

Lena Tyler, thirteen years old, to salute the American flag and recite a patriotic formula has led to her suspension from the Franklin public school. She said she did not want to salute any flag "But if I must I will

en Roosevelt an overwhelming ma- all good citizens, I accept the result jority and that the race in Pennsyl- with entire good humor and contentvania is close between the three can- ment. As for the progressive cause, I can only repeat what I have already Rhode Island also becomes a doubtso many times said: "The fate of the leader for the time being is of little consequence, but the cause itself must in the end triumph, for its triumph to Wilson. The early returns gave is essential to the well-being of the American people. "THEODORE ROOSEVELT." At the same time he issued his statement Colonel Roosevelt sent the following telegram to Governor Wilson: "The American people by a great plurality have conferred upon you the highest honor in their gift. I congratulate you therefore. "THEODORE ROOSEVELT." The vote in Pennsylvania was

Iowa 13 Kansas 10 Kentucky 10 Louisians 6 Maine Maryland Massachusetts Michigan Minnesota

Nebraska Third in Winter Wheat. In the year 1911 Nebraska stood third in production of hard winter wheat, being exceeded only by Kansae and Illinois. Kansas had nearly acres more in wheat th

a motto by Henry VI., 1422-1462. Semper Idem-"Always the Same"-was one of the mottoes of Queen Elizabeth: also adopted by Queens Mary and Anne.

salute the socialist flag, which stands for liberty and pustice," she said.

State Funds Getting Low.

Lincoln .- The monthly report of, State Treasurer George shows there: is only \$151.51 in the general fund and, \$12,418.63 in the trust funds with which to take care of the state warrants presented for payment. As collections are beginning to come in it is: thought these funds will be increased although the department is not entirely out of danger in this respect. The funds for meeting state warrants have been very low for three months past.

No Partisanship Displayed.

Washington .- Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kyler of Denison, Texas, have sent a telegram to President Taft announcing the birth of three sons, named William Howard Taft Kyler, Theodore Roosevelt Kyler and Woodrow Wilson Kyler. In the president's name, As- by Roosevelt and Wilson in other sistant Secretary Brahnahy sent a telegram to the parents expressing a wish that the triplets would live long returns. New York state assembly and happy.

Boll Weevil Causes Much Damage. Washington .- The cotton boll weevil, the greatest pest of the south, has caused a loss of \$125,000,000, represented by 2,550,000 bales of cotton. since the weevil first invaded this country, according to an estimate of the department of agriculture. The weevil crossed the Rio Grande into the United States twenty years ago.

Confesses \$55,000 Shortage. Washington. - Comptroller of the

Currency Murray has announced that the First National bank of Wilburton." Okla., had been closed by National Bank Examiner W. E. Wilcox. He reported that the cashier of the bank had confessed to a shortage of about \$65,000. The capital of the bank was \$25,000.

Oyster Bay .- "It has been a great campaign," said Colonel Roosevelt. "I don't know that there has even been one like it in this country."

Offers Services for Mediation. London .--- The American league of peace has offered its services for mediation in the Balkans to the British foreign office, through Dr. William Osborne McDowell. He is now in England in the interests of the great inter-parliamentary meeting which will be held in the United States and Canada in 1915. Dr. McDowell believes that the league of peace, operating with its American officers, would be in such an impartial position that they could represent all parties concerned.

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ful state, and based on the later votes reported it seemed not wholly improbable that its five votes will go an apparent victory for Taft in New Hampshire and Vermont, but the Taft pluralities have dwindled to a very few hundred votes in each state and seems likely to be wiped out entirely.

Utah Probably for Taft.

The vote in Utah, as indicated in dispatches sifinifies that the state may be carried for Taft.

amazingly close, the returns from over a thousand precincts embracing over 185,000 votes, giving each of the three leading presidential candidates more than 60,000 votes. President Taft's lead in Philadelphia districts was offset by the heavy vote polled parts of the state.

Many surprises are shown in the appears to be overwhelmingly democratic. In Illinois indications point to the election of Judge Dunne, the democratic candidate for governor, notwithstanding the heavy Roosevelt victory.

Showing for Roosevelt.

In addition to Roosevelt's certain victory in Illinois the confident claims of the Roosevelt managers that lowa, Michigan and Kansas would fall into the Roosevelt column seemed verified by the partially complete returns. Returns are meagre from Califor-

nia and leave the state in doubt between Roosevelt and Wilson.

Vermont was settled by the announcement of the complete vote, which gave Taft a majority of 924 votes.

The Providence, R. I., Journal concedes that state to Wilson, and with the vote close in New Hampshire it seems probable all of New England. except Vermont, had gone over to the democratic column.

Uncle Joe Defeated.

Danville, Ill .- Meagre returns indicate the defeat of Former Speaker Cannon by Frank T. O'Hair of Paris, by about 1.200 plurality in the Eighteenth district. Six precincts in Vermillion county, normally heavy republican, gave Cannon 417 and O'Hair

874 indicating that the latter is holding his own in Cannon's home county, where he expected to get votes to offset the southern countles, conceded to O'Hair, who cla'ms Cumberland. Clark, in turn, led Oscar Straus, candidate Edgar and Iroquois counties will give of the progressive party, by about him a plurality of 2,000.

New York Democratic. New York .- Woodrow Wilson was the choice of the state of New York

for president by a plurality estimated Wednesday at about 200,000 from returns received from nearly every



election district in the greater city of New York and from all but 500 of the 3,093 districts outside of New York

President Taft led Colonel Roosevelt in the same districts by about

elected governor with a plurality estimated at about 175,000 over Job E. Hedges, the republican nominee, who, 15.000 votes.

Montana 3 Nebraska New Hampshire 4 New Hampshire 12 New York 59 North Carolina 59 North Dakota 23 Oklatioma 6 Oregon 4 Utah 3 Vermont 4 Virginia 5 Washington 5 West Virginia 7 Wisconsin 13 Wyoming

Methodist Publicity Campaign.

Toledo, O .- A world-wide campaign of publicity for modern Methodism even greater than the scope of religlous journalism of the last fiscal year was planned for the next twelve months by bishops of the Methodist Episcopal church and the denominational book committee of fifteen in conference here. Charleston was selected as the next meeting place.

Seek to Relegate "Old Brindle."

London .- An artificial milk, manufactured from vegetables, which is said to contain all the elements of the and all things conform to a certain best 'cow's milk, and can be used for the same purposes, was shown to a gathering of scientists in London. Among those present were Sir William Crookes, representative of the home office and the local government board, several medical officers of health and other members of the medical profes-

Washington .--- William J. Bryan has telegraphed Mrs. Marion Butler of the Arlington Confederate Monument association accepting an invitation to make the principal address at the laying of the cornerstone for the confederate monument in the Arlington National cemetery, Tuesday, November 12, in connection with the annual convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy during that week.

Couldn't Deliver the Goods.

Minneapolis, Minn .-- Martin Boseks lonely ranch without a wife and minus \$100. In a saloon Martin became acquainted with a man who offered his wife to Boseks for \$100. After some dickering Boseks paid the amount to the stranger, the woman to be delivered within an hour. Boseks has asked the police to look for his purchase or return his money for him.

Nebraska, but raised three bushels per acre less. It is probable that for this year Nebraska will jump to first in total production of winter wheat with her great crop of approximately 50,000,000 bushels.

It is interesting to compare the wheat crop of Nebraska with that of other wheat growing states which are much in the public eye because of their advertising: In 1911 Nebraska raised 1,428,000 more bushels of winter wheat than the states of Washington and Idaho, 2,000,000 bushels more than the combined crop of Idaho, Montana, California, Utah and Texas, and 3,000,000 bushels more than the combined crop of Iowa, Colorado, Utah, Oregon and Idaho.

Te Encourage Model Schools.

Labels on country school houses showing whether or not they are up to the standard is an Illinois device which promises to be taken up in this state if advocates of the plan have success in laying their ideas before the next session of the state legislature. Under this plan schools are inspected as to grounds, sanitation. water supply, ventilation, library, building and heating end qualifications of the teacher. If the essentials of a well conducted school are found standard set by the investigators, then the school is given the desired marking. Otherwise it is set out as deficient.

The legislature appropriated \$100,-000 for buildings at the Lincoln hospital for the insane. Two buildings have been built, or partially con-structed, at a cost of \$50,000 each, but while friends of the insane patients are clamoring for insane to be taken into the asylum the two buildings at Lincoln remain unused. Attorney General Martin has informed the board that it has no authority to buy furniture or to authorize a debt for the connection of the buildings with the institution heat, light and sowerage systems.

Crowded to the Limit.

J. A. Piper of the state board of charities and corrections, visited at the hospital for the insane at Lincoln is afraid he may have to return to his a few days ago and found the institution crowded to the limit. The architectural plans of the institution provide for the care of les sthan 500 paltents, yet on the day of his visit there were 604. Two hundred thirty-six of these men and 368 women ,and there were out on parole twenty-two men and twenty-nine women, who are subject to be returned at any time.

Breaking It Gently.

Pat-Mrs. Flannigan, yure mon Moike has just fell off th' scaffoldin' and killed himself, bedad!

Mrs. Flannigan (collapsing in chair) -Hivins.

Pat-Aisy-aisy! "Tis only his leg. thot's bruk. It's rejoiced ye'll be to hear it whin ye thought he was killed fur-r-st!-Puck.

One From Boston. "Pa, was Job a doctor?" "Not that I know of."

"Then who do people have so much to say about the patients of Job?"-Boston Transcript.

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35,000 votes. Congressman William Sulzer was