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General Hamilton's Forces Recapture the	and the second s	Coup by Chinese Empress.	For Governor WINFIELD T. DURBIN	Ehot Her Husband.	Hour. Deg. Hour. Deg. 5 a. m 59 1 p. m 75	Ottawa, Canada, and Surrounding Towns
Place Without Opposition.	Copyright, 1900, by Press Public LO DON, April 27(New York 4	coup of chilese haptess.	Lieutenant Governor NEWTON GILBERT	chot Her Husband.	6 a. m 59 2 p. m 77	Suffer Great Damage.
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NGLISH NOW DOMINATE THE DISTRICT	blown up Wednesday night, wrecking the Transvaul government arsenal, killing thir-		Superintendent of Public Instruction		<b>10 n. m 61</b> 6 p. m 70 <b>11 n. m 69</b> 7 p. m 69	TOTAL LOSS OF OVER FIFTEEN MILLIONS
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Country.	was the work of Englishmen, residents in the Transvaal, promptly expelled a lot of	sary–Russia Fomenting the Disaffection.	Reporter of Supreme Court, C. F. REMY State StaticianB. F. JOHNSON	the Story of the Dead by Witnesses,		Thousards Left Homeless, .
	British subjects-ten men, 263 women and	Disantection.	Delegates-at-Large to the National Con-	witheases.	STRIKERS ATTACK WORKMEN	
AFRE MANAGE TO FUNDE DODEDTE! NET	429 children.		ventionSENATOR FAIRBANKS SENATOR BEVERIDGE		Two Teamsters and a Carpenter Badly	SEVERAL FATALITIES ARE INCLUDED
OERS MANAGE TO ELUDE ROBERTS' NET	The arsenal was in the Begble works, the	YOKOHAMA, April 7(Via San Fran- cisco, April 26.)-The flurry over the Ma-	GOVERNOR MOUNT Charles S. Herniey was elected chairman	CINCINNATI, April 26(Special Tele-	Beaten in Chicago-One Seri-	STREAM TATALITES ARE INCLUDED
	manager of which, Herr Grunberg, is among the wounded. The works employed 200 per-	sampo incident and the fears of Russian en-	of the republican state central committee.	gram.)-Jessie Adams was acquitted of the charge of the murder of her husband by	onsly Injured.	
unning Fight is Now Going On in the	sons, chiefly French and Italians. The most	croachments in Korea are today put en-	INDIANAPOLIS, April 26 After a con-	Judge Schwab in the police court today.	CHICAGO, April 26 The attacks of strik-	Factories, Mills, Churches and Many Home
Southeast Free State.	Important machinery was saved.	tirely in the shade by the tidings which in- dicate serious troubles and the approach of	test that lasted from 9 o'clock till 3 in the	Pale and worn she solemnly walked into	ers in the building trades labor war upon	Swept Away.
	The Daily Mail's Lorenzo Marquez corre- spondent notes that the banished British	another crisis, of which the Chinese em-	afternoon Colonel Winfield Taylor Durbin	the court at noon to answer the charge of	nonunion workmen were continued today, a	and the second
OMMANDANT & CRONIC DEDODTED OF	subjects have been ordered to Delagon bay	press dowager's reign has been so prolific.	on the seventh ballot by the republican	in their apartments in the Primrose flats on	mob assailing two teamsters, while an aged	TOWN OF HULL PRACTICALLY WIPED OUT
OMMANDANT S. CRONJE REPORTED DEAD	at a time when there is no steamer to take	It is quite evident that this restless female intriguer has another coup in contempla-	istate convention today.	Race street. She was accompanied by her	stellas avenue binors. Who intrud and	TOTAL TRACTICALLY WIPED OU
	them to England, adding: "United States Consul Adelbert Hay is doing his best to	tion and it is as evident that this time the	As the ballot closed it was seen that Dur-	two little children, who sat on her knee dur- ing the trial. Neither of the children was	Patrick Tansey, teamster; seriously in-	
on of the Captured General is Said	delay their departure until a steamer is	western powers are resolved, by concerted	candidates, moved to make the vote unani-	old enough to realize the full enormity of	a second s	Strong Wind Aids the Flames, Whiel
	ready. As the British are suspected of	action, to prevent it, as is evidenced by the presence of their fleets.	mous. At the republican state convention	the mother's troubles. While Policeman	Henry Schellhorn, teamster; badly beaten by mob.	
Boer Peace Commis-	causing today's explosion by means of a tunnel dug from a house on the opposite	The China Gazette in a recent editorial	four years ago Governor Mount also re-	Muchle described the holes in the back of	Stophen Gaul, carpenter; slugged from be-	-Started from an Unclean
sloners.	side of the street the affair is likely to pre-	has declared that "If the present policy of	Colonel Durbin made a brief speech of	the murdered man's head the woman leaned her head away. Tears trickled from her	hind by three men.	Chimney,
	cipitate the expulsion of those yet remain-	the empress dowager, inspired by her evil advisers, Kang Yi, Prince Ching, Li Hung	thanks.	eyes, and it was by the most determined ef-	Tantey and Schellhorn were engaged in hauling cand to the Western Electrical	
orrespondent of the Daily Telegraph, under	ing. It is also feared that the Boers will make reprisels on the mines"	Chang and Hsui Tong on the one hand and	He has always declined to ac-	forts that she was able to restrain herself	building, against which a strike is directed.	OTTAWA, Ont. April: 27 -Five source
Vednesday's date, says:	The Pretoria correspondent of the Mall	by the Russian and other continental polit-	cept public office. In 1892 he went to the national republican	and prevent a hysterical outbreak. Her sis- ter, Gertie Furman, sat in the prisoners'	They had dumped the sand in front of the	miles of territory burned over, more that 2,500 dwellings, factories, mills, stores and
	wires: "The government inquiry suggests	ical wirepullers on the other, is not speedily restrained, an era of widespread horror and	convention as a delegate, having prior to	dock with her.	building, when without warning a mob of fifty men, mostly pickets who had been in	other buildings destroyed entailing a tos
	that the explosion was a planned outrage. The explosion occurred in a house quite	bloodshed is not far off. The people, and	that time served as a member of the re-		the neighborhood ever since the strike	estimated to reach \$20,000,000, and between
	separate from the works and required a	even many of the mandarins, in almost all the provinces, most certainly in the middle	publican state committee. In 1856 he was made a member of the pational committee	ner, Phil Roach, and Detective Jack Me-	started, began hurling bricks, stores and	12:000 and 15:000 men, women and children homeless is a summing up of the have
	much larger quantity of nitroglycerine than	and south, are ready to rise and throw off	from Indiana, and since that time has taken	Dermott. All the officers stated that Mrs.	paying blocks at them. They were hit fre- cuently, but to make the job complete the	wrought by the fire which has been ragin
	could have been found on the premises. The factory will be working again in a	the strangling voke that hinds them."	a prominent part in the work of the na-	Adams' face and neck showed light bruises,	strikers closed in on them and pourded and	at Hull and in Ottawa since 11 o'clock yes
hat polst and in line with Bloemfontein		That the present ferment is widespread is	tional party. He has taken an active part in Grand Army affairs. Durbin was ap-	ble physical condition of Mrs. Adams.	kicked them. The arrival of the police dis-	completely under social
vill be in our hands.	NACAR RAPIE COR REVERT	ances and insurrections in various parts of	pointed colonel by Governor Mount to serve	Defendant's Sister Testifics.	persed the mob and the injured men were taken to their homes.	Most of the lumber piles in Hull an
orming commandos, immediately on find-	PRESS PORTE FOR PAYMENT	the empise, but disaffection among the	in the late Spanish-American war as com-	Gertie Furman followed Dr. Walker. She	Gaul, who is 60 years old, was attacked	Ottawa have disappeared and are now mer
	Charge Griscom Presents a Note De-	Hunanese people, who are the only real fighting men in China. It is only with the	mander of the 161st regiment. He and his regiment went to Cuba, where it did gar-	said that she was not in the room when the	when he was going to work. He had been	heaps of charred wood and ashes. Half
nd resume the roles of peaceful citizen-	manding a Prompt Set-	extremest difficulty that they are kept in		arrived home for his support he quarreled	threatened by strikers, but so quietly did the three men creep upon him that he fell	mills, the Hull water works, the Hull cour
hip, hiding their rifles." The Bloemfontein correspondent of the	tlement.	leash and restrained from flying at the			an easy victim. Oscar Neid, a union car-	bouse and jail, the convent-almost ever
tandard, telegraphing Thursday, says	CONSTANTINOPLE, Wednesday, April 25.	arrogant Manchus, upon whom the empress and her party rely for their power.	CHOICE OF MASSACHUSETTS	jumped from his bed, where he was sitting.	penter, was arrested and charged with par-	business place and about 1,000 dwelling an shops in Hull have been destroyed. In
"General Ian Hamilton, with mounted in-	-The negotiations beween the United States	England, America and Japan May Act	State Republicans Elect Delegates and	and remarked that he would "spill some blood pretty soon." She said he then be-	ticipating in the assault.	deed, practically nothing of Hull is left by
antry, naval guns and a howitzer battery, dvanced from the water works in the di-	and the Porte regarding the American in-	Behiad all the disturbances and intrigues	Alternates to National Conven-	gan to rummage in the bureau where he	A complaint was made today that the girls who are to sing in the chorus which is to	a church and a few houses beyond it.
and the second of the second o	demnity claims have again been transferred here. United States Charge d'Affaires Gris-	which threaten to involve eastern Asia in a	tion at Philadelphia.	kept his pistol and razor. When his wife	be a feature of Dewey day have been threat-	
ntantry supported him. He met with no op-	com yesterday handed to Tewfik Pasha, min-	war it is quite naturally to be expected that Japan sees the hand of Russia busily en-	BOSTON, April 26 The republicans of	asked him what he was looking for Miss Furman says that Adams suddenly struck	ented with violence if they persist in at-	street of Hull and as a gale was blowin
osition and the mounted infantry occu- led a position dominating the Ladybrand	ister of foreign affairs, a note based on in-	gaged in fomenting them. Attention is	Massachusetts today elected delegates and	her and knocked his wife down. He jumped	tending rehearsals. The threats are said to have been made by union pickets and their	from the northwest right in the direction of
istrict."	structions he had received from Washington, the tenor of which has not yet been made	therefore as naturally turned to the neces-	alternates to the national republican con- vention in Philadelphia. Of the 1.894	on her and began to beat her. Miss Fur-	sympathizers, who, according to Prof. Ga-	the lumber piles and mills both on th Hull and Ottawa shores of the Ottawa rive
Brush Near Karee Siding.	public. It is understood, however, that it	sity of some concerted action on the part of England, America and Japan. It is	delegator entitled to entry from more 1954	man said that she ran from the room for assistance, and while in the hall she heard	briel Katzenberger, have been standing	and Chaudiere Falls it was soon seen the
A report comes that a small force of	demande prompt payment of the indemnity.	clearly recognized that almost anything in	present. Congressman F. H. Gillet, the	the shots.	guard at the entrance to Steinway hall,	the fire was almost certain to be a larg
British mounted infantry had a brush with	The note will be discussed at the council of ministers today. Similar steps by the	the line of a joint determination on the	permanent chairman of the convention, de-	During the cross-examination of Miss Fur-	where the rehearsals take place, frightening some of the girls away and causing general	
a party of Boers ten miles east of Karee Siding, who were trying to establish a con-		and offectually solve this eastern problem	livered a long address. The platform, which was presented by Attorney General Knowl-	man little Irwin Adams, the rosy-cheeked	consternation. The unions are acrayed	hold of Main street and the online street
ection between Branfordt and the Boer	Charge Griscom in the present circum-	Indeed, it is now looked upon as the only	ton, was adopted unanimously.	baby boy, fell asleep in his mother's arms. Once a fly crawled across the rosy glow of	against the whole celebration committee be-	with dozens of cross streets were burne-
orces to the southward.	stances declines to express his views. The only issue at present, however, is the	the second of the sector of passes to the	The resolutions affirm adherence to the platform of the St. Louis convention of 1896	health that painted the plump cheeks, and	cause the Dewey grand stand is being built by nonunion men. Prof. Katzenberger is	Practically there is not a house left in the
Otherwise there is no news beyond the micial dispatches of Lord Roberts, except	execution of the Porte's repeated promises to	an defensive is needed	and congratulate the country upon the re-	little brother Fay, ever on the alert, snapped	in observe of the chorne and has applied to	
elated details of recent operations. It ap-	Minister Straus to pay the indemnity. After	The accombing of a large American fleet	jection of free eilver coinage and the en-	it off the sleeper's face. The voices of the attorneys were softened down to a low tone	the police for protection.	About this time the fire made a jump
ears that General Brabant, in the fight	Mr. Straus left the matter remained in abeyance until the Associated Press dis-	here at Yokahama is, in view of the exigen-	dorsement of the gold standard.	that at times sank almost to a whisper. The	The Evening Post says it is reported this afternoon that the material men have forced	
	patch from Washington, April 17, sharply	cies of the new situation, now looked upon as having some significance. The Oregon	port such amendments to the banking laws	witnesses were in sympathy with the baby.	a split in the contractors' association, be-	
nuch hampered by the tardy arrival of ar-	reminded the Turkish government that the	has been here for some time and within the	as will provide a flexible and sufficient	too, and once in a while when they uncon- sciously raised their voices they quickly	tween which organization and the building	which was blowing drove a high column a
	question required urgent attention. The Porte immediately telegraphed to the Turk-	last week the Brooklyn and Concord have	medium of exchange, to the end that capital may obtain fair returns, that American com-	glanced at the child with looks of apology	trades unions a war has existed for two months, costing millions of dollars in wages	
enabled the Boers to secure their retreat.		arrived, the three ships attracting much at-	may obtain thir returns, that American com-	lest they had disturbed the sweet slumber of	and paralyzing building operations.	of the company. The fire at this time all

Although the large scheme of operations for reported strained relations. The minister replied that he had called at washing tor ex-

matter which he hoped would serve as a sop the contrast between this impressive display enacted by legislatures of the states or by and defer pressure in the demands for in- and that of the day not long since when the changes if the resulting evils are beyond demnity, although it is generally recog- sole representatives of the American navy the power and jurisdiction of the states." As to the inhabitants of the islands acquired by the treaty of Paris the resolutions Japanese Naval Maneuvers. say: "No greater trust than the uplifting The naval maneuvers of the Japanese and the educating of these defenseless peofleet are now progressing in the Indian sea. the original intention of having them take The republican party believes it to be the place in the Korean straits having been high and solemn duty of the nation to accept abandoned, it is said, out of consideration and execute this trust, with all the responto Russian susceptibilities. No foreigners sibilities it involves, by retaining the islands are allowed to witness them, but at their and by providing for their adequate governconclusion there is to be a grand review of ment upon the principles of liberty and the ships in the harbor of Kobe and all who humanity." desire can have an opportunity of seeing The resolutions favor the construction of the evidence of the immense strides which an isthmian canal and the laying of a Pa-Japan has taken as a naval power since the cific cable and declared that congress should offer by legislation such reasonable protec- THREE OAKS, Mich., April 26 .- (Special close of the Chinese war. tion and encouragement to American ship- Telegram.)-The world-renowned Dewey SOCIALIST ACCUSES LEOPOLD ping as shall revive, build up and strengthen cannon boomed for the first time on Amerour merchant marine, expresses "hearty ican soil Thursday evening at sunset in and unqualified endorsement of the admin- Three Oaks. The cause of the demonstration Member of the Belgian Chamber Asistration of President McKinley" and urges was a telegram received from Mayor E. K. serts the King Profits by the nomination of Secretary of the Navy Warren, who had an interview with Ad-African Atrocities. John D. Long for vice president. BRUSSELS, April 26 .- In the Chamber of Deputies today the debate on the massacres acclamation as follows: Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Nahaut, hours to Three Oaks early in June, at the in the Congo Free State, arising out of the Samuel W. McCall of Winchester, William time of his promised western trip, which exploitation of the India rubber industry. was concluded. The socialists again as- B. serted that the agents of the Belgian companies, in order to obtain premiums which Colonel George R. Jewett of Salem. Alfred concludes his message of notification with Fleming, it is stated, will immediately ask away, still remains.

prove her story.

cheer.

of her husband in Omaha.

Them.

Wagered Powder Would Not Explode,

but it Did and Killed the

Winner.

G. M. Dodge in the Cuba Company.

NEW YORK, April 25 -- At a meeting he subscribers to the Cuba company to

Methuen Still Holds Boshof.

The report that the Boers had reoccupied Boshof proves to be untrue. Lord Methuen is still near Hunter's division. This is evidence that some important operations are afoot in that district.

It is understood that the reason that the Boers did not destroy the Bloemfontein water works was that there are many Boers among the shareholders.

The Boers are showing more activity in Natal. They are placing some heavy guns for several miles north of Elandslaagte.

Wyndham's explanation in the House of Commons yesterday has aroused considerable comment, especially his statement that Lord Roberts is delayed by the necessity of defeating detached forces of the enemy which threatened his communication from Capetown and Port Elizabeth and which blocked them from East London.

The other information hitherto received that the East London line was blocked had pose of a large amount of personal business been discredited. This was the Boer report that the bridge at Bethulie had been blown up.

## Spion Kop Talk Stopped.

Lowther.

A body of Boer prisoners has been landed at St. Helena.

The Netherlands minister of foreign affairs has received the Boer commission. It Sewickley, Pa. is said they will time their arrival in the campaign.

From Lourenz Marquez comes a report ing to the Boers disguised as sacks of meal. will be furnished and kept in readiness for The War office publishes the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated Bloemfontein, April 26:

"General Ian Hamilton yesterday drove the by a well conceived turning movement, which was admirably carried out by General Ridley, commander of the Second mounted infantry brigade, and General Smith-Dor rien, commanding the Eighteenth brigade. The troops are today advancing toward Thaba N'Chu.

"Our losses were slight-only one yet re-Major Marshall, Grahamstown ported. mounted rifles, severe wound in the shoulder."

A special dispatch from De Wet's Dorp. to the approach of General French coutive mansion May 1. Following the timeand to General Rundle's persistent shelling honored custom of the Island, the day's cerethe Boers relinquished their positions last monies will begin with sunrise screnades night, retiring with their guns in a north- by bands of music, followed at 9 o'clock WILHELM NOT TO VISIT PARIS. easterly direction. Generals French and by military, naval and civil parades, which Rundle joined hands east of De Wet's Dorp will be reviewed by the governor on the this morning.

General Rundle is pursuing the Boers in forced marches.

DE WET'S DORP, Wednesday, April 25 .-Evening -- General French entered this town today with two cavalry brigades. He left camp at daylight and found the Boers holding the hills. These were shelled and the loers retreated. The cavalry pushed around the position of the Boers above the town, where they were holding General Rundle in check.

It is reported that 6.000 Boers passe through the town last night in order to avoid General French's attack in the rear.

### Hot After Fleeing Burghers.

LONDON. April 26 .- All the interest in the South African war is now centered in the running fight in progress between the burghers retreating from the southern portion of the Orange Free State and General French's horsemen and the infantry of Generals Pole-Carew, Chermside and Rundle. But the British hope of conclusive results is slim at present, the Buers escaping unbeaten and having accomplished an immense amount of damage. They clung to their po-

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nized that permission to rebuild will be of in these waters was the old sidewheeler little value to the missionaries without the Monocacy. payment of indemnity. Another irade, issued April 25, orders Rear

Admiral Ahmed Pasha to proceed to America in order to study the construction of battleships.

## PRESIDENT TAKING A REST Passes the Time Quietly at His Old

Home in Canton, Ohio.

CANTON, O., April 26 .- President Mc-Kinley today continued in the full enjoyment of the rest and freedom from official cares and social intercourse which brought him here, and besides found time to dis in connection with his local interests.

Early this morning he had a business conference with several men who look after his interests here, and later he was visited by a number of old friends who have been

All discussion of the Spion kop dis- his neighbors and constituents for years. patches has been postponed until May 22 by President and Mrs. McKinley paid the blocking motion introduced in the another visit to their North Market street House of Commons yesterday by James home during the morning. Soon after noon an informal luncheon was served at the Barber home to the presidential party, Captain and Mrs. Lafayette McWilliams of Chi-

cago and Mrs. J. T. Ewing Brooks of Summer plans, says Secretary Cortelyou. United States so it will occur at the most have not been completed, but the president exciting period of the presidential election and Mrs. McKinley will return to Canton early in July and spend several weeks in their North Market street home. This that large quantities of gunpowder are go- home, as soon as the repairs are completed. in rubber and ivory. the president and Mrs. McKinley any time

they care to come. Later in the summer the president will take a more extended vacation at some place yet to be decided. enemy off a strong position at Israel's Poort where are the best opportunities for rest and quiet he requires.

## ALLEN TAKES HOLD TUESDAY excesses in its territory. Plans Are for Grand Inauguration

Ceremonies-Porto Rico Troops to Take Part.

SAN JUAN, P. R., April 26 .- Governor country. General Davis, through a general order, has announced to the people of Porto Rico that the inauguration of Civil Governor

dated yesterday, says: Owing Charles H. Allen will take place in the exby 58 votes against 25. Plaza Principal. Tuesday, May 1, will be

Denied by Foreign Office. BERLIN, April 26 .- The statement of the observed as a general holiday throughout the island. The citizens are invited to suspend their ordinary vocations and participate in honoring the day, which is designed cellor, is intended to pave the way for Emto be forever memorable in the history of peror William's visit there incognito is emphatically denied by the German foreign

#### Porto Rico. office. To enable German officers to see the ex-BURGLARS TAP A BANK SAFE position the kalser has rescinded the 1886 order.

#### Secure Five Thousand Dollars and Escape Before Robbery is Known.

COULTERVILLE, III., April 26 .- Burglars blew open the vaults of the Bank of Coult rville with dynamite early this morning, secured \$5,000, nearly all in currency, and made their escape. The robbers are supposed to be members of the gang which his operated throughout this state, Indiana and Wisconsin during the last six months. been issued. The village is practically without protec-

tion and the burglars had little difficulty in KINGSTON, Jamaica, April 26.-Dr. Risecuring entrance to the bank building. They muffied the sound of the explosion so cardo Becerra, an aged and discinguished today nominated P. R. Crosby of Saginaw well that nothing whatever was known of Colombian, resident of Caracas, has been county for representative to congress and the robbery until the cashier opened the expelled from Venezuela by order of Pres- adopted strong resolutions favoring the middoors of his office this morning. ident Castro for press writing.

are given in proportion to the quantity of E. Rose of Lowell, Dr. Samuel E. Courtney the words: "Boom the cannon." rubber secured, have been guilty of frightful brutality upon the natives, the hands of ampton.

Officers must use the prescribed

precautions in order to prevent becoming

Castro Expels a Writer.

ictims of the French esplonage law.

thousands of whom, they declared, had been cut off because of their failure to procure the amount demanded of them.

The socialist leader, Vandervelde, violently attacked the present regime and re-Mississippi Delegates for McKinley. peated his assertion that the king of the JACKSON, Miss., April 26 .- M. A. Mont-Belgians was himself the chief trafficker

gemery, H. C. Turley, John R. Lynch and The minister of foreign affairs, De Fav-James Hill were named by the state repubreau, replying, denied that the state had lican convention which adjourned here at 10 anything to do with the appointments of o'clock tonight as delegates-at-large to the the agents of the Belgian company and national convention at Philadelphia.

categorically affirmed that King Leopold The final session, lasting nearly five hours, possessed no shares in any rubber company was a turbulent one. The Montgomery fac- distinguished personages, scarcely anything in the Congo Free State, adding that the tion, otherwise known as the new while can prevent the ceremonies at the formal government was determined to repress any leadership crowd, captured the convention unveiling of the Dewey cannon in June from and elected three of the four men chosen os being an enthusiastic success. Lorand, socialist, declared that the ex- delegates-at-large. H. C. Turley of Natches planations of the minister were pitiable and was elected national committeeman. Turley

noved that the Chamber insist on explana- is a brother-in-law of Judge Thompson, tions of the atrocities in the Mongalla President McKinley's former law partner. The resolutions endorse President McKin-

Woerste, former minister of justice, re- ley's administration, the Nicaraguan canal torted that such a motion constituted an movement, declare that the finance question insult to the government of the Congo Free has been effectually and finally settled, that State and he asked the Chamber to vote the the Porto Rican tariff bill is the wisest piece simple order of the day, which was adopted of national legislation passed in recent years

and instructs the Mississippi delegates to cast a solid vote for President McKinley's

renomination. His Intention to Go There Incognito

Creek Nation Republicana. MUSKOGEE, I. T., April 26 .- The Creek

of John Mickelick, discussing the explosive French press that the present visit to Paris nation republican convention in session toof Prince Hohenlohe, the imperial chan- day at Muskogee, with 150 delegates present, endorsed William Mellette for national offered a wager of 25 cents with Mickolick that the blasting powder contained in the committeeman to succeed Leo E. Bennett. kegs would not ignite. The bet was ac-

and elected James A. Parkinson delegate and A. G. W. Sanger alternate to the Phil- cepted and a quantity of the powder was placed on the floor, a lighted match thrown adelphia convention. Resolutions were into it-and Stoncowich lost the bet. The passed endorsing President McKinley's ad-

hedy of John Mickolick lies at the morgue ministration. here. The other victims will recover. McKinley's Candidacy Endorsed.

MARQUETTE, Mich., April 26.-The

Twelfth district republican congressional Latin Must Give Way to German. convention today selected the following del-BERLIN, April 26.-Emperor William has egates to the national convention: M. M. empowered the Prussian minister of edu-Johnson, Ishpeming; T. E. Cole, Ironwood; cation. Dr. Studt, to forbid hereafter the alternates, Robert H. Shields, Houghton; use of Latin in all university and faculty S. M. Dutcher, Newberry. 'The delegates decrees, assigning as a reason the importare uninstructed, but general resolutions ance of a "more general use of the German were passed, endorsing the candidacy of tongue." An order to this effect has just President McKinley.

> Ashland Man Buys a Valuable Cow. Straight Populist for Congress.

SAGINAW, Mich., April 26 .- The populists of the Eighth congressional district

die-of-the-road populiste.

afraid of him. She was acquitted within three-quarters tractors under pressure today agreed to of an hour. It is believed the case will be treat with the municipal committee and dropped, as there are no witnesses to dis- this, it is said, means the beginning of the

end of one of the worst building trades Mre. Adams will visit her mother, who strikes Chicago ever experienced.

lives in a small town in Missouri, accom-BOYCOTT DEWEY CELEBRATION panied by her little ones. After remaining with her mother a short time she will make her permanent home with the mother Organized Labor of Chicago Orders Union Members to Take No. Part in It. DEWEY CANNON IS FIRED

CHICAGO, April 26 .- The long-talked of

boycott of the Dewey celebration by or-Three Oaks Has a Celebration Over ganized labor took form today when the Admiral's Promise to Visit executive committee of district 8 of the Ottawa.

International Association of Machinists issued an edict declaring the promoters of the celebration antagonistic to union labor

and ordering members of the union to take no part in it.

General Strike Probable.

miral George Dewey Thursday morning, in Mitchell of Indianapolis of the United Mine Cown. Here and there a building re-The delegates-at-large were chosen by which the admiral gave his full and definite Workers' association and Thomas Lew's, mains.

promise that he would devote at least two vice president of that organization, are ex- The village of Hintonburgh, still further Plunkett of Adams and Walter Clifford covers Detroit, Kalamazoo, Grand Rapids and of Kansas to grant the union scale of wages part remains. Mechanicaville, too, which of New Bedford. The alternates are: a few other prominent cities. Mr. Warren and eight hours. The men at Yale and was reported to have been entirely swept

of Boston and Henry P. Field of North- Captain C. L. Hooper of the McCullough suggested that the cannon point westward, at once.

This concluded the business of the con- for, he says, "'Westward the star of em-Congressman Dolliver of Iowa made a that civilization is advancing, and it is rate, but working their men ten hours. A mainder of the city is safe. brief speech and the convention adjourned. in the direction of the enemy." So the big mass meeting of miners has been called The bucket brigades of the military and in the direction of the enemy. So the for next Monday at Weir City, when the men the Montreal firemen, with their engine, did pointing toward the setting sun, it awoke will likely determine upon a program. The yeoman service at this point.

the echoes for miles around. Bells were indications are that the operators will hold rung and whistles were blown and hun- out and that a general strike will result. dreds of voices joined in a prolonged

## Job Pressmen Strike.

DETROIT, Mich., April 26 .- One hundred In the light of the admiral's promise, Miss and fifty job pressmen, feeders and assist-Gould's favorable consideration, and pledges ants, who are members of a newly organof interest and support. by numerous other ized local union branch, went on a strike today in an endeavor to unionize all the printing establishments in Detroit and secure a uniform scale of wages for job press work. The employing printers decline to make the wages uniform. STONCOWICH LUST HIS BET

Steel Works Close for Repairs. JUNKET OF CUBAN TEACHERS COLUMBUS, O., April 26 .- The local lant of the National Steel company has All Arrangements Completed for Their

been closed under orders from the general offices, the reason assigned being to make extensive repairs. Betweeen 360 and 400 men GREENSBURG, Pa., April 26 .- It was brough a wager entered into between are thrown out of work. Two weeks is given George Stoncowich and John Mickolick that as the duration of the shutdown. The local officials deny that the shutdown is due to the He says all arrangements for taking the

death and destruction was brought about condition of the markets. in the tenement house at Larimer on Tuesday night. The party of Austrians sat in a

## Shopmen on a Strike.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 26 .- The em-ployes of the New York Central railroad room where there was stored several kegs of powder and some dynamite, at the home shops, about 2,200 men in all, went out on powers of powder and dynamite. Stoncowich a strike this morning. This number tncludes 1,500 men in the shops and 400 in the yards. An increase in wages and the reinstatement of cortain men alleged 10 have been unjustly discharged is demanded by the men.

# DAMAGE BY PRAIRIE FIRES

Many Houses, Horses and Cattle Destroyed and One Life is Re-

ported Lost.

Grain Exporters' Association. ST. LOUIS, April 25.-The Post-Dispatch today says that the Gulf Ports Grain Ex-porters' association has been formed, with headquarters at St. Louis, Chicago and Kan-sas City, for the purpose of protecting the exporters of St. Louis, Chicago and Kan-sas City, for the purpose of protecting the exporters of the country against the arbi-trary and constantly changing regulations of the Maritime association. Officers of the association are H. F. Hall of Hall and Robinson of Kansas City, president, Frederick C. Orthwein of the William D. Orthwein Grain company of St. Louis secretary and treasurer, and an the subscribers to the Cuba company today the entire capital stock of \$6,000,000 was taken up. Arrangements were made to secure \$2,560,000 cash for immediate use. The following board of directors was elected: Sir William Van Horne, president; William C. Whitney, Thomas F. Ryan, P. A. B. Widener, General Samuel Thomas, George G. Haven, Edward Berwind and General G. M. Dodge. The shares of the company are \$50,000 each. STEPHEN, Minn., April 26 .- Extensive prairie fires have done much damage in Kittson county, sweeping north and crossing the international line.

In the country near Beatton, between thirty and forty houses and many horses and cattle have been destroyed. A young man lost his life. It is reported, forty miles

east of Stephen.

KANSAS CITY, April 26.—The sale of Hereford cattle from the Armour. Sparks, Funkhouser and Logan berds was contin-ued today at the stock yards. The prices realized are considered low. Sixty head sold today at an average of \$275 a head William Humphrey of Ashland, Neb., paid \$430 for the cow Queen Quarantine. east of Stephen. Soldiers to Leave Croton Landing. CROTON LANDING, N.Y. April 26.—The soldiers will leave for home tomorrow morning, their places being taken by a Winchester rifles. William D. Orthwein Grain company of St. Louis secretary and treasurer; and an executive committee, composed of William Stuede. Fred C. Orthwein and William J. Orthwein. The membership consists of the principal exporting firms of Kansas City. Chicago and St. Louis, to which will be added those of New Orleans and Galvestee.

foundry, and half of the buildings on the In this city it is estimated that between the mills, factories, etc., burned, 1,500 residences were destroyed. The total loss is estimated at \$15,000,000 and the insurance at \$2,500,000.

In Hull the fire has about burned out The business portion is all gone and over half of the residences. The Roman Catholic cathedral has been saved, together with Eddy's sulphite works. Gilmour & Hughson's mills are also standing. The only means of comunication between Ottawa and Hull is by boat. From 2 o'clock the only water to be had in Hull is from the river. Chief Benolt of the Hull fire brigade was injured and taken to the general hospital in

## Origin of the Flames.

The fire originated through a fire in a dirty chimney and the high wind caused the flames to spread rapidly. Coming to the Ottawa side of the river and that portion of the city east of Division street the old KANSAS CITY, April 25 .- A Star special boundary line of the city before Rochesterfrom Pittsburg, Kan., says: President ville was annexed was almost entirely burned

pected here within a day or two and will, it east, in close proximity to the city has not is said, endeavor to force the coal operators been destroyed as rapidly. The greater

for the \$1 per ton schedule, an increase of The fire at midnight was largely confined 10 cents, and if it is not paid will quit work to that part of Rochesterville lying near the St. Louis dam in the southeast part of the Some of the operators are granting the \$1 city. Unless a heavy wind rises the re-

Some of the Fatalities.

Casualties so far reported are Miss Cook

an old woman who lived in Wellington

street, near the French church, and who

was burned in her house to a crisp. An

unknown man was found dead on the Cana-

dian Pacific tracks. James Mayan is re-

ported fatally injured, and some pieces of

timber fell on James Merryfield, who was

taken to the hospital. The government is

supplying blankets and doing all in its power

Visit to the United

HAVANA, April 26 .- A. E. Fry, superin-

tendent of schools, returned here yesterday.

Cuban teachers to Harvard have been com

pleted. The government will furnish five

transports; quarters have been offered the

women teachers at Cambridge and the men

will be boarded at the various hails. The

Niagara and probably Chicago, all without

Captain William L. Pitcher, president of

the Havana police court, has returned from

a tour of the island. He says he found the

cities clean and sanitary, that the people

seemed satisfied and he thinks the talk of an

The magistrate found most of the har-

Grain Exporters' Association.

teachers will be taken to New York, Bestin,

expense to themselves.

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States.

for the comfort of the sufferers