here, and what is expected of you

by Him who permitted you to come here. The Lord has made this plain to us in these last days. He has shown us

to walk steadily and steadfastly there-

in. We who are here today have gladly accepted the invitation, and now we have advanced considerably along this

path of exaltation, and have been will-

ing to sacrifice anything and every-

Many of you, no doubt, have endured

great hardships and privations while traveling along this path of advance-

before you have been so grand and glorious that you have not counted any

sacrifice, however great, too much to make in order to achieve the object in

view; and I congratulate you today that you have progressed so far that

there is now very little danger of your

stepping aside and losing the full frui-

ion of reward promised to the faithful.

The glory that awaits you is more than you can conceive of,—and it is not far distant, either. You

not far distant, either. You have pressed onward and enward until now the goal toward which you

have been journeying for these many years is in sight; and when you shall finally reach it, you will glorify God with all your souls. The sacrifices you have made, the hardships you have endured

and the privations you have suffered will then sink into insignificance, and

the experience which they have furnished. It is profitable to live long up-

on the earth and to gain the experience

and knowledge incident thereto: for the Lord has told us that whatever in

telligence we attain to in this life will

rise with us in the resurrection, and

the more knowledge and intelligence

a person gains in this life the greater advantage he will have in the world

edge secured in that way, though the process may be painful, will be of great

thankful to see so many here who have lived to a ripe old age, and who have

gained such a vast amount of experi-

During the many years we have so

through many different scenes. So

nce and information in this probation.

ourned upon the earth we have passed

them have been pleasant and agreeable.

agreeable and perhaps very trying.

Through today prosperity abounds, we have seen the time when pov-

erty prevailed and when the panes of

hunger were by no means unknown in our midst. We have passed through

periods of sorrow and persecution, and

we have enjoyed seasons of peace and contentment. But amid it all we have

experienced happiness in serving the

Lord, and we have acquired knowledge

ially aid us in the next life. So that

these long lives of ours, with all their

vicissitudes, will be fruitful of eternal

A few days ago I was at a large gath-

ering, in this magnificent pavilion, of

Primary children, and had a very hap-

py time with them. They were children

who are on the threshold of life, and

the question whether or no they will

faithfully carry out the object of their

existence and be true to God cannot

yet be answered; but here is a body of

men and women who are so far ad-

vanced in life as to be nearing the end,

and who have lived such lives of faith-

fulness and devotion that it may truly

be said of them that they have carried

out the purpose of their existence here,

rejoice with you in the fact that after

all these years you are still journeying

on the road to exaltation and eternal

life. I know that your lives have not

been all sunshine; you have doubtless

passed through many a trial, and per-

haps have come up through much tribulation; but by continued integrity

you will soon emerge from the shad-

dows into the glorious sunshine of the

I feel that this would not be an in-

appropriate time to say a word or two to the young men and women of Is-

rael-the children of these veterans in the cause of truth. I would plead with

you, my young brethren and sisters,

to honor your fathers and your mothers

that your days may be long in the land

which the Lord hath given to them and to you. Be obedient and loving to

the summit of the hill of life, perhaps

through many a hard-fought struggle

and begin to descend, try to do all in

your power to make the road smooth

and pleasant for them. By their de-

votion to you and to your welfare they

your affection, and God expects you to

be loyal to them. He has honored them

in the past, and will yet honor them

more abundantly; but their joy will not be fully complete if their children dis-

regard their wishes and are untrue to

you, observe this commandment which

God has given, to honor your fathers

and your mothers. It is a command-ment which carries with it the promise

of longevity, and if you obey it there is every prospect for you to live to be as old as your parents, and even older. Your fathers and

mothers, by their faithful labors

and unswerving integrity, have blessed

the land upon which they dwelt, and the Lord has been with them and will

reward them gloriously. It will make

their hearts glad to see you also sanc.

tify the land by keeping the statutes of the Lord thereon, and He will add His blessings upon you in abundance.

Let your feet tread in the same path

of advancement and progress as your

parents: let your hearts beat in unl-

son with theirs for the welfare of

truth and righteousness, and by and

by you will rejoice with them worlds

without end.

them and to God. I therefore say

have proved themselves worthy of

them; and after they have climbe

and their ultimate success is assured.

good unto us.

celestial world.

of a varied character that will mater

others have been

by that which we suffer, and kn

value to us in the other life

Some things we have to learn

you will rejoice that you have obtained

If anyone doubts this is Old Folks | garded as a blessing from the Lord. It day he should go to Saltair and he wil not only be convinced but he will be bewildered. It is true that since the last annual excursion of the aged, many famallar faces have been lost to view, but other locks are becoming silvered and the ranks are being recruited by new veterans over whose heads time seems to be rushing with a maddening

To those who in their hearts hold a reverence for the whitened heads of age, Saltair today certainly presented to them a beautiful picture. The word to them a beautiful picture. The word to them a beautiful picture of them, for veteran was well applied to them, for they who have fought the battles of life, which are ofttimes more hard and require more heroism than to fight in the ranks of war, are entitled to the appellation, veteran. This idea seems to have taken hold upon the people of Utah for they each year give to the old folks an outing that is intended to mellow their aged hearts with the blessed consciousness, so sweet to the old, who gather together in all parts of the State irrespective of creed or of color, for they who provide for their entertainment know full well that it is but a short time and all differences will be left on the brink of the grave.

The day was so terribly hot that the old people suffered much from the heat in getting to the depot, but after reaching the resort, the shades and the cool salt breezes revivilled them to that extent that everything unpleasant was forgotten and every one impleasant was forgotten and every one enjoyed himself as much as his heart could desire. It was charming to see the attention that was shown them by the members of the committees, most of whom were young ladies, many old eyes filled with tears of joy and grati-tude while many younger ones shed tears to see the quite but noble acts that were being performed.

sion in hand showed that they profited by their experiences of the ast by making this the most enjoyde and satisfactory outing the old folks have yet been given. All the necessary preparations were made be-A car load of provisions was taken out this morning at 7 o'clock. oreg of young men and women took it in hand, and before long the lunch pavilion resembled a great banquet hall. Each ward was given a ta-ble and besides the aged of their own rd they had a certain number of old folks from out of the city to look after and feed. And so they each vied with the other in making the most attrac table and making their greyhaired happiest. The result was that everything was done as though t were a happy privilege, as indeed they all seemed to deem it, and the thoughtfulness of the young people was so admirable that not one old soul was left to repine over being neglected, their every wish was anticipated.

Several thousand of the old folks stall d themselves of the pleasure of the outing. The train that left at 10:20 this morning was loaded to the guards. A train carrying 14 carloads of old and young folks left Ogden this morning, and when they reached Saltair the fowd at the resort could certainly be called a big one.

The majority of them will return on the 8:10 train, after having partaken of two banquets as sumptuous as the olcest viands and best culinary art of Utah could make them

PRES. SNOW'S ADDRESS. During the afternoon President Snow visited the beach and mingled with the feterans by whom he was repeatedly following address, which he had prepared for the occasion, was read in clear and distinct voice by his son, Le Roi C. Snow:

My brethren and sisters and friends: I am delighted to be with you on this happy occasion. I feel that I am in presence of men and women who are distinguished, not alone for the any years they have lived among us. purity of life, their trength of character, their exemplary habits, and, above all, for their un-wavering integrity to God. I con-I congray ate you all on having lived so worthly upon the earth. myself, you have been in this ction quite a few years, and am satisfied that the Lord has had His eye over you for good. I certainly acknowledge His hand in the prervation of my life up to the present am now in my eighty-eighth year, and I know it is through the and blessing of God that I am here today, privileged to join with you

s unique gathering. se Old Folks' excursions are us and enjoyable events, and all who are over seventy years of age forward to them, no doubt, with pleasure. They have celebrated that their spread abroad, and afar have looked upon commendation and have greatly admired the motive which in-spires them. They furnish an examole that could with profit be followed y other communities in the world; for are the legitimate fruits of a spirit and sentiment that should preall among all people, bespeaking the ood of man and the fatherhood f God. These gatherings bear witness to the fact that among the Latter-day Saints, at least, there is love and repect for the aged, and a desire to bless make them ha my, This feeling so manifested cannot help but command admiration of all honorable men omen; and it certainly is pleasour Father in heaven, whose and daughters we all are; and He so unselfishly and indefatigably to here annual outings a success. It is truly gratifying to see so many olks" among us. Perhaps in no other part of the world are there so many aged ones, in proportion to the population, as can be found in Utah. fegard this as due to the observance y the people of those wholesome, ving laws which the Lord has given for our guidance in the care of our boiles, supplemented by His divine or toward us. Among us, I am hapby to say, old age is honorable, and re- Now, I thank the committee for in-

viting me to be present today, and it affords me much pleasure to see you all enjoy yourselves. The brethren who compose the general committee are certainly entitled to great praise for their labors in arranging these gatherings. I pray that God will bless them for their pray that cod will bless them for the love which they manifest in this work; and I pray that He will bless all who in any manner have contributed towards making us happy this day. And when we get through joining in these gatherings upon earth, we will have a grand and glorious withoring in the other. and glorious gathering on "the other shore." We will clasp hands with many of our kindred and friends, with Apostles and Prophets and Saints of God, and there will be a gathering of "old folks" such as has never been seen on this earth. God bless you all; God bless your children and your children's children unto the latest generation; and may you all overcome and sit down with Jesus Christ upon His throne even as He has overcome and sat down upon the throne of His Father, Amen. is our duty to desire to live long upon the earth, that we may do as much STORM IN CUMBERLAND GAP. great privilege to have the opportunity of living in mortality. The Lord has sent us here "for a wise and glorious purpose," and it should be our busi-Farm Houses Demolished and Some Lives Lost.

Middlesboro, Ky., July 2 .- A violent storm, resembling a tornado, wrought havoc across Cumberland Gap, in Powells valley. A half dozen small farm houses were demolished, together with a large number of barns. There was some loss of life, but particulars have not yet been obtained. Perry Smith was killed by lightning. Crops were seriously damaged by the wind in variance. seriously damaged by the wind in vari-

The path of the storm last night was along Powells river, the farming communities being for the most part visit-ed. The homes of Charles Mayhing and John Winston were blown down but the occupants escaped. No further loss of life has been reported.

GEN. GROSVENOR EXPLAINS. He Says He Was Misrepresented on the Third Term Question. ment and progress; you may have passed through very trying experiences, and had your faith severely tested; but you have not wavered! The prospects

Kansas City, Mo., July 2.-Gen. Charles H. Grosvenor, of Ohio, speaking to a reporter of the utterances regarding the third term question, imput-

"I was misrepresented. The interview published was a distortion of a mere statement of historical facts regarding Washington's reasons for accepting a third term, which I made to a party of young men. I will not say and I have not said whether I think Mr. McKinley could be elected again. but I do say that in my judgment no man will ever be elected to a third term.

Gen. Grosvenor is en route to Winfield, Kansas, where he will deliver an address on July 4.

Russian Crops Withering.

London, July 2 .- A dispatch from St. Petersburg says the crops in the province of Saratoff are withering and the grass is scorched, owing to the prolonged heat and drouth. The price of corn is climbing up and the outlook at neighboring districts is alarming. The scarcity promises to be as severe as the famine

Water Famine in Huntington, W.Va Huntington, W. Va., July 2,-This city has a water famine. The pumps at the water station are broken and the reservoirs are empty. Thousands of la-borers are made idle, as the factories are unable to run. There is great suffering in consequence of the water

CASE OF GREENS AND GAYNORS Record Filed with the Clerk of the United States Supreme Court.

Washington, July 2.-The record of the case of Benjamin D. Green, John D., Wm. T. and Edward H. Gaynor, charged with entering into a combinawith Capt. Oberlin M. Carter to defraud the government in connection with the improvement of the harbor at Savanrah, Ga., was filed in the office of the clerk of the United States Supreme Court today. The case comes to this court from the circuit court from the Southern district of New York, that court refusing to grant the application of the persons named for a writ of habeas corpus, thus confirming the order for their removal for trial to the circuit court for the Southern district Georgia, where they were indicted. In their assignment of errors the petitioners allege that the Georgia grand jury was illegally and improperly drawn and that therefore the indictment is invalid. It is also alleged that the Georgia court is without jurisdiction and that the indictment states no offense against the laws of the United States.

HARRY ACHESON PROMOTED. White House Usher to Become a Pension Examiner.

Washington, July 2.-Harry Acheson, who has been an usher at the White House since Gen. Garfield was President, will become a pension examiner next week. He will be succeeded on the White House staff by Charles J. Pusey, Maryland, the Pullman conductor who was in charge of the train on which the President and party recently made the trip to the Pacific coast.

CANDIDATES FOR LIEUTENANTS Will be Ordered Up for Examination Before President Goes to Canton.

Washington, July 2 .- Secy. Root expects to have all the candidates for first and second lieutenants in the regular army ordered for examination before the President leaves for Canton.

Medal for an American.

Washington, July 2.-Ambassador Choate has informed the state department that a South African war medal has been awarded to A. M. Blenn, an American citizen, in recognition of the valuable service rendered by him as driver of the engine connected with the water supply of Ladysmith during the siege of that town.

Wyoming Murderers Sentenced.

Rawlins, Wyo., July 2.—Judge Craig today sentenced Orlo McSwain, con-victed of murdering James Taylor, of Baggs, Wyo., to twenty years in the penitentiary. George Moore, who killed James Edmunds at Hanna. Wyo., last winter, was sentenced to twenty years, having been convicted of murder in the second degree.

LIEUT. SCOTT RESIGNS. Leaves the Marine Service to Be-

come a Railroad Man. New York, July 2 .- Lleut, J. H. Scott, of the revenue marine serivce, who distinguished himself at the rescue of the persons on the disabled torpedo boat Winslow, off Cardenas, on May 11. 1898, has resigned and gone into the railroad business, under T. C. Polock. the foreign freight agent of the Pennsylvania railroad. In accepting the resignation, the secretary of the navy.

"The records show that your service

during the Spanish-American war, es- | Last night a gang of young rascals pecially on board the cutter Hudson, at the action off Cardenas, May 11, 1898. were gallant and conspicuous and have been appreciated by the department, and as well by the United States as is shown by the joint resolution herewith enclosed, you having been the executive officer of that vessel throughout the war. Your separation from the service is regretted, and the department takes Cocasion to wish you every success in your venture with the Pennsylvania railroad system."

The popular lithograph called " A Lieutenant of the Navy," is considered a good likeness of Scott,

MRS. WILSON NOT DEAD. Report to That Effect Premature Condition is Very Critical.

Frank Shurtliff, accused of shooting Mrs. Jane Wilson at Helliday en Sunday, was arraigned before Justice Dana Smith yesterday afternoon, and released on a \$2,000 bond with Vincent Shurtliff, his father, and Milton Bean as sureties.

The other five boys who were with Shurtliff at the time of the shooting pleaded not guilty to a charge of being drunk, shouting, swearing and shooting. All will have a hearing tomorrow afternoon. D. N. Straup is attorney for Shurtliff, J. M. Hamilton for Nielsen, Ray Van Cott for Ferguson and C. S. Kinney for Cooper and Lark, An erroneous report was in circula-

tion yesterday afternoon that Mrs. Wilson was dead, and the "News" published the supposed fact on the state-ment of County Attorney Christensen, but Dr. Behle still holds out a glimmer of hope for her recovery. Mrs. Wilson was removed to St. Mark's hospital

County Attorney Christensen yesterday issued a complaint for a warrant for Richard Campbell's arrest. Campbell is the Murray saloon man who sold the boys the beer, and the county attorney intends to make an example of him.

TEMPERATURE SOARING. Record of Last Month Has Been Entirely Demolished.

Were it not for the quite ample preeze that was blowing today the people of Salt Lake would have felt the heat much more than they did. Yeserday was a hot one, the thermometer reaching 93 degrees in the shade, The highest point reached previous to yesterday was 90 degrees. Today the highest recorded temperature up to 3 p. m. was 93 degrees and on the correspond-ing day of last year the highest was 80 and the lowest. 60. Today the lowest

was 73.

The heat of today and yesterday, however, is n.ild compared with June of last year, when, beginning with June 19th, the thermometer reached these points in successive days; On the 19th 92; afterwards, 96, 100, 85, 92, 95, 97, 90, 101, 101, 87, the last day being the 29th.

WORK OF HOODLUMS. Threw Stones at Trolly Party Passen. gers Last Evening.

It seems that life and property are no longer safe in Salt Lake, and that hoodlumism is more rampant that ever.

congregated on State street near the city and county building, and on South Temple and Twelfth East street, and amused themselves by throwing stones at street cars loaded with passenger. While a carload of passengers taking a trolley ride was passing Twelfth East, Arthur Pratt was struck on the head with a rock and another stone struck a lady. Mr. Pratt and two others of the party jumped off the car and gave chase to the hoodlums. One of the boys who gave his name as Joe Hardy was caught just as he was en-tering his home. He was taken back to the car and hauled for some distance It was the intention of the gentleman who caught him to take him to the police station, but the youngster set up such a howl, and declared that it was another boy who threw the rocks, that

DANGEROUS MAN.

he was released.

Arrested at Instance of a Woman Who Fears Him.

This morning Officer Brown, the Park policeman, arrested a man named Joe Brown on complaint of Mrs. Cook, who resides on Fourth West between Sixth and Seventh South. Mrs. Cook declares that the man is insane and has been following her around for two or three days and threatening to kill. Yesterday she say, he pulled a knife out and swore he would cut her heart out. It is likely that a complaint will be filed with the county clerk charging the man with insanity. At present he is in the city

INTO THE REGULAR ARMY. Frank T. Hines Gets a Commission as Second Lieutenant.

Senator Thomas Kearns today reelved a wire from Washington to the effect that Frank T. Hines of this city had been appointed second lieutenant in the regular army. A few minutes later Watermaster Hines was informed of the good fortune of his son, over the phone, and then congratulations were in order for the young deputy clerk in Judge Stewart's court. Senator Kearns also felt pleased that his labor in securng the appointment had not been in

Frank T. Hines is a Salt Lake boy, having been born in this city twenty-two years ago. He was educated at the public schools and later graduated from the Logan Agricultural College. On the breaking out of hostilities with Spain be enlisted in the Utah batteries, and went to the Philippines, where he rose to the position of sergeant to be later promoted to a commission as second lieutenant in Battery B.

PENSIONS AND PATENTS.

(Special to the "News.")

Washington, D. C., July 2, 1901.-A pension has been granted Harvey C. Hullinger, Vernal, Utah, \$12, monthly. A patent has been granted Abraham L. Rich, Salt Lake, for a coffee pot. G. I. May has been appointed postmaster Grovont, Uinta Co., Wyo., vice James Budge resigned.

Cornell Wins Four-oared Race.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., July 2.—Cornell wins four-oared race. Unofficial time 11:361/2. Pennsylvania second. Pennsylvania wins eight oared freshman race; Cornell, second: Columbia, third. Unofficial time, 10:23.

## BANK CLEARING RECORD SMASHED.

All Previous Records Give Way to Today's Big Total of \$2,394,. 455.67—Figures for the Same Day Last Year Were 629,061.73.

Salt Lake bank clearings have made | in \$1 shares, of which Jay T. Harris several new records during the present year but it established another today that will in all probability remain the ton notch mark for a long time, though at the present rate of business increase it, too, may go glimmering with the many new figures recorded the last few months. Yesterday the clearings reached \$1,262.784.57 as against \$531,185.79 for the same day last year. Today the record is way beyond the mark. The exact figure is \$2,394,455.67 as against \$629,061.73 for the correspond-

This unprecedented increase is due in large measure to about \$500,000 of Utah Sugar company securities passing through the banks, \$100,000 worth of Co-op Wagon stock going through the same avenues, and the payment of \$250,000 by David Evans and associates to Jesse Knight for his Tintle mining properties as set forth in detail in last But with all these evening's "News." transaction excluded the record still be very high and they can only be accounted for by the general in crease in the volume of regular bus-

BUSINESS AND REALTY.

Dun's Review, which came from New York in today's mail, has the follow-ing paragraph on Salt Lake business: Trade conditions in both wholesale and retail lines are fairly satisfactory, though cool weather a portion of the week affected some retail lines. Jobbing business is good in groceries, hardware and mining supplies, and very fair in dry goods and notions, shoes and mill nery. Collections are fair. Wool sales have been heavy, and shearing is about over, and the product is moving out freely. Country good demand, and in some sections growing crops are said to be suffering Bank clearings are heavy, and money plenty, with demand

Architect Ware has returned from Evanston. He is looking after the con-struction of a high school building in the Wyoming town, to cost \$10,500

An addition of two stories is soon to be made to the Heber City bank buildng. Other structures are to be erected during the summer at Heber City.

There is a big hole in the front of the Z. C. M. I. building, the contrac-tors having commenced work upon the remodeling which is being done under the direction of Architect Whittaker.

Three pressed brick residences are to be erected at the corner of Second and G streets by Perry G. Anson. The plans for these buildings have been prepared by Architect Headlund and will cost

has 14,996. The company proposes to conduct a general printing, publishing, oinding and stationery business. The directors are Jay T. Harris, president and treasurer; Charles V. Worthington, vice president; Frank Pearson, Jr. secretary; Frank Harris and E. W.

A certificate of incorporation of the Sevier Valley Salt company was re-ceived by Secretary of State Hammond yesterday. The company is capitalized at \$11,000 in \$2 shares. The directors are Elias W. Crane, president; Axel Einerson, vice president; Alma S. Crane, secretary; J. T. Crane, treasurer, and Christian Jensen.

The Chicago Oil company today incorporated with \$30,000 capital in tencent shares. The directors are Frank T. Barmester, president; R. G. Wilson, vice president; H. Barnett, secretary and treasurer. Theodore Meyer and Martin N. Rathbone.

During the month of June the Rocky Mountain Bell Telephone company placed 124 new telephones in the Salt Lake exchange, leaving unfilled fifty mere orders because the instruments could not be obtained from the factory. 'he present switch board is about filled, there being 1,900 telephones acc dated thereon, and it is expected that a new switch board will be added during the summer. A pair of copper wires for Sait Lake and Utah business between Dillon and Butte have just been com-pleted. A line from Nephi to Tintic will be stretched and a crew has begun work down the canyon from Heber to Provo

It is proposed by members of the state board of horticulture, now in session here, to make of southern Utah a second California for grape and wine production. The prospect for railroad transportation in that vicinity brightened the people down there are considering the advisability of entering the wine business for commercial purposes, and their enterprising spirit is receiving the backing and en ment of members of the board of horticulture.

There are indications of a combination of the milling interests of the state of Utah, but matters are not yet in such shape as to warrant an announce-ment by the promoters of the combine The object of the combination is stated to be the regulation of the price of flour and breadstuffs in such equitable manner as to protect the farmer from low prices, as well as from outside competition, in the sale of his wheat and other grain. None but active millers will be asked to subscribe to the capital stock, which will be placed at a low amount-merely sufficient to be gin the operation of the combination. While the amalgamation of all milling interests in the State has the appearance of the formation of a trust, its promoters are strong in their assertion The Dally Reporter yesterday incorporated with a capital stock of \$15,000 to the farmer and producer.

## NO ABATEMENT OF THE HOT WAVE.

Fifty=Two Deaths in New York Since Mid= night-Many Prostrations Everywhere -No Indications of a Break.

Washington, July 2.-The weather | of employes and many mills have been bureau has issued the following special

There are no present indications of a permanent break in the warm wave which covers the country generally east of the Rocky mountains. Local rains and thunderstorms will furnish turnporary relief in the lower lake region, the upper Ohio valley, and in the mountain districts of Pennsylvania, Maryland, West Virginia and Virginia, and there is a possibility that these local rains may occur in limited areas in Atlantic coast states.

H. E. WILLIAMS. Acting Chief.

At 9:30 o'clock this morning the official thermometer at the weather bureau recorded 89, two degrees lower than for the same time yesterday morning. The night was insufferably hot, and even on the heights there was scarcely a breath of air stirring. No heat prestrations have been reported this morning.

MANY DEATHS IN NEW YORK. New York, July 2 .- At 11 o'clock the police department jists showed from midnight to that time, a total of 52 deaths from the heat had been reported in Greater New York. Nearly all the dead were adults. The prostrations were so numerous that it was impossible to keep a complete record of them. The weather bureau thermometer was at the 95 mark at 10 a. m., six degrees higher than at 10 o'clock yesterday. There was no breeze. To add to the suffering the humidity was 59 per cent as compared with 48 per cent yesterday. In Brooklyn thirty sudden deaths were reported to the coroner's office between midnight and 9 a. m., and of these seventeen were directly due to the heat. So many horses have been killed or disabled by the heat that deliveries of

provisions and ice were much retarded today, thus adding to the discomfort and suffering. In the interior cities of this state the heat was generally but little abated. Deaths at Troy since the hot spell hegan number six.

PHILADELPHIA HOSPITALS

At Buffalo the temperature was 76 de-

CROWDED. Philadelphia, Pa., July 2.—The hot weather continued today with unabated The local forecaster says there are no indications of immediate relief. All records for July were broken by the temperature this morning. At 11 o'clock the government thermometer on top of the government building registered 99 degrees, while those on the street varied from 99 to

Manufacturing establishments were compelled to close. Cramps' ship vard began operations at 4 o'clock this norning and closed at noon. 10 o'clock a dozen ambulance calls had been sent from the plant, and many of the employes were compelled to leave their work. Work on building operations was almost entirely suspended today. Men were not allowed to go to the tops of buildings in course of erection, as it was feared they would be overcome and fall. Hospitals are crowded with heat patients and in some cases the facilities are inadequate for the treatment of the sufferers ow-

At 12 o'clock the official thermometer recorded 100 degrees, one degree more than at the same hour yesterday.

During the morning the Baldwin Lomotive works closed the flange, machine and hammer shops. The men in the other departments were told they could go home whenever they felt that the heat was too oppressive. John and James Dobson's big carpet mills also closed down, 1,200 employes being sent

DEATHS IN PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., July 2,-Twelve deaths and sixty prostrations from the heat were reported between midnight last night and 11 o'clock this morning, making the number of fatalities forty in twenty-four hours. While last night was not as close as the previous night, thousands of persons in the tenement districts slept in hallways or on the stone steps, brick pavements and even in the street. Many poor mothers sat up all night watching their slumbering children that harm might not come to them as they lay on the pavements. At 8 o'clock this morning the mercury stood at 78, six degrees cooler than at the same hour yesterday and at 11 o'clock it had risen to 86. The indications are for thunderstorms and lower temperature tomorrow. Nearly every mill and furnace not affeeted by the strike is crippled from bilities are for the great number of heat prostrations the afternoon.

Fifty-two men were prostrated by the bent in the finishing mills Nos. 2, 28 and 12 and open hearth mill No. 2 of the Homestead steel works during the night. This morning the mills shut

BETTER IN BOSTON.

Boston, July 2.—Weather conditions here were improved in a slight degree early today, the thermometer standing 84, four degrees below the record of last five dars, at 8 a. m. There was Reports from New England points indicated no abatement in the hot wave. At Lynn several factories have teen closed on account of the heat. No deaths have been reported.

TERRIBLE IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, July 2 .- Notwithstanding the storm which diminished the heat somehut last evening, thermometers on the sticet at 8 a. m. registered 86 degrees, only two degrees lower than at the same hour yesterday. Forecaster Walz

"It will be cloudy today and there may be showers. If the sun is kept out of sight all day the heat may be endured in spite of the humidity, but if the sun gets out the day will be a

John Leidler, a lawyer, was overcome by the heat and taken to the hospital in an unconscious condition.

PROSTRATIONS IN ST. LOUIS. St. Louis, Mo., July 2 .- At 8 a. m. the reather bureau reported 86 degrees of heat with the prospect that it will be much warmer before the day is over. There is no breeze and the air is very sultry. There were a number of pros-trations during the night, but so far as known there have been no additional deaths.

Thirty-three persons, a larger number than were treated here during the entire summer of 1900, are at the city hospital, suffernumber ng from heat prostration. Two cases have resulted fatally up to 12 o'clock. It is probable that many more cases are being treated at residences.

ported the temperatures as 94 in the hade, while on the stone pavements it was ten degrees higher. A cool breeze is promised for this

COOLER AT CINCINNATI. Cincinnati, Ohio, July 2.-The wind

and rainstorm of last night lowered the temperature so that the night was of at all oppressive and only one death has been reported during the night from heat. A fine breeze is blowing this morning with the temperature on the street at 8:20 a. m. at 84 degrees. MILWAUKEE'S HOT DAY

Milwaukee, Wis., July 2.-Yesterday, with the mercury at 97, was the hot-est day since July 1, 1887, when it was in the shade. Today opened hot and stuffy but there is a breeze blowing and the weather man predicts a cool wave this afternoon.

RAINS IN NEBRASKA,

Omaha, Neb., July 2.- The thermometer at the weather bureau registered at 7 a, m., with indications for more noderate weather during the day. rains of yesterday afternoon and last night were general throughout the state, relieving the anxiety regarding

TWO DEATHS IN CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 2 .- At noon the weather bureau thermometer indicated 87 degrees, or one degree lower than at the same hour yesterday. Two deaths and one prostration from the heat have been reported today.

RAIN IN DETROIT.

Detroit, July 2 .- A fierce rainstorm during the night cooled the tempera-ture so that at 8 o'clock today the weather bureau thermometer registered but 75 degrees.

At 12 o'clock the official temperature was \$3 degrees but a breeze from the southwest made the city comparative-ly comfortable. There was one detab

from the heat last night. DEATHS IN BALTIMORE.

Baltimore, July 2.—The thermometer registered 102 at 1 o'clock. Four deaths and thirty-two cases of prostration had

IN LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, Ky., July 2.-At 11 a. m. the official heat record was 91, with indications that yesterday's maximum of 98 would not be reached. The probabilities are for a thunderstorm during

## NIAGARA, BUFFALO, BANK CLOSED.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 2.- The Niagara | ing been vice president of the City bank, a state institution, has closed its doors. The following notice has been posted on the doors: "I have closed and taken possession

of this bank. "F. D. KILBURN, "Superintendent of Banks."

The Niagara bank was organized September 15, 1891. It had a capital of \$100,000. The officers are: President. P. H. Griffin; vice president, M. M. Darke; cashier, Wm. Thayer.

The chairman of the clearing house ed that the bank he closed in order to committee, S. M. Clement, said this best protect all interested." morning:

"It should be distinctly understood that the closing of the Niagara bank to-day has been brought about solely by reason of its close connection with the City National bank, its president hav-

National, and that no other bank here "At the meeting of the clearing house

committee yesterday, at the close of business, the Ningara bank was the nly bank that applied for any aggists. ance and arrangements were made to give the assistance asked for, pending partment as to the solvency of the

"Mr. Kilburn, the superintendent of banks, on his arrival in town this morn ing, became satisfied that the bank could not get through with the assist-ance asked for, and accordingly direct-

Bank Superintendent Kilburn said:
"I have closed this bank because I think it insolvent. The main reason for the fullure is the failure of the City National bank. This bank is involved in that to an extent pay the bank is that to an extent not yet to be an-

Kurds Kill Armenians.

Mush, in Kurdistan, says the Kurds are plundering villages and have killed 14 today shot and killed his wife and then Armenians in consequence of the be-lief that the latter murdered a Kurdish attempted suicide, but failed to inflict attempted suicide, but failed to inflict attempted suicide, but failed to inflict a fatal wound, Jealousy was the cause.

A Farmer Kills His Wife.

Constantinople, July 2.-Reports from | Warren, Ohio, July 2.-Rollin Hawkins, a farmer residing near Newton Falls.