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ings, at 25c, 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50

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weight, finish and black, handsome satin finish-\$1.00 yard. HAVE YOU SEEN THE NEW CANA-

A superb quality, smooth finish, handsome quality and rich luster-sold only at our store, all colors and black.

BLACK TAFFETA SILK. The kind that wears, beautiful quality, smooth weave, and a brilliant black, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

BLACK PEAU DE SOIE DRESS SILK. Soft, mellow touch, the best quality we have ever offered at this price, you would call them cheap at \$1.25, our special price, \$1.00 yard. Other numbers at \$1.25 to \$4.00 yard.



french Lingerie-

Our new fall importation is now in. We solicit your inspection of these

fine works of art.

Paris leads the world in the making of dainty lingerie. We have just received more new goods which are dainty examples of French needle-

Night Gowns-\$3.50 to \$16.00. Chemise-\$2.50 to \$10.00. Drawers-\$2.25 to \$6.00 Corset Covers-\$3.50 to \$7.00.

the Japanese artist will give free lessons in art needle work,

one week, beginning Monday October 1st.

All lovers of needlework should not miss this opportunity.

came in by express yesterday. and colors are particularly

pretty. It seems the new Flannel Waists are going to be as popular and as much worn as the white waists were last summer. We are showing mostly every new and desirable color, besides they are made so well and so dainty that we are not surprised at their popularity-Our prices for pretty ones are \$3.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00.

WALKING SKIRTS-Judging from the quantities we sell of these desirable garments we are beginning to think we must be the only store which sells the right kind-Our Walking Skirts are made to hang correctly and fit as a Children's Bonnets-A pretty skirt should-Our prices are \$6.50 \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00 and \$12.00.

some particularly pretty Walking wear for little folks. Skirts, in brown heavy cheviot; this is one of the best this season-25 rows of stitching round the bottom-Price Our business the past week has made

great inroads in our Sult and Coat stock, but a few days from now we will show other new and handsome styles, new and fresh from the best manufacturers. Due notice will be

Corset Specials -

well known standard makes of corsets, sharply marked

down for no purpose but to readjust the stock These are unusual values. Among the

bargains are Thomson's Glove-Fitting (W. B.); regular price \$1.00, reduced to 50c each. Sizes are broken.

Hosiery—

Fall and winter lines for men, women and children, heavy, cotton fleeced lined and

cashmere: Women's Heavy Cotton Hose, fall and winter weight, a special value at 25c per pair. Children's Black Ribbed Cashmere Hose

extra quality yarn, spliced heels and soles, 25c per pair. Boys' or Girls' Black Fleeced Ribbed Cotton Hose, extra strong yarn, 25c per pair.

Men's light or heavy-weight Cotton, also a complete line of fine Cashmere Half Hose, 25c per pair.

showing of Just as this goes to press, we received the new fall and winter head-

> Heavy corded silk bonnets, with trimmings of beaver edge and heads, others with shirred chiffon decoration, black velvet ribbon, swansdown, and and elasticity. various fur edges. Our goods in this line are too well known to need more than a mention.

We have Bonnets at 50c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00 \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 up to \$6.00 each. Call and see them.

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worth has retorted that even political in- ing in London this afternoon. His lord- Africa congratulating his majesty. Pole- PAY FOR SAMOAN NATIVES fluence could do nothing for F. J. So the ship was finally obliged to stop speaking Carew paraded all his troops at Koomatisquabble proceeds. The earl of Durham and give the balance of his remarks to the poort and saluted the Portuguese flag. Three Great Countries Will Give Over is an erratic individual who gained no- reporters. toriety years ago by trying to divorce his Among the government candidates re- view. wife on the ground that she was mad when turned today without opposition were: Un-

Miss Grace of New York, is the liberal Vincent, the founder of the United Empire candidate for North Bucks.

CONTRACTS LOOKED TOO GOOD Chamberlain Family Couldn't Resist the Opportunity of Doing a

Bit of Trade.

(Copyright, 1900, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, Sept. 29 .- (New York World elected today lord mayor of London. He is as far as I know. Cablegram-Special Telegram. 1-A sensation has been caused here by further revelations in connection with the recent discovery that the Chamberlain family owns the firm

of Hoskins & Co., admiralty contractors. It became known that the colonial secretary's son, Austen Chamberlain, is a director and large stockholder in the concern in spite of the fact that he holds the post of civil lord of the admiralty, and of the added fact that the English law distinctly provides that no member of the House of Commons may share in any contract with the government or derive any benefit therefrom except in cases of contracts with companies which consist of at least ten part-

The penalty for violating this law is a fine of £500 (\$2,500) for every day such member

sits in Parliament. The helders of the Hoskins stock are four Chamberlains and a manager. It is now learned that five clerks hold one \$50 share each in order to provide the ten partners. so that the company can get government contracts without Austen Chamberlain incurring the parliamentary penalties.

Chamberlain Easily Returned. Joseph Chamberlain was one of the sixtyetx candidates for Parliament returned today unopposed. Fifty-nine of the sixty-

Irish nationalists. national reform union, touched Chamberlain Birmingham); Colonel Sir Charles E. H. to the quick by a public statement regarding the notorious Hawksley documents and Trade league (Sheffield; John Ginniker northern half of lows. He was prominent

"Do not be blackmailed by Stanhope or any one else. There is no correspondence bert Sassoon (Hythe). and never has been to prove my complicity in the raid, which I did my utmost to stop." Mr. Stanboye replied: "I will not stoop to every statement I have made concerning

Mr. Chamberlain added zest to the close of the canvass in his speeches by holding up as traitors Henry Labouchere, editor of Truth, and Dr. Gavin Brown-Clark, formerly Transvaal consul general in London.

Mobs at Political Meetings. America is not the only place where political meetings have been broken up lately by hostile parties. The World's cable dis- the fruits of victory being effectually patches have neted among the more conspicuous of the many instances of that kind of campaigning in Great Britain the mobbing of Under War Secretary Wyndham and the disorders at some of Winston tion, Tex.)-There is much excitement here

Churchill's meetings. The latest case is that of Lord George Hamilton, secretary of state for India, a prother of the duke of Abercorn, who had a very hostile reception at a unionist meet-

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Without good health we cannot keep situations nor enjoy life. Most troubles originate in impure blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the blood rich and pure, and thus promotes good health, which will help you "keep your place."

Hood's Sarsaparilla

she was married to him.

Henry Labouchere expects to be returned for Northampton by an increased Trade: Under Home Secretary Coilings. Mr. Williams, the financial secretary of Hubert Beaument, who recently married the War office, and Colonel S.r Charles Trade league.

eldest son, was re-elected at Rochester.

Alderman Frank Green was formally a paper merchant. His wife, a daughter of Mr. Joseph Haydn, the author of the office. "Dictionary of Dates," died last win er, so the duties of lady mayoress will be undertaken by Mr. Green's daughter.

RESULT OF ENGLISH ELECTIONS

One Hundred and Sixty-Seven Con stituencies Choose Their Members.

Up to 1 o'clock this afternoon fifty-eight Africa. embers had been elected, unopposed, comprising forty-three conservatives, eight unionists, five liberals and two nationalists.

the government side returned today without opposition were Joseph Chamberlain, suffering from the disease. the secretary of state for the colonies (West Birmingham); George Wyndham, the Parliamentary secretary for the war of fice (Dover); Charles T. Ritchey, the president of the Board of Trade (Croydon) Sir John C. R. Colomb (Great Yarmouth) Jesse Collings, under-secretary for the six are ministerialists, five liberals and two Birmingham); Colonel Sir Francis Powell terian hospital in Chicago last night. Mr. Philip Stanhope, the president of the financial secretary of the war office (South and passenger agent for the Great Northern Chamberlain's implication in the Jameson Heaton (Canterbury). Charles Beilby in all public enterprises inaugurated for the The colonial secretary wired to Stuart-Wortley, formerly under-secretary division of Sheffield), and Sir Edward Al-

The five liberals unopposed include Wilqualify the vulgarity of your language, but formerly under-secretary of state for the are now on the way to Mason City, Ia., Mr. I am prepared to substantiate in the courts home department and secretary of state for McNider's former home, where the funeral India (East Wolverhampton).

An interesting feature of the elections is the intervention of the colonies, for the first time, in the election of the motherland. A dispatch from Hobart, Tasmania, announces the adoption of a resolution by the Tasmanian assembly proposing a joint Australian cablegram congratulating Mr. Chamberlain on the British successes in South Africa and hoping the electors of Great Britain will emphatically insist on

Banking House is Short.

LIMA, Peru, Sept. 29 .- (Via Laredo June over the fact that one of the Paris houses on which former Minister of Finance Velaunde drew about 500,000 francs, to be used for part payment for arms to be bought in Belgium, has failed to meet the first bill due and cannot meet the others naturing yesterday

The ministers of finance and war have resigned their portfolios and the cabinet s still incomplete.

Emperor Honors Soldier. ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 29.-Empero William of Germany has bestew d the Order of the Red Eagle on Major General Stoessel, commander of the international forces at Taku and Tien Tsin.

Honor King's Birthday. LONDON, Sept. 29 .- The War office has received the following dispatch from Lord

"PRETORIA, Friday, Sept. 28 .- Today bc- drugglists refund the money if it fails to ing the birthday of the king of Portugal, I cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each badly bruised. The engine and two cars of the reference of Earl Li to his constant sent a telegram from the army in South box. 25c.

Many Portuguese officials attended the re-

Rumor that the Viceroy of India Will Resign Dented in London.

Liberals Returned Unopposed.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—(New York World Deligerent factions. This was agreed to by Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—The reclude Mr. Gully, speaker of the House of Control of Cont (Copyright, 1900, by Press Publishing Co.) Commons, and Sir Henry Fowler, formerly as viceroy of India owing to ill-health was were turned over. Dr. Solf, the givern r. force, but they run into the thousands. tary. Viscount Cranbone, Lord Salisbury's Curzon's father, who telegraphed this

"GRANDON, Sept. 28 .- Certainly untrue SCARSDALE." The report is also denied at the Indian

PEACE IN SOUTH AFRICA

Intimation by American Consul That It May Be Prociamed on October 11.

LONDON, Sept. 30 .- A special dispatch from Capetown says that United States Consul General Stowe, who goes to the LONDON, Sept. 29 .- One hundred and United States shortly on leave of absence, sixty-seven constituencies, returning one- has expressed the opinion that peace will fourth of the membership of the House of the proclaimed on October 11, the anniversary Commons, made their nominations today. of the commencement of hostilities in South

Two Deaths from Plague. GLASGOW, Sept. 29.-Two more deaths Among the interesting personalities on from bubonic plague have been reported. One victim was a child born of a woman

DEATH RECORD.

Prominent Railroad Man. SIOUX CITY, Ia., Sept. 29.—(Special.) Word was received here today of the death home department (Bordesley division of of W. B. McNider of this city at the Presby-(Wigan); Joseph Powell Williams, the McNider, until recently, was general freight railroad at this point, and up to a short time Vincent, the founder of the United Empire ago was district deputy for the Elks of the advancement of Sioux City's interests. Mr. of state for the home department (Hallan McNider had gone to Chicago to submit to an operation for cancer. It was generally known among his friends here that the operation was a dangerous one, and the liam Court Gully, speaker of the House of news that he had been unable to withstand Commons (Carlisle), and Sir Henry Battley, it did not come as a surprise. The remains will be held tomorrow

Jacob Schnetzel.

FREEPORT, Ill., Sept. 29 .- Jacob Schaetzel, one of the most prominent men in this section, who has been heavily interested in various banking institutions in South Dakota and who was widely known in the west, died tonight, aged 74 years.

Thomas G. Shearman. NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Thomas G. Shearman, the well known attorney, died at his residence in Brooklyn tonight. Death followed a surgical operation.

HYMENEAL.

Koon-Graves. ARBORVILLE, Neb., Sept. 29.—(Special.) -Mr. Edward Koon and Miss Almira Graves, two of Arberville township's most popular young people, were united in marriage at Red Cloud, Neb., at Grace Episcopal church

by Rev. Mr. Landers. FIRE RECORD.

Saloon and Warehouse. SOUTH SIOUX CITY, Neb., Sept. 29 .-(Special Telegram.)-Fire last night destroyed the saloon building and warehouse of John Manderschied. The loss is estimated at \$5,000 and was insured for \$1,200. Orgin of the fire is unknown.

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season. We have them in both women's

like a kid glove.

and children's sizes.

Money for the Surrender of

Sternberg was at the State department in reference to closing up that por-

difficulty is apprehended in making the scitlement.

Additional Free Service is Ordered Started in Western Counties. WASHINGTON, Sept. 29 .- (Spec al Telethirty-six square miles, with a populacarrier. Service will also be inaugurated 15. An area of thirty-six square milles will covered, with a population of 720. Ernest Gassman is appointed carrier.

was today appointed kindergariner at Rose-

MacArthur's Casualty List. WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.-General Mac-Arthur today cabled to the War department the following list of casualties:

MANILA, Sept. 29.-Adjutant General Washington:

wounded in thigh, serious, instead killed Alfred J. Mueller, Company L. Thirty-seventh volunteer infantry. wounded September 23, Tananuan, Comenth volunteer infantry.

Wounded—September 23, Tananuan, Company K, Thirty-ninth volunteer infantry. John Barket, wounded in abdomen, moderate; September 22, Badoc, Luzon, Company F, Twelfth infantry, John Manduka, wounded in hand, serious; James A, Kennedy, wounded in hand, serious; James A, Kennedy, wounded in hand, serious; September 22, Cabanatuan, Luzon, Thirty-fourth volunteer infantry, Captain Cushman A, Rice, wounded in arm slight; August 23, Alangalang, Leyte, Company F, Forty-third volunteer infantry, William E, Dennis, wounded in leg above knee, serious; Fred Myers, severely wounded; September 14, Carig, Luzon, Company L, Sixteenth infantry, Sergeant Henry F, Schroeder, wounded in thigh, serious; September 15, Catubig, Samar, Company G, Twenty-ninth volunteer infantry, Sergeant Leonidas O, Hoidis, elbow, severe; August F, Sorgogon, Luzon, Company M, Forty-seventh volunteer infantry, George Kennedy, neck, mortal; August 20, San Miguel, Leyte, Company H, Forty-third volunteer infantry, Corporal Thomas A, Kennedy, wounded in abdomen, serious. orty-third volunteer and abdomer MACARTHUR.

It will be noted that the foregoing list does not centain the names of the men in Captain Shield's command, reported captured or killed on the island of Marinduque.

Hobson's Eyes Are Bad. WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.-Lieutenant Hobson has applied to the Navy department for six months' leave of absence because of trouble which has developed with his eyes.

One Injured in Collision. DEADWOOD, S. D., Sept. 29.—(Special Telegram)-The Spearfish passenger on the freight were derailed.

Alignment of the Different Governments on the German & reposition.

JAPAN OCCUPIES A PLACE ON THE FENCE

Return of Secretary Hay to the Capital Will Not Change in Any Way the Policy of the State Department.

of the powers on the German proposition to to take a similar course and bringing on not kept together on one occasion, as the make the punishment of the Chinese ring- a general move toward a partition of the leaders a condition precedent to negotiaicaders a condition precedent to negotiate prevent such a contingency and that the White, made an affidavit which was filed Britain, Russia and France stand with the United States is in the best position to United States in regarding this proposition guard against such a result. Should it on the morning of the assembly he met attitude; it is willing to follow the German door and open ports which now invite the attitude; it is willing to follow the German door and open ports which now invite the prominent young republican, who later said to him: "Goebel will not be governor. but only for the sake of preserving har- to practical closure of China. mony among the powers, and not from a belief in the wisdom of the German posi-

Austria and Italy stand shoulder to shoulder with Germany, making the dreitund a terest and for the preservation and safeline of leather wear we have solid front. The first named two powers guarding of our avenues of trade in the do not attempt to argue the German propo- | Orient. sition. Nothing is known here officially of the alternative proposition, which is reported as being prepared in Europe. 'If it way inspired by this government, but is contains the same feature as to prior pun- entirely due to their own view as to how shment as the original proposition it is not likely to receive approval here.

\$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 The fact that Secretary Hay is expected to return to Washington next week will Coin Purses at 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 50c Letter Cases and Bill Books at 75c, \$1.00, ping, with the conviction that any attempt made to punish Prince Tuan before nego- effective, means of bringing about a retiations are undertaken will absolutely defeat all efforts to obtain a peaccable and satisfactory settlement Indeed, it is believed that the attempt of Germany to apprehend such Chinese officials at this stage | Chang, and the viceroys of Nankin, Wu various papers this week to the effect that Tuan's promotion, rather than anything German proposition. It is poin ed out that for the recent uprising be punished an inevitable result of such an effort would We have the agency in Omaha for these be to charge the Chinese officials against Gloves and they are very desirable for whom it was directed to strive by every means in their power to secure the support street wear. They come in colors, brown, pearl and black; price \$1.50 of the throne, just as Tuan has in this case. Mr. Conger was heard from in a bri f influential rulers in China in favor of the cablegram today. This was not published, but it is understood to indicate no important developments.

SOLDIER LIFE IN TIEN TSIN

Cossacks Shot and Hung Without Ceremony for Their Part in Looting Ruined City.

TIEN TSIN, Aug. 26 .- (Correspondence mandeered or destroyed and the natives held at Cedar Rapids, Ia. WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—Baron von either hiding or killed. It would take a tion of the Samoan agreement relative to the payment to the natives the value of the rifes surrendered by them.

Louis Kuirna, Wahoo, Neb.; vice president, ishing region save roofless huts, fallen tary, J. J. Kovarik, New Prague, Minn.; When the Germans assumed control at of life is to be seen outside the city ex- treasurer. Joseph Machovec, St. Paul, Apia they deemed it expedient to quiet the cept the scattered outposts and within the Minn. Trustees Father Fence, Protovin,

has proposed that the payment shall be Skirting the river on either bank, the made under the proposition of the foreign Russian camps dot the country, the Rusconsuls that the considerable amount of sian flag flies from the railway stations money involved shall not lead to disorder and Russian troops are continually pass among the natives. The three parties in- ing the roads, either moving on toward terested in Samea at the time of the sur- Pekin or establishing advanced outposts. ender of the rifles-the United States. There are both Cossacks and foot soldiers Germany and Great Britain-will jointly and all fine looking fellows, making a splencontribute the amount required and no did show in their white blouses and black trousers tucked into top boots. Next in more, President E. J. Buffington of that number are the Japanese and here again not even a rough estimate can be made of ment: RURAL DELIVERY ESTABLISHED, their strength. They appear, regiment after regiment, and as fast as one consignment arrives from Taku those stationed here are pushed forward. The Germans are also active and are not slow in continue most of our mills in operation. (ram.)-Additional rural free delivery ser- getting them in and to the front. Meanvice has been ordered established at Paw- while the American and British forces are nee, Pawnee county, Neb., to take effect quiescent in camp and do not seem in- purchases for the reason, as they state, October 15. 'It will embrace an area of clined to press matters now that the legaclined to press matters now that the lega-tions are safe. The American forces are the result of the election before placing any Mills was reminded of the reports current tion of 1,000. C. M. Hurd was appointed camped in the extreme eastern portion of large orders." the city, on a flat lying along the south at Akron, Plymouth county, Ia., October bank of the river and are, with the ex- NO ception of some Russian troops, the only force living under tents. Colonel Mohl of the Fifteenth infantry is the ranking Miss Mary R. Hoxey of Massachuset's American officer in the absence of General Chaffee, and his headquarters are in the bud (S. D.) Indian agency at \$500 a year. home of a wealthy Chinaman who was George Cummings of Rolfe, la., was ap- also an undertaker. The low, one-story pointed issue clerk at Blackfeet Indian structure, full of quaint courts and pasagency. Carl Raife was app inted sub- sages, was full of coffins when the Ameristitute clerk in Laramie (Wyo.) postoffice. cans took possession and in one court yard were a number of bodies of wealthy Chinese enclosed in handsome lacquered caskets.

The marine corps has fared better. Like the Europeans and English troops the sea soldiers are quartered in airy, comfortable

Killed—September 23. Tanauan, Luzon, Company K., Thirty-ninth United States volunteer infantry, John Niles: September 22. Badoc, Luzon, Company E. Tweifth infantry, John E. Dupree; September 23. Cabanatuan, Company M. Thirty-fourth volunteer infantry, William S. Mercer; September 17. Mavitao, Luzon, Company L. Thirty-seventh volunteer infantry, Joseph N. Wells.

Thirty-seventh volunteer infantry, Joseph N. Wells.

With reference to my telegram of 16th wounded in thigh, serious, instead killed, wounded in thigh, serious, instead killed, rades the bluecoats can find. buildings in the English concessions rades the bluecoats can find.

The Americans, without exception, are grave stories are told of the cruelty and last. ruthlessness of the Cossacks during the fighting. An English resident found some Cossacks looting his office. He snatched the shoulder ornament from one of them. reported to the Russian flagship and a few days later the unfortunate offender Russian soldiers looting his house. He they have not proved quite satisfactory on followed them up and, meeting the Rus. account of lack of facilities for recharging sian commander, stated his grievance. The men were lined up along the street and searched and considerable silver brought ing the automobile useful for the army to light. Without the cumbersome formality of a court-martial, six of the offenders powers than electricity. were placed against a wall and shot to

UNITED STATES AS MEDIATOR

Minister Wu Expresses His Approval of the Suggestion of Li

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.-The Chinese minister, Wu Ting Fang, today expressed his strong approval of the suggestion by Li Hung Chang that the United States act Burlington railroad collided with a local as mediator for the settlement of the enfreight tonight between Kirk and Pluma. tire Chinese question. The minister was T. N. Hansen, a mining man from Minne- much gratified at the favorable character apolis, who was in the passenger coach, was of the advices from China, particularly

specific reference of the Chinese envoy favor of the United States as mediator Mr. Wu has from the first urged that the United States should take a leading part in the settlement of the peace negotia tions, and it is from this point that Earl Li takes the position in suggesting the United States as mediator. The suggestion has come from such a high source

and the minister expresses his confidence of being able to secure any authority or requests for an American initiative which may be necessary. In speaking of the matter today Mr Wu pointed out that while the powers had taken a position against the partition of China, yet conditions might arise where-

empire. He feels that it is essential to law requires.

terest of China and all concerned, but particularly in the United States' own in-

This view of Earl Li and Minister Wu in favor of American mediation is in no the situation should be dealt with.

Referring to the return of the imperial Chinese government to Pekin, Mr. Wu says it is a difficult undertaking so long as not change in any way the policy of the there is an armed force at Pekin. It State department. The secretary has been might be met, he says, by reducing the State department. The secretary has seen might be met, he says, by reducing the ing a principal in the Goebel murder, will that has been done respecting. China, and force has been reduced but even the an that has been done respecting Ch na. and force has been reduced, but even the ag- prosecution claims that Youtsey was in the that has been done respecting to the of gregate force would be so large that the secretary of state's office with Howard feet that he is coming back to reve.se imperial establishment would not feel war- when the shooting occurred. Youtsey is those policies is pronounced at the State ranted in returning. In the circumstances represented by L. J. Crawford and R. W. department to be absurd. The officia's are the minister says assurances from the Nelson, two of the ablest criminal lawyers department to be absurd. The old the begin-powers that the imperial government would in the state. Colonel Nelson sent the folbe protected probably would be the most lowing telegram here today; establishment of Chinese administration at Pekin.

Minister Wu has been informed that the monwealth, are false. vicercys of Chins, including Li Hung Sensational dispatches have appeared in has actually been the cause of Prince Chang and the other southern and central contained in the American refusal of the throne asking that those responsible

The minister has not yet received the text of the memorial and the minister does not know whether it designates by name who should be punished. It is taken as an evidence of the position of the most punishment of those engaged in the present

Bohemian Catholics in Convention at St. Paul Elect Nebraska Man to Office.

of the Ausociated Press.)-Military law Catholic union convention, held at St. is provided that whenever any line, a memstill prevails in Tien Tsin and the city has Stanislaus church today, the following ber of the association, has grounds for deas yet made no effort to recover from the changes were adopted: The date for hold. siring to grant a special rate it shall not terrible shock which it has experienced. ing the blennial convention was changed be done until the proposition is presented Everywhere is ruin. The land is devas. from the month of Setpember to the month to the association and voted upon. In tated, villages wiped out, crops com- of January. The next convention will be case of its being negatived the line mak-

wise crow to fly down the valley of the the ensuing two years: Chaplain, Rev. F. Pet Ho without carrying its rations. Noth. W. Hrachovsky, Minneapolis; president Is .: Father Karnik, Vesselin, N. D.; The Russians and Japanese predominate. Charles Jungworth, Scotland, S. D.

CAUSE OF MILLS CLOSING Until Results of Election

CHICAGO, Sept. 29.—Regarding the report that several mills of the Illinois Steel company would be closed for a month or company today gave out the following state-

"We have shut down our Joliet plant for lack of orders. We shall be compelled to select a president to succeed the late C. P. shut other mills within the next ten days Hunting on. A report from San Francisco for the same reason, although we hope to "As the presidential election approaches many of our best customers have postponed they wish to wait until they are certain of

FRAUD

St. Joseph's Population

Correctly Reported.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 29,-Victor H. Olmstead, the special agent of the c-nsus department at Washington, is unable to find a single instance of fraud in the census enumeration of this city and today when he finished his examination he wire! his superior at Washington that the re turns of 102,979 were absolutely correct, as far as he was able to learn, and recommended that the figures be accepted. Ac cordingly the bureau at once announced the population of this city on the returns

fact, it is almost prevented entirely by STEEL WORKS TO SHUT DOWN Practically none of the foreigners More Than 3,000 Men Will Be Thrown Out of Work by Indefinite Sus-

pension at Joliet. JOLIET, Ill., Sept. 29 .- Officials of the behaving splendidly, and their officers have Illinois Steel company this afternoon adbeen much complimented on the discipline mitted that the entire plant, with the exand police of the force. No grave charges ception of its blast furnace, would be idle have been brought against them and in on Monday morning. About 3,000 men will the loot they do not seem to have been be affected. No cause is given for the susin the same class with the others. Many pension, nor is it known how long it will

Automobile in the Army WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.-Lieutenant General Miles, commanding the regular army, in his annual report to the secretary of war, will renew his suggestion for was swung from the yardarm. Here in the use of the automobile. There are now Tien Tein an American found a party of at Fort Myer, Va., three automobiles, but them with electricity. Meanwhile General Miles and other officers interested in makhave been making investigations of other

> Movements of Ocean Vessels Sept. 20 At New York—Arrived—St. Louis, from Southampton: L'Aquitaine. Sailed—Bulgaria, for Hamburg; Umbria, for Liverpool; Menominee, for London; Spaarndam for Rotterdam, via Bologne; Princess Irene, for Bremen, via Cherbourg.
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> At Southampton—Arrived—Barbarossa, from New York, for Bremen.
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At Antwerp—Arrived—Kensington, from New York, Sailed—Westerniand, for New York, Sailed—Westerniand, for New York.

At Cherbourg-Sailed-Auguste Victoria, from Hamburg and Southampton, for New communication with Minister Wu and York.

TO HANG FROM GALLOWS TREE

Convicted Murderer of Goebel Patts to Get New Trial and is Sentenced to Die in December.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 29.-The motion for a new trial in the case of James Howard, charged with Goebel's murder, was

overruled this afternoon. Howard was sentenced to hang in De-

comber. Additional affidavits were filed this morn. ing by the defense and counter-affidavitaby the prosecution in the motion for a All of the affidavits filed by new trial. by one power would deem it expedient to sat in the case. One was signed by the the defense except one attack jurors who WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The alignment occupy territory, thus leading other powers defendant and alloges that the jury was

to practical closure of China.

He holds therefore that action by this government would not only be in the inthat this would create a riot and that Tayhappen, to which Guffy responded: they will not kill Taylor. That has been provided against."

HAS NO CONFESSION TO MAKE

Attorney of Henry E. Youtsey, Who is to Be Tried This Week for Goebel's Killing, Denies Rumors,

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 29.—The case of Henry E. Youtsey, also charged with be-

"All publications in newspapers that Youtsey would make sensational disclosures, and as to agreements with the com-

Youtsey would make claims incriminating provinces, have united in a memorial to Governor Taylor and throwing great light on the assassination mystery.

NEW POOL SEEMS CERTAIN

Transmissouri Railroads Agree on Basis for Transcontinental Association. CHICAGO, Sept. 29.-A definite plan of

organization for the proposed Trauscontinental association has been arranged, WILL MEET AT CEDAR RAPIDS article by article, and will be submitted to a vote of the lines interested at a meeting to be held Monday. The outline of the plan is practically the same as that of the Western Passenger

association. The articles provide for a ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 29 .- During the chairman and for the maintenance of rates last session of the Western Bohemian in all the territory west of the river. It ing the proposition then has the right to The following officers were elected for give notice of independent action and the other lines interested may give notice of meeting the competition caused by the action of the line presenting the matter. The agreement further provides that the distribution of the proceeds of military traffic among the lines shall be left to Chairman MacLeod of the Western Passenger association, westbound, and to the

Santa Fe and Southern Pacific, eastbound. A penalty is prescribed for breaking the agreement to maintain rates and it is a fine amounting to the entire proceeds of the transaction by which the rules are Will Not Place Orders broken. As now framed the agreement is on business west of the Missouri river, but the Santa Fe is still fighting to have the territory extended to Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans.

Road's Directors Will Meet. NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The Mail and Express today prints the following: The directors of the Southern Pacific railroad will hold their regular monthly meeting next says the presidency was offered by the special committee to H. F. Huntington, the first vice president, but that he declined it. D. Ogden Mills, one of the committee baying the selection of a president in charge, to the effect that the big road would become an integral part of the Vanderbilt system FOUND in the near future, and he was asked whether in that case President M. E. Ingalis Special Agent of Census Bureau Finds of that road might not be a likely candidate for the presidency of the Southern Pacific. "I hardly think so," said Mr. Mills.

Gift to Quaker College. RICHMOND, Ind., Sept. 23 F. T. White if New York (hip today gave Earlham col-ege 125,000 to be added to the endowment

FAREWELL CONCERT

Bellstedt Concert Band Monday, Oct. 1, 1900, at 8 octock p. m



Overture, "Tannhauser" Wagner Andante, from C Minor Symphony.

This, the second movement of one of the very greatest of all symphonies, and one of the least difficult to understand, is a very beautiful and peaceful composition in the form of a theme and variations thereon. It is impressive to a high degree, and has been likened by one poetic writer to The Chant Eternal of the Sons of God." It is restful and religious throughout, and is perhaps made up of three thoughts: The prace of Heaven, the desire and yearning for the peace, and the triumphant entering into the peacefulness of the grant

Second Hungarian Rhapsody ... 4. Nocturne, "The Last Hope" .. Gottschalk Fantasia Originale, (Cornet Solo) Belintedt

MR. HERMAN BELLSTEDT Intermission, Twenty Minutes.

"Omaha Auditorium" March ... Belistedt Composed for this occasion, and dedicated to the Omaha Aud t ri'm Co. Drum Solo, "Le Petit Tambour,"

Kling Nickell MR. MAX NICKELL. 8. Waltz, "Wizard of the Nile" (Starlight) Forest Echos, (descriptive.) with

Herns and Cuckoos in the distance. Riedel American Fantasia (with Artillery accompaniment) . Herbert Au Revoir.