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VENEZUELA NOW WANTS PEACE.

Official Starts to Paris to Negotiate.

HOLLAND

Foreign Office at The Hague Rec Word From Willemstadt That Ex-Minister Has Left Caracas Wit voliceman Eugene Falle Settlement in Mind.

The Hague, Dec. 24.—The foreign office today received official communication from Willemstadt that Ex-Minister de Paul has left Caracas for Paris to open negotiations toward settling the differences existing between Holland and Venezuela.

RUMORS OF PLOTS IN LISBON.

King Displeased With Man First Named to Draw Up Cabinet. Lisbon Portugal, Dec. 24.-Disappointed by Senior Birao Azevedo, who was commissioned by King Manuel to form a new Portuguese cabinet, the

king today asked Ex-War Minister

Lells to assume the task.

The city is full of rumors of plots. "PAJAMA PARTY" NEW FREAK.

Broadway's Swagger Set Outdoing One Another in Foolishness.

New York, Dec. 24.—Broadway's swagger set this year has gone back to the old but surest way of letting off the steam of its holiday enthusiasm. Its members are running on one another's heels to see who can give the smartest, most expensive and elaborate and "freakiest dinner or supper imaginable. Scarcely a night has passed for the last three or four weeks when at one of the restaurants or hotels there has not been an affair at which the guests have been principally actresses from the musical or comedy stage and rich men whose days are spent in the battles for the thousands they throw away at night.

One of the latest was a pajama party. At another an actress present did a sword dance costume, with her boot stuck full of table knives.

So far the honors appear to be even between Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Gouraud and M. Robert Baques. Mrs. Gouraud was the enormously wealthy Amy Crocker, of California. She and her "first nighters" and "late supperers"

Makes a Stunted Girl Grow. London, Dec. 24.-The experiment

of treating with thyroid extract a girl \$14,000 bail each. physically and mentally undeveloped has had remarkable success. The pathough 23 years old, had the development of a child of only 5 years, and 33 inches tall. Her teeth were the same as a child's, her skin cold and harsh, and her facial features were undeveloped. A soft spot, like that on top holes in the walls of an adjoining cion. It is declared here also in some of a baby's head, could be felt on her. She had no appetite and was mentally unobserving.

cian, diagnosing the absence of the nances passed and during his confer. However, Australian sports are keen thyroid secretion, took charge of the ences with the councilmen Wilson and observers. They would be the first to case. He administered 1214 grains of a stenographer were stationed in the spot any taking and would be quick to the extract of thyroid in the glands next room, making a full record of the resent it. daily. The patient now has grown transactions. two and a half inches. Her skin is During these conferences, he said, moistened and warm, her face con- Councilman Klein had much to say siderably developed, and she has cut regarding how completely the coun- Country's Best Swimmers Will Comseveral new teeth. She is constantly cils were controlled. He also declared

ever, is in her mental condition. She ing the passage of an ordinance. has become extraordinary loquacious | Councilman Klein, Wilson testified, using a vocabulary she could not have said that the councilmen had differacquired in two months, which shows, ent prices. Some councilmen wanted that unconsciously she listened to and \$100, some \$75, some \$25 and some \$5. stored up words without power of em- It was also possible, the witness said,

Defense Will Try to Prove Alibi for Eight of Accused Men.

Union City, Tenn., Lec. 24 .- The state closed its case in the night rider trial today. The defense will try to prove an alibi for eight of the accused testify that they were home and in friendly relations with Venezuela, and tempt will be made to show their country, look into the situation and schools of Boston and college and club

who has turned state's evidence, in his established that the Gomez governtestimony told for the fourth time the ment will maintain control without stroy of the night rider outrages, cul trouble. Indeed, the possibility that minating in the Ranken murder. Like disorder may arise is indicated in the the others, Hogg said Governor Pat- request for an American warship at terson promised him a pardon and La Guaira, to which this government transportation out of the state if he has promptly responded. would tell the truth.

Striker's Slayer Not Guilty. sensational week's trial the jury in the case of W. D. Toler returned a killed George W. Davies, an Iowa Central striker, here last July.

Dynamiter Given Life Sentence. Claudianes, the Greek charged with zuela's disagreement with this coundynamiting the home in this city of former Supervisor James L. Gallagher, the star witness for the prosecution in the San Francisco bribery graft cases, was found guilty by a jury and sentenced to life imprisonment.

HAINS' LETTER IN EVIDENCE.

Paves Way to Show Events Which Led to Slaying of Annis,

Flushing, N. Y., Dec. 24.-Nearing the close of its case against Thornton J. Hains, as a principal in the killing of William E. Annis, who was shot down by Captain Peter C. Hains last summer, the prosecution brought out a letter written by the defendant, thus opening the way for Thornton Hains lawyers to bring to light those incidents in Captain Hains' marital career which brought about the tragedy. The WILL BE NEXT DAY THERE, letter was written last June by the defendent to Jordan Ripley. In it he characterizes Annis as a "rascal" and Difference in Time Brings Scrap For-"scoundrel" and accused him of be-

'oliceman Eugene Fallon testified Thornton Hains, during the coro-"quest, deciared to him of Anning build go down to hell and get hims, will him over again."

MONEY TO SIXTY PITTSBURG OFFICIALS.

Testimony in Bribery Case Shows Graft System is Gigantic.

San Francisco is left far behind. Fur. not shy. thermore, it is stated, the sensational developments here are mere prelimnance alone it was testified that sixty councilmen had divided \$45,000. The stated the bank would be a depository for the city's funds if it "would do as other banks have done." After sev-\$17,500 on a table in a room of the most fight him for nothing. Both men short time. The bankers then visited is longer. the room and, it was said, the money

pal witness was Robert Wilson, a private detective, who testified that he America to the effect that Yankee engaged a room in a hotel, and cut sports look on the fight with susplroom. Then a series of meetings quarters that it will be a fake, and it were arranged with councilmen. His is pointed out that terms of the conassistant, Herbert Jones, posed as a test are such that Burns has little in This was in October. The physi- business man desiring certain ordi-

that Klein and Brand each accepted The most wonderful change, how- \$500 from Jones in payment for secur-

to secure some votes in return for a suit of clothes or street car tickets. STATE CLOSES IN R.DER TRIAL. All the accused men were held for trial and released on bond.

UNITED STATES BACKS GOMEZ.

Sends Warships and Resumes Friendly Relations With Venezuela.

Washington, Dec. 24.-After eight men. Members of their families will months the United States has resumed bed the night of Oct. 19, when Cap- William I. Buchanan has left on the rine swim for ance, hurdle race, tain Ranken was murdered. No at cruiser North Carolina to visit that canoe tilting, relay race open to high whereabouts on the nights other out make a report. The report he will races. rages were perpetrated, as they are make to the state department will deindicted only for the murder of Ran cide whether the United States will accord formal recognition to the new Herschell Hogg, another night rider government. It has not yet been fully

Secretary Root was pleased when he announced that President Gomez Burnham, former president of the Mu. wanted to settle satisfactorily all in-Marshalltown, is., Dec. 24 - After a ternational questions. Some signifi- was found should be be be been up to the best of the cance was attached to the fact that gas poisson in. The police say death Mr. Root had referred to Gomez as verdict of not guilty. Toler shot and president, and this was taken to indicate that it is all over with the Castro government.

The general impression is that the new order of things will open the way Oakland, Cal., Dec. 24-Peter for the pacific settlement of Venetry Holland and France.

Pope Receives Bishop Scannell. Rome, Dec. 24.—The pope received Rt. Rev. Richard Scannell, bishop of Omaha, in private audience.

BIG FIGHT WILL BE ON TOMORROW

Burns and Johnson's Meeting in Australia.

ward Into America's Christmas Lay, Antipodear Sports Talking of Nothing Eise but the Battle.

Sydney, Australia, Dec. 24.—At 8:20 and forty minutes earlier than New of many lives, York time, so that when the big black from Texas and the French Canadian cross arms it will be Dec. 26 here, and FIVE ARE DEAD in the United States the Christmas in the United States the Christmas bells will still be ringing.

All Australia seems to have gone sport mad over the fight, although the church people have made some efforts to prevent it. Nothing else is talked of wherever men get together in all Christmas Visitors Meet Death parts of the commonwealth, and there Pittsburg, Dec. 24.—Pittsburg has is much betting on the result. Burns moved into first place in corruption seems to have the call among the betand municipal graft. The record of ting men, but followers of Johnson are

Hot Weather at Sydney.

In the big crowd at the ringside maries and that subsequent proceed. there will be seen sports from farings against additional councilmen away England and Ireland as well as and business men will startle the a large delegation from across the Pawhole country. From the testimony cific. The visitors from the northern offered in court it was hinted that hemisphere, who left behind them winover three score councilmen are "easy try weather, landed here in the midst to reach" with sums ranging from \$100 of the Australian summer. It's not to \$5. In the passage of one ordi here at this time of year, and shirt sleeves will be the style at the fight.

Before the men get together in the evidence showed that the graft sys ring the main things talked about in tem is gigantic. The evidence was the cafes here are their records and en councilmen and two former bank aged to feather his nest with the fight. ery, corrupt solicitation and conspiracy. get \$30,000, while Johnson will get W. W. Ramsey and A. A. Vilsack, only \$5,000. Much other cash will flow former president and cashier of the to the men in the shape of picture German National bank, were first ar | royalties, theatrical engagements, etc. raigned. It was testified that they but in everything Burns will come in had been approached by Councilman for the lion's share. Burns' profits John Klein, one of the accused, who from the fight will be over \$100,000.

Johnson Anxious to Fight. Johnson's supporters harp on the eral conferences the bankers placed Burns in the ring that he would albank. Councilman Klein and a com have good records as fighters, Burns' that of Mr. Coffman. panion entered the room and left in a being more brilliant, while Johnson's

In tomorrow's battle Burns is exwas gone. The bankers were held in pected to carry the war into Johnson's territory as long as he is able to fight The seven councilmen, President on the aggressive, while Johnson will Brand and Members Klein, Soffel, probably rely on his skill as a long Wasson, Melaney and Ferguson of the range boxer and try to stand off common council and Atkinson or the rushes until he is able to deliver a select were then called. The princi- knockout blow. A long fight is expected.

Many reports have come here from ducement to fight "on the level

HUMAN DUCKS MEET TONIGHT.

pete in Boston Contests.

Boston, Dec. 24 .- Web footed Yankees from all parts of the country are gathered here to witness or take part in the plunge into the big tank at the Sportsmen's show that will mark the beginning of eleven nights of water sports. Many of the America's best swimmers will take part in the races, games and contests of various sorts that will mark the tournament.

The management has arranged the following events: Scratch races, 25, 50, 100, 440, 880 yards and one mile; handicap events, plunge for distance, 50, 100, 300 and 440 yards swim. In addition there will also be a hurry scurry race, costume race, 50 yard novice, open relay race, fancy diving. high diving, water baseball, water polo, duck race, povelty races, subma-

Life Term for Young Hazel.

Toledo, Dec. 24 .- The jury in the case of Harvey Hazel, the seventeenyear-old boy charged with the murder of his mother, returned a verdict of murder in the second degree The finding of the jury means that the boy must go to prison for the remainder of

Frederick Burnham Found Dead. New York, Loc 24 - Frederick A tual Reserve like insurance company

Bodies of Entembed Miners Found Mount Carmel Pay Dec 24 - En tombed in the Bennesivania cultiers by an avalanthe of real the bottes of Frank Lease and Stanislaus Mores of American ethnology at the Southvage were tought by a rescuing party.

Bridgeport to Be County Seat.

port was selected as the permanent

rill at the special election.

county seat of the new county of Mor-

Bridge att, Neb., Dec 24.-Bridge

SELL MONEY.

Nebraska National Bank Sells Christmas Gold Pierces. The Nebraska National bank has

handled quite a volume of business in 'money sales" during the holidays. The bank some time ago "imported"

to Norfolk for the Chirstmas sale a number of \$2.50 gold pieces which have been sold for Christmas gifts, A number of stores bought the gold pieces to present as gifts to their em-

So there is such a thing as a Christ mas sale of money.

Lloyd's Medal to Brave Woman. London, Dec. 24.-Lloyd's medal for aving life at sea goes to Miss Kate Gilmour, stewardess of the Sardinia, destroyed by fire at Main last month Miss Gilmour refused to leave the ship toniorrow night (New York time) the until all the women and children were

IN TRAIN WRECK.

on Reading.

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 24.-A wreck on the Reading railroad at Glenmore, near Hopewell, is reported here. Five persons are said to have been

The dead were people going visit ing for Christmas.

ROSEBUD ROMANCE ENDS IN OMAHA.

brought out in the hearing of the sev- the fine way in which Burns has man- Marshall Coffman and Miss officials arrested on charges of brib. Win or lose, the shrewd scrapper is to ery corrupt solicitation and consultracy get \$30,000 while Johnson will get Ward, Married, Met on Claims.

Omaha, Dec. 24.-Mart Coffman, a lawyer from Dallas, S. D., a member of the real estate and locating firm of Coffman & Owen, was married here Tuesday to Miss Sarah G. Ward, a nurse of Columbus, Ohio. Miss Ward met Mr. Coffman in Omaha where the fact that he is so anxious to face wedding took place. Miss Ward spent last summer visiting her friend, Miss Custer, whose father's claim was near

AMERICAN SAVANTS MEETING TODAY.

Pan - American Congress Learned Mon in Chile.

North South and Central America their business as legitimate comlearned men are assembled here today itors. for the opening of the pan-American engineering, etc.

The United States of America is represented by ten men of the highest standing in the scientific world. They ent companies do not reduce prices or are Professor A. C. Coolidge of the increase the aggregate amount of their succeeds, "for those who would unlaw Harvard historical department and Professor Hiram Bingham, for the past



COLONEL W. C. GORGAS.

five years curator of South American history and literature at Harvard. The other delegates are Professor Leo S. Rowe of the University of Pennsylvania, a well known authority on Latin America; Professor Paul S. Reinsch of the University of Wisconsin well known for his writings on political science and colonial government: Colonel William C. Gorgas of the United States army, chief sanitary officer of the isthmian canal commission; William H. Holmes, chief of the bureau sonian institution; Professor Bernard Moses of the University of California, George M. Rommel of the department of agriculture, Professor William M. Shepherd of Columbia university and

MISSOURI OUSTS STANDARD OIL.

Waters-Pierce and Republic Concerns Must Leave State.

THREE FINED \$50,000 EACH.

Seven Supreme Judges Concur In ROOSEVELT URGED Sweeping Decision Which Is Hailed as End of Illegal Combines in "Show Me" State-Drastic Arraignment,

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 24.-De-Burns-Johnson heavyweight fight will rescued, Her coolness and courage are of Indiana, the Republic Oil company begin. Sydney time is fourteen hours beld to have contributed to the saving of Ohio and the Waters-Pierce Oil company of Missouri had conspired and combined to monopolize the oil business in this state, the supreme court of Missouri issued a decree oustand fining them \$50,000 each.

> proviso that it may continue in busi- country are planned for Sunday. ness if by Jan. 15, 1909, it can show to the court that it has taken steps to operate as an independent concern president; nine months for John train No. 5 asked her seat companion, and has satisfied the judgment against it. The other companies are given and six months for Frank Morrison, months-old babe a minute while she until March 1, 1909, to wind up their affairs in the state.

Seven Judges Agree.

nations in Missouri, and the former as- company of St. Louis. serts that, in conjunction with the decision of the supreme court of the United States in the tobacco trust notice of an appeal to the District of case, it will affect similar suits in Columbia appellate court at once was

prosecuted the Missouri case since its rison on \$3,000. inception in March, 1905, will become then will be charged with the enforce- order which condemned him to prison ment of the decree. The attorney for a year. Both Mitchell and Morrigeneral followed up the promulgation son seemed stunned, although Mitchell try. One of the principal banks holds by the court with a statement in appeared to be the least concerned. which he asserted that attempts had

been made to compromise the suit. In coming to its decision, the court says: "If such abuses as those complained of are permitted to continue that he had not consciously violated untrammelled, it would be only a any law. There was much he would question of time until they would sap like to say, but he could not do it now. the strength and patriotism from the He added, however, that "This is a very foundations of our government, struggle of the working people for overturn the republic, destroy our free a right. It is a struggle of the agesinstitutions and substitute, in lieu the struggle of the men of labor to thereof, some other form of govern- throw off some of the burdens which

The Offenses.

The court finds that the companies some of the rights too long denied." trade in the refined products of petro- Justice Wright's decision was a tenced to one year in the penitentiary. leum; to control and limit and pre- scathing arraignment. vent competition in the buying and "Everywhere," the court said, "all

the western hemisphere has sent dele- for oils and gasoline are fixed by the for this matter can be ascertained, gates here to discuss matters of mo- Waters-Pierce company. It sends out but, he said, there had been a studied ment to its people. Among the sub- to the trade card quotations giving determined, defiant conflict, "precipijects to be discussed are economics, tank, wagon and barrel prices and as tated in the light of open day, beagriculture, health, various brances of a rule those prices are followed by and tween the decrees of a tribunal or other oil companies, including the in- dained by the government of the feddependent companies, doing business eral union, and of the tribunals of anin this state. As long as the independ other federation grown up in the land." sales above 10 to 15 per cent of the the land are public enemies. entire amount of the sales made in the state there is no war made upon them regarding prices. But whenever any take any actio, as he has been urged independent company reduces prices to do in telegrams from different labor below those fixed by Waters-Pierce, erganizations throughout the country. or whenever their aggregate sales ex- in connection with Judge Wright a deneed 15 per cent of all sales made in cision, has not been decided, it was ant of recent western mancial deals. the state, a vigorous warfare is waged stated at the White House. It was stat It has behind it an almost unlimited against them, chiefly through the Re- ed there that the president has not public company by means of an elab read the decision and cannot say it orate system of espionage in their he will take any action. There was an business and cutting prices or giving intimation, however, that some action part of Iowa and eastern Nebraska. relates, until the independents are might be taken if the president is conglad to throw up their hands and say vinced the sentence is unjust. The la-Enough' and be content to sell off at bor organizations arge the president way company and has been in process the prices and in the quantities pre- to prevent the incarceration of the scribed by the Waters-Pierce com labor leaders. The Illinois United pany and acquiesced in by the Indiana | Mine Workers sent this telegram and Republic companies."

Subpoenas Served on Traffic Manager

of New York Central.

Chicago, Dec. 24.-The investigation into the subject of alleged re bates started here by the government will extend beyond the packing house of Morris & Co. and will include sev eral railroads. The roads within the investigation now begun include the Michigan Central, the Nickel Plate and the Lake Shore B. B. Mitchell general traffic manager for the New York Central lines, and M. J. Sweet agent for the Red line, a fast freight line of this group, were served with subpoenas. Besides the shipment of dressed beef over the roads, the carry

ing of cattle will be investigated

Veteran Expires at Breakfast Table.

Temperature for Twenty-tour seurs Forecast for Nepraska undition of the weather as record ed for the wenty-four names andthe at 8 a m today

Chicago, Dec. 24.—The bulletin isued by the Chicage station of the inited States weather bureau giver he forecast for Nebraska as follows:

Fair tonight and Friday.

TO TAKE ACTION

claring that the Standard Oil company Appeals Made to Him in Behalf of Mine Officials.

Washington, Dec. 24.—Samuel Gompers today issued messages denouncing all three from the commonwealth, ing the decision of Justice Wright. President Roosevelt received similar dict that the child came to its death The decree against the Waters- messages. A mass meeting of all Pierce company is tempered by the union in the principal cities of the

Washington, Dec. 24 - Twelve months in jail for Samuel Gompers | dressed woman riding on Union Pacific Mitchell, one of the vice presidents, an elderly lady, to hold her twosecretary, all of the American Feder- removed her baggage. The old lady ation of Labor, was the sentence im- accepted the charge and after waiting posed by Justice Wright of the su- ten minutes for the woman, notified The decision, which was unanimous preme court of the District of Colum | the railroad officials. It was then dison the part of the seven judges, is so bia for contempt of court for violating covered that the young woman had sweeping that Attorney General Had- an order enjoining them from placing abandoned the babe. No trace of the ley and Governor Folk hall it as the on the "unfair" or "We Don't Patron | mother could be found and the child end of the illegal commercial combi- ize List" the Bucks Stove and Range

All the defendants were in court when sentence was pronounced and filed, Gompers being released on \$5,-Attorney General Hadley, who has 000 bond, Mitchell on \$4,000 and Mor-

With tears coursing down his governor in less than a month and cheeks, President Gompers heard the

Gompers Addresses Court. Asked if he had anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced, President Compers declared

have been heaped upon them, to abolish some of the wrongs and to secure enspired to regulate and fix prices to Mitchell and Morrison told the court retail dealers; to control and limit the they indorsed what Gompers had said. | stealing \$130 from a trunk, was sen-

selling of these products; to deceive over, within the court and without, utand mislead the public Into the belief | ter, rampant, insolent defiance is herthat they were separate and distinct aided and proclaimed; unrefined in-Santiago, Chile, Dec. 24.—From corporations, pursuing independently sult, coarse affront, vulgar indignity measures the litigants' conception of the tribunal's due, wherein his cause In explaining how these were con- still pends. The law's command has scientific congress. Every nation in summated, the decision says: "Prices been to stand, hands off, until justice Financing of Des Moines and

One or the other, he declared must

Urge Roosevelt to Act.

Whether President Roosevelt will "In the name of 75,000 mine workers

in Illinois we desire to protest against REBATE INOURY HITS RAIL ROADS, the recent decision committing to penal servitude those great common ers and representatives of the Amer ican labor movement. These men mabe guilty of a breach of law but a law that deales the use of a free press and full speech is a breach of the fundamental principles of our country Such decisions only tend to create enmity and class hatred. We respectfully so Heit your influence to prevent the incarceration of these men."

Cook Succeeds Chief Biggy.

on the night of Nov. 39.

Plan Balloon Trip Across Atlantic. Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 24.—A bal-Nehawka, Neb., Dec. 24.-William loon trip that will attract the attention Attorney Book is on the warpath for America to Europe,

THE CONDITION OF THE WEATHER THE MOTHER WILL RECOVER.

Her Name Was Found to be Mary Wilson.

ACCIDENT.

Coroner's Jury Returns Verdict that Babe Came to Death by Reason of Willful Neglect on Mother's Part. Another Babe Left,

Lincoln, Dec. 24.-Mary Wilson, alias Jane White, who dropped her new born babe from a Burlington ceach near David City, is still alive and the hospital authorities say she

will recover. The statement is made for her that the dropping of the babe from the coach to the ground was accidental. The coroner's jury returned a ver-

Abandons Babe on Train.

by willful neglect of the mother.

Fremont, Neb., Dec. 24.-A well was sent to a hospital, where it was found to be suffering from lack of food,

Creditors Anxious About McLeave, Fremont, Neb., Dec. 24.-Many creditors are anxious about the whereabouts of Jimmie McLeave, a well known breeder and fancier of high grade horses and ponies. McLeave was well known for his stylish turnouts and has conducted a large horse business for three years. He is believed to have left for the old couna chattel mortgage on his stock

Must Label Headache Powders. Lincoln, Dec. 24.-Nebraska druggists who sell headache powders will be forced at once to label them in a manner which will show all the ingredients contained in the drug. The commissioners entrusted with the enforcement of the pure food law have decided on a campaign against drug purveyors who hand out this kind of powders without properly labeling

Woman Sentenced to Penitentiary, Aurora, Neb., Dec. 24.-Mrs. John Harris, who confessed a week ago to

READY TO START WORK ON NEW ELECTRIC LINE

Sioux City Line Completed.

Des Moines, Dec. 24.-Notice has been received from New York that the financing of the proposed electric tine between this city and Sloux City has been completed, and that \$5,000,000 of capital is now ready to start work on the line. Branch lines will be built to Omaha, Council Bluffs, Fort Dodge and intermediate points. The cost will be about \$25,000 a mile and work

will begin in a short time. The closing up of this arrangement is considered one of the most importamount of money and the promoters contemplate a general net work of electric lines throughout the western The new company will be known as the Des Moines and Sioux City Railof organization for some time.

Contracts for the construction of the line have already been made, it is stated. When all the extensions of the proposed line are completed the road will have more than 400 miles of track.

SUSPECTED SLAYER ARRESTED.

Finley Held to Await Action of Grand Jury at Grinnell.

Grinnell, Ia., Dec. 24.-The authorities believe they have under arrest a man, Jesse Finley, who nearly four years ago committed one of the most brutal murders ever perpetrated in this part of Iowa. Finley, who is known as a wandering fellow, has San Francisco, Dec. 24.—Sergeant been placed in the county jail, after Jesse B. Cook has been appointed waiving preliminary hearing, to await chief of police by the heard of police the action of the grand jury. The commissioners to succeed the late crime with which he is charged is that Chast W. J. Biggy, who was drowned of killing Thomas W. Read on the morning of Jan. 5, 1905.

> After Violators of Mulct Law. Council Bluffs, It., Dec. 24.—County

Chapman, aged seventy, and a pione of aeronants and scientific men in all violators of the lows mulet law, and resident, expired at the breakfast ta- parts of the world is being arranged as a starter has started mandamusble from heart influre. Chapman was by Carl G. Fischer, of this city, and suits to force saloon keepers to carry a veteran of the civil war, having been Geo. L. Bumbaugh, a professional out its provisions. Notice of twelve a member of an lowa regiment. He aeronant. The proposed flight will of these sais have already been was severely wounded at the battle of be across the Atlantic ocean from served, and three of the men against Professor William B. Smith of Tulane Gettysburg. He leaves a widow and some point on the eastern cost of woom they are brought have been in-Adicted by the grand Jury.