# Further Tax Lipton Tells Two Cut Pledge Lauder New York, Oct. 23.—Sir Thomas Lipton, who is here on business, is telling two new stories about his friend, Harry Lauder. Here they are:

President Scores Government Ownership, Limitation of Power of U. S. Supreme Court.

Praises G. O. P. Tariff

Washington, Oct. 23 .- President Coolidge set forth tonight policies of administration under which he proposes that the government will "main tain peace, promote economy, provide a protective tariff, assist the farmers, leave the people in possession of their property and maintain the integrity of the courts." In the last extended address, he

expects to make before election and the most comprehensive he has delivered since his speech of acceptance the republican nomination, the president declared his stand on practically every phase of government affairs. He discussed campaign issues, in some instances, for the first time

Mr. Coolidge spoke before the eastern division of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, meet ing here in the chamber's new building and the address was carried by

program, which he said had "brought in the court of Federal Judge Paul J. was awakened on the night of May supposition that every well wisher the Elk Hills reserve. the country would be anxious to ary changes"-government ownership vestigation of reserve lands.

Public Ownership Perilous.

a most perilous undertaking, both to purpose to question her regarding street. the welfare of business and to the in the "black bag" transaction, in which dependence of the people. "If powers former Secretary of the Interior Al. an Italian woman, who had been in to-market roads. of the supreme court were limited as bert B. Fall was given \$100,000 in the store during the robbery. This proposed," he said, "the historian cash by her husband, would close the chapter with the comment that the people had shown they were incapable of self-government and the American republic had proved a failure."

Mr. Coolidge said further reducthe basis of the estimated govern- loan of \$100,000?" ment budget for next year, and he outlined his "common sense" method of taxation as follows:

rich by making the rates moderate tioning. and stimulating business to provide work and increase the earnings of the poor.

In foreign affairs, the president Hogan, chief counsel for Doheny. promised co-operation in the interest Asked to tell the circumstances of peace; declared for constitutional surrounding the mutilation of the covenants outlawing aggressive war- note, Mrs. Doheny said. fare; and reaffirmed his proposal for adherence to the permanent court of in a safety deposit box at a Los Aninternational justice. He announced geles bank when I found the piece of TORONTO WETS IN opposition, however, to participation paper." by this government in international conferences discussing questions "purely our own domestic affairs," to Under further questioning she related the cancellation of war debts owed how the note became torn. this nation and to the entrance of the United States into the league of

Praises Tariff.

policy in foreign affairs has been document had been executed, presented, Mr. Coolidge declared, adding that "we have been willing to heny had declared that he did not the nation and the world in this di- thing happened to him." rection without first seeking through referendum whether it would be pop. and that she brought it to Los An-

In agriculture, the president said he was ready to open the investigation into farming conditions he had the principal which depicts the loan purposes, is prohibited, or whether a speakers at Clay Center. At Harvard, (Turn to Page 13, Column 1.)

## FIREMAN KILLED

A. Number, fireman, was killed and Earl Hogan, engineer, injured when their engine on the Santa Fe railroad was side-swiped here by a switch engine in the 'Frisco yards. Both engines in the crash belonged to the Santa Fe road. 'Frisco of ficials are investigating the accident.

### We Have With Us Today

J. A. Rountree, Director, United States Good Roads Birmingham, Ala.

J. A. Rountree's hobby is good roads, and for 12 years he has been campaigning for better roads throughout the country.

As director general of the United States Good Roads association, he makes reports of roads to the execu- stroyed three buildings in the busitive committee of the organization, and arranges the association's annual persons were injured in escaping confined him to his room for two

Mr. Rountree is a former news paper man. He is vice president of gration to the roofs of nearby busi- ther stated that the prince and his

# New Ones on

dian to whom he was going to leave all his money, and Sir Harry re-

"'To the widow of the Unknown Soldier.'

"I was walking along Piccadilly with Lauder one morning when we came to a big sign which read: 'One thousand pins in a package for three pence.' The comedian went in and purchased a package, and left later for Glasgow. When he met me on his return to London he said: "There were three pins short. I'm going back to the shop'."

## Lost Signature of Doheny-Fall **Note Discovered**

hibit in Naval Oil Lease

Suit at Los Angeles.

ial trial inquiry in the leasing of navy feared his vengeance. Summarizing the administration's oil reserve lands was produced today

The appearance of the missing doc-"at least two of the most revolution- President Coolidge to conduct the in-

Atlee Pomerene, heading the gov ernment legal staff, called Mrs. E. L. Doheny, wife of the petroleum mag-Public ownership, he described as nate, to the witness stand. It was his

> Questioned on Note. The first question asked her by

"Mrs. Doheny, do you know what became of the missing portion of the note given your husband by Mr. Fall tion in federal taxes was possible on in 1921 in consideration of purported

"Yes," Mrs. Doheny answered Pomerene seemed startled by the unexpected answer and paused a few "Getting all we can out of the moments before resuming his ques-

> "Do you know where it is now "Why, it's in Mr. Hogan's pocket," she replied, referring to Frank J.

"I was going through some papers

She said she spoke to her husband about it and told him where it was

Signature Torn Off. Mrs. Doheny declared that Fall's

the note in the New York apartment This was done, she said, after Do

assume the responsibility for leading want the note to be found if "any-She said that her husband gave a costly, futile and unconstitutional her the part bearing Fall's signature on

Later, under further questioning

her husband as stating at the time the note was torn:

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 23 .- Charles will not become a part of the estate.' Placed in Bank. Mrs. Doheny then related how she came to Los Angeles and placed the the campaign had been waged by

note in a safety deposit box. As the both sides during the last few weeks. months went on she said she forgot all about the incident. When the senate investigating

committee started the probe into naval oil reserve land lease she de clared she made a search for the docu ment, but was unable to find it.

paper bearing Fall's signature was Fred O. Roof, republican state chair-

Man Burned to Death

in Fire at Miami, Ariz. Miami, Ariz., Oct. 23.-Carl Pearson, an employe of the Miami Cop per company, was burned to death when fire of unknown origin de ness district of Miami today. Two from the attack of chills which has

from the flames A strong wind spread the confla- announced. The announcement fur-

Witnesses, Fearful of Slayers' Wrath. Break Five Months' Silence, Arrests Follow; Held Incommunicado.

#### Spellman Had No Chance

Four men were arrested Thursday afternoon on charges of the murder of James J. Spellman, who was shot and killed May 15, 1924, in a gun battle with bandits in his store at

1106 North Seventeenth street. Floran Martinez, 1131 North Sevenby a witness as the man who fired the fatal shot. The three others have been identified as members of the former janitor at the police station, Produced as Dramatic Ex- and Andrew B. Swift, white, 1480 Spencer street.

The arrests resulted from information furnished to police by Mrs. Ella Hughes, who lives on Nicholas street between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets. She is acquainted by sight Los Angeles, Oct. 23 .- The missing with Martinez, but told police that ing and the address was carried by portion of the famous \$100,000 Doheny- she had been afraid to tell of her radio to almost every section of the Fall note which featured the senator- knowledge of the killing because she

Mrs. Hughes told police that she an era of more than average prosper- McCormick, who is trying a govern- 15 by men's voice below her winity," the president called attention to ment suit in an attempt to cancel dow. She looked out, she said, and the fact that despite the "natural leases granted to E. L. Doheny on saw Martinez talking to the three men arrested with him

"I heard him say 'We'll knock old maintain the present established order ument came as a dramatic blow to Spellman off and get some dinero of things," there are now proposed, the attorneys, especially engaged by (money)," Mrs. Hughes told police. She declared that she then dressed hurriedly and hastened to Spellman's ernor, stressed importance of pristore to warn him. As she reached the doorway of the

store, she said, the four men fled through the doorway and down the

woman, who name is being withheld, towns, Crete, Dorchester, Friend, home. has also identified the four suspects, Fairmount, Exeter, Grafton, Sutton, ng to po This woman told police that Martiman, "Put up your hands; we want date for lientenant governor, and J. told of correspondence which they

your dinero." Without waiting for D. Parriot of West Virginia, who is had seen from Mrs. Scheurmann to Spellman to comply, Martinez shot, to speak with Mr. McMullen at a re- Reinmiller. this woman said. Both women told police that they

their neighborhood. municado at the city jail. They do strenuous campaigning for a time. is believed. not know what charges have been W. E. Andrews, candidate for conplaced against them.

Until the women told police of the Mr. McMullen here. shooting Thursday morning, it had been believed that Spellman was alone was chilly and made a street meetin the store, and that he was killed ing uncomfortable, a large crowd was by a lone bandit.

# HEAVY MAJORITY

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 23.-Returns available at 7:16 this evening give the vote from 1,319 sub-election districts showed a "wet" majority of 47,212 in signature was deliberately torn off the Toronto liquor plebiscite. The vote stood 73,692 for continuation of C. W. Crane were in charge of the No other "sound and practical" of the Doheny's shortly after the the temperance act and 120,814 for government control.

> from all sections of the province of and T. M. Wright were in charge. Ontario indicated early tonight that C. C. Smith managed the Exeter meet a very heavy vote had been recorded ing. At Sutton, N. G. Bender and whether the province was to con- The Grafton meeting was under the tinue the Ontario temperance act, un- direction of Mrs. C. A. Shoff and D. Doheny retained the other portion der which the sale of intoxicating C. S. Hubbard, H. J. Platz and Mar of the note bearing the amount of liquors, or importation for beverage tin Cheliberg were in charge of the

sealed packages. In Toronto the vote was believed IN YARDS CRASH will not find the whole note and it it being estimated that fully 70 per cent of the voters had gone to the polls. There were few reports of any disorder, despite the vigor with which

#### Hoover Will Outline

Campaign by Radio Denver, Colo., Oct. 23 .- The principles in which the republican party is basing its campaign in the west After the senatorial investigation will be outlined in a radio address by had been concluded she went to the Herbert Hoover, secretary of combank with her attorney, Charles Well- merce, here next Saturday night. The born, and opened her safety deposit secretary's address will be broadcast box. After several hours of scanning from station KLZ at 7:30 (mountain the bulletin said. the contents of the box the piece of time) on a 283-meter wave length. man, who made the announcement. said Secretary Hoover's address will be one of the most important in a series of speeches being broadcast as part of the republican campaign.

Prince Recovers. prince of Wales has fully recovered and then killed himself. days, an official bulletin issued today

# Four Held "Debs and Berger for Murder See the President"

It is probable that some day we may see this headline in the newspapers. There is of course, no reason why either Debs or Berger may not call t see the president. Nor is there any reason why the presidnt should not receive them graciously. From what we know of Debs and Berger they

such an event, however, it is a matter of very serious moment, who the president might be. There would be a world of difference if the president were Mr. La Follette.

We cannot lose sight of the fact that Mr. La Follette owes his nomination, owes the enthusiasm of his campaign, will owe whatever success he may attain in the election, very largely to the closely knit, rigidly disciplined class conscious socialist party.

Eugene Debs said of La Follette at the convention, where the socialists nominated the Wisconsin senator for president: "Though he is not a socialist we need not blush or apologize to give our support to Robert of the Harbine bank of Fairbury M. La Follette." rger was even more enthusiastic upon the same occasion. He said: "La

republican ticket since 1904. teenth has been positively identified La Follette has not denied any of these "love taps." He has gladly used the socialist support. Should Debs and Berger call on La Follette as chairman of the executive council president they would naturally expect the right to discuss with him John S. McGurk of the State bank of

the socialists would share. quartet which robbed the store. They are Zenor Recera, Mexican, 1618 We may be sure of one thing, should Debs and Berger call on President Coolidge he would not discuss with them any plans for their entry into goviets. vernment activities. Imagine if we can, the blow to industry, to all our business activities if Debs or Berger were given a foothold at Washington. Again let us call to mind, out here in Nebraska, that we are at the dawn Frank Abegg of Afliance; Lincoln, E. noon when Wayne Boyer, 12, living

## McMullen Tells of Scheurmann Trial Farmers Road Need

ondary; Paved Roads to Markets Are a Necessity.

By P. C. POWELL, Hastings, Neb., Oct. 23.-Adam Mc Mullen, republican candidate for gov-

from the farm to the market, in his ness of Judge Colby. addresses today. Tourist roads, according to Mr. McMullen, are im- bonds. He has admitted that he shot portant, but should be considered as and killed George Reinmiller, DeWitt,

Center, Harvard a At Exeter, Mr. McMullen was mann's preliminary hearing to testify nez, with gun in hand, ordered Spell- joined by George A. Williams, candi-

publican rally here tonight. ing before, as the suspects lived in mount. Because of illness, which has may be called to take his place. confined the senator to his bed, he The four men are being held incom- will be obliged to discontinue his will be set within the next week, it

gress in the Fifth district, joined Despite the fact that the morning at Crete waiting to hear Mr. McMullen when he arrived at 9 this morning. Those in charge of the Crete meeting were Thomas Dredla, county chairman; Mayor T. J. Kobes, Anton Dredla, Henry Jhinek, Adolf Bobac, State Senator Meecham, Edgar Rossiter, candidate for the lower house Adolf Gerner, Rev. Mr. Cressman Police Judge E. E. Eckert, Herman

Nave, C. E. Bender, R. R. Hastings. At Dorchester, W. R. Stewart and meeting. Harry Hannis, George Winters and Richard Woods officated at Friend. At Fairmount, George W. Toronto, Ont., Oct. 23.—Reports Porter, Lewis Frazier, Donald Frazier the plebiscite to determine Mrs. A. W. Clarke were in charge

# **GRAIN EMBARGO**

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 23.-An embargo stopping every grain ca from moving into Minneapolis or Du luth will have to be enacted within 10 days unless country shippers coshipments, said a bulletin issued to-

With elevators here and at Duluth pacity within 10 days if the ship-

No Inquest Planued. Flood Wood, Minn., Oct. 23 .- De claring the tragedy a case of murder and suicide, Coroner J. F. McComb

Expulsion Dropped. Mexico City, Oct. 23.—The expulsion order recently issued against eight

## Date Is Unsettled Good Roads for Tourists Sec- Illness of Judge Prevents Ap-

EDITORIAL

portioning of Cases of Fall Term Calendar. Special Dispatch to The Omaha Bee.

Beatrice, Neb., Oct. 23.-The trial of Edward Scheurmann, wealthy De-Witt farmer, charged with murder in the first degree, has been indefimarily building good roads that lead nitely postponed because of the ill-Scheurmann is being held without

She entered the store and found of secondary importance to the farm- and gave as his excuse the fact that he believed Reinmiller had been at-During the day he spoke at 10 tempting to wreck the Scheurmann Reinmiller's mother and sister were

Should Judge Colby be too ill to Senator R. B. Howell was scheduled sit on the bench during this term of had been afraid to talk of the shoot to rejoin the McMullen party at Fair- court, Judge Raper of Pawnee City The date for the Scheurmann trial

### BAD POWDER NOT CAUSE OF BLAST

Washington, Oct. 23.-Examination fund of the inspection reports of the cruiser Trenton render untenable the theory that deteriorated power may

# KNIFE REMOVES

Miss Truly Shattuck, 56, vaudeville ity of the borrower without knowledge system of government control, under J. W. James. Philip Yager and P. Mc- comedienne and musical comedy star of the banks directly interested." is which beer and spirituous liquor, for Intosh of Hastings met the candi-Later, under further questioning which beer and spirituous liquor, for Intosh of Hastings met the cand be from Pomerene, Mrs. Doheny quoted beverage purposes, could be sold in dates and escorted them to Hastings weight from 192 to 123 pounds and in still another one the McFadden records, are Henry P. Carroll, Pat ness and administrative circles here narrowed a 52-inch waist line to 34. Pepper bill is advocated as a means Carroll, Henry Comstock. Thomas according to surgeons of a hospital of preventing "branch banking,"

#### Coca Cola Denies It Owes Income Taxes Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 23.-The Coca

operate by holding back their grain an answer to the suit instituted gave the bankers a startling exhibiagainst it by the government federal tion of rapid calculation during the day by the northwest regional ad court, in which the commissioner of final afternoon session, in a talk and Helena Hill Weed, daughter of the fire early today. The hall was de internal revenue seeks to collect demonstration entitled, "Thinking in late Congressman E. J. Hill of Nor-stroyed, \$6,833,469.62 additional income and Figures." He insisted that the teach-With elevators here and at Daniel 18,533,465.62 additional income and already crowded with grain, heavy excess profits taxes and penalty allege children much more ch excess profits taxes and penalty at leged due the government under the causes children much worry, could be Wheeler ticket, announced she expect property. and the elevators will reach their ca- company's 1919 tax return. The answer contends the taxes and penalty short cuts, and demonstrated with for United States senator to succeed ments continue at their present rate, assessed were illegal and that no practical problems just how these the late Frank B. Brandegee, sums whatever are due the government by the Georgia corporation.

#### Senator Will Broadcast. Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 23.—United States Senator Samuel M. Raiston

announced no inquest would be held will speak over the radio from Station into the deaths of John Ollila, his wife WBBZ here tomorrow night in sup and 2-year-old daughter, and Louis port of the candidacy of John W. Mattson, a neighbor. Ollila shot his Davis, democratic presidential nomi-Montreal. Quebec, Oct. 23 .- The wife, baby and neighbor to death, nee. He probably will speak shortly before 8 p. m. Lawyer Speaks at Norfolk.

## Guaranty Mother Bankers, in Convention Here, Seek Creation of Non-Political Secretary of State Department.

Harold H. McLucas, vice presider Neb., was elected president of the Nebraska Bankers' association at the Follette is a socialist in everything but name. He has not voted the close of the two-day annual conven- Tells Police He Saw Prisoner tion in Hotel Fontenelle, Thursday

C. A. Smith of Tilden was elected prospective cabinet appointments or other administration plans in which Omaha, treasurer, and William B. Hughes of Omaha was re-elected sec-

Six new members of the executive mond, alias Pat Carroll,

In resolutions the association de fered to the 1925 session of the Nebraska legislature:

fered to the 1925 session of the Nebraska legislature:

That the bureau of banking be separated from the Denariment of Trade and Commerce and that a department of the commerce and that the secretary of the commerce and the co on behalf of the accused man. They

# Face Year With Optimism.

theory that deteriorated power may have caused the explosion on board which has resulted in 14 deaths, Secretary Wilbur announced today. He added that the departmental files failed to show a single accident from "bad" powder during the last 15 years, or since 1909 when the navy obtained a method of stabilizing all service explosives.

While the ordinance bureau has a definite theory of the cause of the catastropse the secretary said it would not be divulged or commented upon while the court of inquiry is sitting in the case.

KNIFE REMOVES

tion:

Resolved, That the bankers of Ne-traska, in convention assembled, desire to express our gratification because of the financial, industrial, commercial and agricultural conditions of Nebraska attained in the last year.

We are uroud of the heroic and successful fight made by the bankers of Nebraska attained in the last year.

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to be operated under the supervision turned to Kansas City for trial on the Canton. General Yang has 8,000 of the association, to prevent exces-SURPLUS WEIGHT of the association, to prevent excessafe blowing charge; sentenced in sive borrowing by the same individual Kansas City in July, 1918, to two from various banks in the same ter-Chicago, Oct. 23.—An operation on ritory and "thus increasing the liabil- larceny. closing resolution urges that receiv-Superfluous fat, weighing 69 ers of failed banks be centralized in of Raymond are on their way to one receiver, appointed by the guaran- Council Bluffs authorities from Kan

#### Convention Concluded.

George H. Wood, cashier of the Little Sloux robbery. Cola Company of Georgia has filed Home State bank of Louisville, Neb. short cuts work.

A theater party and another in formal dance at Hotel Fontenelle Thursday night officially closed the program of the convention, which, in the opinion of Secretary Hughes, was the most successful ever held. The desertion. They were married at registration totaled nearly 1,200. Marysville, Kan., in 1908, and have

#### Two Trainmen Injured in Texas Collision

Eastland, Tex., Oct. 23 .- Two trainnen were injured this afternoon when two Texas & Pacific freight trains met in a headon collision in the rail-Norfolk, Neb., Oct. 23.-M. F. Harroad yards here. Engineer Moore of Total. French and Spanish business men of rington, lawyer of O'Neill, addressed Fort Worth, of a westbound train, ness buildings, but the Miami fire suite would leave shortly after mid- Pueblo City because of their refusal a large crowd in the Auditorium and Fireman Cunningham of an east-Clubs and a member of the National department, aided by firemen and night for Hamilton, Mass., where he to pay the income and corporation theater here tonight. Mr. Harring-bound freight, were seriously injured. Clubs and a member of the National department, aided by firemen and night for Hamilton, Mass., where he editorial association, Alabama Press equipment from Globe, Ariz., brought is to be the guest of Bayard Tucker profits tax will not be carried into ton spoke on behalf of the president ton spoke on behalf

## Changes in Youth Lost for 18 Years, Finds Taylorville, Ill., Oct. 23.-After

being lost 18 years, Leon Humphrey, Law Sought 26. found his mother, Mrs. Charles Collins, here today. When Humphrey Lead was a child he was kidnaped by a man thought to be his father, and was deserted in California.

He spent several years in the army Business Suspended as Merand was assisted by the Red Cross in finding his parent.

## Boy, 12, Tightens Officers for 1925 Named Net Drawn About Entire Situation New Robbery Suspect

Near Scene of Little Sioux Holdup; Hearing Next Week.

Another link in the chain of evidence connecting Harry H. Raycouncil were elected for three-year Kansas bank robber, with the robterms, as follows: District 4, A. R. bery Tuesday of the Little Sioux Thompson of Hastings: District 7, (Ia.) bank, was forged Tuesday after-M. Warner; Omaha, J. B. Warner: on a farm two miles east of Bartdelegates at large, J. C. Flannigan of lett, Ia., identified Raymond as one Stuart and W. R. Martin of Stratton, of two men he had seen walking past his home Tuesday evening. The boy told Council Bluffs au-

thorities that Raymond's companion recting the fighting from a point near clares itself in favor of the following had been carrying a small hand-grip Shanhaikwan, where a battle expectcommission law of Nebraska be of short distance from Tabor, Ia., where the bandits' wrecked car was

authorities. Increasing prosperity in Nebraska The record begins in 1904, when he turbances which began when members brought forth the following resolu- was arrested in Salt Lake City and of the merchants volunteer corps, the sentenced to three years in the peni. fascisti of China, battled in the streets tentiary for burglary. Since then he here with the so-called red army of of has been in jails or penitentiaries al. Chinese laborers. most half of the time.

suspect: arrested later in 1916 at St. customs at Canton. Joseph, Mo., and sentenced to six Dr. Sun Yet-Sen, who was in con months in jail for counterfeiting; ar. trol of the government of South China rested in Kansas City, April, 1917; and around Canton, has fled to Shiukwan, forfelted \$3,000 bond on a safe blow-leaving Gen. Yang Hsi-Min, commending charge; arrested in Des Moines in er-in-chief of the Yunnanese forces, as January, 1918, for auto theft, and re- the chief contestant for control of safe blowing charge; sentenced in troops under his command here. years in the penitentiary for grand controller of Honan province, has 2,000

#### Used Many Names.

Among the aliases which Raymond Kwangsi forces has 1,000, A O'Brien and Frank Calvert.

Pictures of the known associates ty fund commission and acting under sas City, and are expected to aid in establishing the identity of the men supposed to have assisted him in the Seeks Brandegee's Place.

Wife Charges Desertion. Beatrice, Oct. 23 .- Mrs. Mary Bell Drake of this city has filed suit for divorce in the district court from William Drake. She charges him with

## The Weather

Hourly Temperatures 62 come here apparently for a rea

# Disorder

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Be glad of life because it gives you the chance to love and to work and to play and to look up at the stars .-

Henry Van Dyke.

chants and "Red" Laborers Battle in Streets: Pekin Taken Quietly.

Defection of General Feng Yu-Hsing, trusted lieutenant of Wu Pei-Fu, changed the entire Chinese situation Thursday.

Authentic reports showed that General Feng with part of the army under his command had taken charge of Pekin, cut all telephone and telegraph wires, and destroyed train serv-

Chinese reports asserted he had demanded abdication of President notorious Tsao-Kun, who recently made Wu Pei-Fu commander-in-chief of all of Cuba's national armies, and that he had insisted that the present warfare against Ching Tso-Lin, military dicator of Manchuria, should cease. Reports failed to show whether Feng was acting in league with Manchuria or independently.

Feng Yu-Hslang is known as "the

Wu Pel-Fu last was reported di-

hat the guaranty fund law be amendto define specifically the character
insture of all deposits protected by
guaranty fund law and convergely the
recter and nature of such deposits as
denied the protection of the guaranty
disks. looters shot, citizens fleeing from a several typewritten pages, according to information from the Kansas City the city—this was the scene Canton presented today in the wake of dis-

> The troops were on duty today de High lights in the record are: Ar- spite an order issued which terminated rested in Lincoln, Neb., 1909, for martial law. Mayor Li Fuk-Lum tencounterfeiting, and sentenced to dered his resignation yesterday. His three years and six months in Leav. likely successor is Fu Ping-Shueng. enworth federal prison; arrested in St. 29, graduate of Hong Kong university. Louis in July, 1916, as a safe blowing Fu was formerly superintendent of

> > Li Fuk-Lum, the retiring mayor and

ice, and Gen. Li Chai-Sam of the owing to the threat of the troops to seize the Canton customs house.

Cantonese troops available for serv-

## FIREMAN KILLED AS WALL FALLS

Richmond, Ind., Oct. 23 .- William Kinney, fireman, was killed, and James Marshall injured seriously when the west wall of Lindley hall Plainfield, Conn., Oct. 23.-Mrs of Eartham college collapsed in a

The damage was \$125,000.

#### New Rail Merger.

Washington, Oct. 23.-Acquisition by Morgan's Louisiana & Texas Rail road company of control of the Frank lin & Abbeville Railway company by purchase of its capital stock, was authorized by the Interstate Commerce Commission. The Morgan's Louisiana & Texas Railroad and Steamship company is a subsidiary of the Southern Pacific company

W. E. D. Stokes Improves, Baltimore, Oct. 23.—Physicians at Johns Hopkins hospital today report ed the condition of W. E. D. Stokes. New York millionaire, as satisfactory, following his entering Marburg ward as a patient. Friends in New York said Stokes had shown symptoms of a nervous breakdown and that be had