# THE NORFOLK WEEKLY NEWS-JOURNAL.

BREWERY WORKERS STRIKE

SHOT IN THE BACK Hubert Hefner Arrested for Running Eight Hundred Men Go Out in Kansas a Saloon on Sunday. City. Butte, Neb., May 14 .- Special to the News: The case of Hubert Hef MRS. FRANK CORNER, LIVING **CARNES YOUNG MAN** dred brewery workers went out on a came up in county court yester-NEAR CARLOCK, SHOOTS SELF. lay, he having been arrested for runing his saloon on Sunday. Mr. Hefner called for a jury trial, which was DOMESTIC TROUBLES THE CAUSE to sign renewal contracts on wages. granted him, and a bitter fight en-WARNER SUTHERLAND VICTIM sued. W. T. Wills and A. H. Tingle THE LID AT VALENTINE. Lived With Her Husband on a Farm OF SERIOUS SHOOTING AFFAIR. were attorneys for the defense and Propose to Cut Down Saloon Hours Sixteen Miles Southwest of Herrick County Attorney McCutchan and D. Very Materially. and Two Miles From Carlock-De A. Harrington for the prosecution. Valentine, Neb., May 14 .- Special to The case went to the jury about 5 tails Are Not Available. ASSAILED BY A. K. ROBINSON The News: A petition was circulated clock that evening. Herrick, S. D., May 14 .- Special to The News: Mrs. Frank Corner, who Hardware Store Changes Hands. FATHER WENT FORTH TO AVENGE Butte, Neb., May 14 .- Special to lived with her husband on a farm six-DAUGHTER'S HONOR. The 9-ws: Nic Sieler, leading hard-teen miles southwest of this town and S rchant and furniture dealer, two miles from Carlock, committed 6 o'clock in the morning. If the board of it his large stock of goods, suicide by shooting herself. Domestic ads, late of Keya Paha trouble is thought to be the cause of SOUGHT YOUNG MAN AT HOME to is Fieler has been in busi-for the past fourteen available at this time. count's ness in de a success of it in word. He will not years and, 12 o'clock and open at 4 o'clock. Met Him at the Gate and Opened Fire.

FORAKER BILL IS POSTPONED

Senate to Vote on Brownsville Meas

ure in December.

day for voting on his bill, moved that

it be taken up next December. After

a motion by Culberson to vote on the

bill next Saturday was laid on the

table, Foraker's motion was adopted

thinks he has insured its passage by

the postponement. Rayner's resolu-

a court of inquiry to investigate the

case of Colonel William F. Stewart of

the army, now stationed at Fort Grant,

Arizona, was referred to the commit-

standing that Rayner would appear

before that committee to make a fur

ther statement on the Stewart case

storing the motto "In God We Trust

on coins of the United States.

ered at some length.

The senate passed the house bill re

The proposed repeal of the commod

ity clause of the rate bill was consid-

One-half of the five-hour session o

the house was spent in roll calls or

the various propositions presented

When the day's work had been con

tee on military affairs with an under

every sense. Young Man Ran and the Charge Pr. leave Butte, ill look after his extensive land verests in Boyd coun-Took Effect in His Back and Legs.

NEGOTIATE.

With a Stack of Money Behind it.

SALOON TROUBLE AT BUTTE.

Robinson Gave Himself Up.

Bassett, Nob., May 14 .- Special to The News: A serious shooting affair, in which a young man named Warner Sutherland was shot by A. K

CREIGHTON AND FREMONT MEN Robinson occurred near Carnes last night. Carnes is thirteen miles east of here. Reports of the affair are that the young man was shot with a gun WATKINS OF CREIGHTON READY

loaded with No. 4 shot. The shot took effect in the young man's back and down his legs.

The affair has been reported by phone from Carnes as follows:

Creighton Has Faith in Watkins. A neighbor by the name of Wm Creighton, Neb. May 14 .- From a tion directing the president to appoint Bickley had had considerable trouble with Mr. Sutherland and it had develstaff correspondent: Earl Watkins, oped into a regular feud. Many the local footracer who was cleaned threats of violence had been made. up twice in quick succession by a Mr. Bickley is a son-in-law of A. K. mysterious tsranger, is dealing with Robinson. Until recently Mr. Robinson's family and Mr. Sutherland's a Fremont sprinter named Leach for were on good terms, but lately on aca race in Norfolk in the near future. count of the trouble between his son-Creighton sports still have lots of in law and this Warner Sutherland. faith in Watkins' ability to go and they were not so intimate with each it is said that if a match is arranged other. Now it is reported that a daughwith the Fremont man at Norfolk, ter of Mr. Robinson had informed her there will be a stack of money up on parents that Warner Sutherland had the Creighton favorite. made attempts to assault her, but had It is explained that Watkins would not succeeded. This so maddened the have given the mysterious stranger a father that he took his shot gun and closer run had it not been for the fact went to Mr. Bickley's, asking him to that he has just recovered from a accompany him to hunt up Sutherland sprained ankle, which is still sensitive and kill him. They mounted their and did not allow him to develop his horses and together rode over to the full speed. Admirers claim that Wat-

Mr. Sutherland says he did not sus pect anyhing at the time and went to the gate, where Mr. Robinson pulled down on him with his shot gun. When he saw what was up Sutherland attempted to get back to the house and as he turned to run Robinson shot

cluded the agricultural and postoffice appropriation bills had been sent to conference and the following bill Sutherland ranch, where they found kins can go 100 yards in ten seconds passed: Permitting owners of patents in cases where the government has ap propriated inventions to apply to the BIG FISH STORIES. court of claims for relief; authorizing

> the entry of tea sweepings when in-Two of the Kind That Sound Good tended to be used in the manufacture Smith, prosecuting attorney. In addi-Come Down From Butte. of caffelene, and an omnibus bridge bill. Butte, Neb., May 14 .- Special to

flat.

SOCIALISTS ASSAIL PRESIDENT The News: Editor Lee Henry and C.

Kansas City, May 14 .- Eight hun-WORK OF REMOVING DEBRIS LEFT

NORFOLK, NEBRASKA, FRIDAY, MAY .15, 1908

strike this morning, tying up every brewery in the city. The trouble arose over the refusal of the brewers ONE OR MORE PERSONS MAY DIE

ably Die as Result of Injuries. here among the freeholders for the

Omaha, May 14 .- Special to The purpose of enjoining the city council News: Reports today do not change to make an ordinance regulating the the list of casualties as the result of closing of the saloons at 7 o'clock in Tuesday's storm, but it now seems the evening and opening of them at probable that one or more persons

may die as the result of their injuries. refuses to act on the petition, the The work of removing debris has referendum law will be appealed to egun and the task of getting six and a vote of the people taken on the owns back into their normal condiquestion. The saloons now close at tion is going forward.

Fine Rain at Creighton.

Creighton, Neb., May 14 .- From staff correspondent: A heavy rain

visited this section during the night Washington, May 14 .- The further and this morning. While it was not consideration of the Brownsville af particularly needed, farmers were fair was postponed by the senate until glad to see it come. There is now Dec. 16 next. This decision was so much moisture in the ground that reached after an extended exchange of it is practically impossible to have a views among senators. Foraker, after frouth this season. arging the appointment of an early

Heavy Downpour at Valentine.

be fully estimated for the present. Valentine, Neb., May 14 .- Special to Ed Miller reported dead at Richfield The News: A heavy downpour of rain fell here last evening. This is the second good shower this week

If Leach of Fremont Comes up to the by a vote of 62 to 6. Foraker gave and it will put the ground in fine con-Scratch, There Will be a Footrace out a statement saying that while he dition for spring crops. could not have passed the bill now, he



LAPORTE OFFICIALS DENY PRIS-ONER HAS BARED PLOT.

MINISTER'S STORY IS DOUBTED

Laporte, Ind., May 14 .- Denials by No fatalities are reported, but a num-Laporte officials that the Rev. Dr. E.

A. Schell had revealed to them the The greatest force of the storm substance of his conversations with was expended on the one business. Lamphere and the discovery of evistreet of the town. Ten buildings are dence that Mrs. Bella Gunness was mass of wreckage. Two or three sided by an accomplice in luring her residences were also demolished. None victims to the farm were the chief of the churches were hit, but the developments in the case. The denials Methodist parsonage was twisted on came from Dr. C. S. Mack, coroner; its foundation and badly damaged. A. F. Smutzer, sheriff, and R. M. South of Auburn, near Stella, sev- thorities. The explosion threw the tion, H. W. Worden, attorney for the proached tornadoes in force, demol-

that he had given his client strict in-

WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE. Minimum ..... 53 NO LIMITATION TO AGREEMENTS Rainfall ..... -.01Permanent Organization by the States Chicago, May 14 .- The bulletin is and Nation Will Likely Result from ued by the Chicago station of the Present Meeting-President Ad-United States weather bureau gives he forecast for Nebraska as follows: dresses Leading Men of Nation. Showers tonight. Severe thunder Washington, May 14 .- Two ideas, storms and cooler east portion. Fri destined to mark material progress in day partly cloudy. America's future, resulted from the YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL RESULTS first of the three days' conference at the White House, in which President American League-Boston, 3; De

d for the twenty-four hours ending FORTY-FOUR GOVERNORS ATTEND

THE CONDITION OF THE WEATHER

Temperature for Twenty-four Hours.

Forecast for Nebraska.

at 8 a. m. today.

York, 7; Cleveland, 2.

; Columbus, 4.

Pittsburg, 5; New York, 1.

Condition of the weather as record

Roosevelt, the governors of forty-four states, cabinet officers, supreme court troit, 10. Philadelphia, 1; Chicago, 8. judges, senators, representatives and Washington, 1; St. Louis, 2. New experts are participating, in efforts to reach conclusions on the best methods National League-St. Louis, 5; of conserving the natural resources of Brooklyn, 2. Cincinnati, 6; Boston, 1 the United States. The first is that a permanent organization by the states American Association-Minneapolis, and the nation is necessary, and will likely result from the present confer-Western League-Sloux City, 8; ence, to accomplish the end sought. Denver, 4. Des Moines, 5; Lincoln, 7. The second, suggested by Secretary Root, is that there is no limitation by the constitution to the agreements which may be made between the states, subject to the approval of congress. The two ideas, fully developed, property loss is far greater and cannot PRISONERS MAKE DASH FOR it is predicted, would result in the conservation of the energies and re-FREEDOM AND 29 ARE KILLED. sources of the nation through uniform and unconflicting laws, both national and state. The idea that the confer-

PRESERVE RESOURCES

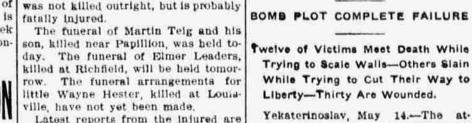
ence should be perpetuated developed in the firm form of resolutions, offered welve of Victims Meet Death While for future consideration, by Governor Trying to Scale Walls-Others Slain Glenn of North Carolina and Governor

While Trying to Cut Their Way to Folk of Missouri. There were many others, but a parliamentary move to Liberty-Thirty Are Wounded. save time sent them to a committee Yekaterinoslav, May 14 .--- The atfor consideration. tempt made by prisoners to break out Leading Men of Nation Attend.

of the government jail here, after Forty-four governors of states of the making a breach in the wall of the union sat on gilded chairs in the his-McKlernan of Bellevue has a chance guard room with a bomb, was a comtoric east room of the White House. plete failure, but it brought about a Five hundred other persons taxed the horrible scene of slaughter in and capacity of the room. They were cabaround the jail building. Twenty-nine inet officers, supreme court justices, of the prisoners were shot to death senators, representatives, and experts by the guard. Thirty others were in all lines of industry. With a flourwounded and it is expected that sevish of trumpets, the president and vice eral of these will succumb. president entered at 11 o'clock and the

As soon as the bomb was thrown, conference, the first of its kind in the one of the detachment of prisoners history of the nation, began. There charged the guards in the court yard, was no doubting the first climax of the and attempted to climb the wall. day. It was the reception of the presi-Twelve of these men were killed indeat as he entered the room. The stantly, while others were wounded governors arose, they clapped their At the same time a second body of hands, they shouted. Five hundred prisoners rushed to the kitchen and seothers took their cue and the demoncuring knives and other weapons, at stration became tumulinous. Then foltempted to cut their way to liberty. lowed a hush. The venerable Dr. Ed-They were surrounded and killed to a ward Everett Hale, chaplain of the man by the soldiers, who had been senate, read from the scriptures the hastily summoned by the prison audescription of the fertility of the lan eral hard storms that almost ap- whole prison into a state of panic. followed it with a supplication for ished farm buildings, but no fatalities attempting to escape over the roof of guidance in the present undertaking. Two prisoners were shot down while

Waterways Commission Praised.



SIX

BY STORM BEGINS,

List of Casualties is Unchanged Ex-

cept by Prospective Death of One

or More Persons Who Will Prob-

HAVOC WROUGHT BY TORNADO;

Death List Not Quite So Large as at

First Reported.

Omaha, May 14 .- Recapitulation of

the results of the tornado which swept

through Cass and Sarpy counties, leav-

ing death and destruction in its path,

show that while the death list is not

quite so large as at first reported, the

to get well.

Evidence Said to Have Been Discovered That Mrs. Gunness Was Aided by Accomplice in Luring Victima

to Her Farm,

her were bruised and cut.

prisoner, issued a formal statement are reported. Cyclone caves, in which

to the effect that Mrs. Ed Hester and baby and Mrs. Joe Lyon, all of Louisville, cannot recover. Mrs. Margaret

HEAVY DAMAGE AT NEMAHA

Ten Business Buildings and Three Residences Blown Down.

Auburn, Neb., May 14 .- The town of Nemaha, ten miles southeast of here, was hadly wrecked by a tornado.

him in the back. He fell, but crawled toward the house, and while doing that Bickley shot at him two or three times with a rifle, but none of these shots took effect.

Mr. Robinson at once gave himself up and his side of the affair is not fully out at this writing. Mr. Robinson is counted a good citizen and on the other hand Sutherland is reported to have rather a bad reputation.

Dr. Root from Bassett and Dr White of Springview were at once called and found Sutherland's back and the back of his legs literally peppered with No. 4 shot, a great many of which were removed. Dr. Root left him resting quite easy and he thinks he has favorable chances for recovery It is not known at this time whether Mr. Bickley is under arrest or not Mr. Robinson does not seem to be worrying over the affair unless it is

because he did not finish his man.

## BOY LOST IN BURNING BARN.

#### Destructive Fire at Wagner Consume Boy and Barn.

Wagner, S. D., May 14 .- Last night Louis, the second oldest son of L. Uken, lost his life in a fire in their barn. Louis with two younger brothers were sleeping in the loft, and when life had been notoriously discordant. the alarm was given by the man sleeping in the office, the other two got up and saved their lives with several bad burns. But Louis did not escape and was badly charred when found after the fire.

Five horses were badly burned and another so badly burned that it was afterwards killed. Also a new automobile and a number of buggies and other articles were consumed. Because the fire occurred at a time when service and only for its efficiency more buildings would have burned,

Sheriff Gives Chase to Thieves.

#### Three Indicted at Lincoln. Lincoln, May 14 .- The federal grand

Pender, Neb., May 14 .- Sheriff Pat jury returned an indictment against Dorcey has had a busy time of it George R. Smith for infringement of chasing horse thieves. A horse and the United States oleomargarine laws; buggy were stolen off the streets of Thomas O'Brien, passing counterfelt Walthill and while the sheriff was on money, and Joseph Jones, two indictthe trail, he received word from Oma- ments for breaking open a mail pouch ha to catch another one headed his and robbing a mail pouch.

way. The Walthill horse and buggy Father Fatally Shot by Son. were found near the old mission where the thief had abandoned them and the Omaha fellow was trailed to Homer where he dropped out of sight.

Garry Myers, of Walthill, is vowing old, at the family home. The son vengeance upon citizens of that place. called an ambulance and sent his fath-He alleges that he was arrested for er to the hospital and then surrendefending himself against an assault dered himself to the authorities. Upand was carried to the village jail by on his statement that his father had four men who threw him headlong into created a disturbance at home and had a cell which dislocated his shoulder chased him into a bedroom, and that and he was left unattended all night he fired in self defense, he was resuffering all kinds of pain.

S. Myers, our city jeweler, returned this evening from Holt county, where **Convention Refuses to Sanction Letter** they had an "immense" time angling Scoring Roosevelt After Hot Debate.

for brook trout. They came home Chicago, May 14 .- An open letter with seventy-nine speckled beauties, addressed to President Roosevelt, sesome of which weighed eighteen ounc- verely scoring the president for his es dressed. The boys are justly proud alleged disparaging remarks about Soof their catch and all have conceded cialists in his last message to conthey are entitled to the championship gress, caused a lively debate at the Sobelt as trout fishermen. But F. A. cialist national convention. The let-Masinda, our city druggist, and Dime ter was submitted by G. A. Hoehn of Short, the harness maker, can give St. Louis, who asked that it be adoptthem cards and spades and beat them ed by the convention and that a copy hands down when it comes to quan- of it be mailed to President Roosevelt.

tity, they having succeeded in catch-The trouble was precipitated by ing eighteen large catfish in less than Chairman Spargo of the committee on ten hours fishing. The trout came resolutions, who, in making his report from the Apple creek and the north on the resolutions presented to the branch of the Verdigre in Holt county, committee, tried to omit the reading of Niobrara river.

DOMESTIC TROUBLE IS FATAL

Anton Bily Shoots His Wife and Then mediately objected to this procedure.

After a spirited discussion a motion Himself. Table Rock, Neb., May 14 .- Anton that the letter be read was carried Bily, who resided on a farm three amid great enthusiasm. A long debate miles this side of Du Bois, shot and followed the reading of the letter. killed his wife and afterwards shot When the final vote was taken, it and killed himself. Their married appeared that a majority of the delegates agreed with the leaders, who held that the letter was not proper in and the tragedy is no surprise. tone nor in diction to be sent from a A few months since, a brother of Anton was shot and killed while rid. national convention to the president ing in a wagon. A son of Anton had of the United States, and by a decisive been killed a short time before that. vote refused to sanction it.

while out hunting. A coroner's jury pronounced it accidental.

Insanity is Fee's Defense.

ard Gould, wife of the multi-million-Omaha, May 14 .- For attempting to aire New Yorker, and her sister, Mrs. blackmail Luther Drake of the Mer. Sun Yue, wife of a San Francisco chants National bank out of \$5,000 by Chinaman and devoted to slum work threatening to blow him and his bank on the coast, were bequeathed \$1 each all were sleeping the building was up with a bottle of fluid, James J. Fee by the will of their father, Solomon nearly a total wreck before it was dis is on trial in the criminal court. Sid. Perry Clemmons, filed here. His escovered. The waterworks did good ney W. Smith, who is defending Fee, tate, which is valued at \$6,000, is left will try to establish that his client to his widow. was insane when he made the attempt.

Alleged Counterfeiters Arrested. St. Louis, May 14 .- Three ex-con-

One Dollar to Daughters.

Pittsfield, Ill., May 14 .- Mrs. How-

lcts were arrested here by order of the federal authorities on the charge of counterfeiting, and in the room which the police raided at Spruce and Second streets, molds, machinery and a number of bogus coins were found The prisoners are George Herdiska, W. A. Brewer and Hugh Cinders.

#### Charities and Correction Conference.

Richmond, Va., May 14 .- Final ses-Granite City, Ill., May 14 .- Lee sions of three of the sections of the Sheets, fifty years old, was shot and probably mortally wounded by his national conference on charities and correction were held here. In the dison, George Sheets, twenty-one years vision on state supervision an extended discussion was held on the problem presented by the migration of dependants and defectives from one state to another.

> Four Miners Killed. Wilkesbarre, Pa, May 14 .-- Four miners were killed and three others

leased. Father and son are switchmen. injured at Prospect colliery.

junctions not to discuss the charge against him, and concluding:

"The fact is that Lamphere has never made a confession to any one and never will. He has nothing to confess.'

Discussion of the reported statement which Dr. Schell was said to have made in Baltimore was general about the town. The ministers' friends were

loud in their protestations that he could not have said that Lamphere had confessed to the charges against the prisoner, and the officials concerned were prompt in asserting that such a statement had never been made to them. "I never received any intimation from Dr Schell regarding the control which was practically destroyed, but such a statement had never been

sations which he held with Lamthe explanation that the committee had instructed him not to go to the trouble of reading the document, owing to the "preposterous statements" contained in it. Several delegates im-

be in a mood to talk, and that he was more likely to converse with a min- The following homes were destroyed more likely to converse with a minister than with a sheriff, so I asked in the path of the storm: Henry Dr. Schell to come to see him. But Weiland, Claus Meyers, Tom Ander-Lamphere, while in his cell, never son, George Dalbey, all near Northdiscussed affairs at the Gunness farm." boro, and B. L. Benedict, near Coin.

### CHANGES IN ATLANTIC FLEET

age tanks of the Continental Oil com-Admiral Sperry Succeeds Thomas as

Commander-in-Chief. for the oil company, was killed. Roll-San Francisco, May 14 .-- Extensive ing stock and tracks of the Santa Fe changes in the formation of the Atlanroad and other property was damaged. tic fleet will take place tomorrow,

when Rear Admiral Thomas hauls down his flag as commander-in-ohief and is succeeded by Rear Admiral

Oil City, Gilliam and Bollinger Sperry. Several of the ships will be shifted to different divisions, and Capported Destroyed.

Seaton Schroeder will assume command of divisions. Captain Wainwright will be succeeded in command of the Louisiana by Captain Kossuth and Bollinger. Telegraphic communi-Niles and Captain Schroeder will be succeeded on the Virginia by Captain that the storm struck north of Shreve-Alex Sharp. The Minnesota will take the place of the Louisiana in the first division, the latter becoming Rear Ad- It is reported that Gilliam, La., a town miral Emory's flagship in the third division. The Georgia will continue as that a number of lives have been lost flagship of the second division, with Captain Wainwright in command of the division. The Nebraska will take the place of the Virginia in the second division, the latter joining the linger.

> Storm Wrecks Caney Glass Plant. Caney, Kan. May 14 .-- A severe storm struck this city at noon, wrecking the plant of the Caney glass fac

Marshalltown, Ia., May 14 .-- Upon tory. Fire broke out immediately following and, although the department being called out to help inspect the succeeded in checking the flames, the track during a severe rainstorm. Charles W. Geve, an employe of the plant is a complete wreck. The workmen were out for dinner. S. J. Rhine-Northwestern section at Montour, Ia., hart's store building was unroofed, the was instantly killed when a fast eastbound train struck the handcar on ball park fence and buildings were blown to pieces and several other which five men were riding. All others jumped and escaned without intury | buildings were damaged.

the building. So far as is known, not many residents took refuge, accounts one succeeded in getting away. The for the exemption from fatalities or chief warden of the prison is among serious injury. No estimate is made the wounded.

of the property loss. STORM IN SOUTHWESTERN IOWA Woman Killed and Many Farm Houses Testimony Again in Custody.

Wrecked by Tornado.

Clarinda, Ia., May 14 .- A tornado swept into southwestern lowa from Missouri, destroying many farm homes in Fremont and Page counties and kill-

from Dr. Schell regarding the conver- without loss of Ilfe. Several people woman was arrested in Paris several months ago, charged with the murder, were injured there, but none seriousand the catfish were taken from the the letter assailing the president with phere," said Sheriff Smutzer. "Lam- ly. The storm then jumped into lowa, phere," said Sheriff Smutzer. "Lam-phere never asked that a minister be destroying a school house near the At her trial then, and in the face of sent to his cell. The day after he was Finley home, which was also demolstrong police evidence of her gullt, the arrested he asked for a bible and I ished. It moved northeasterly, rising doctors were unanimous in asserting got it for him. I thought from the at intervals until it dissipated itself that the children had died natural man's general attitude that he might about six miles west of here in the deaths and that the woman was perfectly sane. In view of Mme. Weber's pants.

later arrest at Nancy, Dr. Doyen has published an open letter, in which he insists that medical experts in the future confine themselves in testifying to established facts, instead of giving their opinions.

Oil Tanks Explode. Deming, N. M., May 14 .- The stor-TEN THOUSAND MEN PERISH

pany exploded. J. G. Clark, manager Tidal Wave Bore Along Yangtse Klang

River, Carrying Death. Seattle, Wash., May 14 .- News of

one of the greatest disasters that China has ever known, a sudden tidal LIVES LOST IN LOUISIANA STORM wave bore in the Yangtse Klang, which involved the loss of nearly ten thousand lives at Hankow, was

brought by the steamer Titan. Some 3,000 Chinese were sleeping in sampans and small craft and huts by the river side at Hankow and they

were enveloped by the great wave, which swept broken junks, splintered sampans and an heterogenous mass of debris, with swarms of drowned Chinese mixed with the wreckage. The acenes for many days affir the disaster were horrible, the river side being strewn with dead and debris of wrecked craft for many miles.

#### Premonition of Death Fulfilled.

Granite City, Ill., May 14 .- Followand two negroes were killed at Bol- Ernest Harris that harm was to befall her infant daughter, the child was killed by a bullet from a revolver dropped by her brother, Frank Rush. Rush was exonerated by a coroner's jury upon the testimony of the grief stricken parents.

> Negro Shoots White Wife and Self. Logansport, Ind., May 14 .-- George Hall, colored, shot and killed his wire, a white woman, at the home of her mother. He then shot himself, and it is thought the wound will prove fatal.

President Roosevelt here began his explanation of the reason for the conference. His fifty-minute speech was

many times interrupted by applause, ALIENIST EVIDENCE DISCREDITED and when he finally reached his point f preise to the inland waterways com-Woman Strangler Freed by Expert mission and declared, with characteristic vigor, that should congress neglect to perpetuate the commission, "I Paris, May 14 .-- Just as the hand-

will do it myself," he "captured" the writing experts were discredited by assemblage. The governors stood up the outcome in the Dreyfus case has a and shouted, senators and congresscloud been cast upon the value of exmen added a laugh to their applause pert alienists' evidence by the case of and general assent was given the fentiment, ---The prosident's speech ended the morning session. He, with the vice president, shook hands with each

member of the assemblage. The gov-ernors and delegates were photo-traphed, with the president, on the portico of the White House. The picture will also show William J. Bryan, Andrew Carnegie, J. J. Hill and Gustav Schwab, specially invited particl-

Afternoon Session.

It was at the afternoon session that the real work of the conference began and the session proceeded at a rate that broke all speed regulations. It developed first that the president finds it impossible to devote his entire time to the conference meetings. He will call to order each session and then designate a governor to preside. This honor fell first on Governor Noel of Mississippi, with the intimation from the president that he should next call upon Governor Johnson of Minnesota. Then, after this announcement, as if

his political instinct had received a shock, the president called Mr. Bryan to interrupt the program and incidentally a prepared speech of Andrew

Carnegie, and address the meeting. Mr. Bryan acknowledged the enthusiasm his name aroused by lifting his band and then indicated a desire to speak tomorrow.

#### 200 Years of Coal Supply.

It was from the utterances of Mr. Carnegie and those who followed him that the gravity of the problems to be considered were given weight. Two hundred years of coal supply and half that of iron was the prediction of the famous ironmaster.

There were ways by which both the soal and iron supplies might be conserved, according to Mr. Carnegie, by economies in mining and use and the development of water transportation. which, he said, required less of both products.

John Mitchell, former head of the United Mine Workers of America, recalved a cordial reception for ideas advanced. He estimated that 25 per cent of the mines already developed had been wasted in mining and much greater percentage in use. With out such waste, which he believed might be overcome, the supply of coal Domestic trouble is supposed to have would last 2,000, instead of 200 years

tain Richard Wainwright and Captain Atlanta, May 14 .- According to information received in this city, a tornado struck a part of Louisiana, causing losses of life in Gilliam, Oil City cation is interrupted, but reports say port, swept along to Little Rock and Texarkana and is centered in Texas. of 200 inhabitants, is wiped out and Oil City is also reported destroyed. with a loss of life and a number of persons injured. Mrs. Marshall Davis

third division. The Wisconsin will be Captain Schroeder's flagship, heading the fourth division. The Connecticut

will remain the flagship of the fleet. Train Hits Handcar.