ITALY IS FRAMING WAR DECLARATION

Cabinet at Rome Reported to Be Discussing Phraseology of the Proclamation.

PASSPORTS READY FOR ENVOY

PARIS, May 2-The announcement that Italy has declared war against Austria-Hungary is awaited hourly in Paris, but up to 5 o'clock this afternoon ne definite news to this end has been recelved.

The Italian cabinet is still reported to be discussing the phraseology of the declaration of war. It has been in session with this idea in view since 10:30 o'clock this morning.

It is understood that the passports of Baron von Macchio, the Austria-Hunsarian ambassador to Italy, are all ready for delivery to him. In Paris it is be lieved they will be handed to the am bassador before the day is over.

The Havas agency's correspondent at Rome telegraphs that King Victor Emanuel signed a decree ordering a general mobilization of the country's forces on land and sea.

Diplomats Go Home. BOME. May 22 -(Via Paris)-Inasmuch as King Victor Emmanuel has sanctioned the bill conferring upon the government extraordinary powers in case Italy goes to war, it is generally expected in Rome today that the duke of Avaroa, the Italian ambassador to Austria-Hungary, will leave Vienna tonight. It is also thought that Baron Von Macchio, the ambassador here of Austria-Hungary; will go away this evening. Baron Von. Macchio was received by Foreign Minister Sonnino this afternoon. It is supposed that he asked for his passports to return

The council of ministers is in confer ence today engaged in formulating the declaration of war. It is also engaged in perfecting measures of mobilization to be adopted the moment war is declared.

Anatria Interning Italians. UDINE, Italy, May 22-(Via Rome and Pure)-The expulsions of Italians from Triest, Pola, Goriza and Gradisca contique by the thousand. None of these persons, however, is permitted to enter Italy: they are all being loaded into freight trains and sent to the interior of Austria or Hungary.

These forced removals are resulting in much distress. A local newspaper publishes the names of several hundred Ital-ians who have been thus interned.

VERDICT OF JURY

(Continued from Page One.) The question put to the jury was whether

machine government or government by the people should prevail, and the latter valled. The article in the suit held by the court to be libelous in

"First-Because it charged a corrupt tical alliance between William Barnes, the republican leader of the state, and Charles F. Murphy, the democratic leader of the state, in relation to the

ness and crooked politics. The jury was further instructed that it must render a argument and said, "You do not need home. The murderer probably entered to argue this case any farther, as far through the front door, which was open found that the defendant established to its satisfaction by a fair preponderance of evidence that both charges were true. It is an autisfed that the claims should be allowed," and suggested that the court door is equipped with a spring lock. This burden was successfully borne by inight have made a mistake in allowing which secured it automatically.

Mr. Rooseveit. thing in the bouse was taken.

"It is impossible to determine at this time the far-reaching extent of this verdict for good government. The verdict certainly assures us that

the Anglo-Saxon system of determining squestions between litigents is rightly both sides the courtesy of reading the briefs."

holding political views opposed to those held by a party will not be ewayed thereby in determining the questions submitted to them."

The foreman of the jury, in a statement

refusing to change his vote until this

"Except for Mr. Burns, the jurars who voted for the plaintiff on the first ballot did so, they said, because they did not want it to appear that they gave insufficient consideration to the great mass of evidence that was presented during those live long weeks. We are all very fired. I assure you."

DEATH RECORD.

Two Funerals at Harvard. HAVARD, Neb., May 22.-(Special.)-

lidward H. Fifield, who had his arm amputated at Eldorado on Monday afternoon, died Wednesday night and was buried in Harvard cemetery on Thursday afternoon. He carried insurance in both the Ancinent Order of United Workmen and Modern Woodmen of America. The body of Rev. J. L. Lewer, who died at Limon, Colo., Tuesday, reached services were held yesterday afternoon at the Congregational church, Rev. J. A. Rousey of the Methodist church preaching the sermon. Deceased was born in 183, and had lived an active and useful life. He had attained the degrees of M. A., A. B. and D. D. Monuments to his energy in ministerial work may be found in Indiana, Ohio, Nebraska and Colo-

etery, by the side of his wife, who illed two years ago, last February. Mrs. Rebecca Barnhart. TABLE ROCK, Neb., May 22—(Special.) Funeral services were held here at 10 m., Friday, at the Methodist Epiacopal hurch, for Mrs, Rebecca Barnhart, who sied Tuesday morains at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Stewart, Iz. Table Rock. Mrs. Barnhart was born 1, 1823, in Pennsylvania. She went to Ohio ag an enriy age, and to Nebroska in 1890. Her husband died in 1995. She is survived by nine children,

rado. Interment was made in Harvard

tour daughters and five sons.. She had been practically helpless for four or five SCHUYLER, Neb. May 21-(Special) Richard Henry, an old resident and extensive tand owner in Colfax county. Her bist hight. Mr. Henry is the father of Benator J. R. Henry and F. J. Henry,

ADA SWANSON, the murderer's victim. This photograph is supposed to be the last taken and possibly only recent likeness.



who was a member of the legislature i 1910 and 1911.

Rev. P. P. Thisted.

FREMONT. Neb., May 22 -- (Special.)-Rev. P. P. Thisted, formerly pastor of the Danish Lutheran churches at Staplehurst and Wisner, died at his home in New Lieben, Wis., where he had been located fora number of years since leavwell known among the Danish people of this vicinity, where he was prominent in willbe taken to Wisner for burial.

Major M. L. Pembleton. YORK, Neb., May 22.-(Special.)-Major M. L. Pembleton died at the family home, bet West Fifth street, at 1:30 yesterday morning. He was born September 7, 1848. He enlisted in Company A, One Hundred and fourth Pennsylvania volunteer regiment, in 1863. He same to Nebraska and located at Wahoo in 1878. In 1889 he came to York, where he had since resided. His reputation as a drummer was more the

IS FOR ROOSEVELT Supreme Judges Upon Bench Have Little Sensation

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Max 32 - (Special Telgram.)-Judge Pawcett, of the supreme had peceived no respon ourt, was subject to criticism by one of his colleagues yesterday, and after-wards, by Semator E. J. Burkett, who of his colleagues yesterday, and afterwards, by Semator E. J. Burkett, who was arguing a case before the court microscopic tests were accomplished, despectively. Jesus arguing a case before the court microscopic tests were accomplished, despectively. Jesus microscopic tests were accomplished. state government. (This, the judge held. Mr. Burkett was defending Mrs. Jessie clared also that in his opinion, the was the meaning and purport of the ar-Mr. Burkett was defending Mrs. Jessie was the meaning and purport of the article taken as a whole.)

"Second-Because the article charged proceedings, and argument in favor of that the plaintiff had worked through a payment of said fees, had been argued by the attorneys."

"I am at a loss to know the motive for the crime," declared Mr. Bykes. "All of the coors of the house, and argument of said fees, had been argued by the attorneys."

"I would like to have the attorneys

casm, remarked, "I had assumed that the as a domestic for eight months. During court would not pronounce judgment, that time, we knew that she was a without at least giving the attorneys on straight honest girl. She never went out

The episods created something of a small sensation at the time, but was kept quiet until today. Judge Fawcett and written the opinion of the court two years ago, when Mrs. Bolton was

"After the first ballot we stood eleven Sea Beating Ship to

MARSHFIELD, Ore., May 22-The freight steamer Claremont went ashore off Coos bay jetty and tonight was beon board and with little hope of their being rescued. Later reports said the been working at the Sykes residence since crew had sought rescue on the forecastle last October, prior to which time her

FATHER CWIKLINSKI DIES NEAR TECUMSEH

TECUMSEH, Nob., May El-(Special Telegram.)- Rev. Charles Cwiklinski, rec tor of St. Mary's Catholic church at St. Mary, this county, died today, He had been in failing health for three of a man, was arrested this afternoon years, and had taken trips to the south at College View, and is now in the county for relief, but to no avail.

Father Cwiklinski was born in Poland, January 3, 1877, and came to the United office in that town and called for a letthis city Thursday evening. Funeral States in his youth, settling for a time at Buffalo, N. Y. Fifteen years ago, he came west and entered the diocese of Lincoln, being stationed at St. Mary. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at St. Mary, and will be attended by many priests. The sermon in English will be by Bishop Tihen of Lincoln, and in the Polish language, Father John Crdezinski of Kansas City.

Burial will be at St. Mary. Apartments, flats, houses and cottages tion, instead of merely a majority on can be rented quickly and cheaply by a the license issue. The petition carries Bee "For Rent" Ad.

HATCHET MURDER OF SERVANT GIRL STILL MYSTERY

(Continued from Page One.)

to leave at I o'clock in the afternoon ! order to keep a 3 o'clock appointmen with Dr. Ransom, a dentist. The appointment was not kept. She was fully clothed in a street gown, apparently ready to leave the house, when attacked though she wore no hat.

About the house could be found no ign of a struggle or other violence. Investigation tends to indicate that the girl might have been taken unawares and choked into silence while upstairs, and then carried into the coal bin in the cellar, where the murder occurred.

Mrs. Sykes Makes Discovery. Presbyterian church circles, returned from a sewing circle meeting about i o'clock, and after attending to her flowers, outside, unlocked the front door and

like noted the absence of the domestic but did not think it strange. When Mr. Sykes came home from his office shortly after 6 o'clock, and the girl was still missing, Mrs. Sykes prepared the evening meal herself. During the meal Miss Swanson's tardiness was discussed. It was the first time she had ever failed to reach an agreement concerning the ment-

Mr. Hykes is assistant to General Man ager Ware of the Union Pacific. It was at 7:15 o'clock that Mes. Sykes suddenly thought the girl might possibly have fallen down the cellar steps With some nalegivings, she lighted the

cilar lights, and went down. A pool of blood greeted her eyes and she cried out and swooned. Mr. Sykes door, from whence emanated the stream nessed the demonstration. of blood, and disclosed the body. It had apparently been lifeless for sev-

The hatchet with which the crime was committed has been in the Sykes cellar for some time. It was found nearby. No Clue is Found.

Police canvans of the neighborhood sons leaving the Sykes home. Captain Dempsey and Chief of Detectives Maloney church work for several years. The body kept a squad of police and detectives at work all night running to earth possible clues, but at 3 o'clock nothing new was brought to light.

Half a dozen young men acquaintances of the girl were brought to headquarters and questioned, but each was released in turn, the authorities being satisfied they knew nothing of the affair.

The accepted theory is that a moral pervert murdered Miss Swanson, The girl's limbs, which were protected by a thin pair of lisie hose, were each marked by the bloody imprint of a man's hand, made through the fabric of the stocking.

Her rings and other articles of jewelry worth about \$30, were undisturbed, and examination of the torso with the naked eye seems to show that a violation had

The dead girl's sister, Mrs. Elva Olsen, wife of Fritz Olsen, a carpenter living at The Dawes County Historical society. phoned to the girl about 1 p. m., but was organized yesterday with Mrs.

Work of Moral Pervert.

"I am at a loss to know the The Bo motive for the crime," declared Mr. Boosters. Justice Fawnett spoke up during the closed and locked when Mrs. Sykes came thing in the house was taken. In fact, nothing even was disturbed.

"Ada was a straight, honest girl. She had only been in this country about Benator Burkett, with a touch of sar- three years, and had been in our employ nights, save in company beyond re-

Mrs. Sykes, who made the discovery was so upset that she insisted upon remaining overnight at the home of a neighbor, and accordingly, after the authorities completed their investigation there, the house was closed up.

Stater and Brother Here. Besides the stater, Mrs. Olsen, the victim is survived by another sister living Pieces; Cre wAboard at Gothenburg, Neb., and a prother Carl ty-third and California streets. The girl was born in Sweden and had been in America only three years. She spoke broken English, was quite pretty and is ing pounded to pieces, with its crew still said to have been very popular with young men of her nationality. She had and that the hull of the boat had burst stater, Elva, worked there before getting

OKLAHOMA COWBOY CHARGED WITH MURDER IS CAUGHT

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, May 22 .- (Special Telegram.) "Billy" Rurd, an Oklahoma cowboy, wanted in Osage county to rthe murder jail awaiting word from Oklahoma.' He was caught when he went to the postter from a woman, who had written him

DEADWOOD VOTERS WOULD REFER LAW TO PEOPLE

PIERRE! S. D., May 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-The first referendum petition to carry an act of the last legislature to the people came in from Deadwood this morning on H. B. 86, which requires saloons, in order to get licenses to get a majority of all votes cast at the elecover 6,000 names,

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Find the Fiend

The frightful murder of a defense- Union Will Not Raise Fund to Sat less servant girl in an Omaha home calls for unsparing effort to find the fiend.

So far as information at hand goes the dastardly deed was not only unprovoked, but could have been perpetrated by none but a deep-dyed villain or a crazy degenerate.

identified and apprehended and Hatters union. brought to account.

Let the appalling nature of the crime spur the police on to work been attached to satisfy the judgment. out the detection.

KING OF ITALY SIGNS WAR BILL PASSED FRIDAY

(Continued from Page One.) through Italy and Austria being unable demands Italy has made upon Austria.

When the vote, which virtually assures Italy's entry into the war, was announced, there was a great demonstration of enthusiasm inside the senate of the weekly earnings of the members chamber-shouts of "Long live Italy," intermingled with the cheering and handclapping of the senators, the ministers, army and navy officers and the people in the galleries. King Victor Emmanuel ran downstairs and opened the coal-bin and members of the royal household wit-

Speech of Mayor. Prince Colonna, the mayor of Rome, had been chosen to present the bill to the senate, and his speech was frequently interrupted by applause. The mayor said he was proud to address the senate on an occasion so momentous for the country and for civilization. In the name ing Wisner. Rev. Mr Thistel was quite failed to develop any description of per- of the people he asked the king and the Parliament of the country to make a just war, in order to deliver their oppressed brothers. The bill was referred to a committee.

Meanwhile the senate took a recess. When the senate again convened the committee reported the bill favorably and it passed almost unanimously,

Auditor Receives Valuable Bonds. (From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, May 21.-(Special.)-The state auditor received this morning for registration \$140,000 viaduct refunding bonds from South Omaha. They were originally given for the construction of a viaduct and for sewerage in that city. They draw 5 per cent interest.

Another issue of \$5,000 school district bonds of Dodge county was received, issued for the school district of Nickerson.

Historical Society Organized. CHADRON, Neb., May 22.-(Special.)auxiliary to the State Historical society, Frances M. B. O'Linn, president and historian; Laura C. Clay, secretary; J. Rass, treasurer. Dawes county was organized

HATTERS WON'T PAY MONEY

isfy Judgment, but Will Reimburse Members.

RESOLUTION THUS IS ADOPTED

NEW YORK, May 21 - The United Hatters of North America, in convention here, today voted not to raise a fund to satisfy the \$25,000 judgment affirmed In either case, it is imperative by the United States supreme court to that the murderer be speedily Loews & Co., hat manufacturers of Danbury, Conn., against members of the

The hatters voted, however, to raise fund for the relief of the individuals whose homes and bank accounts have This determination was volced in the following resolution adopted in executive

"The United Hatters of North America, deny the statement of D. F. Loewe & and the attorneys for the anti-boycott society, that this organization has agreed with any one to pay the judgment in this case, and hereby declares it to be our purpose not to apply any of the funds of the organization or any funds for the relief of our members, to the payment or satisfaction of this judg-

"But this organization pledges its assistance to the members affected by said judgment and resolves further that an assessment of 1 per centum on the dollar of this organization, on and after July ! be, and the same is hereby assessed and levied, to be collected as other assess ments are collected, and the money realized therefrom shall constitute a fund to be used and employed by the officers they may deem best for the relief and benefit of said members affected by said judgment, and,

"Resolved, Further, that the officers and directors of this organization be and are hereby authorized and directed to appeal to the American Federation of Labor and to labor and other organizations for assistance and contributions to the said sum for the aforesaid."

In preambles to the resolution the hatters asserted that it was not known until the decision of the supreme court in this case, whether the Sherman law was intended to apply to labor organizations, and that the defendants, "though held legally wrong in the opinion of this organization, were guilty of no moral points."

Alpha Cmicron Pi, Helen Ayres, aDvid City.

Alpha Xi Delta, Helen Sorenson, Omaha; Euphrosyne Planck, Medicine; Edith Youngblut, Lincoln, Delta Delta, Gladys Klocke, Sanization, were guilty of no moral Delta. the decision of the supreme court in this legally wrong in the opinion of this or-ganization, were guilty of no moral Dodge. wrong.

The preambles also set forth that it was reasonable and proper that the hatters' organization should relieve in as far as possible the distress of the members affected by the judgments and make comfortably their declining years.

News Notes of Geneva. GENEVA. Neb., May 22.-(Special.)-

so many cases of measles. The Bee Want Ada are Best Business Vaugh first grade and Miss Otive Dilger Ars. Zeigier and himself prior to their summer membership plan. Then for kindergarten teacher.

ITALY'S MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS. who will have charge of war relations with the United States and other neutrals.



TALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER

YOUNG OMAHA WOMAN PLEDGED BY SORORITY

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, May 21 .- (Special Telegram.) Only one Omaha girl was among a list of severity pledges announced today, as

News Notes of Columbus. COLUMBUS, Neb., May 22-(Special.)-Henry Kohl and Clarence Kohl, aged 19 and 21 years, waived prelimin by bearing before County Judge Ratterms and were

ommitted to the county jail.

having some cashed. D. R. Kuns was elected principal of the The supreme court of Nebraska af member of the School Masters' club. high school for the coming year. Super- firmed the judgment of the district court has served as a member of the executive intendent Meyer, Miss Pratt, Miss Kauff- of Platte county in the case of Bessie committee of the State Teachers' assominn, Miss Burch and Miss Draper are to Lucey against the Charles Zeisler estate, ciation for six years and appointed by teach in the high school, with Miss Carrie The case was one in which has Lacey Governor Morehead to represent the Third Sauer eighth grade, Miss Dora Fricke sued for the Zeigler property in the city congressional district as a member of seventh grade, Miss Pearl Swalls sixth of Columbus, valued at \$5.000, on the grade, Miss Eva Huston fifth grade, Miss grounds that Mr. Zeigler had promised to report to the state legislature. Emma Jumberland fourth grade, Miss to bequeath that amount to her in return Emma McGraw second grade, Miss Eva for the care and service she had given

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CONFERENCES Informal and Unofficial Parleys of U. S. and British Diplomats

Over Shipping Off. DUE TO MISUNDERSTANDING

SUSPENDED

WASHINGTON, May 22.-The Informal and unofficial conferences between the commercial adviser of the British embassy and the State department trade advisers, to expedite handling of American cargoes, were suspended today by the State department because of the apparent misapprehension in London, of how far they bind the United States government.

The suspension of the conferences was announced by the department in the fol-

lowing official statement: "In view of differences which have arisen in the informal and unofficial conference between Sir Richard Crawford, the commercial advisor of the British embassy, and Robert F. Rose and W. B. Fleming, the trade advisers of the Department of State, who have been in a personal capacity representing the importers of the United States, Mr. Rose and Mr. Fleming have decided that they cannot continue these conferences until certain differences have been removed and they have therefore made a full report of what has taken place to the Department of State and will await its

Sir Cecil Spring Rice, the British ambassador, called on Secretary Bryan earlier in the day and explained that the British embassy here had the same understanding as the foreign trade advisers of the State department that the informal arrangements to assist the American cotton interests did not affect the tegal right of the United States in its opposition to the British order in council.

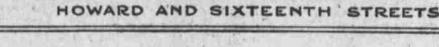
The ambassador brought with him a copy of the statement he issued last night, which suggested that there had been either a error in the telegraphic transmission of the British foreign office memorandum, or the impression obtained by British officials in London from their conferences with American representatives.

The United States will make inquiry of the American embassy at London to establish whether British officials there have any idea, as stated in the foreign offices memorandum, that the United States was bound by the arrangements ade by cotton interests. Ambassador Page would be instructed, it was said, to correct any misapprehension on

Superintendent Arnot Resigns. SCHUYLER, Neb., May 22.-(Special.) both bound over to the district court and Charles Arnot, who has held the position of superintendent of the Schuyler Sheriff Mark Burke returned from schools for the last eight years, has ten-Presho, S. D., where he arrested Clarence dered his resignation, which was ac-Kohl. Henry, the younger brother, was cepted, to take effect at the close of the Commencement exercises will be Friday arrested in Platte county about two weeks current school year. Mr. Arnot came evening, June 4, school closing a week ago. The brothers are charged with to Schuyler from Fremont, where he held later this spring on account of the week writing checks and signing the names of the position of county superintendent of when there was no school, there being various men to same, and succeeding in Dodge county. He will become cashler of a bank at Scribner. Mr. Arnot is a

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