ESTABLISHED JUNE 19, 1871.

KRUGER'S MEN ACTIVE HUNTER TO GO TO MAFEKING PRO-BOER RESOLUTION FAILS GOEBEL SUSPECTS IN COURT FEED IN TRANSIT ARBITRARY

Uncommonly So West of Bloemfontein, it is Now Reported.

They Occupy Windsorton Near Kimberley the relief of Mafeking. Barton's brigade has

and Prepare to Check Hunter. BULLER SENT IN HIS RESIGNATION

But Roberts Declined to Accept it, According to News Agency.

BRITISH SUBJECTS ORDERED TO DEPART

With Few Exceptions They Must Leave Transvani in Forty-Eight Hours-Order Due to the Arsenal Explosion.

LONDON, May 1.-3:50 a. m.-The Boers are now showing uncommon activity west of Bloemfontein.

They are in force between Fourteen Streams and Kimberley. On Sunday they occupied Windserton, west of the railway, and now threaten to interrupt the communications of the British force at Warren-4on to the north. This, too, at a time when General Hunter is about to start on a 200mile march to Maleking, probably with 5,000

To the east of Bloemfontein the Boers Sunday night were still holding the hills twenty in killed and wounded. near Thaba N'Chu, while behind them through Ladybrand. The British captured one Boer convoy on Friday, but its size is

Wepener, the scene of recent incessant fighting, is deserted, General Brabant and dispatch from Mazert, dated Sunday, says: to see the Boers peacefully retiring with taken their sheep and cattle along." herds which the natives think should be the booty of the British, who are said to be the

Daily Outpost Actions.

due west of Ludybrand, Sunday, small parties trailing behind at intervals of ten miles to protect the rear and whip up the herds. Slight outpost actions take place daily beyoud Karee siding, where the head of the

British invasion is cantoned. African horse sickness has broken out in fatal among freshly arrived animals. The Bloemfontein correspondents point out that the deficiencies in the veterinary department

cause thousands of losses. General Lucas Meyer, replying to General Buller's complaint that some of the Britisa prisoners at Pretoria are lodged in the town jail, says that only those are so treated who says have tried or who are suspected of trying to escape. He reports, moreover, that Boer prisoners are confined in the town jail at Pictermaritzburg, with natives."

Buller Offered to Resign

to Lord Roberts after the Spionkop censures trenches." were published and that Lord Roberts declined to accept it.

The war specials today consist chiefly of detached scraps, the favorite introduction of the military commentators and editorial writers being that, as only scant news has been wired, something big is probably about to happen.

The Daily Chronicle's expert says: solid victory is to be attained the British sition. A scaffolding collapsed in the Salle conspirators were the millionaires and corhas been displayed at De Wet's dorp operations.

British Ordered to Leave.

PRETORIA, April 30 .- As a sequel to the prdered British subjects, with a few exceptions, to leave the republic within forty-Nearly £4,000 has been subscribed for the

relief of the victims. Commandant Schatt has been relieved of the military command at Johannesburg and has gone on commando.

Begbie, owner of the works, is under arrest charged with murder. He is suspected for the affront of being compelled to manufacture munitions of war for the enemy.

Sixty-Five in the Ruins. LONDON, April 30 .- A dispatch to the

Daily News from Lourenzo Marquez says: Sixty-five bodies have been extricated from the ruins of the Begbie iron works at Johannesburg. The correspondent of the Times, tele-

graphing Monday, says: 'Part of the machinery of the Begbie Azorks has started again. The federal governments continue to buy enormous quanti-

ties of provisions." LADYSMITH. April 30.-The country north of Sunday's river seems comparatively

clear of Boers. General Louis Botha has returned Pretoria to resume the supreme command

of the Transvaal forces. CRONJE AND WIFE TAKE A DRIVE. Enjoy a Ride After Religious Services

-Boer General Cheered. JAMESTOWN, St. Helena, April 30 .- Gen-

Deadwood camp, after which they had their am somewhat astonished that it should have first ride around the country, an experience become known. Mrs. French's son is the which seemed to give General Cronje much heud of the family and will judge what pleasure. The famous Boer commander was ought to be communicated. Alfred Vanderreceived with cheers.

the Freisinnige leader, has abandoned the Idea of promoting a German national Anglophobe demonstration, friends of England here having advised him that in view of the present temper of the English people it would be liable to be misunderstood

Cameroons' Revolt Almost Ended. BERLIN, April 30 .- According to the latest advices from the Cameroons the revolt is the interior is almost completely subdued. The punitive expedition under Captain vo-Besser is now clearing the most important road, after which it will proceed to punish the rebellious Ekol tribes

Damages Wheat Crop. LONDON, April 30 .- The Mark Lane Express in its weekly review of the crop situ-

ation says today: The unseasonable return of winter las and spring sown corn in England and France being reaped at the average date, while it props attaining the average yield.

Strong Relief Column to Put Out from Kimberley Under His Command.

Copyright, 1900, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, April 30 .- (New York World Ca-Lambert W # egram-Special Telegram)-The Express READY TO STOP RELIEF FOR MAFEKING Maye it on the highest authority the been sent to Kimberley to command a ig column intended for also been directed on the Kimberley operation and will probably be seconded by Methuen."

FIGHT AT ISRAEL'S POORT

Details of Thursday's Engagement, in Which Twenty Canadians Were Killed and Wounded.

from Thaba N'Chu, dated Thursday, de- motion was defeated-29 to 20, about seven miles west of Thaba N'Chu, ваув:

trenched on two kopies. The place of honor lution. On this motion the yeas and nays a bar to further prosecution. We make a was given to the Canadians, who advanced were demanded. very cleverly under their dashing commander, Colonel Otter. The Boers reserved Allen. their fire until the Canadians had reached the wire entaglement, then they opened with a terrific hail of bullets.

"The Canadians, however, had taken good Hale cover and were not greatly damaged. They were ably supported in the assault by the Hoar Grahamatown horse. Successive rushes Jones (Arkansas), brought them right up to the kopjes, when Colonel Otter was struck twice, one bullet inflicting a nasty but not dangerous wound in the neck and the other tearing the bandages from his shoulder. But he still cheered (lark (Wyoming), his men on until the kopjes were carried. Pairbanks, The Boers bolted. The British losses were

"I learn that yesterday Boer reinforcelong wagon trains loaded with wheat for ments from Brandfort came too late to asthe Boer army in the north are moving sist their comrades. We found a heliographic message from President Stevn to General Botha, saying it was unadvisable to send more troops to Fourteen Streams, as the federals were already too weak between Bloemfontein and Kroonstad, and because Colonel Dalgety having moved northward, A there were 50,000 British at Bioemfontein. The farmers around here have all been forced 'The Basutos are a second time astounded to rejoin the enemy. Most of them have The Bloemfontein correspondent of the

Standard, telegraphing Sunday, says: "The Boers have taken every advantage of the mountainous nature of the country which marks the line of their retreat to According to information from Mazeru the Ladybrand. The task of driving them is main body of the Boers reached Leeuw river, difficult, and it is doubtful whether they can be reduced to submission in a district co

favorable to their tactics. "I have visited a British outpost, the one nearest Brandfort. The Boers show the deepest anxiety to learn the probable line of our advance and they declare they will General Buller's army. It proves especially not fire a shot from Brandfort, as they wish to save the town from bombardment,

"The enemy are entrenched on the hills southeast of Brandfort, but they are unlikely to make any serious stand until we reach Kroonstad. The Bloemfontein correspondent of the

Chronicle, telegraphing Saturday, cavalry reconnaissance twenty-five miles northeast encountered 400 Boers. The miners.

ing commandes. In an outpost affair on The morning papers given special prom- Sunday several Boers were killed. The that Sir Redvers Buller sent his resignation stad, where they have constructed miles of

ANOTHER ACCIDENT AT PARIS

Three Workmen Killed and One jured by the Falling of a

mony was held. One workman was killed the Cape Nome district. and three were seriously injured, two of whom have since died.

Johannesburg explosion the government has pared for the opening ceremonies, the rubthe function the workmen have been busily stances in favor of the American millionengaged in finishing the building.

yesterday's bridge accident at the exposition. by which nine lives were lost, pointing out week by Pettus. that the exposition authorities were in no way responsible, as the bridge was subject amendment. blown up the arsenal in revenge to municipal regulations until opened to the said an inquiry was being made into the con- lington, Ia., was passed. dition of the families of the victims with the view of affording relief where needed. Numbers of people visited the scene of

most entirely removed, the injured are doing well and it is not expected there will be any further fatalities. The nationalist organs are using the affair

as a rod with which to hit at the govern-

ALF VANDERBILT'S INTENDED Miss French's Uncle Owns Up that the Reported Engagement is Based

Cablegram - Special Telegram.)-Neither it can be sold in the open market. Elsie French nor her mother, Mrs. French. was at home when I called to ask about her engagement to Alfred Vanderbilt.

bral Cronje and his wife, accompanied by the ment: "I cannot deny the engagement, bilt is not in Paris yet, but is expected shortly. Nothing whatever is decided about passed, 144 to 26. the wedding. You may deny that it is to BERLIN, April 30.-Dr. Theodore Barthe, take place on this side, nor so early as September. You may also deny that marriage was ever contemplated between Prince Henri d'Orleans and my nicce. Neither she nor I know him, even by sight."

EXTEND CANAL CONCESSION

Six Years More Added to the Panama Company Grant, Commencing 1904.

PANAMA. April 30 .- A dispatch to the Star and Herald from Bogota today announces that the Panama Canal company's concession has been extended for six years, ommencing in April, 1904.

To Impeach the Ministry. STOCKHOLM, April 30.—The constitu onal committee of the Rikadag has re week destroys the last chance of the wheat ported in favor of the impeachment of the ministry for violation of the constitution in appointing a Norwegian. Ditten, to the materially diminishes the prospect of the highest departmental post in the foreign

Twenty-Nine Against Taking it Up, Twenty For in the Senate.

edent at Capetown wires, under date NO PARTY LINE IS DRAWN IN THE VOTE

Decisive Ballot on a Motion to Consider Pettigrew's Bill-Senators Denounce Alleged Gold Claim Grabs in Alaska.

WASHINGTON, April 30 .- Again the queswas thrust upon the attention of the senate. This time it came upon a motion to proceed | case of Powers, Davis, Whittaker and Combs. to the consideration of the resolution introduced by Pettigrew of South Dakota which Brown for the defen tendered pardons LONDON, April 30 .- A special dispatch was before the senate last Saturday. The granted by Republican Governor Taylor to

scribing the fight at leraels poort, which is Peitigrew, after ascertaining that his resolution, which was before the senate when the body adjourned on Saturday, had gone Three hundred Boers were strongly en- to the calendar, moved to take up the reso-

Yeas-Kenney, McCumber, McEnery, Martin, Pettigrew, Nava-McComas,

Morgan. Penrose. Perkins, Platt (New York), Sewell, Shoup, Stewart, Sullivan. Wolcott-29.

Lodge, Debate on Cape Nome Claims. Consideration was resumed of the Alaska

Gallinger, Gear, Hawley,

civil code bill, the pending question being that there were other evidences of local freight agent. the amendment of Carter of Montana, in charge of the bill. Jones of Arkansas offered without judicial knowled e, and about which an amendment striking out of the Carter it was not necessary) have oral proof amendment all but the following: "That nothing in this get contained shall cient to dispense with J stice.

be construed as changing the existing mining laws of the United States." Turner opposed Jones' amendment, hold-

ing that the Carter amendment ought to county judge. He over uled the objection be adopted. He declared that hundreds and thousands of claims in the Cape Nome dis- heard on the side of the prosecution in retrict had been located by persons in the in- gard to the change of venue. The court nies and were now held by those companies. He said these locations were "illegal and fraudulent and were therefore a proper subject of legislation by congress."

He further declared in response to inquiries that these claims were located by aliens in the employ of the North American Transportation company and other trans portation companies.

Turner maintained that the whole country in the Cape Nome district had been "gobbled" up in the interest of these big companies, who were now holding the claims to the detriment of hundreds of American

British drove them out of a kopje north of Toller called attention to the fact that in the entire controversy it had not been re-"Our outposts are still harassed by mov- garded by anybody but Turner that there located claims in the Cape Nome district Inence to the statement of a news agency enemy will certainly make a stand at Kroon. and it had not appeared that they were employes of transportation companies.

Hansbrough made an earnest appeal behalf of the Carter amendment. He held that an alien on the public domain was a trespasser and had no right to treatment better than that accorded a trespasser.

Great Conspiracy is Charged. was a monster conspiracy in the opposition George Goodwin Dewey. PARIS, April 30.-5:30 p. m.-There was to the amendment to grab the richest gold

"So long as I retain a seat in the senate," said he, "I shall oppose such a con-The Salle des Fetes had been hastily pre- spiracy and direct my efforts in favor of the man with the pick and the pan, the man bish being cleared away and the uncom- in the sands and the guiches, the man bepleted walls covered up with tapestry. Since hind the rocker and not in such circum-

At a cabinet council today presided over by With the latitude of debate ordinarily President Loubet, M. Millerand, the minister allowed in the senate Elkins then delivered of commerce, made a statement regarding a brief speech on the West Virginia sen-

atorial contest in answer to that made last Ross and Stewart spoke against the Carter

A bill appropriating \$40,000 to enlarge public. The premier, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, and improve the public building at Bur-

LACEY'S BIRD BILL PASSED the disaster today. The debris is now al- Restoration of Beautiful Species Provided For and Preservation of

Those Existent. WASHINGTON, April 30 .- The house today passed the Lecey bill to enlarge the powers of the Department of Agriculture and to prohibit interstate commerce in game killed in violation of local laws. It authorizes the sec retary of argiculture to provide for the introduction and restoration of game, song and insectivorous wild birds. It gives him the power to prevent the introduction of undesirable foreign birds and animals and pre-(Copyright, 1990, by Press Publishing Co.) vents the killing of game in violation of state PARIS, April 30.-(New York World laws for concealed shipments to states where

The most important provision, however was that forbidding interstate traffic in game killed in violation of local laws. Lacey Edward Tuck made the following state- agreed that there was some sentiment in the bill. The protection of our native birds,

the milliner's art. Cummings of New York made an eloquent

The senate bill to create a commission of ganda. . five to investigate and report upon the commercial and industrial conditions in China and Japan was debated at length, but was they finally succeeded in striking out the enactment clause in committee and this motion was pending when the house adjourned If the motion prevails in the house the bill

The bill for a constitutional amendment invading the rights of the states.

Reduction of Franchises. ALBANY. N. Y., April 30.—The State Board of Tax Commissioners made public today the final valuations on the franchise of the New York City corporations. The grand total reduction is \$1,423,631.

Evidence Being Taken as to Prejudice Against Detendants in

Frankfort.

OMAHA, TUESDAY MORNING, MAY 1, 1900-TEN PAGES.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 20 .- Five of the defendants charged with complicity in the murder of William Goobel were arraigned this afternoon before Judge Cantrill. They were: Republican Secretary of State Caleb Powers, Captain John W. Davis, Harland

Whitiaker, W. H. Culton and Richard Combs, colored. All ef them entered pleas of not guilty. Henry E. Youtsey, who had previously been arraigned and pleaded not guilty, was also in court, and his attorney asked for a change of venue, the prosecution walvion of expressing sympathy for the Boers ing notice and allowing the motion to come up along with a simile motion filed in the After the arraignm at former Governor Caleb Powers and Job Davis and offered them as a bar to the resecution. It pre-

senting the pardons, C versor Brown said: "We present these p dons, issued by the governor of Kentucky, and plead them as formal demand for the ismissal of the indictments. We do this a a matter of form and not with the hope that the court will sustain the motion." Judge Cantrill said;

"The alleged pardor are not good in The title to the fice of governor is in dispute and the little ion over it is still pending in court. Secral of the courts have passed on the questions at issue and those that have so par ed thereon decided that Mr. Taylor is not governor and was not at the time these pretended pardons were granted. The me ion to dismiss the indictments is overrule

At this point R. W. Nelson of the defense made a lengthy rgument in objection to the introduction of proof in the request for a change o venue. His stateexcitement of which he court was not to show that the condit ons here are suffi-

Judge Cantrill denied at the court house was under guard of sol ers, but said they were in charge of the | A, on order of the up most of the day tom rrow.

Governor Taylor returned to the city tonight, having spent list night and today in Louisville, conferring with political friends. He declined to discuss the work of the grand jury, which was finally discharged today.

ADMIRAL HAS A GRAND ENTRY

First Day of Admiral Dewey's Western Visit Marked by a Grand Ovation.

will be the guest of this city and the program for his entertainment will take up nearly every moment of his time until his departure Thursday morning for Jacksonville, Ill. The special train bearing Admiral stead of dollars per car. Inasmuch as the and Mrs. Dewey, Lieutenant Caldwell, his minimum weight of the ordinary cattle car secretary, and Lieutenant Crawford was met near South Chicago by a special train carrying the general executive committee, and including Mayor Harrison, President Charles rejoice, however, at the concession accorded

Hansbrough asserted his belief that there A. Plamondon, and the admiral's son, them by the railroads, even though it is another accident this afternoon at the expo- fields on the face of the earth and that the from the long journey from Washington, did of any nature whatever will be such an imnot accompany Admiral Dewey on his ride must have different leadership from what des Fetes, where the inauguration cere- porations that had acquired the claims in through the downtown streets, but accom- that there will be little disposition on the panied by the special committee of the part of cattlemen to find fault with the basis woman's reception committee, Mrs. Byron of its intended adoption. Lathrop Mrs. Carter H. Harrison and Mrs Charles A. Plamondon, went direct to the Annex, where she rested until the arrival

> of Admiral Dewey. Arriving at the hotel Admiral Dewey proceeded at once to his apartments, where, however, he was allowed to rest but briefly, for at 12:30 p. m. he was escorted to an informal breakfast given the admiral and Mrs. Dewey by the members of the woman's reception committee.

> At 2:30 p. m. the admiral was given a reception by the Canadian-American association, which presented an invitation to him to visit Canada at his pleasure.

The night program included an illumination of the lake front at 7:30 p. m., reception to committee members at the Auditorium at 9 p. m. and the naval militia and the civic ball in the Auditorium at 10 p. m.

ENVOYS WILL BE RECEIVED Secretary Hay Will Treat the Peace Delegation as Distinguished

Foreign Individuals.

WASHINGTON, April 30,-It can be stated that the persons composing the Boer delegation about to sail for the United States will not be denied access to the secretary the shippers will not be begrudged them by of state when they reach Washington. They will be received as individuals as was Montagu White, but with the understanding that they are not recognized officially as a Boer

delegation. In other words, Secretary Hay will treat them exactly as he would treat any distinguished visitor from abroad withou regard to nationality, but will not admit their competence to enter into any negotia general's private secretary, were permitted though no announcement whatever was made he said, ought to be dear to the heart of tions with the State department. It is beto attend religious services yesterday at on the side of Miss French's family, and I every American. The bill would not affect lieved that the prospective visitors thor which they will be received and that in appeal for the preservation and restoration sead of directing their efforts upon the of the beautiful national birds with which government in Washington they will rather the country formely abounded. The bill was seek to influence it through the American people by means of an active Boer propa-

CANAL SUSPECTS FROM DUBLIN vigorously antagonized by the democrats and Companions of Nolan, Walsh, Rowan and Merna Likely to

Emigrate.

LONDON, April 39 .- Reports come from Dublin of considerable uneasiness in the circles there with which Nolan. Walsh and o disqualify polygamists for election as sen- Rowan, the three men arrested in Canada ators and representatives, and to prohibit in connection with the blowing up of a lock polygamy, which was reported by the com- of the Welland canal near Thorold, Ont., mittee on the election of president, vice pres- on the evening of April 21 are alleged to be ident and representatives in congress, was connected, and the authorities anticipate referred to the committee on judiciary after some hasty departures from the city. It is meeting with opposition from both sides, said that John Nolan had previously been Every member who spoke on the bill said arrested for complicity in the Exchange he opposed polygamy, but did not see any Court explosion, near Dublin castle. Nolan eason for legislating on the constitution and Walsh, Rowan and John Merna sailed for Philadelphia in November and it is now suggested that Merna has been 'removed'

by his comrades. It is further alleged that if Nolan and the others are convicted light will be thrown on several noted crimes.

Hour. Deg. 5 a. m. . . . 48

6 n. m 48

7 n. m 48

10 n. m..... 56

12 m...... 61

Forecast for Nebraska— Fair; Warmer; Variable Winds

Temperature at Omaha yesterday: Iour. Deg. Hour. Deg

MOURNING FOR MRS. WILLON

Had Endeared Berself to All with

Whom She Came in

Contact.

HAVANA, April 30 .- Matanzas City is in

the community and her death has brought

Wilson was taken home, suffering terribly.

immediately, but the burns and resulting

shock proved too much and she expired after

The body has been embalmed and General

Wilson and his two daughters and his aides

will accompany it north Tuesday, on board

interment will take place at Wilmington,

LOSSES IN THE PHILIPPINES

Giving Total Up to

April 27.

WASHINGTON, April 30 .- In comparison

Department Issues Statement

five hours of suffering.

The losses are given

infantry each lost 127 men.

JURY HAS ROBERTS' CASE

Facts-Seven Mormons

as Jurors.

Great Destruction Done by Bursting

of Boiler in Sawmill at

Tifton, Georgia.

TIFTON, Ga., April 30.-Five men were

The injured: J. C. Raine, lumber in-

The sawmill was almost demolished and

nany buildings in its vicinity were wrecked.

STRIKE BEFORE GRAND JURY

Serious Attempt to Get at Bottom of

Labor Troubles and Settle

CHICAGO, April 30 .- The grand jury to-

Chicago and if possible to settle the diffi-

The situation was reviewed early and sub-

poenas for six witnesses issued. They are

returnable Wednesday. The names of the

men for whom the orders were issued were

Movements of Ocean Vessels, April 30

pool, for Montreal.
At Cherbourg-Sailed-Maine, from Bre-men for New York.

New York—Arrived—City of Rome, Greenock and Moville; Spaarndam, Rotterdam; Bovic, from Liverpool. London—Arrived—Georgic, from New

Hamburg-Arrived-Deutschland, from

Difficulties.

The cause of the explosion is not known

spector, may die; Wesley McPhaul; un-

killed and three injured, one of whom will

probably die, by a boiler explosion here to-

LUTHER CLAIR, fireman

WILL HOUSTON (colored.)

HUGH CHAMBERS.

GUS NICHOLSON.

JACK CASTLE.

known negro.

ulties.

4 p. m

9 p. m..... 65

Transmissouri Railroads All Agree to Restore the Former Privilege.

S n. m 50 9 n. m 54 WILL COST A LITTLE MORE PER CAR

Basis is Cents Per Hundred Instead of Dollars Per Car, but the Stock Feeders Are Not Kicking.

It is practically a certainty that the feedn-transit rates, abolished by all transdissouri lines May 25, 1899, will be reestablished on the same general basis as the former one within the ensuing week. May 5 mourning over the death of Mrs. Wilson, the is the date that the new rates will become wife of Major General James H. Wilson, effective, provided the program agreed upon military governor of the Department of by the general freight agents of interested Matanzas and Santa Clara, who died last lives is carried out according to original Saturday from the effects of burns received ntention. The question will be taken up by that day by her dress catching fire from a the transmissouri freight rate committee at match on which she had stepped. Mrs. Wilits regular monthly meeting in Kansas City son had become endeared to all classes of

This committee has a membership con- forth expressions of sympathy not only from sisting of the freight officials of all lines the residents of Matanzas, but from people operating in transmissouri territory, throughout the island, who have telegraphed Changes in tariffs agreed upon by it become condolences and expressions of sympathy to operative on dates designated by the com- General Wilson and his hereaved family. mittee and its action is binding upon all It appears that Mrs. Wilson, accompanied the roads. The meeting today will be, ac- by her daughter, was taking her daily drive cording to prearranged plan, devoted to in a light wagon when the accident octhe question of resuming feed-in-transit curred. About ten minutes after she had rates. From an authoritative source it is started it was discovered that her dress was stated that a poll of the officials belonging on fire and it was presumed that she had ing nearly all of the delegates will be here, to the committee insures the adoption of the rates which have been so strenuously sought clothing. The driver immediately stopped fierce as the convention, and aircady there by cattle shippers of the west since their the vehicle and with the aid of Mrs. Wilson's are signs of serious trouble for many of abolishment, May 25, 1899. All of the lines daughter did everything possible to ex- the candidates. Of the Legal delegates fully operating into Omaha from the west, including the Union Pacific, Burlington, Elk- burned before this could be effected. Mrs. horn, Rock Island and Missouri Pacific, are members of the committee. The railroads General Wilson, who was at his office, was ment, he said, was p fessional, and his having headquarters in Omaha will be repreasons for asking for a change of venue resented at Kansas City in today's meetfor the defendants wis out hearing proof ing as follows: Union Pacific, Elmer H. were that the court was here was in Wood, general freight agent; Burlington, charge of armed soldier) who recognize two George H. Crosby, general freight agent; different parties to the controversy, and Elkhorn, K. C. Merchant, assistant general

Rate Will Be Some Higher.

the United States transport Buford. The The plan agreed upon by the officials of interested lines and which will beyond a peradventure be ratified by the committee as a whole is substantially as follows: The feedin-transit rate will be resumed on a basis of an arbitrary of 7 cents per 100 pounds over the through Missouri river rate. From the of Colonel Nelson and t ee witnesses were the feeding point at the Missouri river rate. point of origination stock will be billed to A corresponding tonnage will be taken from trict had been located by persons in the in- gard to the change of venue. The court the feeding lot on payment of the 7 cents with the casualties suffered by the British proof on this question will probably take per 100 feeding arbitrary. Everything in ex- troops in South Africa those sustained by cess of the in rate will be charged on the the American forces in the Philippines seem basis of the local rate from the feeding point very small. A statement just compiled by to market. The original shipment of cattle the War department shows that from July 1, and no other will be permitted to go out on 1898, when American troops reached Manila, late this afternoon and opened headquarters the billing.

until April 27, 1900, these deaths have oc-In all cases the through Missouri river curred: rate will be the basic tariff. On shipments originating anywhere on the lines of the rail- men; died of disease, 26 officers, 1,635 men; egates are wearing them. roads affected by the new tariff and destined total, 69 officers, 2,187 men; grand total, for markets other than those situated on the 2,256. Missouri river the through Missouri river and the difference between this rate and the but only a small percentage bave died of structed, he expressed confidence tonight tariff from the point of origination and the wounds, and most of them have returned to that he would succeed in securing the nompoint of destination will be combined.

duty. CHICAGO, April 30.—A cid the booming of The proposed new arbitrary of 7 cents The War department has just issued a lit was again announced tonight that A. E. complete table of the cast allies in the people Admiral George Dewey arrived in in-francil rate May 25, 1899. The former Chicago today. For the next three days he in-transit rate May 25, 1899. The former Santiago, from June 22 until July 17, 1898. Thompson of Central City was mentioned as arbitrary was \$10 per car. The new arbitrary is placed at 7 cents per 100 instead of the old rate, owing to the prevailing custom at this time of computing total, 1.688 officers and enlisted men. rates on the basis of cents per hundred inapproximates 22,000 pounds the new arbitrary will be about \$15.40 per car.

Cattlemen throughout the entire west will not as liberal as the former feed-in-transi Mrs. Dewey, who was somewhat fatigued arbitrary. The resumption of an arbitrary provement over no feeding arbitrary at all

Important to Stock Feeders.

The feed-in-transit question is one of wide import. Since the abolition of the arbitrary the western cattle owner, whose live transit at some feeding point in order to fatten them before their condition would warrant their being placed on the market, had to pay the local rate on the shipment from the point of origination to the feed- would testify to it called on the stand. ing point and thence the added local rate through Missouri river tariff and the added return a verdict of not guilty. The motion some other candidate." feed-in-transit arbitrary, that the loss to was overruled and after brief arguments the the cattlemen owing to the excessive freight case was submitted to the jury.

rates has been enormous. With the resumption of the feed-in- FIVE KILLED IN EXPLOSION transit arbitrary, the cattle shipper will be enabled to stop his cattle enroute to market, fatten them at the feeding lot and continue the shipment by paying the arbitrary of 7 cents per 100 pounds. The pressure brought upon the railroads to recede from their seemingly impregnable position since May 25, 1899, by influential cattlemen of the west has been effective day in the sawmill of J. M. Bray & Co. and the consequent felicitation of the cat-

the railroad officials. While the earnings of the railroads will be diminished somewhat as a result of the resumption of this arbitrary, the prevailing prosperous conditions have created enough added revenue from other sources to more than offset the loss entailed in this move.

READY FOR ANOTHER DEMAND Porte Must Answer the Note Regarding Indemnity

Claim.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sunday, April 29. There are no fresh developments regarding the American indemnity question. If within a week the porte does not answer the United day took a preliminary step in its efforts to States legation's note of April 24 it is proba- get at the bottom of the labor troubles in ble that Lloyd C. Griscom, the American charge d'affaires, will renew his demand, The project of sending Ahmed Pasha to the United States to negotiate for the purchase of a cruiser is persisted in, although the United States government continues determined not to consent to the amalgamation not given out, but it is supposed they call of the proposed purchase with the indemnity for both contractors and labor leaders.

The representative of the Associated Press is assured that Ahmed Pasha will start for the United States tomorrow (Monday.) The statement that the indemnity question was discussed at the audience had with the sultan by Mr. Griscom on April 20 is absolutely inexact. The matter was not dis

Negro Lynched in Mississippi.

WEBB, Miss., April 30.—George Gord-desperate negro, was hanged at All-oday by a mob. Gordon became involva a difficulty with Manager Skinner the Robinson plantation and the latter was badly beaten up by the negro, who also fired several shots at Skinner. Gordon was caught by a posse and hanged in the latter by the latter by a posse and hanged in the latter by the lat

CONDITION OF THE WEATHER LINEUP AT LINCOLN

Delegates Are Getting Ready for the State Republican Convention.

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Begin 'a Realize What Schneider Handed Them in Conference.

GHOSTS OF SOME LATE CAMPAIGNS

Record of the Sugar Man is Coming Out to Confront Him.

THOMPSON'S STRENGTH HELD INTACT

Captain Billingsley Talks of the Intended Action of the Delegates from Lancaster County in

the Convention.

April 30.-(Special.)-Although the republican state convention will not be called to order until 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon quite a number of politicians arrived in the city today and the indications are that by tomorrow even-1,000 are expected to attend the convention. Each delegate will be given two admission tickets, one for himself and one for a spectator. Nearly 2,000 more tickets have been immediately notified and hastened to the printed and will be distributed by the state-

side of his wife. Doctors were summoned central committee. Among the first arrivals today were the political strikers of Schneider and Thurston, who at once opened headquarters at the Lindell hotel and began an active canvass among the delegates in the city. The Schneider advance agants take particular paine to deny the assertion that their candidate is in a combination with anyone. They are meeting with considerable opposition from the Lambertson supporters, who have not forgotten the manner in which they were taken in by Schneider and his friends in the recent conference in this city. The friends of Lambertson who live in Lincoln are particularly aggressive in their opposition to the "sugar" candidate for committeeman, and they do not hesitate in saying that they were falsely led to believe that they would receive the support of Schneider's friends in the state convention.

Dietrich Opens Bendquarters. Charles H. Dietrich of Hastings arrived at the Lindell hotel. Tonight a lot of Dietrich buttons were distributed among the del-

Killed and died of wounds, 43 officers, 552 egates and many of the Lancaster county del-G. M. Lambertson was also present with a number of workers. Notwithstanding the Several thousand men have been wounded, fact that he has only two delegations in-

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substitute by the Lambertson men, but he also declined to allow his name to be used. Killed, 21 officers, 222 enlisted men; wounded, 101 officers, 1,344 enlisted men; George Jenkins of Jefferson county is be ing urged for chairman of the convention and The total strength of the forces operating so far there is no opposition to his canagainst Santiago is given as 869 officers and didacy. 'Jenkins is also mentioned for chair-17,349 men. The Seventh regular infantry man of the state committee. Elmer Stephenlost the greatest number of men, its killed son of this city, who has been spoken of for and wounded numbering 132. The Sixteenth the latter position, tonight announced that regular infantry lost 129 men and Governor for business reasons he could not accept the Roosevelt's regiment and the Sixth regular place. Senator Thurston, R. B. Schneider and E. Rosewater arrived tonight to look

after their various interests. Get Next to Schneider.

Speaking of their position in regard to Submitted on an Agreed Statement of his candidacy one of the men who attended the Lambertson conference said today: "We were all surprised and even shocked the other day when we discovered that the SALT LAKE, Utah, April 30.-The case of Bodge county delegation was for Dietrich B. H. Roberts, charged with unlawful co- for governor. We had counted on this delehabitation, took an unexpected turn this gation being for Lambertson, as that is evening. After spending the entire morn- where Schneider lives and all of his friends stock necessarily had to be stopped in ing session in securing the eight jurors were supposed to be for Lambertson. The County Attorney Putnam this afternoon an- information came direct to us from one of nounced that by stipulation the whole case the Dodge county delegation. Tefft, Reavis would be submitted on an agreed statement Post and a lot more of Schneider's friends of facts, constituting what the witnesses attended the Lambertson conference and weeven passed a resolution endorsing Schneider The jury is composed of seven Mormons for national committeeman. Here we are from the feeding station to the point of and one gentile. The agreed statement was endorsing a man for national committeedestination. The combination of these local submitted and counsel for the defendant man who afterward turns around and sells rates was so much higher than the former moved that the court instruct the jury to us out, throwing or promising his support to

"This talk about the great things R. B. Schneider has done for the party by which he has earned any reward he may name is simply preposterous," said a well known republican here yesterday. "What has Schneider done? His first projection into politics came in the legislature that enacted the sugar bounty bill, where he appeared as head lobbyist for the sugar concerns. made a success of that, it is true, but that is about the only success I know of and it was not for the benefit of the party, but for his own.

"In 1896 Schneider emerged as the treasurer of the state central committee, and was one of the officers of the committee which waged that disastrous campaign. certainly cannot take much credit to him-

"I see Ross Hammond in his paper, as the spokesman for Mr. Schneider, says that he has had nothing to do with the sugar bounty claims since 1895. That is pretty good to tell to the marines. There is some sworn testimony in file here in the state house brought out in the legislative investigation in 1897, in which Charley Rigg toatified under oath that he was here in attendance on the legislature as one of the representatives of the Oxnards with reference to their sugar bounty claims. He testified further that he went up to Fremont and Omaha several times to report to Mr. Schneider. Of course Mr. Schneider had nothing to do with the claims and Mr. Rigg reported to him

purely out of friendship Schneider's Next Campaigns.

"Schneider's part in the campaign of 1897 lid not seem to bring any better success to the party than it did in 1896, although he might say he was still acting in a minor capacity and did not have the whole command. In 1898 he was put in charge as state chairman, but it was again a case of so near and yet so far.' Hayward was beaten by 2,000 votes, while the legislaturewhich had been put in charge of Brad Slaughter as vice chairman-was carried through.

"It was not very pleasant for Mr. Schnelder, of course, to have Slaughter claiming At Antwerp-Arrived-Westernland, from New York. At Southampton-Arrived-Rhein, from the credit for carrying the legislature while Schneider lost the governor and the state ew York for Bremen.
At Genoa-Arrived-Werra, from New ork via Naples.
At Sydney, N. S. W.-Arrived-Warrimoo, ticket, and so Slaughter was summarily sjected by the disbandment of the executive committee on the pretext that he was using his official position on behalf of one of the At Naples-Sailed, 27th-Ems, for New At Moville Sailed Parisian, from Liversenatorial candidates. On the beels of this, however. Schneider turned around and errord in as one of the managers of the Hayward campaign, forgetting that he was