# JUDGE IS MOBBED

CROWD COMPELS HIM TO RE-SCIND AN OFFICIAL ORDER.

# TRIED TO ESCAPE TO ENGINE

Had Ordered Arrest of Sheriff and Marshal for Failure to Enforce His Order Against Gambling.

DENVER .- The spectacle of a member of the judiciary being dragged about by a mab and forced to rescind an official order ended a day of turmoil at Brighton, Col., the county seat of Adams county. A. H. Guthiel, county judge, hauled the mayor, marshal and members of the town board before him Monday, and lectured them for their alleged failure to enforce ordinances against gambling and Sunday liquor selling. He then had the sheriff and marshal arrested for alleged contempt.

The report of the judges action spread through the town and caused gather in the streets, and fearing for his personal safety, Judge Guthiel boarded a Union Pacific freight engine. He ordered the engineer to uncouple the engine from the train, and run to this city with him, threatening legal action unless the engineer complied with the order. The latter refused to obey and while they were discussing the matter a mob gathered around the engine and Judge Guthiel was dragged from the cab.

He was told that he must rescind his order of arrest against the sheriff and marshal and upon being assured that he had already done so, the judge was released by the mob and allowed to proceed to this city on a passenger train later. .

# CANAL WORK MAY BE POSTPONED

WASHINGTON. - Secretary Taft will, at the first opportunity, take up with the president the proposition to transfer the control of the whole matter of the construction of the Panama canal from the war department to the state department. It was his intention to discuss the matter with the president at his conference Tuesday night, but the lack of time prevented his doing so. The question was brought up some time ago, but for various reasons it was postponed to a more favorable occasion.

Since the Spanish-American war, involving the acquisition of the Philippines, the work of the war department has greatly increased and the suggestion that transfer to the state department of the canal work with its many perplexing questions which are bound to come up has been under consideration. Secretary Taft, it is known, is willing that a transfer should be made. basing that disposition on expediency.

# WAGES ADVANCED AT BOSTON.

# Six Thousand Carpenters to Get 28

Cents More a Day. BOSTON.-Six thousand carpenters in Boston and vicinity will have their wages advanced 28 cents per day. The change becomes operative under a decision of Judge George 1,, Wentworth of the municipal court as arbitrator, given about a month ago. The Master Carpenter's association has agreed to accept the judge's decision. A number of employers not members of the association have not agreed to pay the advance and it is expect that a small number of workmen will strike.

# Month's Pension Drop, 891.

WASHINGTON. - The regular monthly statement of the condition of the pension roll for the month of August shows the net decrease in the pension roll from July to August was 891. Teh total number of pensioners on the roll on July 31 was 998,102; the total on August 31 was 997,211.

# Big Sweat Shop Burns.

NEW YORK. - The largest sweat shop building in greater York, known as "the penitentiary," was destroyed by fire Wednesday morning. One hundred and fifty contractors had quarters in the building, and more employed. The building loss is \$40,-

# New Siberian Railway.

ST. PETERSBURG.-It has been definitely decided by the government to build a second trans-Siberian railway to the far East. The present line is a single track affair, and while built for military purposes, proved in-

#### adequate during the war. Miss Roosevelt in Yokohoma.

YOKOHOMA.-Miss Alice Rooseveit and her party arrived here Wednesday upon the steamer Minnesota from Shimonoseki.

# A Brooding Jap's Suicide.

NEW YORK.-K. Nakamer committed suicide by jumping from the roof to an extension, a distance of four stories and he was dead when found. He had been brooding over the Japanese-Russian terms of peace and had told the hotel proprietor that his country had been disgraced.

# A \$150,000 lowa Factory Fire.

Davenport, IA .- The American Can factory was burned to the ground dast night with a loss of \$150,000, partially covered by insurance.

HIS AIRSHIP WOULDN'T STEER.

A Slight Accident to Knabenshue, the

Aeronaut, in Massachusetts. BROCKTON, MASS .- A. Roy Knab enshue, the aeronaut, met with an accident to his airship upon the Brockton fair grounds while trying to make an ascension. He was ont injured. The ship had risen about 30 yards when the motor missed a number of revolutions. This prevented steering and the bag containing the gas struck a flag pole on one of the buildings, stopping the flight. He was able to descend in safety.

# **DEWEY SEES MENACE** IN NEW ALLIANCE

WASHINGTON.-In a discussion of general naval subjects and their connection with the adiance between Great Britian and Japan, Admiral Dewey, the head of the American navy and president of the general naval board, gave some of the reasons which prompted his recent comment upon the desirability of the United States strengthening its navy by the addition much excitement. Citizens began to of battleships of the highest class and heavy armament.

Admiral Dewey belives that the al liance between Great Britian and Japan means that the United States must be prepared to maintain the position it occupies in the orient.

Admiral Dewey also spoke of the results which attended observations by our experts and those of Great Britian in the naval battle of the Russo-Japanese war. Japan was secretive and denied American experts access to her fleets during engagements. The British experts had full swing.

Admiral Dewey asserts that the splendid gun fire and discipline of the Japanese was due in large measure to their having in the fleet a rear admiral to every three vessels, and perfect command was secured throughout. But the chief feature of his observations in his opinion that the Japanese-British alliance and the information which Great Britian obtained in the war constitute the moving reasons why the United States should get busy to strenghten its navy with high power ships.

# Quitting Strong Drink for Beer.

WASHINGTON .- A chemist of the department of agriculture who has lately returned from Paris, says that the Parisians are abandoning their old and time tried drink, absinthe, for American and German made beer. In some of the French provinces beer is taking the place of wine. The chemist say beer promises to assume the same position in France as It now posserses in Germany.

## More Immigrants Coming.

NEW YORK, - The immigration commissioner, Mr. Watchorn, gave out the immigration fixures for this port for the month of September. The figures show that 90,772 immigrants landed at Ellis Island, as against 82;in September, The last month has, according to the commissioner, been the heaviest immigration September in the history of the immigration bureau.

# Anti-Horse Thief Men Elect.

MUSKOGEE, I. T .- The annual meeting of the National Anti-Horse Thief association was held here Wednesday, J. W. Wall of Parsons, Kas., was re-elected president, J. B. Parker, Spurgeon, Mo., vice president, J. M. Pierce, Morrisville, Mo., secretary andtreasurer. The next annual meeting ing will be held in Carthage, Mo.

Liberals Still in the Fight. HAVANA.--A national convention of the Liberal party decided not to

abandon the presidential campaign, and refused to accept the resignation of Jost MMiguel Gomez, the party's candidate for the presidency. The convention resolved to investigate the circumstances surrounding the death of Congressman Enrique Villuendas at Clenfuegos.

## Chaffee Refuses Royal "Bid." LONDON:-Lieutenant General Ad-

na R. Chaffee has been the recipient of many invitations to functions in his honor during his brief stay in London. King Edward, through Sir Thomas Lipton, expressed a desire to see General Chaffee, but an engagement precludes the possibility of his than 1,000 men, women nad children going to Balmoral where the king is now residing.

# Scared a Patient to Death.

CHICAGO.-Fright at an operation which he was about to undergo caused the death of Andrew Peebles. While the physicians were preparing their instruments and the operating table, the patient stepped into the room and fell to the floor dead. It is believed his fright caused paralysis of the heart.

# Cruiser Fleats Again.

MOJI.—The American cruiser Cincinnati, which went aground on Hime island, 8 miles west of Nagasaki, floated off and has arrived here.

# Killed Her Seven Children.

ROCK ISLAND, ILL.-Mrs. Clarence. Markham of Cambridge, in a fit of temporary insanity killed her seven children with an ax, after which she placed their bodies on a bed, saturated it with coaloil and set fire to it. The oldest child was 9 years old, the

# youngest a laby in arms.

Hearst Named for Mayor. NEW YORK.-William Randolph Hearst was named as a candidate for mayor at a Municipal Ownership mass meeting in Grand Central Palace.

# HAS PLENTY TO DO

MR. ROOSEVELT'S DESK LOADED WITH IMPORTANT PAPERS.

# CHANGES IN THE CABINET

Completion of the annual Message Only a Small Part of Business Demanding Early Attention.

WASHINGTON.-President Roosevelt returns to Washington to find his desk loaded with papers. Affairs he will have to take up will include:

Message-Completion of his annual

Corporations-Discussion in his message of the railroad rate question and the formulation of recommendations relating therete; investigation of the corporations, including insurance, and determination of policy to be recommended to Congress.

Panama Canal-Action upon various matters connected with the construction of the Panama canal and consideration before congress of the report which will be submitted by the board of consulting engineers and the views of the isthmian canal commission expressed thereon.

Cabinet-Partial reorganization of his cabinet though the retirement of Leslie M. Shaw and William H. Moody from the offices of secretary of the reasury and attorney general, respec-

Reforms-Continuance of work of introducing economical reforms into operations of government, and the discussion in his message of the work accomplished by the Keep commis-

Philippines-Consideration of the JAPS DO NOT Philippines situation.

#### Punishment of Grafters.

Graft-Conference with Secretary of Agriculture Wilson in connection with investigations which have been made in his department; conference with Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock in relation to the prosecution of prominent public men guilty of violating the public land and Indian laws.

Public Printer-Appointment of sucessor to F. W. Palmer of Illinois as public printer, who probably will be Oscar J. Ricketts, now acting as public printer, and of a successor as interstate commerce commissioner to ex-Governor Fifer of Illinois, whom the commission believes will be ex-Governor Yates of Illinois.

Quarantine-Consideration of the tional quarantine, to take the place of state quarantines.

Foreign Affairs-These include: Whether or not the United States shall intervene in Venezuela, and the men were removing a show case when communication to France of the policy one of them struck a box of dynamite this government will adopt in case caps. Hardware was blown through the French government should take the roof and the front of the store President Castra for his insult to its charge d'affaires in Caracas; discussion with senators of the policy of the United States in Santo Domingo in preparation for the struggle to secure ratification of the treaty now pending in the senate: action with respect to the immigration of Chinese and Japanese, with a view of preventing a recurrence of the boycott of American products by China and to avoid bad highest importance to the state and relations with Japan; negotiation of a | as a mark of the special favor of the general reciprocity agreement with emperor." Germany, to take the place of that which will expire next March; appointment of a representative to the conference of the powers which will take up the Moroccan question and which will meet next month at Algeciras. Spain; negotiations with the powers in regard to the program to be discussed at the international peace conference of The Hague, and the appointment of the American commissioners.

#### ALL FAVOR PEACE CONFERENCE. But No Nation Suggests Subjects for Discussion.

ST. PETERSBURG.—The Russian government has received a large number of replies to the peace conference without greater delay than necessary to permit all the delegates to reach | money. The Hague.

### Chicago University to Teach Russian. CHICAGO .- A course in the Rus-

sian language has been instituted at the University of Chicago. Samuel Harper, son of cresident W. R. Harper, is the instructor. Mr. Harper acwhile studying in mission schools in Russia.

# Tights Enrage Cattle.

JEFFERSON, WIS .- A Miss Belmont, in making a balloon ascension descended in a pasture filled with cattle. She wore red tights, and the animals made a rush for her. She suffered a few bad bruises.

# More Troops for Hawaii.

WASHINGTON. - The army strength in Haiwaii is to be increased from two companies to a batallion of infantry. The additional force is not needed except that the present force is lacking in dignity.

# Fishing Boat May Be Lost.

CHARLEVOIX, MICH .- A fishing boat with four families of Indians, in oil was advanced 5 cents today by the cluding several women and children Standard Oil company to \$1.56. Tiona has been given up as lost. There are was advanced 5 cents to \$1.66. There supposed to have been about twenty were no changes in other grades to Indians in the beat.

CORTELYOU NOT TO QUIT SOON.

Insurance Disclosures Cause the Chairman to Remain in Office. WASHINGTON .- The Postmaster

General, Mr. Cortelyon, will not resign the chairmanship of the Republican national committee for some time to come.

The admission by President McCall of the New York Life that his company contributed about \$48,000 to the Republican campaign fund of 1904 has involved the Republican committee to a considerable extent and it is understood that Mr. Cortelyou does not wish to relinquish command until the atmosphere is thoroughly cleared.

# THE PRESIDENT IS IN DEAD EARNEST

WASHINGTON, D. C. - Congressman Townsend of Michigan, one of authors of the Esch-Townsend rate bill which passed the house last session, called on the president. He talked about railroad legislation and about the necessity of making some changes in the bill as it passed last year, prior to its submission in the next congress. He is to call again when the subject will be gone into fully.

"The president introduced the conversation with the remark that he is in dead earnest about the question,' said Townsend. "He is just as determined as ever. The president is in favor of the same ideas that he advanced in the last message, and that means the principle of Esch-Townsend bill.

Mr. Townsend said he expected the senate committee on interstate commerce to prepare some sort of a rall-

# WANT THE ISLANDS

TOPEKA, KAS. - Charles Curtis, representative from the first Kansas district, has returned home from a trip to the Philippines with the Taft party. He says he got acquainted with conditions in the islands and got many new ideas. Mr. Curtis says there is no danger of Japan wanting the islands.

Mr. Curtis stated that the public schools system established by the United States are doing great good. The attendance has increased five times. He says the islands are not a good place for investment now but will be in a short time.

#### DYNAMITE CAPS GO OFF.

question of the establishment of a na- Six Persons Are Injured in El Paso. Tex., Accident.

FORT WORTH.-Six persons were injured by a dynamite explosion in an El Paso hardware store. Workmeasures to exact reparation from was blown out. Major Penons will probably die.

# Why Witte Was Made a Count.

ST. PETERSBURG.—The imperial decree issued Monday formally announcing the bestowal on M. Witte the rank of count adds that the distinction is given "in recognition of his services to the throne and fatherland and the admirable manner in which he discharged a task of the

#### Opposes Federal Control. CHICAGO.-Federal control of in-

surance companies was discussed by the Iroquois club. The debate was one of the liveliest which ever marked a luncheon at the clubrooms of the Democratic organization. Many Dem ocrats maintaining that such matters were entirely within the province of the separate states. The debate was precipitated by a motion in support of federal control.

# Bills Are Not Car Fare.

CINCINNATI.-In the suit of Mrs. Edward Anthony against the Cincinnati Traction company, Judge Swing held that a \$5 b.il is not legal tender for street car fare, because excessive. invitations, all of which are favorable. Mrs. Anthony was put off a car be-The time of the meeting will be fixed cause the conductor was unable to change the bill and she had no other

# To Unveil Morton Monument.

NEBRASKA CITY, NEB. - The Arbor Day, Memorial ... ssociation has decided on October 14 as the day for the unveiling of the monument being erected to the memory of J. Sterling Morton, secretary of agriculture durquired his knowledge of the language ing the last Cleveland administration, and founder of Arbor day.

#### TO Punish Red Sea Pirates. CONSTANTINOPLE.-The arrival

at Hodeida, Yemem province, Turkish Arabia, of the British cruiser Fox promises to lead to a speedy settlement of the British claims in connection with the piractical attacks.

#### Larger L. & N. Earnings. LOUISVILLE, KY. - The annual meeting of the stockholders of the

Louisvillo & Nashville Railroad com-

day.

pany was here. The net earnings were \$12,027,049, compared with \$11. 802,244 for the previous year. the Bans of Japan. Oil Again Advances. PITTSBURG. - Pennsylvania crude

#### been caused the American state department as a result of the action of the Hamburg-American Steamship

company in purchasing Water island, a small key, which commands the Danish West Indies, for use as a coaling station. This commands the approach to the canal.

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A SUBSIDIZED STEAMSHIP COM-

PANY BUYS AN ISLAND.

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The Hamburg-American to Establish

A Coaling Station and Naval Re-

pair Establishment.

WASHINGTON .- Much concern has

The anxiety of the authorities arises from the fact that the Hamburg-American company is subsidized by the German government. Its steamers are available in time of war for use as auxiliary cruisers, and its coaling stations may be utilized by the German government in order to carry on hostile operations.

When the Panama canal is completed St. Thomas, which has the best harbor in the group, would make an Ideal base from which a hostile fleet could operate and control the canal. Besides, the canal commands Porto Rico and Cuba, and these islands are the key to a descent upon the eastern coast of the United States. The island which has been purchased is just off the mouth of the harbor of St. Thomas, and that the company intends to build a large dock. Any German men of war might use it. It follows as a matter of course that the company will erect shops to make repairs and will maintain a large coal supply on the island, which will be available for German battle ships or cruisers. From what experts in the navy department say, it would be against the intersts of the United States to permit the consumation of the project of the Hamburg-American.

# THE TREATY PASSES THE PRIVY COUNCIL

TOKIO .- The peace treaty passed the privy council. The meeting of the council was prolonged. The treaty will be immediately ratified. An order abrogating martial law at Sasebo, Nagasaka, Tsusnima and Hakodate was

Baron Shibusa, addressing the associated chambers of commerce, said the development of trade communications and carrying power was of the highest importance to Japan. He criticised the ultra-pessimistic views taken of Japans financial future and said he was confident of greater developments.

# NO NEW JAPANESE LOAN.

The Last Borrowed Money Will Be Used to Repatriate Troops

LONDON. - Koretriyo Takahashi, the financial agent of Japan, who will return soon to America, says there is no definite project for a new Japanese loan nor have steps been taken for the conversion of the old loans. He anticipated, however, that the financial program to be submitted at the coming session of the diet will propose a new loan to liquidate the high priced bonds now outstanding The last loan is still intact and will suffice to repatriate the Japanese armies in Manchuria and defray the expenses of their demobilization. Regarding pensions and compensations to widows and others, they will be paid in government bonds which probably will remain in possession of the beneficiaries longer than cash.

# EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS.

#### Russia Has 1,866 Japs and Japan Has 64,000 Russians.

ST. PETERSBURG.—Russia agreed to the Japanese proposition to exchange prisoners of war whereby 1,-886 Japanese prisoners in Russia will be delivered at some point on the Western frontier of Russia, and 64,-000 Russian will be delivered at the ports of Kobe, Nagasaki and Yokohoma, whence they will be conveyed to Vladivistok in ten Russian transports now interned at Shanghai and Saigon and two of three other ships which are being sent from Odessa.

# Funds for Philippine Victims.

WASHINGTON.-In order that the damage resulting from the recent typhoon in the Philippine islands may be at once repaired and to prevent suffering among the many people whose houses and property were destroyed by it, the quartermaster general of the army has cabled to Manila that an extra allotment of \$50,000 has been made to meet the expenses.

# Dock Laborers Strike.

KRONSTAD .- The dock laborers here have again struck for more wagof Arabs on British dhows in the Red es and shorter hours. Work on all foreign ship is at a standstill.

A Big Jap Treasury Bill Issue. NEW YORK .- An issue of 61 million dollars in treasury bills by the Japanese government was announced in a dispatch received here by S. Uchida, Japanese council general in this city. All the bills were taken by

# Fire Made 400 Homeless.

RHINELANDER, WIS.-Fire in the lumber district of this town destroyed property valued at \$600,000 and rendered 400 persons homeless. The total insurance is about \$400,000.

#### ANOTHER SIGN OF PROSPERITY.

Importations in September 5 Million

Dollars More Than a Year Ago. NEW YORK .- The monthly report issued by the chief custom house appraiser, Mr. Whitehead, last night, furnishes a striking instance of the current prosperity existing throughout the country. The total appraised value of importations during the month of September just ended was \$55,004,350. This is an increase of about 5 million dollars in comparison with the same month in 1904. Important increases are shown in various lines of machandise and especfally in luxuries.

# TYRANNY IN CUBA SAYS GENERAL GOMEZ

NEW YORK .- "Liberty is dead in Cuba and the condition of affairs there is worse than it ever was under Spanish rule, even in the most ferocious periods of the Weyler government. Financial ruin and dihonor facing the people. If things continue as they are the nation will be converted into one of heritary rule."

This declaration was made here by General Jose Miguel Gomez, governor of Santa Clara, candidate of the Liberal party for the presidency of Cuba. "I am here to rest several days and to breathe the air of liberty that is lacking in my own country, and for which I have fought so long.

"On false charges the government assassinates the Liberals, the jails are filled with political prisoners and we have no hope of justice from judges and magistrates who recognize no law except the will of the government. We are hindered in casting our votes and Cuba is now suffering a reign of terror never equaled under Spanish tyranny. It was such things as these that made us with draw from the elections. Public funds are used for electoral purposes. The sanitary condition of the island is a disgrace. The Cuban government has employed thousands of men in the sanitary department, but for voting, not for working purposes. The mayor of Havanna has been deprived of his office against the law and the whole city council has been dismissed because they were Lib-

# WHY THE JAPANESE **GAVE UP THE FIGHT**

TOKIO.-Notwithstanding the silence of the government, the real fact is disclosed that Japan made peace at Portsmouth in fear of a financial breakdown. The war proved more costly than had been calculated and the rice and cereal crops seemed doomed to failure. Instead of sunlight and warmth during the month of August, when the crops ripen, there was continuous rain

and exceedingly cold weather. While some improvement may stil be in store, it is certain that the rice crop promises to be from 15 to 20 per cent below the average condition, far below last year's crop when it was marvelously large. Six months more of war would have meant very hard times, for the masses of the people are very poor and rice is bread and meat to them.

# Witte High Man Now.

ST. PETERSBURG.-Count Witte, the Russian peace plenipotentiary, lunched with the czar and was given a most cordial reception. The czar proposed the health of Count Witte and declared him the most able diplomat in the world and a nobie patriot.

Governor Wright Is Coming. WASHINGTON .- Governor General Wright of the Philippines sails for San Francisco Nov. 7. He will remain in the United States about six months and be present in Washington when the bids on the railroad system for the islands are opened.

# Asks 2 Millions Commission.

NEW YORK.-Homer Lee has sued Eugene Zimmerman for 2 million dollas, Lee says is due him for commissions for his work in the combination of Pere Marquette, the Toledo Terminal and the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton.

# Berlin Strikers Awed.

BERLIN.-The strike of the elecrical workers has extended to two more factories. The total number of men out is 38,000. The troops overawed the violent element among the strikers.

Diphtheria at Annapolis.

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of the members which would have ter-

ANNAPOLIS .- On acount of diph-

#### minated on September 30, has been extended until Saturday October 7.

Scare Robbers Away. PEORIA, ILL.-Robbers were scared away just as they were about to dynamite a safe in a bank at Berdolph,

#### They escaped, Looks For New Trial.

CINCINNATL-Arguments against the appeal of Mrs. Chadwick were made in United States circuit court of appeals here. J. P. Dawley, attorney for Chadwick, said: "I don't see how we can fail to get a new trial."

# Discuss Printing Office Plans.

WASHINGTON .- Members of the government printing office commission are said to believe it easily possible to reduce the expenses of the government printing office at least 1 million dollars a year.