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LOUP CITY, - - NEBRASKA

Brief Telegrams

A New York broker has obtained a \$12,500 verdict in a suit against Russell Sage.

Leonard Wood is confirmed as a major general in the Senate by a vote Stevens (Minn.) filed the favorable reof 45 to 16.

a candidate for the Democratic nomi- o an amended senate bill "to require nation for governor of Nebraska.

Senator Gibson introduced a bill to ted States for public purposes." repeal the desert land act and the

commutation of the homestead act.

thorized a report on the limitations never is safe to depend on foreigners statute leaving out the restroactive for the defense of our own country.

down by an ocean liner off Ports- transports, and that should these be mouth and its crew of eleven men inadequate for the necessary transdrowned.

gifts of King Menelik to President only may be used in addition; that Roosevelt, arrived in New York and the government cannot expect Amerianimal keepers have been sent to get Secretary Taft informs the House

commerce that he favors the Lovering bill for governing the Panama Canal zone. I. N. Ford says mystery still surrounds the situation in the far East,

committee on interstate and foreign

but it is believed a general Japanese advance has been commenced in Andrew Carnegie's gift of \$50,000 to Kenyon college at Gambier, Ohio, is

said to be in recognition of Edwin M. Stanton's kindness to Mr. Carnegie years ago Reports that the Russians have crossed the Yalue river on a raid of

Manchuria are confiremd. The Japanof the river. The bill making appropriations for

increase of \$2,179,213 over the bill as and retention of those islands." passed by the house. It now carries a total appropriation of \$9,821,405. The Bavarian Courier of Munich | moneys, and adds: printed a dispatch from Rome saying

in Berlin.

the jungles. The commissioner of the general ities."

the La Grande, Ore., district. the richest man in Wisconsin outside for all it will stand." of Milwaukee. His fortune was chiefly accumulated in lumbering opera-

tions. Acting Postmaster General Wynne has received a report from Assistant James Britt is Given the Decision in Superintendents Gould and Sawyer of the salaries and allowance division. recommending the consolidation of the East St. Louis stock yards station with the East St. Louis office.

The House committee on elections South Carolina, was not elected to teenth round Corbett's advantage was Congress, but ignores his plea that the apparent, but in that round Britt ralsouthern election laws are unconstilled and rained right and left blows on tutional, on the ground that a ruling various portions of Corbett's anatomy, would cause wide complication.

It is said at the State department | himself. that instructions were sent Saturday to Ambassador Motention at St. ppower to enable them to return to Japan.

The house committee on industrial below the agreed weight-130 pounds. arts and expositions adopted a complete substitute for the senate bill, making an appropriation for the Lewis and Clark exposition to be held at The bill as reported by the house committee reduces the appropriation to \$475,000.

The resignation of Major Seely, conhorse of commons during the debate the importation of coolie labor into South Africa, is final.

Governor Carter of Honolulu has called an extra session of the legislature to meet on April 4 to consider the finances of the treasury, which is unable to meet the warrants drawn upon it. For the present fiscal year the appropriations exceed the income by \$1,500,000. The reorganization of the territorial government on a less

expensive basis is now proposed. A Manila dispatch says that the datto, Hansen, who wounded Major H. L. Scott during an engagement in Jolo in November last, has been killed by pursuing troops. Everything is peacekind to the American rule in the island of Jolo.

The Maryland senate has passed the bill appropriating \$25,000 to relieve the destitution caused by the Baltimore

The consolidation of the Colonial National and Union National banks of Cleveland has been ratified by the stockholders.

Loup City Northwestern REPORT IS FILED

MERCHANT MARINE AND FISH-ERIES QUESTION.

THE PROPOSED SENATE BILL

It is Scored in the Minority Report of the House Committee-Passage of Measure Would Result in Holding Up the Government.

WASHINGTON - Representative port authorized by the house commit-W. H. Thompson has declined to be tee on merchant marine and fisheries of fire, and no neutral ship has a anese fleet renewed the attempt to the employment of vessels of the Uni-

The bill requires all government supplies transported by sea to be car-The majority of the House subcom- ried in vessels either owned by the mittee recommends the impeachment government or flying the American of Judge Charles Swayne of Florida. flag. The report bases the necessity House committee on judiciary au- for the bill on the ground that it It says that the United States now The British submarine boat was run owns thirteen passenger and freight portation of government supplies and The lion cub and two elephant tusks, troops, ships flying the American fag can ships to be available in an emergency.

The views of the minority of the committee, prepared by Representative Lucking (Mich.) and signed by Representatives Spight, Goulden. Mc-Dermott and Lucking, declare the bill to be a step in the policy of subsidizing our merchant marine, for which for seven years the most active, per sistent, influential and unblushing lobby has been hounding the life out of both branches of congress. The report says that outside of the goods transported in vessels owned by the government there was paid in freights for such carrying in the year 1901, \$4,523,954, and that "this carrying is done principally to the Philippines, ese await a battle on the south side and, like the major portion of all our war and naval expenditures of the present day, has been rendered necthe Indian department shows a gross essary by the ill-advised subjugation

> The report says the bill is a most barefaced misappropriation of public

"Of the seventeen vessels now enit is asserted in vatican circles that an gaged in this traffic on the Pacific, all agreement has been reached for the are manned exclusively (except offiestablishment of a papal nunciature cers) by Chinese sailors, who work for about one-third or one-fourth the William E. Curtis writes of the wages that American sailors receive, thousands that annually are slain in so that the American sailors have India by snakes and wild beasts, and been completely supplanted by these tells of the crusade begun by the Chinese in the very Pacific ocean government against the denizens of companies who are pressing the lill troops. and who are, in part, to get its gratu-

land office has temporarily withdrawn | The report concludes that "in some from entry under the reclamation act respects this bill is worse than any two townships in The Dalles, Ore., pronounced subsidy measure which land district and three townships in has been advocated in congress, because it gives an absolute monopoly Allen P. Lovejoy of Janesville, Wis., to a few corporations and individuals has just died. He leaves an estate who may, and probably will, form a valued at about \$10,000,000 and was combine and hold up the government

YOUNG CORBETT IS LOSER.

the Twentieth Round. SAN FRANCISCO.-James Britt of California was given the decision over William Rothwell, better known as "Young Corbett," of Colorado, in a twenty-round contest at Woodward's reports that A. D. Dantzler, a negro of pavilion Friday night. In the sevenforcing the champion to clinch to save

The styles of the two boxers were entirely different. Britt fought for Petersburg to call the attention of the | the body most of the time, while Cor-Russian government to the condition bett devoted his attention to the head, that in event of loss of property reof the Japanese in Siberia in the hope face and jaw. Britt weighed just 129 covery was doubtful; also that in the that the government will do all in its | pounds, but Corbett's weight was not made public, though it is understood he was at least a pound and a half a long time, but if Japan was defeated

TURKEY AGREES TO THE PLAN.

Portland, Ore., beginning May 1, 1905. Reaches Understanding with Austria as to Police Force.

LONDON-According to the dispatches received from Constantinople. the porte and the Austro-Russian emservative member of parliament for bassies have reached an agreement in the Isle of Wight, division of Hamp regard to the organization of the shire, which he announced in the Macedonina gendarmerie under European officers, so it is believed it will on the liberal motion to cesure the not be long before the reform scheme government for its policy regarding for Macedonia, agreed upon by the emperors of Russia and Austria at their meeting at Muerzteg, Syria, last year. in support of which Austria has been alleged to be mobilizing troops, will be in full operation.

In an interview at Sofia, March 24. Boris Sarafoff, the Macedonian leader. said his party intended to await the result of an introduction of the reforms before launching a fresh in-

Report Original Package Bill. WASHINGTON .- The house committee on the judiciary on Friday authorized a favorable report on the Hepburn and Dolliver bill, granting ful now, with no opposition of any the states police power over "original packages" of intoxicating liquor coming into their borders as interstate commerce. An amendment was adopted stipulating that the bill should not apply to persons receiving interstate shipments of liquor for their own personal use. Hearings on the bill weoks.

WILL MOVE UNITED STATES SHIP

Admiral Cooper Thinks New Chwang No Place for the Helena.

WASHINGTON .- To Admiral Cooper, in command of the naval forces on the Asiatic station, has been left the decision of the question whether or not the Helena or some other United States naval vessel is to be kept at New Chwans as requested by American interests there.

The Navy department has been informed by Admiral Cooper that he has decided that the conditions are not such as to warrant him in detaining the Helena at New Chwang. If the town is attacked by the Japanese navy the Helena would be in the line Navy department has cabled him to ships escorted seven merchant steamwill leave New Chwang for Shanghai and start for Manila within the pres- steamers were ran in and sunk in deas rapidly as expected.

PERSONS RIDING ON PASSES.

Railroads Not Liable for Damages to

Deadheads. WASHINGTON-The United States supreme court again decided that persons traveling on railroads may not secure damage in case of accident when they ride on passes, and the decision went to the extent of applying the principle to such passengers as were not familiar with the contract usually printed on the backs of the passes.

The case decided was that of John D. Boering and his wife, Mearling Boering, against the Chesapeake Beach Railroad company. Mrs. Boering was injured in an accident on the road while traveling on a pass issued to herself and her husband, containing the usual stipulation of exemption from damage. It was urged that she had not been made aware of the stipulation, and that even if not hable on general principles, the company must be so on account of her ignorance. The court did not accept

CHINESE ARMS MENACE RUSSIA.

Forty Thousand Troops Drilled by Foreigners Ready for Field.

PARIS-The Figaro's correspondent in Berlin telegraphs that a German officer who has just arrived there from Mancauria says serious operations in the far east will not be begun before the end of June. The principal obstacle to Russian victory. according to this officer, is the fact that 40 000 Chinese troops, well trained and with German and Japanese instructors, are menacing Russia's lines of communication. Russia, with the support of Germany, will protest against this concentration of Chinese

According to the Tokio correspondent of the Petit Parisienne official confirmation has been received of the destruction of the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Skeri at Port Arthur by the explosion of a submarine mine. The correspondent says that th

Anarchists After Police.

ROME.—Another anarchist outrage was attempted, but the infernal machine, which was placed on the window sill of the residence of Police Commissioner Binet, was discovered done. The machine was id ntical 18 outside the residence of Commissioner of Police Laurent, and which wrecked the house, killed an artillery officer, Major Papin, and fatally or wounded half a dozen others.

German Consul Gives Counsel.

YIN KOW-The German consul from Tien Tsin, at a meeting of German citizens, counselled all residents of that nationality that they remained at New Chwang at their own risk and event that Russia was defeated the recovery of losses would only be after recovery would be sooner. British residents will protest against the absence of a warship from New Chwang.

Death Pleases Officials.

WASHINGTON. - Secretary Taft and the officials of the War depart ment openly express their gratification at the news of the death of Macario Saky, the so-called president of the Philippine republic. Saky secured his freedom under the amnesty proclamation and fled to the mountains with a small force of kindred spirits and since has made considerable trouble by attacking small villages and unprotected expeditions.

Ballantyne Again Acquitted. MANILA.-W. D. Ballantyne, ex-

inspector of customs, has just been acquitted by Judge Ambler on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the customs by furthering the illegal enery of non-exempt Chinese. He was tried upon a similar charge in January last and acquitted.

President Will Touch Button. WASHINGTON.-Although Presi dent Roosevelt cannot attend the participant in the exercises. He has consented to press the button at the chinery of the exposition. This cere-The deals have not been worked out sage of congratulation.

JAPS' ATTEMPT

ANOTHER MOVEMENT TO BOT-TLE PORT ARTHUR.

WHEN ATTEMPT WAS MADE

Report that the Japanese Have Sunk Seven Merchant Steamers in the Harbor - Demand in Connection With Manchuria.

LONDON-The Daily Telegraph published a dispatch from its Tokio correspondent, which says:

"On the night of March 22 the Japanese officers and bluejackets volun- certain amount of race depreciationteered for the duty. An official report is expected this evening."

tial report from the Tokic correspond- of the superiority of the white race. ent that Japan succeeded in bottling up Port Arthur on the night of March | talk of the inferiority of the people 22 is not confirmed from any other with dark skins. It appears that the quarter. The special d'spatches to tiger is still in our blood and woe to the other morning papers announce the man who stirs him up. no new developments, but throw a few sidelights on the operations.

The Standard's Tien Tsin correrenewed his demand for the withdrawal of all Chinese officers and soldiers from Manchuria on the ground that it would be impossible to conduct the war properly.

The Daily Mail's correspondents give from Japanese sources some details of the condition of Port Arthur, which were gathered during a recent repaired with such haste that it is ers and ten torpedo boat destroyers are now uninjured and often leave the the canal question. harbor, but never go far from the

Japanese naval officers praise the destroyers, which, they confess, have | March 8. done excellent work, but they declare that the Russian shells are badly fused and fail to explode, except when they strike direct upon armor, and that their charges of guncotton are insufficient to cause serious damage.

The Daily Mail's Shan Hai Kwan correspondent says that the Japanese are secretly engaging Chinese to act Captain Peitzenstein's Vladivostok as irregular corps.

CODY MAKES DEPOSITION.

"Buffalo Bill" Testifies that His Wife them to Vladivostok. Tried to Poison Him.

for Europe shortly and will be absent | chase. from the country when his suit is tried. In the proceedings today Colo- respondent says, estimates that the nel Cody was interrogated by his own | number of Japanese troops landed in attorney and was subjected to an ex- Korea does not exceed 75,000. in time to prevent any damage being amination by counsel for Mrs. Cody.

the one which was exploded March | years ago," the colonel testified. "She had frequently threatened to do it. Several Officers at Port Arthur Suc-We were visiting in Rochester, N. Y., during the holidays of 1900, and the day after Christmas I was ill. I supdid not agree with me. She said she would fix me up. She pretended to almost finished me for I was unconscious for some time. I think it must date is 265. have been an overdose, for it made me vomit, and I suppose this saved my life."

Colonel Cody related many inated him at his "former home" in North Platte by her conduct toward

GALES SWEEP ILLINOIS.

Several Are Killed and Many Injured at Indiana I rbor.

CHICAGO .- One of the most severe storms this city has known in years passed over Chicago Thursday night. Great damage was done in the suburbs to the south of the city, and considerable loss was sustained by the people living to the north of the city proper. The storm did not strike the business portion in its greatest force.

The storm in the vicinity of Indiana Harbor was one of the most severe known to be dead, several are fatally hurt, and at midnight several others were reported missing and they may be buried in the ruins of their homes.

A two-story brick building known as the Barker building was blown the ruins.

Remarkable Marksmanship.

WASHINGTON-In a private letter received at the navy department from opening of the Louisiana Purchase ex- an officer on board the Kearsarge, the position, he nevertheless will be a following remarkable record made by just completed at Pensacola, is given: White house which will start the ma- One thirteen-inch gun made six hits Pile, mayor of Dublin, reported that the principles are carried out in the out of seven shots in five minutes mony will take place at 1 o'clock and twenty seconds. An eight-inch (eastern standard time) on April 30. gun made ten hits out of ten shots ments. The committee finally ap- Shown in renewed physical strength in five minutes and twenty seconds, yet, but they will be in a few days, and a five-inch gun made eighteen have been made during the last six The president probably will send mes- hits out of eighteen shots in two min- New York, Washington, St. Louis, lutes.

PEOPLE FORGET PRINCIPLES.

President Schurman Talks of Lawlessness in the United States.

NEW YORK-In an address at New Rochelle President Schurman of Cornell university has discussed what he considers the true elements of national greatness and expressed the truth that so far as physical power is concerned our nation leaves almost nothing to be desired. In referring to our respect for law and our regard for the rights of others, however, he said:

"There has been in the last few years more lawlessness than those living in the present generation can remember. Lynching seems to go on apace. There are reasons given for this, as a matter of course. Some say right there if it can get away. The bottle up Port Arthur. Sixteen war- it is because our children are not taught religion in the schools; others withdraw the ship, and it probably ers to the mouth of the harbor and that it is due to the great immigraunder cover of the bombardment the tion to our shores. To me there seems to be an entirely different reaent week if the ice continues to soften sired positions. Three hundred Jap- son for it. It is, I think, due to a I will not say race hatred, which somehow seems to be still very potent in The Daily Telegraph's circumstan- our blood. We still talk a great deal With an excess of passion, we still

"We seems already to have forgotten some of the great principles for which our fathers died and we have spondent says that Viceroy Alexieff become compelled to hear in the last few years derisive remarks about the constitution."

GET FINAL INSTRUCTIONS.

Canal Commission Meets and Receives Letter from President.

WASHINGTON -- Preliminary work was begun by the Isthmian canal comvisit of a Chinese junk there. It is mission. The first full meeting of the asserted that a boom had been placed commission was held in the offices of across the entrance to the roadstead, Admiral Walker, the chairman. The which was alive with mines, so de- session resolved itself into an informal fective and so carelessly laid as to discussion of various features of the equally endanger both Russian and preliminary work and of preparations Japanese vessels. The damaged Rus- for the first visit of the commission sian warships, these reports say, were to Panama. President Roosevelt entertained the members of the commisdangerous for them to leave their an- sion and Secretary Taft at luncheon. chorage. Eight battleships and cruis- During the luncheon there was a general discussion of various phases of General instructions to the members

of the commission were contained in a letter from President Roosevelt to quality of the Russian torpedo boat the commission, under date of

TO INTERCEPT JAP SHIPS.

Rumor Regarding Russia's Vladivostok Fleet.

PARIS-The Echo De Paris corre spondent at St. Petersburg says it is rumored in naval circles there that squadron has been ordered to overtake, at a certain point on the Pacific, the battleship and two cruisers bought from Chili by Japan and return with

The correspondent says it is ru-DENVER.—Colonel William F. | mored that Emperor William of Germikado yesterday bade adieu to 495 Cody ("Buffalo Bill") made a depo- many has refused to accept three cruisofficers who were leaving for the sition before a notary in this city ers built at Kiel and Stettin, on the Wednesday in the action for divorce ground that they did not conform to which he has begun in Big Horn coun- the terms of the contract, and that ty, Wyoming. Colonel Cody will sail Russia is negotiating for their pur-

The Russian general staff, the cor-

"Mrs. Cody tried to poison me three MANY RUSS!ANS COMMIT SUICIDE

cumb to Strain of Bombardment.

NEW YORK-News has been re ceived from Port Arthur that several posed the turkey and plum pudding officers of the garrison, under the strain caused by the bombardment. have committed suicide, says a World give me medicine. It was poison. It dispatch from Shanghai. The total number of casualties in the town to

Marquis Ito has held a large reception, which was attended by the foreian legation officials, cables the Seoul correspondent of the Times. He exstances of his wife's having humili- pressed the belief that under Japanese guidance Corea will advance commercially and intellectually, it being Japan's intention so to use its influence that the Coreans will never regret their connection with it. The marquis will return to Japan March

Nationalists Win Victory.

DUBLIN.-The nationalists in the St. Stevens Green division of Dublin elected Lawrence Waldron to fill the vacancy in the House of Commons caused by the death of James McCann by a majority of 620 over the unionist candidate. Wr. Waldron is a wealthy this wonderful change in me, but stock troker. While he was not an official nationalist candidate, he is pledged to support home rule and the ever known there. Three people are proposal to establish a Catholic uni- derful. 1 versity in Dublin and to oppose the present financial relations between tion hand on the C. & O. R. R., who Ireland and Great Britain.

Death from Bubonic Plague. JOHANNESBURG.-Up to date the down and a number of people who had total number of deaths from bubonic and strength. sought shelter there were buried in plague is forty-two white and forty colored persons.

Coming to St. Louis Fair. LONDON .- A meeting of the committee of arrangements for a visit of the municipal officials of the United Kingdom to St. Louis, of which Lord | food is made. He'll tell you the printhat battleship in her target practice. Clyveden is chairman, was held in the ciples are perfect. chambers of the lords. Sir Thomas some hundreds of officials had applied food ("all the good of the grains so for particulars regarding the arrange- treated that anyone can digest it all") proved the program. The party will and brain energy. leave England May 1, and will visit

Toronto and other cities.

Shortly after getting the political bee in his bonnet the average man gets it in the neck.

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Things to Remember.

"My boy," said a man of the state of Texas to his son, who was starting out for a career in an eastern city; "my boy, let me tell you something which may help you. You get up there, and you may see a heap of people who have got more money than you have; a heap of people who have got more brains than you have, and more success. Some of them may even be better looking than you are. Don't you worry about that, and don't you be scared of anybody. Whenever you meet a man who allows he's your superior, you just look at him and say to yourself, 'After all, you're just folks!' You want to remember for yourself, too, that you're just folks. My boy, after you have lived as long as I have and have knocked around the world, you will come to see that that's all any one of is-folks."

A Suggestive Name.

Jake, the colored servant of Lionel Barrymore, has quite a flock of children, all of them with Biblical names. as their father is very religious, and a great student of the bible. A boy was added to the family not long ago, and Jake confessed himself puzzled as to a name for him. "You see," he explained, "we'se 'bout 'sausted all dem characters-sich as David an' Amos an' Soloman. De woman suggests. Balaam, but I'se calculatin' on Hallow, as the book siggests it foh itself. 'Hallowed be Thy name,' sah. I reckon we'll leave it dah, sah."

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