KANSAS TORNADO

FOWN OF ALICEVILLE DEMOL-ISHED BY STORM.

THREE PEOPLE ARE KHLED.

Fatal Injury to Two and Fourteen Others More or Less Seriously Hurt Five Funnel-Shaped Clouds Get to Work.

EMPORIA, Kan.-Three persons tilled outright, two fatally injured and fourteen others more or less serisusly hurt, with enormous property samage, is the net result of the torsado near Aliceville, Coffey county. The town of Aliceville, which has 200 mhabitants, was practically demolished. Wires were prostrated, and the effects of the storm were not learned antil late. The list of casualties may be incomplete. The dead: EDITH BAILEY, daughter of W. E.

W. Bailey MR. GILLHAM, father of Mrs. John Bailey.

UNKNOWN MAN. The injured, near Hamilton: W. E.

and wife. At Aliceville and vicinity: William Bruce, fatally; four members of famly of John Earlwine, none dangerpusiv: young daughter of J. W. Ath. Prof. G. S. Williams of Cornell unierton, serious

general all over central Kansas Tueshose near Hamilton and Aliceville Coffey counties five distinct funneltraveling southeast, destroyed build. United States and three who shall ings and crops over a strip a quarter represent the interests of the Domin- tiancy's letter of April 25 were bad position to enforce the treaty and comof a mile in width.

houses in town was either totally The two general merchandise stores there, one owned by T. C. Jones and the other belonging to D H. Grant were totally wrecked and the entire contents destroyed. On the opposite side of the street two blocks, a lumber yard, two houses, as well as the Missouri Pacific depot, were demolished. At Aliceville but one person. William Bruce, was seriously injured. He was crushed by falling timbers. and probably will die. Southwest of Aliceville, in Coffey county, heavy damage was done to farming property. The farm house of John Earl-

wine was torn to pieces and four members of the family wounded, but none dangerously hurt. A baby was blown a distance of fifty yards, and suffered only slight bruises. A school house was blown down, and the house of J. N. Atherton blown away. All the members of the Atherton family. except a young daughter, escaped injury. Her legs were nearly severed Four of the Largest Miners in Tintic by flying timbers, and she is in a serious condition

west of Hamilton, where within a that smoke from a mysterious fire in treasury, who has indicated his ac-'imited locality nine farm houses were destroyed. Many small buildings were turned over and hundreds has put a stop to all underground of stacks of hay and corn shocks scat-

CRANK AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Mechanic From Norwich, Conn., Arrested, but Found Unarmed.

ing. The officials thought from his actions that he was a crank and arrested him. He was unarmed and made no resistance when placed under arrest. He was turned over to the police.

asylum.

Cabbage in Banana Belt. SIOUX FALLS, S. D.-C. H. Jordan of Pukwana, ex-sheriff of Brule gift, is left to Cornell university. county, has a six-acre irrigated cabbage patch on which he has raised an aggregate of 46,000 large cabbages. They are estimated to weigh an average of five pounds each, or a total of to New York had no connection whata handsome return from his six acres estate of the late Philo S. Bennett of week, have been recommended for disof ground.

Hotel Beat in Sentenced. CLEVELAND, O .- Orville B. Smith was on Thursday sentenced to nav a

Session of the Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, D. C .- For two hours on Tuesday the president and

Transactions Pass Billion Dollar

Mark.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.-Henry A. Castle, auditor of the post department, has completed the trial balance for the fourth quarter of the year. which allows a final announcement of the income and outgo of the entire postal service for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1903. The footings are as follows: Expenditures, \$138.-784,437; receipts, \$134,224,443; deficit, \$4,560,044. The postal financial transactions of the postal service for the year including the money order system are \$1,026,737,408, thus for the first time passing the billion dollar

Compared with last year's figures the aggregates are: Increase in ex penditures, \$13,975,271; increase in re ceipts. \$12,376,390; increase in financial transactions, \$122,506,172.

During the six years of the auditor's incumbency, the aggregate financial transactions which have been audited and settled in the bureau amount to \$5,000,000,000,000.

The postmaster general calls attention to the fact that the deficit is more than \$1,000,000 below the esti-W. Bailey, two sons and two daugh- mate of what it would be, made a ters, one son, Ollie, fatally hurt; H. year ago. That estimate was \$5,602. Heberlin, wife and child; E. C. Manis | 227, whereas the actual figures are | many months prior to the granting to \$4,560.044.

To Improve Water Routes. The president has appointed O. H. Ernest, corps of engineers at Chicago; versity, and George Clinton of Buffalo. N. Y., as the representatives of the United States on the proposed international water route commission.

The authority for this action is conchaped clouds formed at about the Great Britain to join in the formation appreciation of the uniform kindness in a treaty made with China. The clouds struck near Aliceville, and composed of three members from the you." ion of Canada, whose duty it shall be health. At Aliceville every one of the fifty to investigate and report upon the conditions and uses of the waters adwrecked or moved on its foundation. Jacent to the boundary lines between the United States and Canada, including all of the water of the lakes and rivers, where natural outlet is by river. The president has announced resentatives in order that there may lows: be no further delay in entering upon the important work involved. In addition, the commissioners are requested to report upon the advisability of locating a dam at the outlet of Lake Erie, with a view to determining whether such dam will benefit navigation, and if such structure is deemed advisable they shall make recommendations to their respective governments looking to an agreement lows: or treaty which shall provide for the construction of the same, and they

FIRES DRIVES OUT MINERS.

ble cost thereof.

shall make an estimate of the proba-

District, Utah, Abandoned. The other injured lived four miles the Herald from Eureka. Utah, says was directed to the secretary of the the abandoned workings of either the Eureka Hill or the Bullion Breck mine work in four of the largest mines in the Tintic district.

ers were driven out of the Centennial Eureka and the Gemini mines. WASHINGTON, D. C .- John Decker come by the smoke in the Centennial do so. of Norwich, Conn., who evidently is a Eureka and narrowly escaped asphysmechanic about 44 years of age, en. iation. There is no way to reach the TRAVELER TURNS ON THE GAS only persons at the dock to see him tered the White house soon after the fire and it may burn for several days doors were opened Wednesday morn. Except for loss of time the financial loss is not expected to be heavy.

Cornell Gets a Bequest.

Irvington, N. Y .- The will of Fred-Decker was examined later in the Cornell university. The income of moved to the government insane estate is bequeathed to his sister. Mary G. Howe, during her life. After disposing of amounts ranging from \$500 to \$5,000 to twenty relatives, the residue, in addition to the \$100,000

Bryan's Business is Private.

NEW YORK-W. J. Bryan was in the city Thursday. He said his visit New Haven, of whose will he is ar charge from the regiment.

Reported Massacre of Jews.

Gets a Verdict Against Convent. LONDON, Ont.-Miss Mary Archer Root, Hay and Hitchcock were the ceration in an asylum on the grounds elected: President, Mayor James M. ground to pieces. only absent members. While those of insanity, and also for remunera- Head of Nashville, Tenn.; first vice He was throwing bundles of grain the total reward \$10,500. present were reticent as to the de- tion for seventeen year's services, president, Mayor Crollus of Joliet, into the machine from a stack, when tails of the meeting it is known that has been awarded \$8,000 damages, III.; second vice president, Mayor W. he slipped and fell, striking squarely some matters of importance, particu- \$3.000 for wages and \$5,000 for wrong- C. Mayburg of Detroit; secretary, in the opening of the grain separator. tarly relating to the navy and the ful detention in the asylum. The John MacVicar of Des Moines, Ia.; The body went clear through the

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY CHRIS-TIANCY RESIGNS OFFICE.

office Department Also Takes Leave of His Position.

WASHINGTON - The postmaster eneral has accepted the resignation G. A. C. Christianev, as assistant attorney general for the postoffice de-

14, and is as follows:

"For reasons assigned in the comsunication addressed to you under and my physician tells me, imperatively, that it will be absolutely impossible for me to undertake desk work for a considerable time. For me of leave of absence on April 28 I was continuing my duties directly Celestial Empire Not Able to Force against the advice of my medical advisor, but owing to then prevailing conditions I did not think I could absent myself. That strain has accentuated since and has brought about a condition calling absolutely for freedom from sustained labor. In the future, as in the past, I shall hold mytained in the river and harbor act of self at the service of the department | the part of Russia indicating that that last year, in pursuance of which the for any assistance I can furnish. I country would begin the evacuation of president invited the government of beg to express to you my very earnest | Manchuria on October 8, as stipulated

The postmaster general, when he July 14, took no action upon it, beyond referring it to Assistant Attorney Mr. Robb's reply was not made pub- trol of the province. the appointment of the American rep- lic until Thursday, and was as fol-

> "The investigation being completed now have the honor to advise you that in my judgment no evidence has been adduced impugning the honesty of Mr. Christiancy and that therefore ignation should not be accepted."

was forwarded Friday. It is a pure ment. ly formal document, and reads as fol-

"I beg to advise you that your res this day been accepted." Mr. Christiancy has been on leave

without pay since last April. Auditor Castle Resigns department, was made Friday. The

SALT LAKE, Utah.-A special to resignation was dated October 7 and from any source. ceptance.

The resignation is to take effect | Will Say Nothing About Challenging when his successor is appointed and on the qualification Mr. Castle will re-In addition to the above mines, min- Castle also said that he tendered his steamer Cedric. Sir Thomas said he resignation last spring. When the in- was not feeling as well as he looked, Several hundred miners are forced was begun Secretary Shaw asked him on his way to England. into idleness. Nine men were over- to remain and he had consented to

coin Hotel.

LINCOLN, Neb .- T. F. Cox, whose home, according to an address found in a pass book which he carried in erick W. Guiteau was filed on Wednes- his pocket, is supposed to be at day. It bequeaths \$100,000 outright to Greenleaf, Kan., went into his room at the Boyd hotel here Friday morning day, pronounced insane and was re. \$40,000 and the use of the Irvington and turned on the gas. He was found by the hotel clerk, almost dead. and died two hours later at an undertaking establishment.

and a reason for his act is not known. He was evidently on his way from Seattle, Wash., to his home in Kansas. He was about 40 years old.

Army Musicians in Trouble. 230,000, and will be sold at about 2 soever with politics, but was in con- the First Regiment band, who refused kisses when the police came. nection with the administration of the to play in the centennial parade last

> New Cabinet Takes Hold. LONDON.-The new cabinet minis-

New Officers of League. BALTIMORE, Md.-At the closing Georfgetown, S. C.

tative quarters that the terms of the general treaty of arbitration between France and Great Britain have been concluded between Foreign Minister Delcasse and the authorities in Lon-

All the substantial terms, of the treaty have now been actiled. There only remain minor questions of detail and the signing of the treaty. These formalities are so far advanced that the treaty is considered to be an accomplished fact. The advanced state of the negotiations has not yet been communicated to the public.

The treaty follows the general lines Mr. Christiancy's letter of resigns of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, which tion, which was addressed to Post- to a considerable extent served as master General Payne, was filed July model. It is pointed out that the Hay Pauncefote treaty, although rejected by the United States senate, now serves the useful purpose of giving a April 25, 1903, I requested to be re- basis for this important Anglo-French lieved from the duties as assistant at. treaty. The officials also view the netorney general of the postoffice depart. gotiations as evidence of the sympament. I take this step because I feel thetic attitude of the United States. France and Great Britain on the practical adoption of the theory of arbi-

CHINA CANNOT RESIST IT.

Russia to Move.

WASHINGTON. D. C .- Sir Chentung Liang-Chang, the Chinese minister, had a long conference with Soc retary Hay Friday regarding the situation in Manchuria. The minister received information some time ago that there was no apparent movement or The reasons assigned in Mr. Chris. everywhere known that China is in no pel Russia to evacuate.

received Mr. Christiancy's letter of ted States is to see that the agree prevention of recurrence of such disment made with the Chinese for the asters and the interruption of interopen ports in Manchuria is carried out. state commerce, duly considering the General Robb with request for ad- regardless of what Russia may do effects of the shortage of water for vice as to the proper course to pursue, etiher in evacuation or permanent con. food prevention, and to provide ways

EXPENSES TO BE CUT DOWN

Number of Municipalities in Philippines to be Reduced.

MANILA.-A commission is now engaged in reducing a number of there is no good reason why his res. | municipalities in the different provinces of the islands. This will greatly Mr. Payne's letter of acceptance reduce the expenses of the govern

At the request of Governor Taft, Admiral Stirling has detached two gunboats, the Isla de Cuba and the ignation, tendered on July 14, 1903, has Pampamga, to Samar to search the ors as is prayed for here." neighboring waters for the little Announcement of the resignation of also been sent out to overtake the cussed the river situation from a tech-H. A. Castle, auditor for the postoffice fugitives if possible. No word of nical standpoint. their whereabouts has been received

SIR THOMAS SAILS FOR HOME

Again for Cup. NEW YORK .- Sir Thomas Liptor

main in office until that time. Mr. sailed for England Friday on the vestigation of the postoffice accounts but that he expected to gain strength

Sir Thomas bade goodbye to H. H. Davies, his American representative. and Captain Webster, who were the off. He would not talk about the Evident Suicide of T. F. Cox at a Lin- possibility of his challenging again for

> The Cedric also carried J. Coleman Drayton, Dr. Hans Schwegel, Austrian vice consul at Chicago: P. H. Whittaker, M. P., and W. H. Truesdale. president of the Deleware, Lackawanna & Western railroad.

Kills Her Drunken Husband. DAYTON, O .- While his wife was waiting on a customer in their restaur-

Cox did not regain consciousness ant here W. H. Lane came home drunk and knocked her down. She grabbed a long knife and thrust it through her husband's heart, killing him instantly. When she saw what she had done, the woman, crazed and grief-stricken, fell upon his body, and CHICAGO. III.-Fifty members of was covering it with caresses and

of an uphill fight.

Omahan Supposed Insane.

RAPID CITY, S. D.-Fred H. Gwyn-Telephone company.

Killed by Threshing Machine. PAPILLION, Neb.-A young man formerly of Milwaukee, who sued the session of the convention of the named Schroeder fell into a threshing

through the elevator.

MAKE IT A HIGHWAY.

lee to Give Ald.

KANSAS CITY, Mo.-Before the Thursday night a resolution was page ed uraing congress to remedy the extee was appointed to carry out the enegestions of the congress in securing

ralley, the cities along its banks and the two great cities at the mouth of hat river have recently suffered from one of the most disastrous floods in the history of the country, in which the value of \$20,000,000 was destroyed, the commerce of two great states impaired and hundreds of miles of railroad torn up and washed away, resulting in untold injury to the commercial of the entire country, the business of two great cities threatened with destruction and their people with pesti-

"Therefore, Be it resolved by the spectfully requested to consider as vide for an inquiry and a thorough examination into the said existing conditions to ascertain and determine At present the concern of the Uni. the most effective measures for the and means necessary to accomplish the objects desired.

"Resolved. That the Missouri river is one of the natural highways of commerce and that the congress of the United States should exact such special legislation as it shall deem necessary to protect and preserve the channel of said river for the people as a highway.

"Resolved, That the senators and the representatives in congress from the states of Missouri and Kansas be earnestly requested to use their influence and to exert their utmost endeav-

Members of congress from both Mis steamer Victoria with Johnson and souri and Kansas promised support of Herman, the defaulting constabulary, such measures as will grant the needon board. The coast guard vessel has ed relief, and practical engineers dis-

Lieutenant Haycraft Out. LEAVENWORTH. Kas. - Second Lieutenant William A. Haycraft of

the Twenty-second infantry, now at Fort Leavenworth, was notified today by the War department that his resignation had been accepted. He was one of the student officers who failed to pass his examinations and was not graduated with his class at the general service and staff college in July and resigned on this account.

Gots More Rifles. WASHINGTON, D. C.—The War department received the following cable-

gram from Governor Taft: "Governor Betts reports the surren der of Colonel Bandholtz, of the constabulary, of thirty-three more rifles at Ligao, Albay, making a hundred in all. All people withdrawn from outlying barrios, returned to their homes by order of provincial board. Trouble in the province reported at an end."

Earthquake at St. Louis. earthquake was felt in Carondolet, the to date, 5. southern part of the city, at 8:55 o'clock Sunday night. The seismic disturbance lasted one minute and caused alarm among the citizens. At in the western portion of the city.

They Vote Against a Strike. the public service corporation, which voted overwhelmingly against a strike per cent demanded by the machinists.

Argentine Only Bounty-Fed Sugar. WASHINGTON, D. C.-In view of VIENNA.—The Czernowitz, the ters have assumed their duties, the ne, an insane passenger on the the fact that only bounty-fed cane Finley, who left the faculty of Prince fine of \$200 and to serve three months newspaper which first announced the seals of office having been exchanged Northwestern train that passed sugar imported into the United States ton to accept the presidency of the in the work house on the charge of Kishineff riots, reports that another at a privy council meeting held by through Rapid City Monday, was re- comes from the Argentine Republic College of the City of New York, was defrauding an inn-keeper. Smith con- massacre occurred at the town of Mo- King Edward at Buckingham palace moved to Sturgis and placed in the treasury department has issued a on Tuesday installed in that office, J tracted a bill at the Hollenden hotel hilev-Podolsky, nera Kishineff, yester- on Friday morning. All of the retired Meade county jail. He had boarded circular relieving importers from the notable gathering of college presi and presented a fraudulent check. The day, in which 300 Jews and 100 Chris- officials and their successors were the train in Omaha, where he is suppolice produced conclusive proof that tians were killed. This report is not present, with the exception of the posed to have escaped from a hos- of identity required as to the sugars participating in the installation cere Smith, by an unparalleled series of confirmed from any quarter. Mobilev- duke of Devonshire, the late acrd pital. During the past summer Thus all came sugars, except Argen- monies. Seventy universities and col impositions, had secured large sums Podolsky is a town on the Dneister, president of the council, and Mr. Gwynne was employed in the Black tina, can be brought in under the in loges were represented and a number of money by fraud in many of the with a population of 18,128, compris- Arnold-Forster, the new war sec- Hills as electrician by the Nebraska sular certificate of origin heretofore of prominent men present delivered

Increases the Reward. HELENA Mont-Word was re members of his cabinet, now in the Sacred Heart convent for damages for League of American Municipalities machine on a farm twelve miles Pacific has increased the reward of ket broke on Thursday and the wild ity, were in consultation. Secretary dismissal from the order and incar on Friday the following officers were northwest of here Saturday, and was fered for the capture of the dynamit- est excitement prevailed. A break of

> China Buys German Gune. other war material.

ouse He is Arrested.

WASHINGTON-A desperate hand lo-hand encounter with an armed is same man, who was determined to President Rossevelt, occurred in the \$500,000 restibule of the White House shortly

The man, who gave his name as acapolis, was overpowered by the off ers on duty at the White House on

realize then for the first liberty. He drew a revolver and at-The officer grabbed his hand and wrenched the weapon from his greap Elliott's struggles were so ferce cramped quarters of the van were un able to overcome him. Officer Ciscle

Chief Usher Thomas Stone and Officer Parker of the White House force, who had assisted in carrying Elliott to the van, attracted by the shots rushed back to the vehicle and assisted in overnowering him.

MANDERSON ON COMMITTEE.

Appointed with Others to Arrange for Congress of Lawlers. ST. LOUIS-President James Hagerman of the American Bar association has announced the appointment sociation to act in co-operation with the committee of authorities of the ly the condition which exists, as it is souri river, and to authorize and pro-Louis during September, 1904. Fiftytwo members are appointed to constitute the committees, with Jacob Klein, Missouri will take place on the 21st St. Louis, chairman, and including inst. Captain Cowles, President Robb of Boise, Idaho, Adolph Moses of Roosevelt's brother-in-law, will be the Hugh Butler of Denver, Ramford A. Chicago, Clifford L. Jackson of Muskogee, I. T., Emil McLain of Iowa City ia., Charles Blood Smith of Topeka, William W. Dixon of Butte, Mont. Charles F. Manderson of Omaha, Bayary T. Hainer of Perry, Okl., Bartlett Tripp of Yankton, S. D., P. L. Williams of Salt Lake City, George M Foster of Spokane and Charles N. Potter of Cheyenne.

JAPAN REJECTS PROPOSAL

Russia Desires to Cut Up Korea, Tak-

ing Half. LONDON.-The correspondent of graphs that Baron Von Rosen, on October 4, presented a note to the Japanese government, contending that self-cocking revolver in his hand, a the question of the evacuation of Man churis, which solely concerned Russis and China. The note further proposes the partition of Korea and suggested that Japan should take the

ern provinces. The note was discussed by a council of ministers October 5, and Mar quis Yamagata, commander-in-chief of the army, had consultations with the ministers of war and marine. The Japanese government, adds the corre spondent, then sent a reply to Baron Von Rosen, rejecting the Russian pro posal. A crisis is possible at any

YELLOW FEVER SITUATION.

Laredo Thinks End of Trouble Is

Sight. LAREDO. Texas.—The number of with the previous day's figures shows being reported on Tuesday.

The experts state that there is no cause for alarm over the late increase. as it but indicates the beginning of the end. The last official bulletin says: New cases, 10; deaths, none. ST. LOUIS, Mo.-A slight shock of Total cases to date, 109; total deaths

Settlement of Strike Expected. PITTSBURGH, Pa.-P. J. Conion of Washington, D. C., first vice president the same time a slight shock was felt of the International Association of Machinists, is conferring with the of \$275,000. ficials of the Westinghouse company with a view to ending the strike of by the Northern Pacific to patrol its NENVARK, N. J.—The employes of the machinists at East Pittsburg. The right-of-way in Montana has had the controls a big system of trolley lines because of the refusal of the company A rolling stone does not make much in this and adjacent counties, have to grant an increase in wages of 71/2

> Finley Installed as President NEW YORK-Dr. John Houston

CHICAGO-With a crash that re ers from \$2,500 to \$5,000. This makes from 50 to 60 cents on light grader and from 40 to 50 cents on other grades was registered during the day It is the first step to put hogs on a 41/2-cent basis, according to advices. BERLIN-The Chinese minister is; It means a loss of hundreds of thoupostoffice department, were under dis- veridict of the jury was cheered in treasurer, Mayor W. D. Morgan of machine, fragments of it going at Essen, where he is buying arms and sands of dollars to the shippers and farmers.

Big Break in Hog Prices.

The first rural free mail delivery routes to be established in the Indian Territory have been started from Miama, three in number.

One of the St. Louis get-rich-quich concerns has sued the sheriff, district attorney and others interested in a recent raid upon it for conspiracy. Thomas Liuton, in a telegram from

Chicago to President Francis, declar-

society, notwithstanding the recent

efforts to depose her from the presi-"Pay up or be sued." will be the alternative offered to delinquent subscribers to world's fair stock by the exposition management after Novem-

of freight revenue for the year of

\$3.506,217; passenger earnings, \$1,-181.114. The Venezuelan-German mixed tribunal at Carcas has officially closed seventy - three claims presented

against the government, involving a total of \$1,317,817. Maitre Labori, the lawyer and defender of Dreyfus, has accepted an

law congress at the St. Louis fair and will read a paper. Washington Henderson, a wealthy speedily as possible the existing coninent democrat and was twice his party's candidate for congress.

> first commander of the Missouri. Joseph Munser, manager of the "Marked for Life" company, who recently shot several members of the show, waived examination at Cincin-

nati and was sent to jail in default of

The official trial of the battleship

beil. Efforts have been made to put the late King Milan's illegitimate son. Milan, by Madame Cristich, into an Austrian military school, but the government refused the request for politital reasons.

Labor difficulties are responsible for the closing down indefinitely of the Morse Iron Works and Dry Dock company in Brooklyn, N. Y., one of the the Daily Mail at Kobe, Japan, tele largest concerns of its kind on the "tlantic coast. Wearing a coat of mail and with a

Japan had no right to interfere in Chinaman named Wong Lung killed a fellow countryman and inflicted serious if not dangerous wounds on two others at Boston. Enoch L. Cowart, cashier of the

Navesink National bank of Redbank. southern half and Russia the noth. N. J., which is now in the hands of a receiver, pleaded guilty to two charges, one of them embezzling \$20. 000 and the other in aiding in the making of false reports to the treas-

The exports from the Berlin con sular districts to the United States for the quarter ended amounted to \$2,991,010, an increase of \$558,814 over those of the third quarter of 1902. A corresponding increase is shown in the other consular districts of Germany.

Thomas J. McLain, United States consul, is dead, says a New York Herald dispatch from Nassau, N. Y. He recently suffered a paralytic new cases of Tuesday as compared stroke and had since been growing worse. McLain held his consulate a slight decrease, nineteen new caser iwenty-five years and was a native of Warren, Ohio.

> The million dollar back tax suit of the state and county against the Southern Pacific railway company at Louisville, Ky., has been compromised and orders were entered dismissing the case. By the terms of the compromise the Southern Pacific company is to continue to pay the state a franchise tax of \$5,000 a year. and will pay state and county taxes in Jefferson county on a valuation of

The vigilance of the men employed effect of stopping, at least for a time. the work of those who were trying to blackmail the company.

The assistant attorney general for the postoffice department has rendered an opinion against the use of pen alty envelopes or penalty slips by army poet exchanges for forwarding articles of uniform or equipment to officers and enlisted men of the army. The Paris police have arrested H. Hutajinski, formerly a member of the Russian mission to Abyssinia, on the charge of having formed a society to exploit mines, which he asserted he had discovered in Abyssinia, but which t is claimed do not exist.

Elliot W. Shanklin, secretary of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' association, dropped dead in his ofdee at Louisville, Kv.

An Indiana man has written a 400 1000-word history and description of the Philippines. In honor of the London artillery company a British flag floated be-

side the stars and stripes from the

upper windows of Bunker Hill monument last Priday. Anthracite coal is selling in New York at \$6 a ton.

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