### THE OMAHA DAILY BEE A Paper for the Home **NEWS SECTION.** THE OMAHA BEE Pages 1 to 8. Best in West SINGLE COPY TWO CENTS. VOL. XXXVII-NO. 124. OMAHA, SATURDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 9, 1907-SIXTEEN PAGES. PASSPORT TRADE UNCOVERED REESE'S PLURALITY GROWS CORN ALLWISH TO SEE TAF SUMMARY OF THE BEE JOKER IN RATE ADVANCE **DCEAN RECORDS ARE BROKEN** CONDITION Police of Libau Discover System by Lusitania Holds Laurels Coveted by Saturday, November 9, 1907. Which Emigrants Secured All Sea Craft on the **Commercial Club Asks Questions at** Western Counties Show a Republican Their Papers. Course. Crowned Heads in Europe Desire to Report for United States Shows Gain Over Two Years Ago. Railroad Hearing. 1907 NOVEMBER .1907 Average Yield of 26 Bushels. Meet Secretary. NEW YORK, Nov. &-The marvelous LIBAU, Courland, Russia, Nov. S .- The BUN MON. THE. WED THU solice yesterday searched the houses of ecord established less than a month ago PRI. SAT Autor and AT LEAD NOW MORE THAN LETTON'S SWITCHING CHARGES T several agents of the line of Russian by the giant Cunarder Lusitania when she 1 1 QUALITY RATES 82.8 PER CENT MAY BE OFFENDED OTHERWISE 2 steamers running from Libau to New York, ut several hours from the passage time resulting in the selzure of several false across the Atlantic, already has been 4 5 8 General Freight Indications Reese Will Lead Loomts 6 9 7 passports and the arrest of the agents and broken. The Lusitania still retains the title France and Great Britain Inquiring Admits Road . soitht charging Both Show Slight Decrease Over by Over Twenty-Three Thousand of queen of the seas, as it was she her-11 12 13 14 15 16 many emigrants who were intending to 10 \$2 for 7 10th numbers Where Le 10th is \$1.50. embark for the United States. When All of the Counties Final Estimate Last Year. About Purpose of Trip. self that established the new low mark 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 Considerable traffic is reported to have and incidentally she added several new Are Reported. existed in passports, which were sold with records to her credit. These include the KAISER WILL BE IN ENGLAND 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 ILLINOIS HAS LARGEST CROP teamer tickets to New York. best single day's run-415 knots, made No-How many jokers are there in a pack o VIENNA, Nov. 8 .- The government to-Additional returns from Tuesday's elecvember 6-an average of more than 600 day issued a warning against the agents ton indicate that Reese's plurality has Missouri Pacific playing cards or freight knots for every full day and an average THE WEATHER. Sucker State Has Over Three Hundred He Will Arrange to Receive Mr. Taft FOR OMAHA, COUNCIL BLUFFS AND ICINITY-Fair Saturday; no important tariffs? who at present are so busy inducing Ausbeen underestimated. The first returns hourly speed of 24.35 knots for the full trian and Hungarian emigration to the were from the eastern part of the state This is the question which business men and Fifty Millions. at Isle of Wight. 2,781 milles. hange in temperature. and shippers are asking since listening to FOR NEBRASKA-Fair Saturday; not the hearing before the Nebraska Railway and shippers are asking since listening to southern states of America. An official and showed a slight falling off from the On her last voyage the Lusitania covered circular on the subject calls attention to majority of Letton two years ago, which the distance in four days, nineteen hours nission, held in the Commercial club the alleged peonage system in that part was 23,218. In the western part of the IOWA SECOND, NEBRASKA FOURTH STARTS FROM MANILA TODAY FOR IOWA-Fair Saturday. and fifty-two minutes. The voyage ended of the United States and recommends peo- state, however, this condition was reversed rooms Friday afternoon, when the Missouri Temperature at Omaha yesterday. oday over the same course, was comple who contemplate emigrating to be and in the sixty-seven counties reported to Pacific Railroad company sought to justify Dest Hour. pleted in four days, eighteen hours and Total for United States in Little Carty Will Leave at 10 O'clock very cautious and not to follow the advice date Reese has a plurality of 919 greater its effort to annul an old tariff and substiforme' of the emigration agents until reliable than Letton in the same countles. orty minutes, thus clipping one hour and tute a new one, which would advance Over Two and Half Billion The This Morning on the Cruiser twelve minutes from the previous low switching charges in the Omaha yards from guarantees are forthcoming regarding the twenty-three countles remaining, from STA Bushels and Slightly More Rainbow for Vindimark. And this was done in the face of prospects for emigrants in the southern 50 cents to \$1.50 per car. which only partial returns have been renditions none too favorable. From the Than Ten-Year Average. 100 vostok. The railroad commission convened at 10 states. ceived, will not, in all probability, change start the weather was stormy and on the he relative figures to any great extent - - ---o'clock Friday morning and the first two 11 a. m ...... RUSSIANS ANXIOUS TO SERVE last two days, when the big steamer was 22 hours of the session were occupied with WASHINGTON, Nov. 8 .- Preliminary re-Counties Complete. BERLIN, Nov. 8 .- Emperor William will on the home-stretch, where the greatest hearing discussions and arguments of the turns to the Department of Agriculture Let- Hast burst of speed might have been expected, see Secretary Taft at the Isle of American Embassy Besieged by Mea Omaha Grain exchange and the Union Pa-County. Reese, Loumis on the production of corn indicate a total s. ton. 1,562 1.a13 95 1,286 452 880 she drove straight into the teeth of a 1,608 1,523 852 38 Who Want to Fight Against Adams . A...telope Banner . 1.4 Wight during the former's visit to cific and Burlington railroads, in regard to yield of 2,553,732,000 bushels, an average strong wind, high seas and occasional the petition of the exchange, asking that Japan. England. A message conveying this wish of twenty-six bushels per acre as comsharp squalls. The days' runs for the 1,412 1,013 switching from inspection tracks to term pared with a yield of 30.3 bushels per acro was sent through the German embassy voyage were 21, 606, 616, 618, 619 and 210 ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 8 .- The talk of Hox Butte in 1906. The general average as to the inal elevators or connecting lines, be done 606 760 at Washington, it being understood that D. III..... the possibility of a war between the United knots. .45 , without charge. quality is \$2.8 per cent as compared with 284 1,440 (21 1,618 1,309 1,738 1,197 18H 2,174 1,354 In the Lusitania's big vaults was stored 401 1,790 1,118 1,280 1,236 1,600 1,021 535 1,9,7 Mr. Taft has finally decided to return to States and Japan, which, throughout, has 89.9 per cent last year. DOMESTIC. Many Industries Affected. Buffalo 1,11 nearly \$12,000,000 in gold, more than a The average yield of corn in 1905 was been taken seriously in Russia, is bringthe United States by way of Europe. It National convention of the Woman's But as the proposed switching charges o quarter of the immense total which has ing many volunteers to the American em-1,308 1,808 1,621 976 23.8 bushels per acre and the condition is regarded as likely that Mr. Taft will hristian Temperance union addressed by the Missouri Pacific Railroad company afbeen engaged abroad by American bank-\*Clay Fage 2 fects the interests of a long list of indusbassy, who say they are anxious to serve the president at Nashville. 30. R. also seek an audience of King Edward. ers since the present almost unprecedented movement began. This gold will be transin the United States army in case of hos-Secretary Taft's trip through Europe in tries located on the "Omaha Belt Line" It is estimated that about 4.5 per cent as for the American secretary of war to stirring up a vast amount of comment railroad, from the elevators of the Merriam tilities. A report is also circulating in neyenne 2,305 454 1,478 (130,995,000 bushels) of the corn crop of 1906 was still in the hands of farmers on uster visit the German emperor on British soil ferred from the steamer to the consignees and it is likely to cause diplomatic entan- & Holmquist company to the live stock inmilitary circles here that the American 392 401 961 730 2,096 6,960 1,971 673 539 1,246 1,055 1,852 10,105 3,9 1,523 Dakota 523 338 807 without paying equivalent respect to the and then added to the country's available glements if any sovereigns are visited to terests of South Omaha, the hearing of the army in the Philippines needs instructors, Dawes November 1, 1907, as compared with 4.4 per king might be regarded as discourteous. Jawson . Dixon .... Dodge ... circulation the exclusion of others. Fage 1 protest of the Commercial club against the especially for the artillery and engineer cent (119,633,000 businels) of the crop of 1905 So much has been said about Mr. Tafi Soon after the big ship was warped into Steamer Lusitania brings laurels by her advanced switching charges proved to be corps. Five or six Russian officers of 1,50 in farmers' hands on November 1, 1905, and planning to see the emperor that some 1.675 9,851 its dock longshoremen began carrying ecent performance. Page 1 the most important part of the day's hear- these branches of the service apply daily Douglas 5.3 per cent, the ten-year average for old of the other governments have seemingly Fewer ginneries have been operating in ing, and when the case went to the railroad at the embassy for commissions and are indy 415 ashore the twenty-four tons of golden 1,478 1,45 corn, on hand November 1. become curious whether anything is inllimora treasure, which was contained in 334 small commissioners, the shippers believed that disappointed by the assurances that there the country to handle the cotion crop, The following table shows for the twenty-865 2,711 323 rankiin 957 2,706 832 879 901 1,568 185 396 50 Anded by the step taken by the American 1,591 but heavy steel-bound wooden cases. The Fage 1 Commissioner Guild won an important case, is no likelihood of Japan and the United Jage ... five principal corn states the preliminary government. Ambassidors Bryce and Jus-Robbers at Barnum, Ia., were foiled at and would be sustained when the commis- States going to war. gold was then hauled on hand trucks to estimates of total production and of aver-1995 1007 1,804 1,804 1,807 2890 1,807 1,907 serand, it is asserted here, already have Page 1 sion reports. attempt to rob bank. seven wagons, where it was loaded and age yield per acre in 1907, with the final made inquiries on the subject at the State President calls for thorough investiga- Ascistant General Freight Agent Phil- DANGER FROM CHOLERA OVER 425 1.637 1.831 started across town to its destination. 549 1,118 1,095 reeley estimates of yield per acre for 1996 and the department at Washington and it is The shipment comprised gold coin and ion of alleged coal land frauds in Colo- lip i of Omaha and Assistant General 1.2.1.10ten-year averages in bushels; amilton further assorted that there is a feeling at rado where a secret service agent was Freight Agent Rousch of St. Louis repre- Russian Authorities Will Take Meabar gold amounting to \$12,361,150 and made 742 Iarlan 部1 部0 615 -AV. 1997 Acreage.-1805 For 10 the total gold arrivals to date amount to the foreign offices of London and Paris killed. Page 1 sented the railroad company. States. ures to Prevent Outbreak Hitchcock Pre. Pin. 34.0 36.1 30.5 29.5 24.0 34.1 31.0 32.3 X ea ra B4.0 32.1 27.1 28.4 that Mr. Taft would be slighting King United States Steel corporation has | 410 \$52,311,150. Mr. Phillippi opened the case by stating Next Year. llinola ... Edward and President Fallieres, if he did looker 351,756 000 47 1,007 784 782 217 193 55 taken control of the Tennessee Coal and that the company had always charged a 840° 1,423 1,249 loward efferson wa. WIRELESS SERVICE IN ALASKA not ask to see them on his way home or Page 1 minimum of \$2 for moving a car from, .218,04 525,00 Nebraska Missouri Toxas Iron company. ST. PETERSBURG. Nov. 8 .- Cholera in if he stopped only at St. Petersburg and Department of agriculture reports the one point to another on the belt line, everywhere on the decrease in Russia. nnson 23,9 23,9 30,6 1 4 4 8 317 234 158 4.9.9 1,076 19.0 19.1 84.5 1\8 84.5 deid of corn is not as good as last year, though there were instances where the owing to the influence of the cold weather, 19 Berlin en route homeward. Lines Have Been Used for Commer-155,569,000155,141,000Keys Paha anaaa Page 1 logal rate was but \$1.50. Ills Reception in Germany. cial Purposes for Year with and the danger this year is regarded as ndiana 2.07 A number of prosecutions may follow Commissioner Guild was on his feet in being over. It is considered certain, how-1,275 Good Results. ancaster No official arrangements have been made orgin: he disclosures made in the conduct of a minute, when Mr. Phillippi made the ever, that cholera will break out again in incoln for the entertainment of Mr. Taft there WASHINGTON, Nov. 8 .- The new wire-200 Kentucky ess telegraph stations at Fairbanks and The emperor merely expressed the pleashe national banks in New York City. Merrick statement. "Have you been charging \$2 increased intensity next spring, and a con-1,000 1,000 1,534 1,534 677 Fage 2 when the legal rate is but \$1.50?" inquired ference has been called to meet in St Circle City, Alaska, are ready for opera-Alabama No. Carolina. ure it would give him to receive Mr. Taft President has selected David Jayne Hill the commissioner. and following his habit he probably will tion, according to advices just received by Petersburg to discuss preventive measures. Arkansas ..... Brigadier General Allen, chief signal offio be ambassador to Germany. "What difference does it make?" replied specially the steps to be taken in order ask Mr. Taft to lunch or dinner. Page 1 1.775 President Roosevelt will review the At- Mr. Phillippi. "You must have a complaint to check the spread of the disease along Mississippi Indian Ter. 87,111,000 toe cer of the army. The stations are 140 miles The Americans in Berlin hope Mr. Taft nwhee antic fleet on the day the Pacific fleet from a shipper in order to take that mathelps 985 845 601 814 1,856 1,050 639 1,696 1,594 1,997 apart and are designed to have a radius Oklahoma will stop here long enough to accept vao. Carolina... o. Dakota... irginia oulsiana .... Page 1 ter up." ierce leaves for the long trip. of about 450 miles. rious courtesies. Ambassador Tower is Platte 1,094 W. I. Buchanan, former Iowan, the Russia. Stations are planned at various points arranging a dinner at which Chancellor Commissioner Guild called the attention United States representative at the con- of the railroad commissioners to the 11- URUGUAY TAKES BACK SEAT 1,065 1,700 1,788 3,024 558 1,370 d Willow from Nome to Cape Flattery, and before a von Buelow, the chief of the general staff; 25,000,000 aline ..... megota .... ference of South American republics. year has elapsed the signal corps expect General von Moltke and Foreign Secretary legal practice of the railroad company, Michigan 45,270,0.2)

You Schoel, will be present. Mr. Tower also will offer Mr. Taft an afternoon reception. The American Association of Commerce desires to give him a public dinner Argentine. and Isidore Loewe, head of the Mause ount rate. rifie and several other great industries. has planned a luncheon at which Mr. Taft will meet a score of the great business men of Germany.

TAFT'S TRIP IS CAUSE OF WORRY

PORRIGH. Urugaay backs down in controversy with Fage 1 Imperial bank of Germany raises its dis-Page 3

United States court of appeals sustails he Missouri court in rebating case agained Burilngton road. Fage 1 Danger from cholera is over in Russia for the season.

that \$2 had been collected where the legal rate was but \$1.50, a number of Omaha The next point argued by the railroad affirm Universit against the act and to re-Page 1 past few years

At this point Commissioner Guild blushed

car at a few out of the way switches, but

The railroad company divided the belt

two

fron

line charges into some half a dozen groups.

schedules for the commission and pointed

out that from a specific point in group one

to another specific point in group two the

charge in the old tariff was \$1.50, while in

stance the present charge for moving a car

from a specific point in group two to a

switch track in group three is \$1.50, while

pointed out advances of from \$1 to \$1.50.

Did Not Know Actual Cost.

he did not know exactly. Secretary McVann

suggested that it might cost as much as

0 ments per car, and the freight agent ad-

mitted he did not know whether it cost any

Commissioner Guild compared the

Fage 1 and passed to the discussion of the new switching schedule. May Recover Excess Charges. As a result of Mr. Phillippi's statement

chippers will take the matter up at once. Argentina over the seisure of a tug in and seek to recover the excess charges Uruguayan waters by Argentina officials. paid the company for switching for the The Uruguayan cabinet, at a meeting, de-

Docs Not Want Trouble with Argen-Scott's Bluff. tina and Cabinet Change eward Impends.

Stanton haver hurston MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Nov. 8 .- There will be no trouble between Uruguay and Vashington Vayne York

282 407 3%9 498 713 2.4 5×4 130 ,854 1.012 1.347 Totals

to have in operation wireless connections from Bering strait to Puget sound. This is intended to supplement the Valdez-Sitka 188 147 646 579 664 654 1.435 1.0.0 974 67 1.523 163 1.239 9.3 965 653 1.749 1.104 cable and the land telegraph lines, which in the severe season are difficult to keep in working order. There are wireless stations in operation at Nome and St. Michael, a distance of 107 miles across Norton-sound. The station at Nome will be enlarged and a new station

A total production of 18,911,000 bushels is thus indicated, as compared with 14,642,000 in 1906. The average for quality is \$7.8, 87,194 65,019 83,503 63,259 constructed at Fort Gibban, and these will against 90.4 last year. be operated with naval wireless stations at The preliminary ectimate of the average yield per acre of potatoes is 95.3 bushels, City and Gulkana, in order to replace land lines between those points which traverse 1906 and a ten year average of 85.5 bushels. 1906 and a ten year average of 85.5 bushels. A total production of 292,427,000 bushels is thus indicated, as compared with 308,088,000 bushels in 1906. The average as to quality. break during the last year and has been is \$8.3 per cent, as compared with 90.0 one

24.2 24.5 15.5 25.0 17.0 27.0 30.0 82.5 20.0 82.5 20.0 Wisconsin 46,688.000 Pennsylvania . 45 9:2,030 United States. . 2,553, 32 00

Yield of Smaller Grains. The preliminary estimate of the average yield per acre of buckwheat is 17.9 bushels, against 18.6 bushels in 1906 and a ten year average of 18.1 bushels.

## Secretary of War May Involve Country in Difficulties.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 8 -- So much has come from European capitals concerning Secretary Taft's trip that officials of the War and State departments are becoming nonfused concerning the schedule. It is not believed, however, that the sceretary has sought an interview with any European ruler. It has been stated officially and re-Iterated that Mr. Taft is not on a diplomatic mission to Europe and has no official business to transact at any European capi-

The itinerary for the trip was arranged before he left Washington, and so far as is known in either the State or War departments, the only change has been the delay of one week at Manila. Before he left Washington, the secretary had been invited to stop at St. Petersburg and Berlin to meet the czar of Russia and the emperor of Germany, The necessarily long stay in Manila and the pressure of business which awaits him in Washington, raises doubts here whether the secretary will have time in Europe to meet any of the sovereigns, and there is danger of European sovereigns feeling slighted if Mr. Taft should discriminate in favor of any of the capi-

There is no disguising the fact that officials of the State department would prefer that Secretary Taft's trip through Europe should be made without his engaging in any court functions. There is no disposition on the part of President Roosevelt or Secretary Root, according to information obtainable on this subject, to interfere with Mr. Taft's wishes, but it is felt that he annot visit one court and not others without jeopardiging the friendly relations of the United States with those governments, FLYMOUTH ..... E. A. Victoria and as he cannot see them all it is believed here that he will not visit any, unless it is the caar of Russia.

BIG RECEPTION TO SECRETARY Shooting Affair in Philadelphia

# Filipinos Turn Out in Numbers to Honor American.

MANILA, Nov. 8 .- A brilliant farewell night at the residence of Governor General Smith. It was characterized by extrame democracy, representatives of nearly every class of residents of Manila being presout. Secretary Taft and wife, were greeted practically by every one in attendance.

The secretary's last day in Manila was marked by many busy features. He received and conferred with many prominent Filipinos, heads of bureaus, members umittees, business men and delegations from various provinces and cities. He told one delegation which was petitioning for free trade in sugar and tobacco to send the right men as delegates to Washington help the fight in congress to secure tariff concessions. After a conference with General Gomes regarding-political matters. he referred to that well-known agitator as a good friend.

The assembly has received five resolutions asking congress to make tariff con pessions at its next session. The proposed measure receives general support. The indications are that the protests

against seating Gomez will be of no availas a canvass of the assembly has disclosed the fact that only two members are opposed to giving him the sent to which he was elected.

WASHINGTON, N. C., Nov. E-It has The arrangements made for the escort been announced at the White House today. Secretary Taft to the dock at the time that President Roosevalt will review the Atof his departure tomorrow include a mon- lantic fleet in Hampton Roads. December 16. ster parade of milihary forces, pupils of the the day of the suffing of the fleet for the sublid schools and citizens generally Pacific.

NEBBASKA.

Rumor that bonding companies will re- concerned the advance in charges for This settlement of the dispute is unsatisfuse to go on the bonds of county treas-urers who do not place their money in Rousch stated that the company simply Senor Acebedo, who declares that he wil Page 3 wanted to advance the charges 50 cents resign. He demanded that Uruguay take depository banks. LOCAL. In some instances, but were not conscious a much firmer attitude.

Commercial club believes it has found of an instance where the rate would be joker in proposed Missouri Pacific switch- advanced more than 50 cents. They pointed Fage 1 oo the fact that the rates were not reing charge. Commercial bodies will unite to secure munerative, but Mr. Phillippi stated that improvement of Missouri river boat ser- the company did not move more than two Fage 15 cars a month. Chairman Taggart of national democratic committee sends for Mayor Dahlman and deeply to think that he had protested other Bryanites for consultation. Fage 4 against the railroad company charging just Japanese was sent to the hospital. Bread contest of food show brings in \$1 a month more for switching cars in the

loads of loaves for judges to inspect. Omaha yards, but he proceeded to point out Page 6 that there were more jokers in he pack. Falling off of shipments of live stock and the deal was not out. The commis gives railroads a surplus of cars. Fage 11 sioner claimed that in reality the advance Word received at army headquarters in- was a question of thousands of dollars, and dicates trouble with Utes is over. not merely an advance of 50 cents on a

Page 4 Grain exchange to provide for inspection actual advances of 100 per cent at places of provisions of the packing companies. where many cars were switched. Pages 11

### SPORT. York High school gives Omaha High

chool its first defeat of the season, the core being 18 to 5. Page 8 COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL. Page 13 Live stock markets. Grai nmarkets. Page 13 Stocks and bonds Page 13 MOVEMENTS OF CCEAN STEAMSHIPS. Port. Arrived. NEW YORK...... NEW YORK...... NEW YORK...... Sailed.

Bluecher Ea Provence Crette Prinzese Irene Heilig Olav YORK. UKENSTOWN Baltic Messhe LONDON HAVEE .. Le Bavoie TILAMPTON CORONER MAKING AN INQUIRY

> Brings Out Peculiar Actions of Woman.

more than that. Besides advancing the rates on switching to different industries on the belt line, the PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 8 .- The shooting reception was given to Secretary Taft to. affair in which Harry Ferres of this city Mizzouri Pacific company asked to elimwas killed last Tuesday night by Andrew inate the Portal station from its switching J. Detsch, in the latter's home, where tariff altogether, and handle cars Ferree boarded, was inquired into by the there on the distance tariff basis. Cars are coroner today and Detsch, as a result, was now switched to Portal for a maximum committed to jail. Ferree was found in of 36 per car. The distance tariff rate on the hallway outside the bedrooin occupied a 70,000-pound car of wheat from Portal to granting rebates on lard shipped from Kanby Detsch and his wife. Detsch claimed he Onnaha would be \$22.70, an increase in the

tentic Vessels Assemble on Day of

Departure of Ships for

Pacific.

mistook Ferree for a burgiar and shot rate of almost 400 per cent. through the door, but among Ferree's ef-, 'The Commercial club protested against fects they found many endoaring letters the elimination of the Portal station from written by Mrs. Detsch to Ferree. When the switching tariff, as Omaha is growing of lard shipped from Kansas City to St. confronted with these, Mrs. Detsch con- rapidly toward Portal, and it is understood fessed her relations with the boarder and that later large feed yards will be located said her husband had learned of them there and the live stock interests of the Detsch, however, maintains that he mis- city dealer to have the switching privilego. Kuhn Finds a Joker. took Ferree for a burglar and that he did :

Arguing that a railroad company could not know that there had been anything wrong between his wife and Ferres. The not switch a car to a brick yard on the police are working on the theory that Belt Line and allow it to be loaded with Detach, who is a traveling salesman, learn- brick and then moved to another switch ing of his wife's conduct, compelled her to on the line for an insignificant charge of iure Ferree to her room and that Detsch 32, the railroad men were reminded by Citizens of Barnum, In., Frighten shot him as he was about to open the door. John A. Kuhn of the Updike Grain com-

pany that a car rental of \$3 was also collected, making the company \$6 in all. PRESIDENT TO REVIEW FLEET "Another joker," said Mr. Kuhn. "There

are more jokers in this pack than there are kings. Commissioner Guild filed his table show-Pacific switching charges and the proposed

tariff, with the commission, and closed by intact. . Before another charge could be stating that so far as he could see there was no reason for cancelling the old tariff the arousing of the town. They escaped, and substituting the new schedule, except but get nothing for their labor.

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One precinct missing. men and commercial club representatives, not to domand satisfaction of Argentina CHOATE SELECTED PRESIDENT

Change Effected in Officers of National

Civil Service Reform League.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 8 .- Joseph H. Choate of New York was elected president of the National Civil Service Reform league at its opening session today to succeed Daniel C. Gilman of Baltimore who declined another term. Vice presidents elected were Mr. Gilman. Grover Cleveland, presidents of Harvard and Princeton, also Yale; Seth Low. New

ourt of this city has decided that Dr.

Thomas W. Evans, the famous dentist, who

died in Paris several years ago, and over

FEWER GINNERIES OPERATING York; Franklin MacVeagh of Chicago, Bishop Potter of New York, Archbiahop Ryan of Philadelphia, Moorfield Storey of Census Bureau shows Total Cottou Boston, Thomas Strong of Portland, Ore. and Herbert Welsh of Philadelphia.

The special committee on superannuation WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 8 .- The cen reported against any old age provision. sus bureau today issued its bulletin showwhich would involve the government in any considerable expense. It recommended culation in financial circles today. It was ing the total cotton crop of this year's growth ginned up to November 1 to be the Australian system under which the said that representatives of the comptroller 167,600 bales, as compared with 6,906,395

bales for 1906. The figures are the result of the investiance companies pavable at the age of 70, gations of the special agents of the bureau, the companies to be required to make connection with the present trouble found which, in addition to the figures given deposits to secure these annuities." the new tariff it was \$2.50; in another in- show that there were 26,135 ginneries in

operation, as compared with 27,870 for 1908. In the computation round bales are counted as half bales. The result by states for the present year is as follows:

the new tariff proposes to double the charge Alabama, 608,922 bales; Arkansas, 293,541 and make it \$3, an increase of 100 per cent. pales; Florida, 25,687 bales; Georgis, 1,195,-In many instances Commissioner Guild 195 bales; Indian Territory, 191,750 bales; Kentucky, (90 bales; Louisiana, 277,536 bales Mississippi, 619,485 bales; Missouri, 11,591 Secretary McVann of the Grain exchange bales; North Carolina, 336,437 bales; Oklaasked Assistant General Freight Agent homa, 179.149 bales; South Carolina, 733.045 Rousch if he had any idea what it cost his bales; Tennessee, 100,225 bales; Texas 1,579,ompany to switch a car in the Omaha 496 bales; Virginia, 2,349 bales. yards. The railroad man admitted that

Rivalry Over Flags.

American negro had a fight at Olangapo

his national flag higher than the Amer-

ican ensign on the birthday of the emperor

of Japan. The negro was arrested and the

Crop Leas Than During Pre-

vious Year.

over the right of the Japanese to place

MANILA, Nov. S .- A Jayanese and ar

REBATING CHARGE TO STAND United States Court of Appeals Affirm

Missouri Court Against Burlington.

\$5,000,000 estate. Dr. Evans was originally ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 8.-In a decialo resident of Philadelphia and Register iled today the United States circuit court Irwin contended that he had never an of appeals affirmed the judgment entered nounced his intention of permanently reby the United States circuit court for the siding in Paris and that therefore the per-Western District of Missouri against the sonal property was liable to taxation, Ex-Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad for tracts from the memoirs of the dentist con taining reference to this country, made sas City to New York and Hoboken. upon occasions of his meetings with the French nobility, were offered in evidence The railroad company was charged with

having violated the Elkins law by granting to substantiate the claim. to the big packers rebates on 21,567 pound Louis over the Burlington and from St. Louis cast over the Tolodo, St. Louis & Mrs. Cesaro Vigil Located on Stair-Western and connections to the Atlantic coast, and destined eventually for foreign ports. It was assorted that the railroad gave the packers a rebate of 12 cents per

109 pounds. ROBBERS

Them Away When in Reach

of Booty. FORT DODGE, Is., Nov. 7 .- (Special

Telegram.)-Robbers blew the safe in the received in a fall down the stairway. While the police suspect a murder, they Bank of Barnum, ten miles west of here, can find no motive for the crime. The sideat an early hour this morning with nitroing the comparison of the old Missouri glycerin. The outer door was blown off by the charge, but the inner one remained

> act off the robbers were scared away hy There is no clus. The bunk is a pros

Sitks and Cape Flattery. It is likely that stations will be constructed also at Eagle the roughest country of Alaska. The wireless system between Nome and St. Michael has been operated without a

used for commercial business. These sta- year ago. tions have demonstrated the fact that the wireless system for Alaska is far more feasible for the transmission of commer cial business than are the land lines.

PROSECUTIONS MAY FOLLOW New York District Attorney Uni

Deen Following Methods of High Finance.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8 .- Reports that criminal prosecutions as a result of conditions disclosed by the present banking situation in this city are imminent gained wide cirgovernment employes would be required to of the currency who have thoroughly intake out deferred annuities from insur- vestigated the affairs of two national banks which have been prominently mentioned in

conditions which led them to make unusually minute reports, the precise nature of which has not been disclosed. When United States District Attorney Stimson was asked about the matter he said that no decision had yet been reached

to prosecute any one in connection with the recent bank troubles. He said also Calls for Complete Investigation of that any such decision would bae made

here and not in Washington. Mr. Silmson said: "Since the banking troubles in this city

whose estate there has been much litigation, was a Parisian, and that the state cars that it always tries to give to all at the White House today: of Pennsylvania has no right to collect the matters within its jurisdiction. As yet collateral inheritance tax on the property there has been no decision or determina located in France. The proceedings. tion arrived at to prosecute any individual brought by the register of wills, raised the whatever, and any statement to the conquestion of the residence of the dentist and trary, whether in a newspaper or clasavolved the collection of the 5 per cent

where, is wholly false." state tax on upward of \$1.000,000 of the HILL WILL SUCCEED TOWER

> Appointment of Minister to Netherlands to German Station Pleasing to Kaiser.

> > WASHINGTON, Nov. 8 .- Secretary Root

nounced today that David Jayne Hill, American minister to The Netherlands, and a former assistant secretary of state, will rural routes are now in operation in this ceed Mr. Tower, who is about to retire on WEALTHY CUBAN FOUND DEAD great experience in the diplomatic service, positions for service handled in the depart-He speaks German fluently and, it is said, ment up to November 1 was 55,399, upon his appointment will give great satisfac- which 15,237 adverse reports were made. tion to Germany. President Roosevelt first

offered the post to Assistant Secretary Bacon, who declined it, as he preferred to government more that \$35,000,000 a year. ward in a pool of blood, the body of Mrs. | remain in his present position at the State department.

JUDGE BALL FIXES HEARING

Decides on November 25 as Time 20 Enter Into Illinois Central Contest.

November 25 as the date upon which he would hear arguments affecting the voting telegram, but no particulars were given as woard had been ransacked but no silver or of 5.500 shares of the stock of the Illinois to final arrangements. Mrs. Case, who valuables were taken and there was no sign Central railroad, held by the Mutual Life came here from Red Cloud and has been Insurance company of New York. The in charge of the dormitory fro mithe orproceedings are a part of the action covwas a Cuban by birth. She purchased her ered by the bill for an infunction restrainhome twelve years ago for \$20,000 and had ing the voting of those shares at the post- four years ago, and is buried at Red Cloud lived there alone, with the exception of sur-vants, over since. of the Illinois Central. where Sirs. Case will no doubt be burled

# Tobacco Quality is Good.

The preliminary estimate of the average yield per acre of tobacco is \$58.3 pounds, as compared with 857.3 pounds in 1906 and an eight year average of 785.9. A trial production of 645,213,000 pounds is thus indicated. as compared with 682,429,000 pounds finally estimated in 1906. The average as to quality is 90.0 per cont, as against 84.5 one year ago.

The preliminary estimate of the average yield per acre of flazseed is 9.0 bushels, as compared with 10.2 bushels in 1906 and a five year average of 9.6 bushels. A total production of 25,420,000 bushels is thus indicated, against 25,256,000 bushels in 1906. The average as to quality is \$9.7 per cent, against 92.7 in 998.

The preliminary estimate of the average yield per acre of rice (rough) is 33. bushels, as compared with 31.1 bushels in 1906 and a four year average of 31.0 bushels. A total production of 21.412.660 bushels is thus indicated, as compared with 17,855,000 hushels in 1906.

PRESIDENT ASKS FOR ACTION

All Coal Land Frauds in Colorado.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 8 .- The following letter addressed jointly to the atbecame acute in the last three weeks my torney general and the secretary of the inoffice has followed them with the same terior, date of November 5, was made public

My attention has been called to the dis-patches in reference to the murder of Secret Service Agent Walker, while in the performance of his duty investigating cor-tain coal fand frauds in Colorado. I trust every effort will be exerted by your department to prosecute vigorously every vio lation of the land laws which Walker way

(Signed) THEODORE ROOSEVELT,

RURAL DELIVERY COMES HIGH

Government Spends Thirty-Five Million Dolars a Year on Thirty-Eight Thousand Boutes.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 8 .- More than 28,000 to gamed as ambassador to Berlin to suc- country, according to a statement made public today by the fourth assistant postaccount of ill health. Mr. Hill has had master general. The total number of There are now 1.388 petitions for routes pending. Rural free delivery now costs th.

# DEATH RECORD.

# Mrs. Eva J. Case.

KEARNEY, Neb., Nov. 8-(Special Telegram.)-Mrs. Eva J. Case, preceptress of the State Normal dormitory, who was sent to Omaha to the Presbyterian hospital to undergo an operation, died there ut 9 CHICAGO, Nov. 8 .- Judge Ball today set o'clock this morning. This intelligence was conveyed to her friends in the city in a ganization of the school. She was the widow of Oliver C. Case, who died about

was found at the foot of the main stairway of her home in West One Hundred Thirty-Eighth street today. Her skull was

FOILED AT TASK

way of Home with Skull

crushed in and there was a pronounced dor of illuminating gas in the hallway.

Crushed. NEW YORK, Nov. 8 .- Lying face down Cesaro Vigil, elderly and well-to-do, was

The ambulance surgeon who examined the hody said the wound could not have been

of a struggle. Of Mrs. Vigil little is known except that

perous one and had much eash on hand. |vants, over since.

CR. EVANS WAS A PARISIAN Philadelphia Orphans' Court Decides it Has No Right to Collect Tax. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 8 .- The orphant