State Exhibit Will Be of Best at the Cmaha Expesition.

COMMISSIONER ARRANGES FOR SPACE

Henry E. Dosch of Portland Makes All Recessary Agreements with the Managers and Tells of His Plans.

That Oregon is to be represented in a creditable and extensive manner at the exposition is assured beyond doubt. Henry E. position is assured beyond doubt. Henry E. Dosch of Portiend, a member of the state commissior recently appointed by the governor, is in Omaha with full plenipotentiary powers and he has decided that the state must be represented. After conferring with a number of well known Nebraska artists who are now living in other states. By this means she has secured a number of the means she has secured a number of the means she has secured a number of the means she has secured an output of the means she has secured an of the means she has secured an of the means she has secured an output of the means she has secured an of the means she has secured an output of the state and head that the st must be represented. After conferring with must be represented. After conferring with works which she says are of the most de-the exposition authorities he has reserved sirable quality and will stand comparison

"We will raise \$20,000 for our exhibit," said Mr. Dosch positively. "I know where this amount can be obtained with very little effort on the certificate plan, the money to be refunded by the legislature. I will re-turn home as soon as I have completed arrangements for our space and take up at once the work of preparing for our display. We will show minerals, lumber, agricultural and horticultural products, fish and probably a number of entries in fine arts. We will not undertake to creet a state building, as the time is now too short to carry out such project in the manner we would desire a project in the manner but by utilizing the mineral and forestry collections now in hand we will have an exhibit that will be a credit to our state and will compare favorably with that of any of

Mr. Dosch is a retired capitalist and his work in the matter in hand is one of phi-lanthropy. Reports from Oregon are to the effect that he earned the confidence of the people by the manner in which he con-ducted the exhibit at the World's fair, rebalance from an appropriation of \$60,000. The 8,000 feet of space reserved by Mr. Dosch for Oregon is divided as follows:
Mines building, 2,000 feet; forestry exhibit, Hortleulture building, 1,500; educational exhibit, 1,000 feet; Agricultural build-ing, 1,000; fish exhibit, 500 feet. DECIDES ON A BUILDING.

After visiting the exposition grounds yesterday afternoon Mr. Dosch was very en-thuciastic regarding the participation of his state in the exposition and declared most emphatically that he would urge his people to erect a state building on the grounds.

"I am going to recommend and insist that we put up a building to be used as head-quarters on the grounds," said Mr. Dosch. "We can build it of wood, inside and outside, and make a structure which will be very attractive besides being a splendid ad-vertisement for our lumber resources. In addition to the \$20,000 which will be required for an exhibit we will require about \$5,000 for our building and I believe we can raise the entire amount without any diffieulty."
"I can hardly express my surprise at the

beauty and grandeur of your exposition," continued Mr. Dosch. "I expected to see a good showing but I was surprised beyond neasure at the magnitude and magnificence of the grounds and buildings. Your building are beautiful and the arrangement of th grounds are all that could be desired, but I am a horticultural crank and I am convinced that your Horticulture building is entirely too small. Why! I could fill onequarter of it with a display from our state. We raise everything in the fruit line except citrous fruits and we have a reputation to sustain. We took all the medals on apples, grapes and cherries at the World's fa we will make a big showing in all kinds of fruits this summer.

I am especially auxious to have our state rtion I want our state to be in line and I believe it can be accomplished without I think our big lumbermen will donate the wood and we will have as fine a building as there will be on the bluff tract. My plan is to have a building about 40x60 teet on the ground, two stories high and fitted with rooms for offices and parlors for our people. A veranda twenty feet in width should surround the whole building for shade and then we would have a place where our people could make their head quarters when they come to the exposition.

I am going to turn my attention to this matter when I reach home and I believe it can be brought about."

TRYING TO STIR UP KANSAS. Major Clarkson on a Special Mission

Major T. S. Clarkson is in Kansas arous ing an interest among the people of that state in the idea of having an exhibit at the that state. The executive committee of the exposition. Several former attempts have been made in this direction by numerous agents, but nothing has come of them. The major reports that he has addressed a large meeting of business men at Atchison and received a very cordial reception, the people manifesting an interest in the exposition matter and issuing a call for a general meet-ing of citizens to be held Thursday evening. Action was also taken to urge the governto appoint a strong commission to begin active work. From Atchison Major Clarkson wrote that he would go to Leavenworth and Topeka and would have a personal interview with the governor to urge him to take hold of the matter before it is too late. The major also said that he would organize a party of prominent business men from Leavenworth, Atchison and Topeka to visit

Omaha and acquire a little enthusiasm Notwithstanding the apparent apathy of the state at large, some of the counties of Kansas are taking the matter in their own hands and are making preparations to make county exhibits at the exposition, regardless of what the state may do. Washington county has made an appropriation for an exhibit and has sent a committee, consisting of Messrs. Scofield, Morrow and Vincent, to Omaha to make arrangements for space, etc. This committee is in the city and will with the exposition officials regarding the matter.

Insists on 6,000 Feet. Wesley Stewart of Sturgis, S. D., made a flying trip to Omeha yesterday afternoon in the interest of the exhibit to be made by the Black Hills district. He assured the officials of the Exhibits department that

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and point to a speedy cure of torturing, dis-figuring, humiliating, itching, burning, bleed-ing, crusted, seasy skin and scalp humors, with less of hair, when all class fails.

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SKIN, SCALP and Hair Resuttfied W

OREGON COMES TO THE FRONT the Black Hills will make a fine exhibit, especially in minerals and asked that the
6,000 feet of space which has been reserved
for that section be held a little longer until the requirements of the exposition can be compiled with. He was given until March 20 to comply with the conditions and prom-ised that decisive action will be taken before that time.

ART FOR THE NEBRASKA BUILDING. Miss Butterfield Very Successful in Her Quest for Exhibits.

Mies Mellona Butterfield, superintendent of the art department of the Nebraska exposition commission, and the hostess of the Nebraska building, is making good progress in the work of collecting paintings and other works of art from the studios of Nebraska artists, which will be used in decorating the and beautifying the interior of Ne. sirable quality and will stand comparison with the work which may be produced by any other state. Among the works already and they both agree that his condition is setious. He has not cut or even bruised. Dr. Swartzlander made a thorough examination of the was assaulted.

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His head is not cut or even bruised. Dr. Swartzlander made a thorough examination of the was assault Omaha, now of Chicago, will contribite paint-ings; Mrs. Emma Homan Thayer of Denver has promised to contribute one or two paintings; Miss Tanle Snowden and Albert Rothery of Omaha will also contribute paint-

ings.
Miss Butterfield says the building will be tastefully and prettily decorated in a man-ner which will make it as attractive as possible. She has secured possession of the beautiful mande which the women of Ne-braska contributed to the decoration of the Nebraska building at the World's fair, and this will be installed in the building. This mantle is now at Pawnee City.

REHEARSAL OF THE CHORUS.

Director Kelly Announces that Lists Will Close Next Week.

The regular weekly meeting of the Exposition chorus was held last night in the large room on the top floor of the city hall. This was the first meeting in these quarters and the change was a most agreeable turning \$18,000 to the state treasury as a one. The high celling and large area of this room made the work of the chorus much more satisfactory and the effect was libraries able in the results produced. Charles Gounod's beautiful work, "By Babylon's Wave," was the first thing taken up and the drill on this rather difficult number was a scellent results. The productive of excellent results. The "Easter Hymn" from Mascagni's "Cavalleria Rusticana," was also put in rehearmal and good progress was made on it. Prof. Edward Dworzak has been appointed

accompanist for the chorus and assumed charge of the plane last night. The careful and conscientious manner in which he performed this thankless task was a great desistance to the singers. Director Kelly announced that at all re-hearsals hereafter no one not a member of the chorus will be allowed to sing and no

persons will be admitted to the rehearsal except the members of the chorus or those acting as escorts for the female members. He also announced that the lists will be closed at the next meeting and no further members will be admitted. The membership of the chorus has in-

creased at each meeting, about a dozen new voices being added last night and the maximum number of 200 has been almost reached. DESIGNER OF THE AMERICAN FLAG. Elizabeth Ross, Who First Made Old

Glory, to Be Remembered. President Wattles is in receipt of a communication from the secretary of the Elizabeth Ross Monument association, with headquarters in Minneapolis. The name of this organization does not throw much light on the nature of the communication unless the or "Betsy" Ross as she was generally known was the designer and maker of the American flag as we now know it. The association represented by a headquarters building. After seeing the fine locations you have for
state buildings and the great showing which
is being made by other states in that direcof the association suggests that a "flag day" be made a feature of the program of the exposition and that appropriate exercises be held on that occasion. It is suggested that the town and exposition grounds should be buried in an avalanche of red, white and blue, and noted men from all sections of the country should be invited to participate in the program. The date suggested for this celebration is June 14, the anniversary of the adoption of the American flag. In case this suggestion is adopted the secretary writes that the association will make ar-rangements to exhibit the first American flag made by Betsy Ross and other relics of interest in the same connection.

The matter will be given prompt attention by President Wattles.

Exhibits from Massachusetts. Special Commissioner F. T. Bickford writes from Massachusetts that exposition matters are in a very favorable condition in Associated Board of Trade held a special meeting recently and a resolution was adopted which was introduced by the repadopted which was introduced by the rep-resentative of the New England Shoe and Leather association, urging upon the gov-ernor the importance of having the state well represented at the exposition. Mr. Bickford says this organization is composed of representatives of twenty-six of the com-mercial bodies of Boston and is one of the strongest trade organizations in the world. He says the president and secretary of the organization are most favorable to participation by the state and will urge the gov-ernor to take action. The project of a state building is making good progress and every indication is in favor of the Old Bay state being at the exposition in full force.

Tennessee to Take Part. W. T. Davis, commissioner of education for Tennessee, and a member of the Exposition commission recently appointed by the governor of that state, has written to Su-perintendent Wadley of the Concessions department regarding arrangements for an exhibit. He says a meeting of the commission will be held at the state capitol very soon to organize for business and expresses the opinion that the state will make a strong showing. Mr. Wadley was connected with the Nashville exposition and is personally acquainted with many of the commission. He believes that influence can be brought to bear to induce the Tennessee commission

to erect a state building on the grounds. Interest in Teachers' Convention. There was a full attendance at the meetng of the executive committee of the Transnississippi Teachers association yesterday afternoon. Acceptances of invitations to take part in the meeting that is being planned for this city during the expasition were received from Hon. E. Benjamin Andrews, president of Brown University, and Hon. J. Sterling Morton of Nebraska City. were decided upon and contributions towards the expense of the meeting were received from several counties in this state.

Notes of the Exposition. The Battle Creek (Mich.), Steam Pump company has applied for 208 feet for an ex-nibit of steam pumps.

A meeting of the Board of Fire and Police commissioners with managers Babcock. Reed and Kirkendall, President Wattles and Secretary Wakefield discussed the policing and fire patrol of the exposition grounds last night

J. E. Lee, one of Louisiana's commis-sioners, writes the department of Publicity and Promotion that his state will have a most complete and representative exhibit at

the proposed new measures for dealing with the plague. He said the system of search parties would be experimentally abolished By inadvertence the name of E. B. Pope, western passenger agent of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad, and that of J. R. Kirk, state superintendent of schools of Missouri, were mixed in the items concerning the Misand all suspicious cases would be reported by the head men of the various communities. There would be, he added, no inspec-tion of corpses or other measures entailing delay in the funeral rites.

souri educational exhibit that appeared in yesterday's Bee. EXPLORATIONS, IN ALASKA

The executive committee of the Woman's Board of Managers will meet tomorrow for the purpose of passing on the final plans for the Girls' and Boys' building. The plans and appecifications will be laid before the committee by the architects and as soon as they are approved, active work on the constru-tion of the building will be commenced.

A committee has written to President Wattles to ask what arrangements will be

made for bringing to Omaha a drill team of forty men with all the paraphernalia for giving exhibitions.

MOGY BERNSTEIN IN A BAD WAY.

uffers Severely from the Assault

head, received from one of the numerous

hold-up men on Mccday night, "Mozy"

suffering greatly from the nervous shock from the encounter, and during Monday night

'Mogy," and Mrs. Bernstein feel highly in-

censed at the action of the police, who main-

LONG AND SHORT MAN IN CUSTODY.

Two Suspicious Characters Are Gath-

ered in by Police. Two men were arrested last night whom

the police hope will relieve the public from

further apprehension regarding the long and

short man. The prisoners, whose names are

W. J. Johnson and Ed Hansley, answer the

description of the notorious pair in a general way and had some effects which were no indication of an honest profession. John-

a railroad detective and United States field marshal. Mr. Hans first noticed the pair in

South Omaha, the supposed habitation of the highwaymen, where they were acting in a

uspicious manner. He next observed them.

in different apparel and headgear, going west on Webster street shortly before the

recent robbery and shooting occurred at Twenty-third and Burt streets. None of the

evidence the arrests will prove very valuable

A holdup, of which no particulars were learned, is said to have occurred last even-ing at Twenty-fourth and St. Mary's avenue. A shot was fired and men were heard run-ning, but the arrival of the observer was too

Harry Brown, 12 years old and a comrade

of the two boy burglars arrested yesterday, has been secured on a similar charge. It is

thought that he was with the other boys

when the stores of Messrs. Marsh, Shackel-ford, Kenneft and other North Omaha busi-

GIVES OFFICERS THE SLIP

Female Thief Makes Her Escape and

Justice miscarried again yesterday after-

noon through the carelesewess of police offi-

cers. The criminal who escaped on this oc-

casion was Nellie Quinlan, a well known

shoplifter. The woman was arrested early

in the day, and an effort was made to locate

stolen property. She promised to point out

her lodgings to the police, and was taken, in charge of several officers, to a tenement

near Thirteenth and Jones streets. She con

ducted her escort to a room on an upper floor, which she said she had occupied, and

a search was commenced through her effects.
A trunk was found containing a large as-

sortment of dry goods and millinery. There were dozens of yards of fine slik and other

fancy materials. Four hats were also found carefully packed away, and like the other

goods, bore no sign of wear. The whole

had evidently been stolen and its value would amount to over \$100. While the offi-

cers were engaged in turning over the con-tents of the trunk little attention was paid

to the door or the stairs leading to the street.

The woman recognized the opportunity and

softly stole away. She had disappeared down stairs before her absence was noticed. The neighborhood was searched without result

and the party returned to the station with

world and can think of no pleasanter or be

Minute Cough Cure as a preventative

er way to do it than by commending One

pneumonia, consumption and other serious lung troubles that follow neglected colds.

...AMUSEMENTS...

"The Gay Matinee Girl," a musical farce-

omedy in which the well known comedians

Monroe and Hart are featured, opens an en-

Boyd's. There will be a special matinee on

Arrested for Assault.

Morris Greenberg was arrested last night

for assault on complaint of M. Rosenblatt.

Thirteenth and Davenport streets. Rosen-

For Forgery in Connecticut. A telegram was received by the chief o

police yesterday to arrest Charles Stewart,

wanted in Norwalk, Conn., for forgery, He

wanted in Norwaik, Conn., for forgery. He was supposed to be engaged as a solicitor for some insurance company in this city. During the afternoon a man answering the description given was picked up and proved to be the man wanted. He refused at first to admit that he had ever been in Connecticut, but later admitted to Captain Haze that he was the man referred to in the telegram. He will be held for the Connecticut authorities.

New Measures for the Plague.

BOMBAY, March 15 .- At the largely at-

tended meeting of the town justices at the

town hell today the governor, Lord Sand-

hurst, spoke at length on the subject of

authorities

Thursday (St. Patrick's day).

the trunk but without the prisoner.

ness men were entered and robbed.

late to obtain any results.

WORK LAID CUT FOR GEOLOGICAL SURVEY The Minneapolis Republican Flambeau club desires to secure an engagement to appear at the exposition during the opening ceremonies and give a fireworks exhibition.

Yukon Basin and All Territory South of the River to he Thoroughly Gone Over, Elaborate Plans for Work.

WASHINGTON, March 15 .- Preparation Geological survey for an extensive explora- their way." As a result of a blow on the back of his tion of the geological, topographical and other features of Alaska. This will be done under authority of the bill which appropri-Bernstein lies in a critical condition at his home on Capitol avenue near Twenty-sixth of the survey will be assigned to the work street. Two physicians are in attendance in prospect, viz.: George H. Eidridge, Arthur Keath, J. E. Spurr, Alfred Brooks, E. C. Barnard, W. J. Peters, Robert Muldrow, W. S. Post, W. C. Mendenhall and F. C. Shrader. The latter two are accompanying exploring parties. In addition to the above named eighteen campmen will

be employed. Four parties are to be organized under the general charge of Mr. Eldridge. Seattle will be the outfitting point, and the whole expedition will proceed there about April 1 The gunboat Wheeling will transport the The gunboat parties. At Skagway two parties will be detached, the first, under Mr. Barnard, prohad to be held in his bed nearly all night. He slept for a little while yesterday morning, but when he awoke his ravings indicated that he was quite as irrational as on ceeding to the Klondike region for the oce of making a topographic survey of the district adjacent to the Canadian boundary of Alaska, the one hundred and forty-first Monday night. He was put to sleep with meridian. The survey will extend westward the aid of an opiate which the physician administered. Last evening Dr. Hoffman from the Yukon, between the sixty-eighth and fiftieth parallels of latitude and will include the Forty-Mile district. The map was called in and pronounced the case a to be made by the party will serve as a basis for a careful geological investigation of the region. Mr. Keath will operate to Prof. Nathan Bernstein, the brother of

some extent independently.

The second party, leaving Mr. Eldridge at tain that "Mogy" was not assaulted, but is simply shamming. A policeman came along shortly after the affair happened, and be-cause he saw no one around concluded that Skagway, will be in charge of Mr. Spurr, who will co-operate with Barnard in crossing the passes, and, on reaching the mouth of the White river, will enter upon its special field 'Mogy" could not have been held up, and reported accordingly. This is the third time "Mogy" has been help up, but his assallants are evidently unaware that he never carries any money from his store home with him. of work, namely, the exploration of the White and Tanana river systems. It is expected that this party will descend the Tanana to its mouth and will explore the Melogitkaet with a view to future operations Because of fear that some one will take ad-vantage of his lameness to attack him, he on the Koyukok. leaves all money that is received in the even-

TAKING IN ENTIRE TERRITORY. After organizing the Barnard and Spurr parties at Skagway, Mr. Eldridge, with the remaining members of the force, will go in the Wheeling to Cook Iniet to land at the mouth of the Sushitna river. He is expected to proceed with the entire corps then with him up the Sushima to about latitude 63.40. where several forks of the river combine. At this point a party under Mr. Peters will be detached to explore the northeastern portion of the Sushitna drainage basin, with the expectation that their work will connect with the party sent from the War depart-ment on Copper river, and they will close revolver of 44-caliber. He also possessed a good supply of money. Hansiey, 5 feet 6 inches tall, was provided with a flash roll of worthless bills, a quantity of dice and marked cards. The men were apprehended largely through the efforts of Fred M. Hans, a railroad detective and United States flaid marked.

In the exploration by Mr. Peters and Mr. Eldridge sufficient attention will be given to the location of a possible railroad from Cook Inlet to the Yukon. All the parties will rendezvous at Sf. Mychaels by September 15. The routes traversed will be critically inspected with a view to ascertaining the most practical location for trails, wagon dentity the men, but the officials express he belief that despite the lack of tangents. None of the officials express or streams will be examined as to the rivers of the timber will be forced and the rivers or streams will be examined as to the rivers of the timber will be forced and the rivers or streams will be examined as to the rivers of the rive or streams will be examined as to the possi-bilities of navigation and height of falls or rapids, and the rise and fall of tides will

The geological survey is to be so conducted as to ascertain the general distribu-tion of rock masses; their relations, and so far as may be the character and organization and general attention given to the presence

BILL GRANTING RIGHT OF WAY. Measure for Omaha & Northern

Passes the House. WASHINGTON, March 15 .- (Special Telegram.)-The bill for right-of-way for the Omaha & Northern through the Omaha reservation passed the house today, but was amended so as to allow the company on bluff tracts to use more than 100 feet for purposes of obtaining stone and earth in con-

Senator Warren passed through the senate today the bill providing for a monument to mark the site of the Kearney massacre. Congressman Mercer has asked the Navy department to name one of the new battleshins just purchased Nebraska. He also in troduced a joint resolution fo restore the status of the Nebraska militia, including offiers and privates who served during the late

The conference on the Indian appropria-tion bill will not be held until next week, Senator Allison stating that there were so many pressing measures which had priority that the conferees could not get together before that day.

The invalid pensions committee of the

The invalid pensions committee of the house has reported favorably the bill for the relief of William L. Grigsby of Belvidere, and also Mrs. Mary F. Hawley, wife of the late General John B. Hawley, cutting the amount to \$20 a month, pay of captain. Senator Allen today filed a letter from Charles D. Wolcott of the United States geological survey in relation to sinking test wel's in certain portions of the west. cott thinks it would be of incalculable benefit to persons within the arid and semi-arid regions. The investment also, as a business enterprise, would be commendable, as it would give the government information concerning public land and permit of its utilizaion or disposition better.

Emil C. Goecke was today appointed postmaster at Canova, Miner county, S. D., and C. E. Warner at Hazel, Hamlin county, S. D. order was issued today removing the postoffice at Albia, Ia., from its present quarters to the building owned by Thomas Edwards, at a rental of \$75 a year. Miss Helen Campbell, teacher at the Rose-ud (S. D.) Indian school, was today trans-

ferred to a like position at the Mount Pleas ant (Mich.) scho The contract for carrying mail between Curtis and Strock Ankle, Neb., was today awarded to J. H. Greeshaw, at \$174.97 a gagement of two nights this evening at year.

Let Contracts Today. WASHINGTON, March 15 .- Abstracts for bids for furnishing the War department with projectiles to the amount of about \$600,000 vere completed this afternoon. The awards Thirteenth and Davenport streets. Rosen-blatt says he reproved Greenberg at a ball for unbecoming conduct and that the latter has since made threats against him to do him personal injury.

A similar complaint was lodged last night against Samuel Halprin by Maud Miller of 1313 Davenport street. The woman says that Halprin blacked her eyes and other-wise disfigured her face during a misunder-standing at her room. will probably be made fomorrow.

Oppose Powderly's Confirmation. WASHINGTON, March 15 -The com nation of T. V. Powderly to be commissioner of immigration, which was adversely reported, was considered in executive session by the senate for an hour and a half today. The

AS OTHERS SEE IT.

Here is what Professor Daniel Steel, D. D., LL. D., of Boston University, writes of

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fort to secure confirmation will be resumed tomorrow. Senator Fairbanks spoke briefly in Mr. Powderly's behalf and Senator Faulkner stated his position. Senators Chandler and Stewart spoke in opposition.

PRESS FOR EARLY ADJOURNMENT. 1 is Believed to Be the Date for Dissolution of Congress.

WASHINGTON, March 15 .- The republican leaders of the house are pressing for an early adjournment, and it is said their course meets the full approval of the presi- | died last evening. dent.

All save three of the appropriation bills have gone to the senate. The postoffice bill was taken up in the house today and the appropriations and the naval committees are working hard to get the lest billn, the general deficiency and naval, into the house.

The action of the appropriations committee in preparing the general deficiency bill at this time is the best evidence of the in tention of the leaders to secure an early ad-journment. This bill is always held back until the last, as it contains all the odds and ends, and usually is not reported until more or less definite understanding as to nal adjournment has been reached. May 1 has been fixed by several house re publicans as the date beyond which the ses sion probably will not be prolonged. The democrats of the house generally favor an early adjournment, although there is not unanimity among them on this point.

Neither is there complete harmony on the republican side as to an early adjournment. Many republicans believe congress should remain in session until the Cuban question

is finally and effectually cleared up, but they would hardly go to the extent of op-posing the wish of the leaders and the ad-It is admitted on the house side that the question of carrying out his arrangement will depend entirely upon the attitude of the

Shot by a Stock Broker. WASHINGTON, March 15.-Deunis Canty, formerly a clerk in the Interstate Commerce commission and later a partner with Herman Vansenden, private secretary to Secretary Carlisle in the last adminis the stock and grain brokerage business, today shot and killed George S. Rye, a speculator whose home is in the west, in front of the Ebbitt house on F street, near

It is assumed that the killing grew out of some stock transactions and perhaps may have been connected with the failure several months ago of Canty & Vansenden. The firm was not a member of the New York Stock exchange, but did a large business among the smaller class of speculators.

ST. LOUIS, March 15.—Dennis J. Canty, who today shot and killed George S. Rye in Washington, was a resident of East St. Louis, Ill., where he was quite prominent as a in our city—not only because of their politician. Canty was city clerk and later peculiar quality and beauty—but because recorder of deeds of East St. Louis. Six years ago he left there and went to the Interstate Commerce commission. Recently his friends here say he has been in the brok-erage business. Canty has a brother here in the saloon business.

Daily Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, March 15 .- Today's state nent of the treasury shows: Available cash balances, \$244,477,094; gold reserve, \$169,-

Prince Albert Leaves Washington. WASHINGTON, March 15 .- Prince Albert of Belgium left here for New York this

comination was not disposed of, and the cf- morning. He was accompanied by his per-

Confirmed by the Senate. WASHINGTON, March 15 .- The senate today confirmed the nomination of Daniel Swiney of Ohio to be consul at Work, Ire-

DEATH RECORD.

Inventor of Bessemer Steel. LONDON, March 16 .-- Sir Henry Bessemer the celebrated inventor of Bessemer steel

Sir Henry Bessemer, whose name is in separably connected with the development of the steel industry, was born in Hertford shire in 1813. His discovery of the means of rapidly and cheaply converting pig iron into steel by blowing a blast of air through the iron when in a state of fusion, was the result of costly and laborious experiments which extended over a long period and in which the end was attained only after many and disheartening failures. The invention revolutionized the whole iron trade of the world in the short space of thirty years. From his carllest youth he was fond modeling and designing natterns and at the

age of 20 he was an exhibitor in the Royal academy. Not until 1856, however, did he tenham, the paper on the manufacture of nalleable iron and steel which first attracted attention to the very high character of his cientific attainments He was the recipient of scores of distinct

tions from the crowned heads of Europe, and from the scientific and learned societies; in 1870 he was president of the iron and steel institute of Great Britain; and in this country the cities of Bessemer, Alabama, and Bessemer, Mich., with several places ees importance, were parned after him in received his knighthood in 1879.

Railway Commissioner Davidson. HULL, Ia., March 15 .- (Special Telegram.) -Charles L. Davidson, one of Iowa's railway commissioners, was found dead in his room at Hull today. His death was the result of a stroke of apoplexy and he had been dead for an hour before discovered. C. L. Davidstate of Iowa. He was serving his second term as railway commissioner as a repub-lican. He was at one time the commander

of the Department of Iowa Grand Army of the Republic, and is at present a member of the Soldiers' Home board. He enlisted in the Soldier. Home board. He enlisted in the army whon quite a young man, and it is said that a wound received is primarily the cause of his death. He was struck just over the heart by a spent builet and for years complained of the injury. He was the pro-prietor of a bank at Hull, but found con-siderable time in addition to his duties to engage in politics. He was about 50 years

General John McConnell. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 15 .- General John McConnell, father of Judge S. P. Mc-Connell of Chicago, died here today. Ceneral McConnell served throughout the civil war. entering the service as capta'n of the Third for gallant conduct on the field.

Attorney Who Prosecuted Prendergast OHICAGO, March 15 .- Ex-Assistant State's Attorney E. S. Battum died today of Bright's disease. His age was 40 years. Mr. Bottum was chiefly celebrated for his successful prosecution of Prendergast, the a sassin of Carter Harrison, sr.

Millonnire Lumber Merchant CHICAGO, March 15 .- Jacob Beidler, the millionaire lumber merchant and real estate owner, died today. He was born in Pennsyl-

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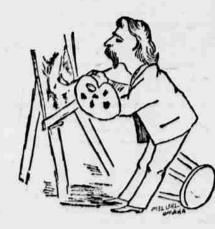
Big Woolen Mill. TROY, N. Y., March 15.-The Victor mill of Cohoes, the largest woolen mill in the United States, burned this morning.

Joint Policies Are Hiegal. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 15.—Superintendent of Insurance Orear today rendered an opinion in which he holds that dered an opinion in which he holds that
the issuance of joint policies by any companies now licensed to do business in
Missouri under the name of "Underwriters'
Policies" is a violation of the state antitrust law and the policies are illegal. He
holds also that he has no authority to
license such combinations.

Takes Silver to Europe. NEW YORK, March 15.-The steamship St. Louis, sailing for Europe tomorrow, will take out 160,000 ounces of silver for Europe and the Normanie will take 200 ounces.

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