into our coastwise trade. This matter brought other senators from the republican side into the controversy. Senators Perkins and Nelson were among those who contributed to this feature of the con-

Senator Nelson insisted that under existing law the United States would have a perfect right to give to the coastwise trade of this country any benefit it saw fit. It was perfectly well understood that the

As to Constwine Rights.

Senator Perkins made the assertion that by the acquisition or control of a strip of territory through which the canal would pass the United States would acquire rights which would subject that territory to our constwise laws, and said foreign bottoms could not trade between ports of the United States and any portion of the territory through which the canal was built. This view was combatted to a certain extent by Senators Tillman and Bacon, the former intimating that if that were true of an isthmian canal, and in the second relative to the United States, Great Brit- paragraph of the report it is declared that ain, on account of its Canadian possessions, and Mexico, both extending from ocean to ocean, also could contend for similar priv fleges. This, he thought, also would be true of any South American country whose

territory extends from ocean to ocean. Military Rights Come First.

Senator Spooner was decidedly of a contrary opinion and insisted that these countries did not acquire any rights of a coastwise trade character along the route of the proposed canal, which territory was under the control of, or which might be ceded to the United States. The mere fact that Ca- canal in the past to the attitude of other nadian or Mexican territory extends from nations, saying: ocean to ocean would not give them the right to make demands for the generosity or business foresight of the United States.

Senator Spooner also contended that the

United States would also have a right to control the canal in its own manner during any war in which this country might be concerned.

Senator Mason interjected that treaty agreements never bind a nation to the extinction of its military rights and duties. Senator Spooner assented to this and said no matter what might be the provisions of the treaty the nation could not be accused of dishonor or immorality if its treaty is broken in defense of its own existence.

Make Favorable Report.

The senate committee on isthmian canals.

Continuing in this line he says:

Antagonism, which is an imperial policy of Great Britain in the beginning, has become a plan for gathering wealth by levying toils upon the commerce of America, and its strength of purpose will increase ment will lead Great Britain to relax its grasp and permit us to take care of our country. The combinations at home and in France that have assisted in suppressing the demands of our industrial classes for a canal to connect the great oceans are chiefly the transcontinental railways in Canada and in Panama and those in the demands of our industrial classes for a chiefly the transcontinental railways in Canada and in Panama and those in the demands of our industrial classes for a chiefly the transcontinental railways in Canada and in Panama and those in the demands of our industrial classes for a chiefly the transcontinental railways in Canada and in Panama and those in the demands of our industrial classes for a chiefly the transcontinental railways in Canada and in Panama and those in the demands of our industrial classes for a chiefly the transcontinental railways in Canada and in Panama and those in the demands of our industrial classes for a chiefly the transcontinental railways in Canada and in Panama and those in the demands of our industrial classes for a chiefly the transcontinental railways in Canada and in Panama and those in the demands of our industrial classes for a chiefly the transcontinental railways in Canada and in Panama and those in th

The senate committee on isthmian canals today authorized a favorable report upon Senator Morgan's bill providing for the acquisition from Nicaragua and Costa Rica of

food products and addressed the senate briefly, criticising certain products which had come under the observation of the committee. On motion of Mr. Lodge the senate at 1 p. m. went into executive sea-

Senator Morgan's report deals with many questions connected with the construction of the canal, including a thorough inquiry into the attitude of Great Britain upon the subject and the different canal routes. He also discussed the relationship of the Pan-America Canal company to the construction by the United States of a waterway across

While he makes reference to a letter written by President Hutin of the Panama company to Secretary of State Ray he does not give the text of the communication Mr. Morgan says that the first letter to Secretary Hay was dated November 22 last and that it was written after Admiral Walker, as president of the commission, had closed his correspondence with M. Hutin relative to the sale of the Panama canal.

President Hutin's Letter.

He then adds: "The letter to Mr. Hav. with the appendix thereto and the memoranda that accompanies it, is an attack or

being subscribed in that city.

The desperate financial straits of the new Panama Canal company compelled them to make overtures to the United States to unload their enterprise upon the United States and their agents became accordingly aggressive in this effort."

Goes in History.

The report then proceeds to quote a number of communications from M. Hutin and his attorneys to officers of this government in 1899 and 1900, which have heretofore been printed. After quoting a letter from Sullivan & Cromwell, attorneys for the Panama Canal convenny, directed to the munity, or whose general manner is against president and dated spril 30, 1900, in which the peace and order of any state or of the they ask the president to advise congress of the attitude of the Panama company, the ciety having such objects in view, shall be report says:

The manifest purpose of this company to interfere with legislation by asking the president to inform congress of a state of facts as alleged, of which congress is presumably without knowledge. Is an insult to the intelligence of congress. It is an insolent invitation to the president to control the action of congress so that they shall not act upon bills reported by committees in both houses.

Senster Moran again refers to the control the control the action of congress so that they shall not act upon bills reported by committees in both houses.

Senster Moran again refers to the control to deportation. Such facts and subject to deportation. Such facts shall be established by general reputation of such Chinese on the testimony of not less than two creditable witnesses other than Chinese."

Another amendment provides for keeping Chinese now in the Philippines or Hawaii from coming to this country, as follows:

Senator Morgan again refers to the let ter to Secretary Hay of last November saying that M. Hutin previously had made an unmistakable proposal to sell the Panama property to the United States, and

Imputes Bad Faith.

Yet Mr. Hutin in his correspondence with Admiral Walker in his letter and in the accompanying memorandum sent to Mr. Hay first assumes and then states and argues and finally insists that the United States offered to purchase their property, and that when the company agreed to sell it the isthmian canal commission refused to enter into a scheme of arbitration to ascertain the value of it. He imputes had faith to the commission and severely criticises its dealings with the canal company.

Proceeding, the report says Admiral Proceeding, the report says Admira

Walker did nothing more than ask legiti-

Tonight Just before retiring, if your liver is sluggish, out of tune and you feel dull, billious, constipated, take a dose of

Hood's Pills

to give differential rates to vessels entering | mate questions of M. Hutin and that there was in them no intimation of a proposition o purchase. In this connection Admiral Walker's letter of October 22 last to M Hutin is published and this Senator Morgan says that "it utterly breaks down the pretention of M. Hutin that the United States through Admiral Walker was engaged in the effort to purchase the property of the Panama canal." He adds that this letter Walker and of the commission of which he ships of a foreign nation could not do s is precident. The letter the report accuses coastwise business and Great Britain had M. Hutin of failing to send to the president made the treaty with the full knowledge The conclusion with reference to this point of the controversy is set forth in the following language:

Motive for the Anxiety.

The motive for this unseemly misconduct must be either that this canal company is desperate in its purpose to unload its property upon the United States because the French stockholders have lost faith in its success or that it is trying to prevent the competition of any canal with its Panama railroad, the shares of which they value at \$60, the face value being \$100 per share on account of its enormous earnings. The introductory pages contain a general review of the importance of the construction

the failure to accomplish this work would

create a feeling of national despair." Contending for the importance of the enterprise, Senator Morgan urges that no nation nor any combination of private interests can have any right to prevent its consummation. "There remains," he says, but one barrier to the union of the Atlantie and Pacific oceans and no one nation has the right to declare that it never shall be removed except with its consent.

Other Nations to Blame.

He attributes the failure to construct the For the last fifty years the power and in-fluence of the British government, aided by combinations in the United States and France, has defeated all effects to open an American isthmian canal.

Continuing in this line he says

the coasts of the western hemisphere In further discussing the attitude of Great Britain Senator Morgan says:

the right of way via the Nicaragua route. Senator Morgan later presented this report to the senate, accompanying the return of the bill with a report upon the general subject of a canal across the isthmus. Action on the bill providing for the construction of the canal was deferred.

In the senate today Mr. Allison from the committee on appropriations favorably reported the concurrent resolution adopted by the house providing for a holiday recess from December 19 to January 6, 1902, and it was agreed to.

Mr. Mason from the committee on manufactures submitted a favorable report on a bill relating to the adulteration of food products and addressed the senate briefly criticals. Instrument of Injustice.

Held in England's Control. He asserts that Great Britain's control of the Mosquito coast was used as a pretense to hold us until it had accomplished its great policy relating to the Suez canal. "We were," he said, "held in the leash by British rulers until they could accomplish the control of the Suez canal." He contends that Great Britain's policy from the beginning was simply a policy of delay diplomatic technicality that must yield to the reasonable demands of the

United States, Nicaragua and Costa Rica for their own safety and prosperity, and to the demands of the world for a gateway PENSIONS FOR WESTERN VETERANS. in Nicaragua to correspond with that opened at Suez." He declares that if diplomatic effort to rid the world of the baneful domination of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty fails, congress should abrogate it. The major portion of

the report was made before the new Hay-Pauncefote treaty had been promulgated. but in an appendix the following reference is made to that treaty: Will Be a Mutual Blessing.

with the appendix thereto and the memoranda that accompanies it, is an attack on the president of the commission replete with false assumptions and perversions of fact and is evidently intended to create a side lesue, the debate upon which, it is hoped by M. Hutin, will delay, if it does not defeat, the final action of congress in providing for the construction of any canal.

"This proceeding, and the placing of this correspondence in the hands of the president of the United States by M. Hutin, with a request that it be communicated to congress, is but a continuation of the presumptious and offensive proposition previously made by the Panama Canal company.

This company in a previous administration, had succeeded in obtaining the resignation of a secretary of the navy to accept a nominal position in their service at a large salary and expended \$1,500,000 in New York chiefly in acquiring the aid of the leading business houses in promoting the De Lesseps plan with but a dollar of stock being subscribed in that city.

The desperate financial straits of the new Mill Be a Mutual Blessing.

Will Be a Mutual Blessing.

If two-thirds of the senate shall concur with the government of Great Britain in establishing an effective basis upon which canal ships through the American is thing and the government of Great Britain in establishing an effective basis upon which canal ships through the American is thing and struction, had succeeding the placing of this considered as an advanced step in a true civilization, honorable to both government of all nations, such agreement and true civilization, honorable to both government of all nations, such agreement and true civilization, honorable to both government of all nations, such agreement and veril be operated, for the security and security and as an advanced step in a true civilization, honorable to both government of Great Britain in establishing an effective basis upon which canal shall be operated, for the security and as an advanced step in a true civilization, honorable to

At 4:40 p. m. the senate adjourned until

Monday at 11 o'clock. To Exclude Highbinders.

At the meeting today of the special com mission of Pacific coast senators and members who are devising a Chinese exclusion measure Mr. Coombs presented a number f suggestions in the form of amendments to the bill presented by the immigration bureau. One of the amendments reach

Chinese High Binders. It provides: "Every notorious Chinese criminal. Chinese engaged in inciting disorder or breaking the law, or terrorizing the com-United States, or who belongs to any sodeemed to be unlawful in the United States

from coming to this country, as follows: "No Chinese being lawfully in Hawaii or any of the insular possessions of the United States shall be entitled to land or remain in the United States, or any territory of the United States, exclusive of the place

where he is entitled to be." These and other amendments of importance in the legal proceedings for the deportation of Chinese are now under consid

eration by the committee. Two Political Orphans

The democratic leaders of the senate have notified the republicans that the minority does not feel called upon to provide committee places for either Senator McLaurin or Wellington. It is understood that the republican members of the committee will esign those members to committee places.

Organize Subcommittees. meeting today for the purpose of organizing its subcommittees and referring to them the bills which have reached the committee. The most important change made of the state were read and resolutions were In the subcommittees was the substitution adopted favoring a large mining and agri- the ones that carry the heavy business for of Senator Berry as chairman of the sub- cultural exhibit for the state at the St. committee on bridges for Senator Vest. Louis exposition and favoring the speedy from Chicago. They all leave here at

Vest for a great many years, but was volintarily surrendered by him on account of

his health. The shipping bill was referred to the subommittee on ships and shipping, of which Senator Frye is chairman and of which Senator Hanna is a member. The measure was not discussed. There are now two bills before the committee for the establishment of an executive department of dispels every possible criticism of Admiral the government to be known as the Department of Commerce and these were referred to a special subcommittee consisting of Senators Nelson; Hanna and Clay. The bill for the reorganization of the

revenue cutter service was given to a spetal subcommittee consisting of Senators Gallinger, Penrose and Turner, The senate today confirmed the following

nominations Charles H. Darling, Vermont, to be assistant secretary of the navy; C. H. Egbert, Illinois, consul at Durango. Postmasters: Illinois-Ulysses Blakely, Plainfield; G. W. Buck, Genoa;

George G. Monoghen, Greenup; James W. Breen, Manteno; A. W. McIntyre, Mendota; J. A. Bohrer, Bloomington; J. P. Nesbitt, Mound City: L. E. Wheeler, Springfield; H. S. Sanford, Chatsworth; Miles E. Hunt, Gilman; S. J. Gee, Lawrence. Missouri-B. Nolan, Parkville.

ROOSEVELT PUSHES BUTTON produced a marriage certificate showing that President at Washington

Woodmen of World Convention at Spokane.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12. - President Roosevelt today pushed the button that opened the convention of the society of the Woodmen of the World at Spokane, Wash. The following telegrams were exchanged: The following telegrams were exchanged:

SPOKANE, Wash, Dec. 12.—To His Excellency, the President, Washington: On behalf of the Woodmen of the World, comprising a quarter of a million of your fellow citizens, I officially tender our deep appreciation of your kindness in thus recognizing one of the largest humanitat in institutions of the republic. With profound respect,

F. A. FALKENBURG,

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—F. A. Falkenburg, Head Consul, Spokane, Wash.; In opening the grand encampment of the Woodmen of the World it is a pleasure to me to send hearty congratulations and good wishes.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

FOR DELTA KAPPA UPSILON New Officers Are Elected at the An-

nual Election in Wash-

ington.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.-The Delta Kappa Upsilon fraternity held its annual convention here today. Over 200 delegates were present from chapters throughout the

country President Roosevelt and Secretary of the were invited to attend the fraternity banjust tomorrow night. Permanent organization was effected this afternoon,

The annual election of officers resulted

as follows: President, Howard S. Harrington, University of Columbia; secretaries, R. C. McKenny, University of Minnesota, and Ralph M. Kellam, University of Penn-

the Numerous Anarchy Bills in the House.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.-The judiciary to punish attacks on the president and vice | meeting of the executive officials of lines and that both powers have abandoned the president and to dear with anarchists and between those terminals and between Chipolicy of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, of anarchy. The special committee, when cago and Kansas City and Chicago and which, he declares, nothing remains "but named, will make a thorough sovestigation Minneapolis. This mandate compels a runsubject and will report a measure providing adequate punishments and restrictions.

War Survivors Remembered by the

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 .- (Special.)-The

following western pensiona have Issue of November 22: Nebraska: Original-William Leadford, McCool Junction, \$6. Increase, restoration, roissue, etc.-William C. Allen, Bellwood, \$12. Original widows, etc.-Rebecca Tumble-

McCool Janchon, 36. Increase, restoration, roissue, etc.—William C. Allen, Bellwood, \$12. Original widows, etc.—Rebecca Tumbleson, Hardy, \$8.

lowa: Original—George Cranston, Marshalltown, \$6; John Shick, Burlington, \$8; Henry Thaleahorst, Mount Pleasant, \$12; Martin V. B. Morris, Wayland, \$6. Increase, restoration, rcissue, etc.—Stephen W. Oakrey, Hagerty, \$6; John C. Taylor, Des Moines, \$12; Emanuel Byerlay, Dedham, \$10; William G. Koch, Davenport, \$8. John O.Leary, Galva, \$8; William W. Baughman, Dunlap, \$12; Peter E. Cromer, Persta, \$8. Original widows, etc.—Frances L. Hailowell, Hampton, \$8; Laura S. Sedgwick, Clinton, \$8; Sarah J. Fallor, Newton, \$8; Virginfa C. Warden, Ottumwa, \$8.

South Dakota: Increase, restoration, re-Warden, Ottumwa, \$8.

South Dakota: Increase, restoration, reissue, etc.—Fred F. B. Coffin, Huron, \$17.

Colorado: Original—George Older, Harmon, \$6: Benjamin F. Krabiel, Denver, \$6.
Increase, restoration, reissue, etc.—John
Demarest, Cherrelyn, \$8.

President's Nominations.

today sent the following nominations to the senate:

United States marshal for Oklahoma, H. Thompson, re-appointment; judge of the cago at 7:45 p. m. and reaching Omaha at United States court (southern district of 8:25 a.m., will require a longer time service Indian Territory), H. Townsend, Colorado, by fifty minutes. All other trains can be re-appointment; United States attorney, maintained on present schedules, but the central district of Indian Territory, John new fast train planned must be abandoned. H. Wilkins, re-appointment; United States attorney for the southern district of Indian Territory, W. B. Johnson, re-appointment; Charles Prouty, Vermont, to be an interstate commerce commissioner, re-appointment.

Army-Captain R. B. Turner, to be a major; Sergeant L. A. Dewey, Twenty-second infantry, second lieutenant. Calvary, Captain John Pitcher, major. Artillery: Sergeant A. Langhorst, coast artillery, second lieutenant. Medical department: Captain C. F. Mason, assistant surgeon, to be surgeon with rank of major. Also the judicial nominations for New Mexico, Arizona and Oklahoma announced yesterday at the White House.

Y. M. C. A. Secretaries Confer.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12 .- The national conerence of state and provincial secretaries of the Young Men's Christian association continued in session today. The time was enough trackage to make the pace." devoted to the reading of papers, followed

by general discussions. during the conference were those by Secretaries I. E. Brown and L. E. Bowman of Illinois and F. H. Burt of Missouri.

the executive committee Found Dead on Prairie.

DENVER, Dec. 12 .- A special to the News from Cheyenne says the woman who was reported lost on the prairie four miles from of an hour or so eventually at this end, Cheyenne last night was found today. frozen to death, a quarter of a mile from day morning, "we can easily make it up on where she was left by the lineman who our way west and it will not change our tried to save her life last night. The time at Salt Lake City or the coast. We woman has not been identified. She wes have lots of room to cut it off out that between 55 and 60 years of age.

Wyoming Industrial Convention LARAMIE, Wyo., Dec. 12.-The Wyoming Industrial convention finished its labors to- to have any marked effect they would be day. Many papers on the various industries felt mostly on the limited trains from here And you'll be all right in the morning. This position has been held by Senator allotment of Indian lands in the state.

SEEKS ARREST OF "ATHENO"

Mrs. Carl McManigle Charges Him with Abandenment.

MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE SHOWS HER

Says His Six Days' "Sleep" in Kansas City Was a Fake and that She Fed Him by Stenlth.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 12 - (Special Telegram.)-Mrs. Carl McManigle, who insists she is the wife of Carl "Atheno." the alleged hypnotist, today appealed to Chief of Police Hayes to aid her in bringing her husband back to Kansas City on the charge of abandonment. The police took Atheno into custody just after he had finished a six-days' "sleep" here, at Mrs. McManigle's request, and he promised to provide for her as a husband should.

When she was told that he had another woman with him at Omaha and was passing her off as his wife she became furious. She she had married McManigle in Brooklyn, N. . She says she has been supported largely by the aid of her husband's father, who lives at Harper, Kan., since "Atheno" abandoned her two weeks ago. Chief Hayes referred the woman to Prose-

cutor Hadley, and she will ask him for a warrant for her husband for abandonment To the reporters of Kansas City papers Mrs. McManigle said her husband's alleged

six-days' sleep in Kansas City was a fake. She said he was supplied with air through the shaft that led down to his face in the coffin and that in the small hours of the morning she passed food down to him. His only ability, she says, is in being able to lie so still for so long a time.

Brother Denies Mrs. McManigle.

Les "Atheno," who says he is brother to in the Windy City between 9 and 10 o'clock TRIES TO CONVERT BRIGANDS Carl, was told by a reporter for The Bee in the morning. fore he would consent to an interview he o'clock, the Nickle Plate at 10:25, the Grand Abductors of Missionary Complain of Miss Then he said:

"I do not know who the woman is. The lady with us is my brother's wife and was viation in the time of arrival at Chicago married to him in New York three years of these limited trains might have been ago. If my brother knows anything of the other woman he will tell it Saturday night when he awakens. As for this being a fake the people are to decide that. We invite Navy Long, both of whom are members, physicians and others to examine my brother any time they choose. In Kansas City a committee of newspaper men and physicians examined him. After going into the cataleptic state his pulse is reduced from normal to fifty. He gets no nourishment whatever and the people are invited to come here and stay and see for themselves. Especially do we invite the women who have caused us to dig up the body."

APPOINTS A SUB-COMMITTEE MAKES NO CHANGE IN RESULTS Authorizes Special Body to Consider Increase in Time Between Omaha and

Chicago Does Not Affect Connections. According to statements from officials

committee of the house of representatives, of their passenger departments, just three at its initial meeting today, authorized of the railroads running between Omaha Chairman Ray to appoint a special sub- and Chicago will be affected by the time committee to consider the many bills offered | limit order emanating Wednesday from the f the powers of congress to deal with this ning time between Omaha and Chicago not to exceed thirteen and one-half hours. The three are the Chicago & Northwest-

ern, Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific and the Illinois Central. None of the changes in most of them will vary from ten to thirty The fastest train which the Burlington

now runs between Omaha and Chicago is No. 6, leaving here at 7 o'clock in the morning and arriving in Chicago at 8:30 -. ma., thus being just within the time limit. There are some trains which make the journey from Chicago to Pacific Junction at a rate faster than the one set down, but these trains have poor connections to Omaha and do not come within the rule. Despite the fact that the order was no ssued till Wednesday evening, the railroad offices here were receiving mail instructions as soon as the early trains from the Windy City arrived yesterday. By 9 o'clock the Illinois Central local office was in posses-

tion of complete instructions from headquarters governing its sole change on trains actually running. That will be on No. 1, leaving Chicago at 6:25 p. m., which time will now be changed to 6:10 p. m. At this end another alteration will be established, the train arriving at 8:10 instead of 8:20 as formerly That makes it just five minutes slower for the journey. The change WASHINGTON. Dec. 12.-The president goes into effect December 15, although the roads are allowed till December 31 to begin the new schedules.

On the Rock Island No. 25, leaving Chf Two Nothwestern trains from Chicago west will need slowing up. No. 1, leaving there at 8 p. m. and arriving in Omaha at 8:40 a. m., is fifty minutes below the limit, and No. 5, leaving there at 10 a. m. and arriving here at 11:10 p. m., is twenty minutes too fast.

All trains on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul route are now within the limit on the Chicago-Omaha line, but this road will be compelled to make one change between Chicago and Minneapolis. It has been run ning sleepers on mail trains between those points and the time was considerably faster han the limit of eleven hours and fifty minutes set by the new schedule

Union Pacific passenger officials are considerably disgruntled at the order. They do not relish the idea of compelling the Northwestern line to slow up both its fast trains west from Chicago simply because, as they say, "the other roads haven't good However, the feeling at Union Pacific

headquarters is one of absolute independ-Among papers presented on various topics once of the mandate. Officials say they will not be compelled to change a single train on their line as a result of it. This is because most of the changes in trains The conference adjourned to meet next with which they connect will be made at June at such place as may be selected by the Chicago end, the arrival here being about the same in all cases as it was before. The slight alterations at this end car be counteracted by the use of some of the dead time now consumed at this point. "Anyway, supposing they do knock us ou

said a passenger official of that line yesterway, but we are the shortest now by some twelve hours, and what's the use." It is the general opinion of Omaha railroad men that if the changes in time were

east. On all the lines these trains are connection with the roads running east night, shortly before 8 o'clock, and arrive

The Fire, Smoke and Water Sale at Hospe's

Musical Instruments, enabling us to make deep cuts of from one-half cost to one-third cost on half the stock and a cut big enough on the balance of this immense stock to encourage the great crowds now througing our store and music balls It's your opportunity of a life-time.

EVERY KNABE PIANO, KRANICH & BACH PIANO, KIMBALL PIANO, HALLET & DAVIS PIANO, SCHUMANN PIANO, MELVILLE CLARK PIANO, HOSPE PIANO, WHITNEY PIANO, HINZE PIANO.

as well as TWENTY other planes, go at prices that make factory prices pale by comparison. Think of buying a fine fullsize upright plane in fine veneer or solid wood, up-to-date case, clean, dry, new, (not a scratch on the case, for smoke don't mar the finish), half price, one-third off, or only two-thirds the price sold elsewhere. Just imagine \$118 or \$138, then \$158, a little better one for \$178, \$187, \$198, and a little higher as the grade grows better, on easy payments—sometimes only \$10 down, only \$5 per month. All this, including a guarantee for five years from the factory, another warrantee from this house, whose reputation has been known for more than a quarter of a century. Then ask how they can sell a brand new Grand plane, worth \$850, for half price, \$425, on installments and furnish stools and scarfs. Just see the Piano and Organ Stools for 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$3. The fine Piano Scarfs for \$1.75 and up.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Some slightly damaged by smoke, others by waternone enough to hurt tone or wear, as every instrument is fully warranted.

\$10.00 Burton Mandelins at...... \$5.00 Violins, Banjos, Accordeons, from \$2.00 up to \$40.00, at half price, some one-third off, some 25 per cent off.

ART DEPARTMENT

Pramed Paintings, Water Colorsand Engravings, In this stock the damage was light, mostly smoke, which was easily removed (except where paintings were entirely destroyed.) The insurance adjusters made the allowance hig enough so that we will sell all framed pictures at one-half price.

Sheet Pictures, Water Colors, Etchings, Engravings, Facsimile Water Colors,

Carbons, Photographs, Platinotypes at one-fourth to one-half off the price. Frames for pic-tures at one-half to two-thirds of our best prices. Great display of pictures at 5c, 10c, 25c and up.

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Slightly wet by water, all thoroughly clean and bright, half and two-thirds prices, from fee up.

Harmonicas, ic, ic, ic, and ic, former price double, ic of cloth bound vocal and instrumental books for it.

Stanuard Song Albums, half price.

Depring Songs, ic.

Popular Songs, ic.

FOLLOW THE CROWDS TO

ast night that Mrs. McManigle charged This leaves ample time for connection 'Atheno's" "aleep" with being a fake. Be- and transfer to the Wabash east at 11 excused himself and went into the room oc- Trunk at 11, the Michigan Central at 10:30, cupled by the "sleeper," to "get dates," as the Lake Shore at 10:30, the Baltimore & he said. He remained there some minutes. Ohio at 10:20, the Pennsylvania at 10:05 and at noon, and the Monon at 11:30. Were the connections any closer a de-

the cause of vast trouble, but as it is the overlap of time is ample for all slight deviations, and transcontinental business in both directions will proceed smoothly.

Railroad Auditors Busy.

F. B. Southard, auditor of passenger accounts for the Union Pacific railroad, has ent at a meeting of the standing freight at hand in case his services should be ommittee of the same association. The approach of the annual meeting of the assofor these preliminary committee meetings. accounts for the Burlington, is also a meniis in attendance at the session

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the socialistic resolutions were in session actually proffered at some spot on the borably will make its report tomorrow It is likely a session will be held tomor- It is understood here that recommendations row night, so the convention can complete have been forwarded to Washington, propos its work by Saturday. There is much quiet ling that an ultimatum be sent to Bulgaria. time necessitated will equal an hour and lobbying going on among the delegates over the election of additional officers. The belief prevails that the scheme to increase the number of vice presidents from six to

occur. SCORCHES THE SHAMROCK the whole town into a state of panic and

Comes Near Destroying Thomas Lipton's Famous Challenger. NEW YORK, Dec. 12 .- Sir Thomas Lip-

on's cup challenger, Shamrock II, narrowly escaped being destroyed by fire tonight. Only the strenuous efforts of the fiermen saved it. As it was it was badly scorched on one side. The fire burned the boiler shop of the J. M. Robbins company at Erie Basin, Brooklyn, where Shamrock was laid up for the winter. One of Shamrock's launches was consumed. The total damage from the fire is estimated at \$100,000.

One of Guests Missing.

FORD CITY, Pa., Dec. 12.-The Fifth Avenue hotel of this place was destroyed by ire at an early hour this morning. One man named Dumont is missing and several employes and guests were injured by jumping from the second and third floors to the ground. It is feared Dumont was burned to death. All the injured, it is believed, will

Livery Barn at Scotland. SCOTLAND, S. D., Dec. 12 .- (Special.)-Cobb's livery barn was destroyed by fire. Sixteen horses perished in the flames and quantity of hay and grain was destroyed. Difficulty was experienced in keeping the flames from spreading. Carl Max, a drug elerk, lost two fingers by getting them nto the reel of the hose cart

A small blaze in the roof of the three com cottage occupied by Mrs. Pauline Share, 1511 Webster street, was quickly exinguished about 12 o'clock last night.

Mexicans Kill Indian. SANTA FE. N. M., Dec. 12.—Loreno Var-is, a Pueblo Indian of Taos county, was gis, a Pueblo Indian of Taos county, was stabbed and stoned to death by Mexicans of Penasco, the same county, on account of a dispute over land and water rights. It is feared that more bloodshed will fol-low. United States Attorney, Pope is in-vestigating the case.

Stone's Teachings.

AMELIORATE CAPTIVES' CONDITIONS

Use Every Effort to Secure Comforts for Prisoners and Even Hold Physician Ready for

Emergency.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 12.-The latest gone to Washington, D. C., to attend a information regarding Miss Ellen M. Stone meeting of the standing passenger commit- the American missionary, and Mme. Tsilka. tee of the Association of American Railway her companion, indicates that their condi-Accounts Officials. Meanwhile H. J. Stir- tion has been so far ameliorated that they ling, auditor of freight accounts for the are able to obtain rude comforts. It is even same road, has gone to Chicago to be pres- said that the brigands have a doctor ready

It appears that the brigands are now comclation in Milwaukee next May is the cause plaining that Miss Stone is attempting to convert them to Christianity. While not W. Randall, auditor of freight and ticket recognizing the legality of the abduction of Miss Stone and Mme. Tsilka the brigands her of the standing freight committee, and contend that their action was in the interest of a sacred cause and therefore justifiable.

needed.

The brigands apparently are prepared to hold out all winter. They refuse to abate their demands one dollar and have not vouchsafed a reply to Mr. Dickinson's ultimatum to the effect that they must accept his last offer or nothing. It is believed in well informed circles that were the gold der by an accredited emissary, the brigands would reduce the amount of the ransom.

Cadiz in a Turmoti.

CADIZ, Dec. 12.-This city was in a state of partial revolution practically all night seven or eight will go through, and in that long. Rictous mobs, led by striking bakers, case a scramble for the places is likely to armed with knives and bludgeons, pillaged stores, attacked peaceable people in the streets, injured a number of persons, threw made the night hideous with shouts of "Long live the social revolution" and "Down with the bourgeois." The police were powerless to quell the disturbance. After a series of severe encounters, dur

ing which many persons on both sides were injured, the gendarmes restored a sem-

Marconi Loses Ris Balloon. ST. JOHNS, N. F., Dec. 12.- The trial Body, Brain and Nerves. Try balloon used by William Marconi, the inventor of wireless telegraphy, who is here conducting experiments with his system. worked from any cause. broke from its moorings last night and drove away seaward. The inventor was prepared for such an emergency and will send

up another balloon today.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 12.-At a meeting of sugar manufacturers held here in anticipation of the forthcoming international sugar conference it was decided to oppose any international convention which does not entirely abolish direct and indirect bounties on sugar everywhere.

Swiss National Election.

BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 12 .- Dr. Jo

seph Zeemp of Lucerne, vice president o the federal council, has been elected presi dent of the Swiss confederation for 1902. Dr. Zeemp is a Catholic conservative,

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