### THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Oregon holds her election on June 2. William Boots, a picceer race horse ruiser of California, is dead, age ...

There are thirty-four millionaires in Mr. Carnegie's new steel company. Middle-of-the-road populists of Tennessee decided to send delegates to Cincinnati.

The Earl of Lansboro is dead. He was born in 1834 and was vice aumiral of the Yorkshire coast.

The Buffalo Express suggests Dewey & Son as the presidential ticket. And Mrs. Dewey for speaker!

Dr. E. S. Sheldon, a well known Kansan, formerly a state senator, has died at Topeka of heart trouble.

Oscar will visit the Paris exposition before the end of the month.

The Illinois supreme court has handed down an opinion that the advertising flag law is unconstitutional.

On account of poor crops in Chili it is expected that that country will import wheat from California tals year. The telegraph operators on the Atlantic and Danville division of the Southern railway are out on a strike.

Advees from Hermosillo, Sonora, Mexico, say Governor Luis Torres has settled the Yayui trouble in his state. At Canon City, Colo., the damage to the fruit trees from the late neavy storm and frosts is estimated at \$500,-

General John C. Gilmore, adjutant general at the headquarters of the army, is seriously ill at Washington,

A beet sugar factory has been instituted at Santiago de Chili, being the first concern of the kind ever established in that country.

Commodore Cowie, U. S. N., has sailed for the Philippines on the steamer Doric to take charge of the machine shops at the Cavite navy yards.

Miss Lillian Blakesless of Cory, Pa., who has been under medical treatment a collar button the other day, and is Filipinos. rapidly recovering.

The Alameda, Cal., board of educaemployment as teachers in the public schools of any persons who are auticted with tuberculosis.

been elected to the board of directors to endeavor to persuade his former of the Trust Company of America. He takes the place of J. William Clark, who recently resigned.

The Rev. Ora Squire, father of ex-United States Senator W. C. Squire, of Seattle, Wash., is dead at the home of | lards in that district. Recently the his daughter, Mrs. ... S. Joslin, in Filipinos destroyed several rods of the Greencastle, Ind. He was 93 years old.

At a secret session of fifty bishops of the Protestant Episcopal church, held at New York, the resignation of Bishop Henry Jackson, former coadjutor bishop or the diocese of Alabama, was accepted.

stock commission man of St. Joseph, a total profit for the year of \$5,479,130. Mo., and brother of Colonel John Donovan, general manager of the St. Joseph stock yards, is dangerously ill with rheumatism of the heart.

General John Eaton, for seven years president of the American Society of an addition to the surplus account was Religious Education, has resigned that office and Justce John M. Harlan o. the United States supreme court has been | carried forward from last year of \$2,elected to succeed him.

M as Jennie O'Neill Potter, the wellknown elocutionist, died at St. Luke's hospital in New York city. Miss Potter since last December has been an inmate of St. Luke's, suffering from can-

the Women's Baptist Foreign Mission- is the second woman who has ever atary Society came to an end at Sloux | tempted to end her life in this way. On Falls, S. D. Mrs. J. c. bcott, of Evan- | September 6, 1895, a Mrs. McArthur ston, III., was elected president, state | jumped from the bridge and was but vice presidents were also elected and a legislative board of eight.

Judge Adams, of the United States circuit court, made an important ruling at St. Louis relative to tesumony aken in depositions before notaries public. He held that a witness could not be compelled to test... y in such proceedings, unless the legal issues had already been formulated. Where a suit is merely pending and the evidence has not been submitted to the court, a wit-Less without being in contempt could refuse to answer any question pro- General Rivera will probably resign

the resignation of the court of claims appointed through ackinley to award as it is recognized that General Rivera judgments for the Chnatown fire losses.

The president's recommendation as retaries of agriculture will not affect to the installation of officers in Porto Rico, as embodied in the message, with be promptly acted upon by the house committee on insular affairs.

Daniel Fultz, a pioneer Summer county, Knnsas, farmer, living near Udall, was killed by a deborned buil while trying to halter the animal.

Veterinary Surgeon J. C. Hamilton formerly of Chicago, dropped dead at Shelbyville, Ind. He was unmarried and 50 years of age.

Persia is in danger of a famine, owing to the failure of the crops. has voted 2,000,000 kroper for ammunition and rifles, 12,000,000 for new field artillery, 320,000 for the volunter rine | strued by the Nebraska courts as a diassociation and agreed to increase the

1,725,000 kroner. Great Britain offers to arbitrate for Chile and Venezuela.

An anarchist plot was discovered at Ancona, a city and free port of central Italy on the Adriatic. The police seized a number of letters from Paris and America, and arrested the recipients of these missives.

A cablegram was received at the war

department from Governor General Wood stating toat the Cuban elections will be held June 16.

Miss Jennie Davis, employed in the treasury department at Washington and home on a vacation, committed suicide by drinking poison at Kewanee, III. Despondency was the cause. A company has been organized in

Austin, Texas, to build airsnips. The navy department has secured a 5,000 ton steamer to carry the wheat and oats food supplies collected by charitable organizations in New York to plague and famine sufferers in In-

A prediction is made that Chicago will have 2,000,000 people recorded in

the coming census. Le Journal announces the arrival in Paris on the 19th of James Francis Smith, the American district telegraph boy, who is bearing to President Kruger a message of sympathy from Philadelphia and New York schools boys.

# THE NORTHWESTERN. IN AND ABOUT MANILIA

The Filipinos Lose Over a Thousand Men in Seven Days-

BANDS OF INSURGENTS ARE ACTIVE

Loss on American Side is Only Slight-Pilar Engages Garrison at San Miguel-Thirty-Fifth Infantry Gets Three Hours of Night Fighting.

MANILA, April 23.-Last week has been one of the bloodiest of the war since the first day's fighting around Manila. Authentic reports, mostly official, show a total of 378 Filipinos killed, twelve officers and 244 men captured and many more wounded. The number wounded is hardly guessable, as a great majority of It is officially announced that King the wounded will die. Probably the week's work finished 1,444 insurgents. The Americans' loss was nine killed and sixteen wounded. Two sergeants and one private were killed in ambush and

while escorting provision trains. The insurgents have been aggressive in almost every province of Luzon. Geenral Pio del Pilar's band, numbering 300, which was out of sight for three months, the leader being reported killed, has reappeared in its old field about San Miguel.

Pilar is supposed to be again in command. He gave the American garrison at San Miguel, consisting of three companies of the Thirty-fifth infantry, with a gatling, a three hours' fight, during a night attack. The loss of the insurgents in this engagement is not included in the foregoing total, as they removed their dead and wounded, but presumably considerable.

Twenty Filipinos in the province of Satanges attacked Lieutenant Wende, who, with eight men, were scouting near San Jose. The lieutenant and five men were wounded and one private

Sergeant Ledous of the Thirty-fifth infantry, with seventy men, had a five hours' fight with 400 insurgents in the Neuva Caceras district. Twenty of the insurgents were killed.

Colonel Smith of the Seventeenth infantry, who captured General Montenegro, and brought him to Manila, is in the isolation hospital, suffering from for years for consumption, coughed up | smallpox, presumably caught from the

Colonel Smith's command captured 180 officers and men with Montenegro. The officers were brought to Manila. tion has adopted a rule forbidding the Montenegro, one of the dapper officers in the Filipino army. haggard. He says he led a terrible life for months, and he has offered to re-William A. Clark of Montana has turn to the north with Colonel Smith, comrades of the uselessness of opposing

the Americans. One hundred escaped Spanish prisoners from the province of Tayabas, South Luzon, have arrived at Manila.

The insurgents have 400 more Spanrailroad line near Paniquo, in an unsuccessful attempt to wreck a train.

Big Money in Electricity. NEW YORK, April 23.-The annual report of the General Electric company issued today shows gross receipts for the year ending January 31, 1900, of Charles T. Donovan, a prominent live \$23,248,170. Of this amount there was The sum of \$1,282670 was absorbed in paying dividends on preferred and common stock and interest on outstanding debentures, the patent account was reduced by \$2,000,000 and | gress made of \$2,196,459. This leaves a present surplus with a balance of \$156,570

Jumped From the Brooklyn Bridge. NEW YORK, April 23.-Miss Marie Dinse of this city jumped, from the Brooklyn bridge without serious injuries. Many men have made this leap cer. Her body will be taken to Wiscon- into the waters of the East river since the bridge has been completed. Most The twentieth annual convention of of them have perished, but Miss Dinse slightly injured. She was discharged when arraigned in a police court. On August 30 of the same year Mrs. Mc-Arthur made a second attempt to jump

but was stopped by the bridge police. General Rivera to Resign. HAVANA, April 23 .- General Rius Rivera, secretary of agriculture, has had a long interview with Governor General Wood regarding the letter which he wrote urging a union of political parties and unanimous demand of independence by the end of 1901. early this week from his official posi-Citizens of Honolulu are demanding | tion. The Cubano predicts that the remaining secretaries will do likewise. holds a powerful influence. Otner sec-

> He Has One Wife Too Many. TACOMA, April 23.-howland r. Hill, professor of mathematics at the

them. They give it as their belief that

the party will be benefited by givera's

Puget Sound university, and formerly mining speculator and business man of Blaine, Neb., was arrested here on a charge of bigamy. He is accused of marrying a nebraska girl five years after he deserted a wife in England. Hill does not deny he has another wife living, but he claims he read a statement in a Nebraska paper to the effect that desertion of a wife in a foreign country for five years had been convorce. His English wife is an actress new naval, constructions for 1901 to and Hill says that they never lived to-

> End of Goebel Investigation. FRANKFORT, Ky., April 23.-While the Franklin county grand jury has not adjourned it is understood that the investigation of the Goebel asassination has been completed. The indictment against republican Governor Taylor, charging him with being an accessory to the murder, will be held up till after the argument of the governorship hearing before the supreme court at Washington, April 30, and it is said by persons in the councils of the prosecution that no such warrant will be issued or other steps taken in the case

till after that time. Will Ask for a Receiver. ST. PAUL, Minn., April 23 .-- A Dispatch special from Butte, Mont., says: Some time ago Burdelle O'Connor instituted a \$2,000,000 damage suit against | man, formerly managing editor of the the Anaconda Mining company, set- | Mail and Express, died Saturday night ting forth that the defendant through of meningitis, after an illness of a few workings of the St. Lawrence, Ana- | weeks. Mr. Northrup was born in conda and Mountain View mines un- | Cleveland in June, 1856. His father lawfully extracted ore from the "copper | built the "Northrup Block," in that trust" mine, owned by the plaintiff, and city. His mother was one of the founasking for a permanent injunction. At- | ders of St. Luke's hospital, Cleveland. terneys for the plaintiff announced that | He received his education at Racine in case Judge Clancey denies the per- Wis., and in Germany and France. He manent injunction they would seek the | was at various times connected with

cenda company

#### TURKEY REPLIES

Americans to Be Compensated Same as Other Foreign Subjects.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 23 .- The porte has replied to the American demands, stating that Turkey will compensate American missionaries under the same conditions as in the case of other foreign subjects.

The United States legation has joined the other embassies in protesting against the increase of import The porte has not yet replied to the

last colective note, but the changed tone of the Ottoman officials leads to a belief that a settlement has been reached in conformity with the demands of the foreign republics. It is now fully expected that the porte will invite the embassies to discuss the proposed changes.

There is general interest in political circles regarding the attitude of the United States in the indemnity claim and it is believed that the powers having similar claims will support

American action. WASHINGTON, April 23.-Neither Secretary Hay nor the Turkish minister has been advised of the reported action of the porte in replying to the American demands. In the absence of official information and of the specific conditions of the reply, officials here prefer not to discuss the matter, but express the hope that a satisfactory and amicable settlement of the differences between the two countries may be reached.

#### BATTLE IS RAGING

Boers Fiercely Attacked Dalgetty's Po-

sition to Anticipate Relief. MASERU, Basutoland, April 23 .-Evening-Four Boer guns have been hard at work all day on Colonel Dalgety's position. The British guns have repried at intervals.

The Boers are divided into three divisions, two be ng in positions to repel the relief columns, the distant roar of whose artillery is audible. General Brabant's relief force is re-

ported to be today in the neighborhood of Bushman's Kop, twenty miles from The Basutos are posted on the border for defensive purposes. They are be-

having in orderly fashion, but are showing the most intense interest in the outcome of the developments of the next twenty-four hours. MASERU, Basutoland, April 23 .-

General Brabat's guard reached Bush-The engagement opened at sunrise with heavy rifle fire. At 6:30 a. m. cannonading began and continued for sev-General Brabant's forces are on the

plain and have fairly open country all the way to Wepener. Evidently the Boers reattacked Dalgety today

Colonel Dalgety heliographs: "All well. Boers fired 300 shells yesterday with doing much damage."

#### BRYAN'S AID WILL BE ASKED

Good Offices of Silver Leader Sought to

Settle the Differences. TOPEKA, Kan., April 23.-While W. J. Bryan is in Wichita this week his good offices, will it is said, be sought to settle differences existing between the populists and democrats in the Sixth and Seventh districts, where fusion is split wide open on account of the attitude of rival nominees for con-

The fusion politicians are very much concerned by the situation in these districts and they also look forward to the Third district democratic and populist conventions, set for May 21, with much alarm, for if a democrat be not given the united nomination in that district a split will, it is predicted, be inevitable between the two state conventions to be held later at Fort Sscott. The district is now represented in congress by Hon. E. R. Ridgely, populist. Mr. Bryan is booked to speak at Wichita on Tuesday.

# GERMANY UNABLE TO HELP

See No Reason Why Boer Delegation Should Visit That Country.

BERLIN, April 23.-The semi-official Berliner Post publishes an inspired article in which it is stated that the sentiment regarding the Boers still remains friendly throughout Germany. but that the government sees no reason why the Boer peace delegation should come to Berlin, since no good could be gained from such a visit, Germany being unable to render the slightest service, either in friendly offices to both sides or in intermediation so long as Great Britain remains determined to reject both.

Boosts Up the Generals.

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Said to Be a Nebraskan.

CHICAGO, April 23 .- The Chicago police say they have eighteen cases against C. O. Charleston, under arrest on the charge of getting small sums of money from various persons on worthless checks. Charleston is said to be a former justice of the per a former member of the Nebraska leg-

Last year the American people consumed 2,000,000 tons of sugar, of which 1,385,000 tons were made by the sugar

# DEWEY SCHEDULE ARRANGED

Dates for Admiral and Party on Their Trip Through the West.

WASHINGTON, April 23.-Admiral and Mrs. Dewey will leave here in a special train over the Baltimore & Ohio railroad Sunday, April 29, on their trip after the argument of the governorship to Chicago, St. Louis, Memphis, Nash-contest case, which is docketed for ville and Knoxville. They will arrive in Chicago at noon Monday, April 30. Wednesday morning, May 3, the Chicago & Alton railroad will take the special to Jacksonville, Ill., where a of income of a soldier's widow from three-hours' stop will be made. St. Louis will be reached in the evening.

Benjamin Northrup is Dead. NEW YORK, April 23.-Benjamin Northrup, a well known newspaper appointment of a receiver for the Ana- the Indianapolis News and other west-

# IS DEAD OR DISABLED

Belief that Colonel Baden-Powell No Longer Commands at Mafeking.

Country in Terrible Condition and Fever is Decimating Mafeking-Flood Waters Adding to Hardships-Cecit Rhodes Makes Unexpected Departure From London for the Cape.

LONDON, April 21.-New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.) -Is Colonel Baden-Powell, the hero of Mafeking, dead or sick?

The rumor that he is one or the other came from Boer sources early this week. Of course it was discredited, but it is remarkable that for three weeks now the dispatches received from Mafeking-the last dated April 11-do not mention his name. Until this silence Colonel Baden-Powell's name, his varied activities, his schemes and his interchanges of hostilities with the Boer forces investing Mafeking, filled all the Mareking dispatches.

Lady Sarah Wilson's latest dispatches make mention of "the commandant," but Baden-Powell's name is conspicuous by its absence.

The war office's reply to my inquiry about the colonel was, "We have no information." If the war officials had publish it. Yet that report remains uncontradicted.

That the British authorities should desire to suppress news of Baden-Powell's death (if true) as long as possible is easy to understand, for publication of it would embolden the Boers to make a final dash for the possession of Mafeking.

Major Lord Edward Cecil, son of Lord Salisbury, must be in command if Colonel Baden-Powell is dead of dis-

LONDON, April 21 .- A cable from Bloemfontein reports fighting at Karee siding, six miles north of Glen. This is an indication that the British forces have begun the advance on Pretoria, but even if this were only an unimportant skirmish there are many ma's Kop last evening. The Boers held other indications that Lord Roberts is a strong position there, with two guns. | either starting or has already started for the northern goal.

A dispatch from Capetown under today's date says: "The censorship restrictions have been greatly increased, owing to the movements of the troops." All the dispatches bear traces of the strenuous efforts of the correspondents to give

their papers an inkling of what is afoot. "The Boers south of Bloemfontein | are reported to be retreating. Large relief of homestead settlers on that commandos were seen April 19, near Thaba N'Chu, moving to the north. Their progress was slow, however, owing to the terrible condition of the country. By way of Pretoria comes a report that fever is decimating the Mafeking garrison and a letter from the mayor of Mafeking says Lord Roberts asked Colonel Baden-Powell to hold out until May 20.

# WIPED OUT BY FIRE

Business Portion of a North Dakota

Town Entirely Destroyed GRAND FORKS, N. D., April 21 .-Word was received here this afternoon that Edinburg in the northern part of Walsh county was burning and almost immediately after the first information came to hand the telegraph wires went down and it was impossible to get further information from that source. A telephone message to | them, the commissioner says he can-Park River brought the following par-

ticulars from a reliable source: The fire started at 3 p. m. in the rear of Flatens drug store, standing at the south end of the business portion of the town. A south wind aided the flames in quickly spreading and before anyone was aware what had happened the whole town was ablaze. It was impossible to learn how the

fire originated. Several people attempted to save their personal belongings, but were compelled to abandon the attempt and flee for their lives. Two women, Mrs. Lindahl and Mrs. B. J. Orson, perished in the flames and one child barely escaped. The residence portion of the city is uninjured. The chief sufferers are business men and the people who occupied apartments above stores.

Freight Rates Cancelled. NEW YORK, April 21.-It is announced by a Wall street news agency that the through freight rates between the Pacific coast and all points south of the Ohio and east of the Mississippi river were canceled today. All of the interested roads, including the Southern Pacific, have issued notices to that effect. As a result of this action, the transcontinental rates east of the Mississippi river are added to the rate between San Francisco and the river and the through rate advanced in the exact amount of the added local, which

Griggs Wants \$900,000 More

to \$1 and more in some instances.

ranges from 30 cents per 100 pounds

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21 .-Attorney General Griggs was before the house committee on public buildings and grounds today to urge an additional \$900,000 appropriation for the proposed new department of justice building.

To Report Grand Army Bill. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21 .-After extended conferences the house committee on invalid pensions, of which Representative Sulloway of New Hampshire is chairman, finally determined today to report to the house senate bill 1477, which is known as the "Grand Army bill." The final draft of the bill aggregates the disabilities under which applications may be made for pension under the act of June 27. 1809. The other radical change in existing law is the changing of the rate the present rate of \$96 per year to an Orleans & Northwestern track is still atives and others, but left nothing to "actual net income of \$250 per year."

Rules as to Branding Cattle.

WASHINGTON, April 21.-Congressman Burke of South Dakota, in behalf of the stockmen of th estate, has siderable confusion. It is probable port Bryan and will be with Bryan peace and save Turkey from trouble-that such a regulation will be adopted. this fall, the politicians say.

#### **ACTION AGAINST TURKEY**

State Department Proceeding With Caution in Its Work.

WASHINGTON, April 21.-Secretary Hay returned to Washington today from New York. An accumulation of departmental business awaited him, but nothing in the nature of an BOERS GOING FROM BLOEMFONTEIN ultimatum directed to the Turkish government was included in the mass of correspondence.

It is apparent that, though determined upon positive action, the State department is proceeding decorously and with due precautions against being led into any position which it cannot maintain. It may be stated by authority that the State department is entirely satisfied of the accuracy of Minister Starus' statement relative to the promises made to him by the porte, notwithstanding the attempted explanations and efforts to becloud the issue by declarations that the sultan's promises were conditional. The minister's dispatches, sent

while he was in Constantinople, are couched in exact terms; his written statements were fully confirmed by his oral explanations to the department upon his return to the United States, and, moreover, the pledges he secured were similar to those made to the two preceeding United States ministers to Turkey. In the opinion of the State department officials it is inconceivable that three United States ministers should be consecutively deceived in the terms of a promise or should have reached similar misunderstandings.

The approval which the State department's latest action seems to have received in Europe was anticipated, any evidence to contradict the Boer re- it being realized here that several of port they undoubtedly would quickly the continental powers having claims similar to our own against Turkey, being themselves prevented from imitating any forcible demand upon the Turkish government by reason of the jealousy of their neighbors, are entirely willing that the United States government shall act as a pioneer in this matter and clear the way for a prosecution of their own claims.

It is also believed here that the European powers are hopeful that the attitude assumed by the United States may indirectly serve to deter the Turkish government from the proposed arbitrary increase of 3 per cent in customs dues which it seeks to make in defiance of the joint protest of the European powers. It appears that our government is lending its moral support to this protest, for while not joining with the others in the combined note, our charge, Mr. Griscom, has been instructed to make representations on our own account in opposition to the increase of duties.

#### MUST PAY FOR THEIR LANDS

Binger Herman Rules on the Bill to Give

Nebraska Settlers a Lift. WASHINGTON, April 20.-Commissioner Herman of the general land office, reporting upon the bill "for the portion of the great Sioux reservation lying and being in the state of Nebraska, formerly in the territory of Dakota, now South Dakota," says that the design of the bill is to amend all laws in force respecting that portion of the great Sioux reservation in Nebraska, so as to relieve the homestead settlers thereon from the payment of \$1.25 per acre. That the settlers shall receive patents for their homestead entries on the payment of the usual land fees, without being required to pay any other or additional sum. This, Mr. Herman says, would be a discrimination in favor of these settlers and against those in South Dakota upon the former Sioux reservation. In view of this fact, and that settlers on Indian lands generally are required to pay for the lands entered by them a burse the government for the amount paid to the Indians or to compensate the Indians for the lands ceded by not recommend the passage of the bill.

Twelve Sacks of \$5 Letters. BOSTON, Mass., April 21.-Twelve sacks of mail addressed to Francis Truth, the "divine healer." who was arrested recently, charged with fraud, have been impounded by the United States government under the usual "fraud order." Many of the thousands of letters contained in the twelve mail sacks carry money for "absent treatment."

Truth's usual charge was \$5 for ab sent treatment, so that necessarily the amount of money contained in the letters is very large

Reorganization of the Army.

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# HAVOC IS WROUGHT BY FLOOD

Millions of Dollars Worth of Property Destroyed in the South.

NEW ORLEANS, April 22.-The flood which commenced the early part of the week has alread caused, at a conservative estimate, fully \$3,000,000 loss in central and southern Missistained by the railroads. The extent of the losses have not yet been fully realized, and it may be some days yet before an accurate total canbe reacehd, for mail communication has been totally cut off between those localities which have suffered most and the outside world.

In Louisiana, too, the damage done by the unprecedented rains was great. A special from Columbus, Miss., received late tonight, fixes the loss in that little town and its immediate vicinity at \$500,000. Many farm houses were carried away by the mad waters, the occupants barely escaping with their lives, and the number of cattle destroyed was great. A great many cotton gins and mill houses were washed away. Nearly every bridge around Columbia was swept down street. The Pearl river is now higher than it has been known for many years. Miles and miles of the New ander water.

Will Support Mr. Bryan. NEW YORK, April 21 .- The democratic state committee met at the Hoffman house today for the purpose of naming a time and place for holding requested the Indian officials to frame the state convention to elect four delrules and regulations requiring stock- egates-at-large to the national concomply with the state law with refer- that Mr. Croker will join hands with ence to the branding of catttle. It is ex-Senator Hill to send an uninstructasserted that many brands used on ed delegation to Kansas City. The reservations are similar to those reg- leaders disclaim, however, any hoscondition of affairs has created con- is now, so it is declared, ready to sup-

# THE MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Quotations From New York, Chicago, South Omaha and Elsewhere.

SOUTH OMAHA LIVE STOCK. SOUTH OMAHA, April 19 .- CATTLE-The market as a whole was slow. Buyers seemed to be indifferent and sellers complained that it was hard work to sell at satisfactory prices. The early market was slow, and it was late before any business of consequence was transacted. The fat cattle market was unevenly lower ranging all the way from weak to 10 lower. The least decline was on the choice fat little cattle. Beef steers, \$3.75 @4.90; steers and heifers, \$4.20@4.80; cows, \$2.00@4.25; heifers, \$3.80@4.65; bulls, \$3.80 @3.65; calves, \$5.50@7.00; stags, \$3.90@4.20; steers and stags, \$3.75@4.55; stock cows and heifers, \$2.50@4.50; stock calves, \$5.50 (46.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.00(4.55. HOGS-Sold a shade lower, that is about 21/2c lower than yesterday. The close was slow and weak at the decline. Good hogs sold very largely at \$5.45, the same hogs bringing \$5.45\(\pi\_0.47\psi\_\) yesterday. The top today was \$5.55, which was 2\psi\_\c higher than yesterday.

SHEEP—Following are quotations: Choice yearlings, \$6.15@6.30; fair to good yearlings, \$6.00@6.15; clipped yearlings, \$5.50@5.80; good to choice wethers, \$6.00@ 6.25; fair to good wethers, \$5.75@6.00; clip ped wethers, \$5.40@5.60; good to choice red ewes, \$5.50@5.55; fair to good ewes, \$5.00@5.40; clipped ewes, \$4.50@5.25; good to choice native lambs, \$7.15@7.25; good to choice native lambs, \$7.15@1.25; good to choice western lambs, \$7.15@7.25; fair to good western lambs, \$6.60%7.15; clipped lambs, \$6.00@6.40; feeder wethers, \$4.50@5.00; feeder yearlings, \$5.00@5.60; good to choice feeder lambs, \$5.25@6.00.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK. KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 23.-CATTLE Market about steady; native steers, \$4.0 (25.40; Texas steers, \$3.35(24.90; Texas cows, \$3.25@4.00; native cows and heifers, \$2.20 @5.60; stockers and feeders, \$3.75@5.30; bulls, \$2.05@4.50. HOGS-Market steady to shade lower; bulk of sales, \$5.40@5.55; heavy, \$5.45@5.50; packers, \$5.40@5.57½; mixed, \$5.35@5.50;

light, \$5.20@5.40; Yorkers, \$5.35@5.40; pigs SHEEP-Market strong; lambs, \$6.00@ 8.50; muttons, \$3.50@6.10.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. CHICAGO, April 23 .- CATTLE-Good to prime steers, \$4.90@5.80; poor to medium, \$4.10@4.75; stockers and feeders, \$3.30@4.85; cows, \$3.00@4.50; heifers, \$3.25@4.35; canners, \$2.25@2.80; bulls, \$2.80@4.30; calves, \$4.50@6.65; Texas fed steers, \$4.00@5.20; Texas bulls, \$3.25@3.75. HOGS-Top, \$5.75; mixed and butchers, \$5.45@5.75; good to choice heavy, \$5.60@5.75; rough heavy, \$5.45@5.55; light, \$5.40@

5.65; bulk of sales, \$5 55@5.671/2.

sheep, \$5.60@6.10; yearlings, \$5.80@6.40; native lambs, \$5.50@7.40; western lambs, \$6.00 CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE. CHICAGO, April 23.-WHEAT-No. pring, 62@64c; No. 2 red, 681/2c. CORN-No. 2, 38%c; No. 2 yellow, 38%c OATS-No. 2, 24%@25c; No. 2 white, 2

SHEEP-Sheep and lambs about stea-

dy; good to choice wethers, \$5.75@6.25; fair to choice mixed, \$4.75@5.75; western

@2714c; No. 3 white, 25%@274c. RYE—No. 2, 55c. BARLEY-No. 2, 42@45c. SEEDS-Flaxseed, No. 1 and northwest \$1.73. Prime timothy, \$2.40@2.45. Clover, contract grade, \$7,75 PROVISIONS—Mess pork, per bbl. \$11.90@12.95. Lard, per 100 lbs., \$7.00@7.15

Short ribs sides (loose), \$7.00@7.25. Dry salted shoulders (boxed), \$6.75@7.00. Short clear sides (boxed), \$7.55@7.65. NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET. NEW YORK, April 23.-WHEAT-May 72 7-16@72 11-16c; closed, 72%c; July, 73 9-16 @72%c; closed at 72%c; September, 72%@

734c; closed at 73c. CORN-Closed firm 4c net decline; May, 43%@44c; closed at 44c; July, 444@ 44%c; closed at 44%c; September, 44%@ closed at 44%c. OATS-No. 2 white, 291/2c; No. 3 white 29c; track mixed western, 28@29c; track white western, 394@34c; track white state, 294@34c. Options weak, closing 4c net lower; May closed at 27c; No. 2 white, May, 294@294c; closed at 294c.

# TO CONNECT TWO OCEANS

Railroad Across Mexico Being Rapidly Pushed to Completion.

CITY OF MEXICO, April 23.-Work is now going on in the reconstruction of the Tehuantepec railroad across the narrowest part of Mexico, and gives assurance that the road will be as solid and of as permanent a character as the Ver Cruz railroad. As the Tehuantepec road will have a maximum grade of sum per acre sufficient to either reim- half per cent compensated, it will be in a position to handle any traffic that can be secured on very economical terms. At present the Panama railroad handles 300,000 tons of freight per anum, 60 per cent of which is destined for or arises at ports north of Panama. The bulk of this naturally belongs to Tehuantepec. In addition, however, the road will capture a large volume of the traffic at present carried by railroads to the Pacific coast from the Mississippi valley, and it is confidently anticipated that this railroad will be doing as large a trade as the Panama within five years from its opening. The distance from Coatzacoalcos to San Francisco via Salina Cruz is 100 miles less than the distance from New Orleans to San Francisco via the Southern Pacific and the distance across the gulf from New Orleans to Coatzacoalos is only 800 miles, and within a very few years there will be daily service boats between the two ports. The new terminal ports at Coatzacoalos, on the Mexican gulf, and at Salina Cruz on the Pacific will be ready for handling very heavy freight trade in three years

# Uncle Sam at Paris.

from now.

PARIS, April 23 .- Among the Americans who were present at the inauguration of the Paris exposition and the accompanying fete, was Mr. John T. Shayne of Chicago. Speaking to a correspondent, he said: "Commissioner Geenral Peck and his assistants are the busiest men in France. Their hard work has put the United States building and exhibits in a more advanced state than those of any other nation. sippi, to say nothing of the damage Everything is nearly completed and the United States' display is going to be one of the most splendid sights in the fair. The attitude manifested by all Frenchmen toward Americans is admirable. The exposition in spite of many drawbacks will be a great suc-

> The Will of a Millionaire. CHICAGO, Ill., April 23 .- The will of Rufus Wright, who was mysteriously shot and killed in the Leland hotel last Saturday night, was filed for probate today. It disposes of an estate valued at \$800,000. This is believed to be a conservative estimate, and it is expected that the estate will figure up \$1,000,000. According to the petition filed with the will the personal property valuation is \$600,000, and the real estate is valued at \$200,000. The dead millionaire manufacturer distributed \$28,800 in personal bequests among relcharity or public institutions,

> American-Turkish Affairs. ST. PETERSBURG, April 23.-in discussing American-Turkish affairs the Novoe Vremya today says:

"The porte could easily avoid undesirable reprisals by asking for the men and Indians on reservations to vention at Kansas City. It is said friendly mediation of neighboring European states. In the present international controversy, friendly interven tion is possible upon the basis of The istered under the law, and that this tility to Mr. Bryan. Ex-Senator Hill Hague convention, and such intervention, would both serve the cause of

Every old maid is a living monument to some woman who didn't make a

good man miserable. "Uncle Dan" Whipple of Traverse City, Mich., recently celebrated his 100th birthday there and has just been initiated a member of McPherson post, No. 13, G. A. R. He is believed to be the oldest Grand Army man in the country. In the same past is John I. Cummings, who is perhaps the youngest, having joined the army at the age of 11. He served about officers' headquarters three years and was mustered

# A Mother's Tears.

"I Would Cry Every Time I Washed My Baby."

"When he was3 months old, first festers and then large boils broke out on my baby's neck. The sores spread down his back until it became a mass of raw flesh. When

I washed and powdered him I would cry, realizing what pain he was in. His pitiful wailing was heart-rending. I had about given up hope of saving him when I was urged to give him Hood's Sarsaparilla, all other treatment having failed. I washed the sores with Hood's Medicated Soap, applied Hood's Olive Ointment and gave him Hood's Sarsaparilla. The child seemed to get better every day, and very soon the change was quite noticeable. The discharge grew less, inflammation went down, the skin took on a healthy color, and the raw flesh began to scale over and a thin skin formed as the scales dropped off. Less than two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla, aided by Hood's Medicated Soap and Hood's Olive Ointment, accomplished this

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