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THE WEATHER.

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KUHN CORPORATIONS

OF PITTSBURGH IN

First-Second National Bank Con-

trolled by Brothers is Closed

by Comptroller.

DEPOSITS THIRTY MILLIONS

Last Report Shows Deficiency in the

FINANCIAL STRAITS



Not So Great.

CONTRADICTORY CLAIMS MADE Defeat of Greek Army Announced by

Their Enemies.

WAR CORRESPONDENTS TO SCENE

Number Leave for Servian Head-- quarters Near Istip. RUMANIAN ARMY MOBILIZED Work Will Be Completed Thursday

or Friday and Troops Immediately Will Cross Danube Into Bulgaria.

LONDON, July 7 .- The Helgrade correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says Onmaha companies, and John Haney, a Co. packing plant in South Omaha yesthe losses of both Servians and Bulgari- packing house engineer, were pressed into terday ans are heartbreaking. There is reason to service. believe the Bulgarlans suffered most, beon the Servian positions in close forma- Organized Militancy on the Servian positions in close formation with bayonet regardless of the sacrifices such primitive methods entailed. "Thus," adds the correspondent. "throughout the sixty miles' front there has been for a whole week a series of desperate night attacks with the bayonst

resulting in great slaughter." The correspondent asserts that Istip has been burned, but not occupied by either side, owing to its being surrounded by marshes.

A dispatch from Sofia to the Central News Agency says official messages received from the front report the occupation of Nigita to the west of Lake up militant conspiracy. Tahynos by Bulgarian troops, who have also captured other strategical points from the Greeks. General Ivanoff, commander of the Bulgarians, by a surprise attack, dispersed a large part of the Greek army numbering \$0,000 man, under the personal command of King Constan-

The Vienna correspondent of the Daily Mail learns that Austria has arranged a cargain between Bulgaria and Rumania, whereby Bulgaria will get Saloniki in return for territorial concessions in last sentence Rumania. An Odessa dispatch to the Mail says:

"As a precautionary measure the garrisons in southern and southwestern Russia are being mobilized with a view eventualities arising out of the Bel-'tan war."

Greeks Announce Victory. SALONIKI, July 7.—Part of the Greek SALONIKI, July 7.—Part of the Greek warning that subscribers are liable to right wing has driven the Buigarians across the River Struma and is now marching on the town of Serros, according to official reports from the Greek

WATER PRESSURE TOO WEAK LOSS HEAVY Water Board Tries to Lay Blame Onto the Valve. IS FOUND TO BE ALL RIGHT Flames Originating in Cattle and Fire Engine at South Omaba Has Sheep Killing Department Cause No Team to Pull It Nor an Engineer to Operate It at Packing House Fire. STARTS IN THE FEED DROP Lack of sufficient water pressure at the fire in the Morris Packing plant is given Passes Unnoticed, as Force of Men by many as a reason for the loss being Employed Not Working. as large it was. So persistent were these

rumors that representatives of the Wa-SPREADS TO. BRINE CHAMBER ter board were soon on hand to see what the trouble really was. These tried to nake the excuse that the water valves Papers and Money Removed from were not entirely turned on, but Super-

intendent Fre Shepard said that he had personally inspected these and fond them all right.

South Omaha has a fire engine, but it vas of little use at the fire. In the first Departments Get Fire Under Control In South and East Wings, Conplace there was no team to haul it. After an extra team had been sent to bring the fining it to North

ensine to the fire, it was found that there was no engineer to run it. Emil Novak had been engineer, but was reduced to the Fire, that originated in the cattle and rank of pipeman a couple of weeks ago, sheep killing department, caused damage and no one had been named in his place. estimated to be not less than \$200,000 by This problem was finally solved when estimated to be not less than \$100,000 by Ed Simpson, an engineer of one of the General Manager Culver, to the Morris &

Among Suffragists Broken Up by Law

is kept in storage. Before firemen could reach the scene and stretch their lines, LONDON, July 7 .- Organized militancy among the suffragettes has been broken the brine chamber on the fourth floor became included in the fire area. up, according to the Daily Mail, which By this time the fire had progressed publishes a review of the six months of "terrorism" and compares it with the from the northwest corner across the

north side of the building and was rapidly order of things since the recent passage eating its way south and eastward fn the of the "cat and mouse law." The Mall, direction of the general offices. All of which opposed the law when it was first the papers and documents in the office proposed, gives it credit for having broken were immediately moved and A. Koch, assistant cashler of the company, re-The law now requires that when a suf-

moved \$10,000 in specie from the safes fragette who has been sentenced to prison and deposited in the Union Stock Yards falls ill through a hunger strike, she shall National bank. The fire departments be released only long enough to recover however, got the fire under control in her strength and then be returned to jail the south and cast wings and kept the to continuè her sentence. Mrs. Emmaline Pankhurst, who is recovering from her blaze entirely in the north floors. latest hunger strike, is not likely to be

Water Pressure Weak. arrested again, it is said, unless she tries The entire South Omaha fire force, under to participate in a militant campage. She Chief John McHale, the private companies has already been returned three times of Morris, Swift and Armours, under Chief to Holloway jail in connection with her Horn, and Omaha companies 9 and 10 and truck No. 3, under Chief Simpson, of

\$200,000 Damage.

Offices Ahead of Blaze.

WATER PRESSURE IS WEAK

Floors.

The blaze started in the feed-drop of

the elevator on the sixth floor, on which

the beef killing department is located. As

the large force of men employed in this de-

partment were not at work, the blaze

passed unnoticed until it had spread into

and the floor beneath it, where the beef

a large flame enveloping the whole floor

The Mail, claiming to have made a spe-Omaha combined efforts and, although cial inquiry into the status of militancy. considerably handicapped by weak presdeclares that the organization is reduced sure, were performing commendably in to a few disabled leaders with their forretaining the fire in the north building. mer army of followers scattered and the Because of lacking a team, the South organization as a whole crippled finan-Omaha steamer was not brought to the cially. Subscriptions to militant cause have been greatly checked by the official scene until Councilman Jay Williams complained at the tardiness and had, one of

(Continued on Page Two.) Sullivan Repeats



Legal Reserve. RECEIVER FOR WATER COMBINE Corporation Controlling Forty Plants is Also Involved. OTHER CORPORATIONS AFFECTED Kuhn Brothers Are Also Heavily Interested in Irrigation and Traction Corporations in Pennsyls vania and Other States. PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 7 .- A series of financial difficulties occupied the Pittsburgh district today. The First-Second National bank, one of the largest banks in the country, falled to open its doors. Within a short time the First National Bank of McKeesport, Pa., an adjoining city, closed and during the afternoon receivers were appointed for the American Water Works and Guarantee company, one of the largest companies of its kind in the United States, and for the banking house of J. S. and W. S. Kuhn, incorporated. Also during the day a run was, made on the Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, another large institution.

The troubles were due to financial difflculties confronting the Kuhn interests of this city. It is said the emburasement is only temporary and that there is no immediate cause for alarm.

Heavy investments in water works propositions, coal and oil lands and interurban rallway companies, together with the financing of a skysoraper bank and office building, are given as some of the sauses leading up to the day's suspen-

The trouble first made its appearance in the First-Second National bank. said the government has been investigating conditions for the last month, or since June 4, last, when the last statement was made. An alleged doficiency of \$2,145,000 in the legal reservo of the bank and the subsequent examnation brought matters to a climax.

Several thousand persons crowded at noon. A squad of police was neces-sary to keep the great crowd moving.

Kuhn Brothers Control. W. S. Kuhn and J. S. Kuhn own In controlling interests in both banks and pany, the largest concern of its kind in prominently identified. This concern controls over forty water works plants in Differences between the officials of the First-Second bank and the Treasury demets are said to have led to the order closing its doors. No details of difficulties had been announced by the Treasury department.

headquarters

BELGRADE, Servia, July 7 .- A number of war correspondents have left for the Servian headquarters at Uskup. The commander of the Servian troops announces that the newspaper men will be sllowed to go to the front.

Rumanian Army Mobilized.

VIENNA, July 7 .- The mobilization of the Rumanian army will be completed Thursday or Friday, according to dispatches from Bucharest. The Rumanian troops are expected to cross the Danubs Bulgaria immediately, and, as a result of this step it is assumed that Bulgaria will be compelled either te agree to the Rumanian demands and permit Rumania to occupy the territory it desires or to sugage in war.

Greek Casualties Ten Thousand. ATHENS, Greece, July 7 .- The Greek casualties since the beginning of fighting against the Bulgarians total 10,000 killed and wounded according to official reports.

After the battle for possession of Kilish, the right wing of the Greek army forced the Bulgarians to return across the river Struma. The Greek left wing after. severe fighting occupied the heights to the south of Lake Doiran and then pursued the retreating Bulgarian army toward Strumnitza capturing twelve field guns and inflicting severe lonses.

ST. LOUIS HOTELS ENGAGE **NEGRO WAITERS BY CONTRACT**

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July &--Negro waiters were today seen in the fashionable hotels and cafes here for the first time since They have received contracts from the Hotel and Restaurant Keepers' association calling for at least five months' work. In some of the restaurants guests of a crossing accident at 5:10 o'clock yeahad to nelp themselves during the Sunday rush-

Labor leaders announce that the serrow in a continuation of the fight struck by passenger train No. 16, en of the union's against hotels.

RAND GOLD MINERS **RESUME THEIR WORK**

JOHANNESBURG, July 7 .-- Most the gold miners who participated in the general wirike last week, which led to the killing and wounding of a large numher of rioters, resumed work today. Those mill out object to the terms of settle- Mrs. J. B. Weaver ment. They demand that the government penalon those who were dependent on the men killed or wounded. Quiet ptevalls overywhere.

The Weather.

Foremast till 7 p. m. Tusuday: For Omaha, Council Bluffs and Vicinity -Fair and cooler Tuesday,



Aviator Spilled Into Lake Michigan When 'Plane Dips

CHICAGO, July 7 .- Flying at the rate of fifty miles an hour today, Glenn Martin's hydroaeropiane dipped too close to the surface of the lake and was overturned. Martin and his assistant, Charles H. Day, clung to the overturned craft until rescued by the life saving crew, which also recovered the machine. Neither airman was hurt, nor was the machine hadly damaged.

Martin is one of the entrants in the flying boat cruise to Detroit, scheduled to take place fomorrow, and is still hope-

ful of being able to take part. Poor condition of the lake just outside the breakwater delayed the start of the ten-mile race until late in the day and made it probable that few would try it, since two of the five laps of the event must be covered on the surface of the

water. Seven machines will start in the race to Detroit if Martin's is repaired. The other aviators expected to make the trip are Janus, Cooke, Havens, Johnson, Vilas and Francis.

Passenger Strikes Auto at Crossing; Two Women Killed

Two women are dead and a woman and a man seriously hurt as the result terday afternoon, one mile south of Walt-

hill, on the Burlington rallway. An automobile containing William Denburtenders of botel bars will walk out shass, his wife and two daughters was ble started over a girl. Glur was stabbed route to Sloux City. Mrs. Denshass and her daughter, Ethel, aged 25, were in- serious, but he is expected to recover. stantiy killed and Mr. Dennhass and Glur is a senior in the Columbus High daughter, Hazel, seriously injured, the school. .

latter suffering a fractured skull. The family had been visiting relatives at Lyons and were en route from there to Sloux City to take a train for their home at Lake Park, Is.

Dead at Age of 81

(From a Staff Correspondent.) DEB MOINES, July 7 .- (Special Teleg am.)-Mrs. James B. Weaver, widow of the late General Weaver, died here today at the home of her daughter at the

age of \$1. Her husband died about a year ago. Mrs. Weaver was one of the surly champions of woman suffrage in this state and had been prominent in temperance and church work.

Governor Clark

nued improvement.

Charges Against **Frisco Officials** WASHINGTON. July 7 .- Eugene J.

Sullivan of San Francisco, president of the place to some local man. the Sierra Blue Laks Water and Power of Hetch Hetchy project for supplying or at least that is what railroad men San s'rancisco with water.

Contending that there was a supply of the Union Pacific felt the necessity of 350,000,000 gallons daily available from the having a man at the head of the traffic Mokelumne river, a tributary of the San department who would be able to do Joaquin sufficient for San Francisco's needs for a century, Mr. Sullivan charged and getting the big things. that a "coterie of political engineers de-

ceived Mayor Phelan, the army advisory board and the public lands commission" and that C. E. Grunsky, an engineer, and large holdings in the Illinois Central and 'false reports." Representative Decker of Missouri it is said that Winchell is the man who had been dragged nearly all day.

olned with Chairman Ferris in trying | can do it. to get from the witness the exact nature

of the faisifications he charged, but he locuments.

Sullivan charged that a report by Assistant City Engineer Bartel was 'suppressed" by City Engineer Manson by failing to furnish it to the army board. Thirty years ago, when Utt was sen-

High School Senior COLUMBUS, Neb., July 7 .- (Special

Telegram.)-Jake Glur, jr., was the vic- New York Central and Winchell occupied tim of a stabbing affray here last night a similar position with the Fort Scott, and John and Lewis Criss, his alleged Kansas City & Memphis road. They assailants, are in jail, the former here frequently met at rate meetings. and the latter at Grand Island. The troueight times in th back and four times in his hands and face. His condition is

Four Are Fatally Burned by Blaze

PEORIA, Ill., July 7 .- Fire broke out but now owned by Farmers' Department Island officials are sure that the switch husband. largest in the world, this afternoon.

Four men employed in watch house just outside the rear of the building minedly for the culprits. chances for recovery are slight.

destruction of the plant. **Twister Wrecks**



is Resting Well Telegram.)-Late last evening a small twister passed through the north part of town. The grand stand at the ball

park was wrected and the power house DES MOINES, July 7 .- Governor George at the water works lost part of its roof W. Clarke was reported at noon to be Small buildings were moved from their Aaron Steffy and James Moore, foremon, resting usually at the Methodist hospital, foundations and trees twisted off. No were burned to death. Steffy's body was with indications favorable for his con- rain accompanied the storm. Earlier in

the day the temperature reached 104.

railroad men of the city. The vacancy a tramp ransoked the house. After rehad existed since Mr. Spence went to the turning home Mr. Keely sent his Southern Pacific several weeks ago, and, daughter on horneback to drive the cows while no promises had been made, it was to the barn.

believed that Judge Lovett and the mambers of the executive board would give

canyon the little girl dismounted to get it. She was confronted by the man, and Union Pacific men refuse to discuss he covered her with a revolver, comcompany, before the house public lands the appointment. Those of other roads committee today made the charges of say that it is one of those things that "chicanery" suppression of a report and cannot be explained, or accounted for. political bias of engineers in the interest It is known that Winchell is a diplomal, the package.

> say, and that the head management of the family jewelry.

some harmonising, as well as going after

Within the last year or so, Union Pacific has secured practically a controlling interest in the Baltimore & Ohio and

former City Engineer Manson made the Alton. The interests in these corporations all have to be harmonized and

Two men in Omaha who are personally acquainted with Mr. Winchell both derested upon the general assertion and clare that while he is one of the brightest asked time to make citations from and most thorough railroad men in the

country, he is one of the most genial. Winchell and John Utt, general agent depth. of the Rock Island, have been personal friends for more than thirty years.

eral agent of the old Atchison & Lincoln. with headquarters at Atchison, Winchell was his clerk.

Stabbed by Two Men of the Union Pacific, has known Win-Gerrit Fort, passenger traffic manager hell for nearly thirty years. Twanty-six

years ago Fort was a rate clerk with the



TABOR, Is., July 7 .- (Special.)-A fire ions of several thousand dollars was desperado. sustained here early this morning by

John Barbour's dry goods and millinery at Elimirs last evening through running

in the Clarke & Co. distillery, one of the Store association. As the fire started was opened either by vandals or by in a pile of boxes and cosl oil barrels train-wreckers, and are hunting deter-

No. 1 were fatally burned as the result just after an electric and rain storm, it of an explosion caused by the bursting is thought it was started from lightning. flag at Sloux Falls, and departed for drinking, but was not drunk at the time of an incandement light bulb over a mix- A barrel of oil exploded, thereby giv- Cedar Rapids with it. He was arrested he did the shooting, and in killing his ing tube. Hospital physicians any their ing the alarm to those nearby. The fire and brought back here for hearing be- wife he came very near ending the life spread through a basement window to fore Justice J. H. Herring. Fire cause by the explosion threatened the interior of the building, burning a I. P. Peckenpaugh, an aged man of Miss Vers, who were sitting on the parch

going further. Both stocks and build- City, and lay there for several hours. He slipped up from behind the house ing were insured. Mrs. Prescott secured her

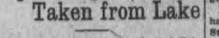


OLNEY, IR., July 7 .- A huge tank conaining molten glass burst at the Oincy bottle company's plant yesterday and incinerated benauth many tons of glass. Moore died three hours later.

manding her to drop the package. The little girl screened herself behind the horse and made her escape, clinging to The bundle contained a watch and all

When she saw a package in a small

Ralph Craig's Body



KEARNEY, Neb., July 7 .- (Special Telegram.)-The body of Ralph Craig, 8 years old, was recovered from Lake tion, so no quarrels, no mixing politic Kearney this afternoon after the lake

The lad left home yesterday evening with a group of older boys to go swim-When he did not come home ming. search was made and clothes were found at the lake. It not known whether he fell in or whether he got beyond his

WAVE OF CRIME SWEEPS OVER JOHNSON COUNTY

IOWA CITY, Is., July 7 .- (Special)-A wave of crime has swept over Johnson county since July 4 and various offenses, from joy-riding to attempted murder have kept the local officials busy with Railroad company. The decree was arrests and preliminary hearings. entered at a special session of the district William Moser, a local barber, broke court. into the ticket office at Morse on July

4, was arrested there, and sent to the Solon jail in charge of Special Officer H. P. Myers of the Bock Island. While

being searched by Myers in the solitary confinement cell he attacked the officer. striking him over the head with a heavy water pitcher, Myers, although partly stunned, saved his life by drawing his

revolver and firing repeatedly at the A passenger train on the Eimira

the Farmers' department store and branch of the Rock Island was wrecked

Richard Stretthorn tore down a big

nois in the stairway and landing, but North Branch, was knocked into the of the Bradley cottage, when Prescott was extinguished by firemen before ditch by unknown joy riders near lows opened fire from one side of the porch.

neighboring farmers. The National Capital

Monday, July 7, 1913.

The Senate. Lobby investigation resumed. Democratic caucus considered unit rule.

The Stoney. Not in session; mets Wednesday, Public lands committee heid hearing on setch-helchy water project

of the national convention of cleaners and dyers in the afternoon. The first the country, with which the Kuhns are meeting began at 3 o'clock with an address of welcome by Mayor Dahlman.

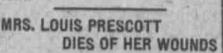
The Auditorium is nearly filled with the United States. samples and working models of things used by cleaners and dyers. Washtubs, dyes, soaps, steam pressers and all sorts partment over the character of the banks of modern machinery used in that line are on display.

Nearly 200 delegates have already registered for the convention at the Auditorium. President C. V. Higby, president of the Nebraska Cleaners and Dyers association, and W. H. Morgens of St. Louis, president of the national organization, were among the first on the grounds.

Highy gave the proceedings into the nands of Morgens yesterday and the St. Louisan will preside at the sessions. The cleaners and dyers have no great problems to solve at the present convenor campaigning are expected.

Union Pacific Decree Entered

SALT LAKE CITY. July 7 .- The decree of the United States circuit court judges, sitting as the district court of Utah, dissolving the Union Pacific-Southern Pacific merger, was entered of record in the United States district court here today. The way is now open for the trustee appointed by the court to carry out the disposition of the \$125,000,000 Bouthern Pacific stock owned by the Union Pacific



MASON CITY, In., July &- (Special.)-Louis Prescott is a murderer without showing any evidence of regret or remorse. Mrs. Cora Prescott, who was his wife until December, last, when by a

decroe from the couris they were soparated, died at the Phillips hospital at Clear Lake at 6 o'clock Sunday mornstore. Both are in the big brick block into an open switch. No one was injured, log from gaushot wounds inflicted from known generally as the Barbour block, as the train was moving slowly. Rock a revolver in the hands of her fermer

> Prescott has given no reason for shooting her and has expressed no signs of

regret over what he did, neither are there any signs of insanity. He had been

of M. M. Bradley and his daughter, divorce on the grounds of cruel and inuman treatment, after living with him for twenty-six years. She was 41 years

of age and reared two daughters. She was highly connected in this city and was a woman of high ideals and was greatly estemmed.

Prescott first denied that he did the hooting, but there were so many witnesses to the transaction that when brought before Justice Ralph Stanbery he admitted his guilt, but expressed no

regrot.

The First-Second National bank is a ecent consolidation of the First and Secnd National banks of Pittsburgh and has deposits of more than \$30,000,000.

The suspension of the institution preipitated a run on the Pittaburgh Bank for Savings, of which J. S. Kuhn is president.

Attorneys this afternoon appeared be-

fore Judge C. P. Orr in the federal court

and asked for receivers for the American

Water Works and Guarantee company

and also for the firm of J. S. and W. S.

Kuhn, incorporated. For the former

these were appointed: J. S. Kuhn, W. S.

Kuhn, J. H. Purdy, general manager of

the company, and Samuel Bailey, fr., a

J. K. Duff, who is treasurer of the com

pany. Bonds of \$50,000 were ordered filed

J. S. and W. S. Kuhn, incorporated bank-

ers, known as the Kuhn interests, are in-

corporated in Delaware with a capital

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Why bother about going sway?

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cut and dry statements.

suggestions.

Why Bother

About It?

For the Kuhn company was appointed

ank official of this city.

for each receiver.

Receiver for Water Combine