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DEATH OF HANNA

OHIO'S DISTINGUISHED SENATOR PASSES AWAY.

A BRIEF BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

The Two Weeks' Struggle with Typhoid Fever Has a Fatal Ending—Those Who Were Present When the Final Summons Came.

WASHINGTON—Marcus A. Hanna, United States senator from Ohio, and one of the foremost figures in American public life, died Monday evening in his apartments at the Arlington hotel at 6:40 p. m. of typhoid fever after an illness of two weeks. He passed away peacefully and without pain after being unconscious since 2 a. m., since when the first of a series of sinking spells came on, from the last of which he never rallied.

MARCUS ALONZO HANNA.

Marcus Alonzo Hanna was born in New Lisbon, Columbiana county, O., September 24, 1837. Fifteen years later his parents removed to Cleveland, where he lived all the rest of his life. He was educated in the public schools, first of New Lisbon and then at Cleveland, and finished at the Western Reserve college at Hufson, O., which later institution granted him the degree of LLD. in 1900. After leaving college he entered the wholesale grocery house of Hanna, Garretson & Co., Cleveland, his father being the senior member of the firm. When his father died in 1862, Marcus represented the interest in the firm until 1867, when the business was closed up and he became a member of Rhodes & Co., engaged in the coal and iron business.

Ten years later the title of the firm was changed to M. A. Hanna & Co., which still exists. Mr. Hanna was closely and actively identified with the lake carrying interests, being interested in the ownership of vessels on the lake and in the construction of such vessels. He was also active in railway and banking circles, being president of the Union National bank of Cleveland, president of the Cleveland City Railway company and was in 1885 a government director of the Union Pacific railroad, being appointed by President Cleveland. He was not reckoned a national figure in politics prior to the McKinley campaign of 1896, although he had been a delegate from Ohio to the national conventions of 1884 and 1888. In 1896 he managed the preliminary campaign that resulted in the nomination of William McKinley for president, and then, as chairman of the national committee, directed the campaign that resulted in Mr. McKinley's election.

In 1900 he was made national chairman for the party again, and again managed the campaign most successfully. One of the features of this campaign was Mr. Hanna's own swing around the western circuit on a tour of campaign speechmaking. He surprised the knowing ones of his party by the enthusiasm he engendered, and much of the success of the party in the doubtful western states has been attributed to this expedition. In March, 1897, he was named as senator from Ohio by Governor Bushnell, to succeed John Sherman, who retired to enter Mr. McKinley's first cabinet. In 1898 he was elected senator to serve out the short term, ending in 1899, and also for the full term ending in March, 1905. Last month he was again elected senator to succeed himself, so that his term of office now would not have expired until March, 1911.

All members of the family with one or two excentions, were at the bedside when the end came. They were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hanna and Mr. and Mrs. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Parsons, Miss Phelps, H. M. Hanna and Mr. Dover. During the last hours life was kept in his body only by the most powerful stimulants.

TRIBUTE OF THE COAL MINERS

All Will Close Work on Day of Senator Hanna's Funeral.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—The following was issued from the national headquarters of the United Mine Workers of America by the National officers:

"INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 17.—To the Members of the United Mine Workers of America: As a tribute to the memory of the late M. A. Hanna, and as an expression of appreciation of the many services rendered by him to our organization, you are requested to cease work at noon on Friday, February 19, the day of his funeral."

President Calls on Mrs. Hanna.

WASHINGTON.—President Roosevelt called on Mrs. Hanna on Wednesday afternoon to pay his respects and to offer his condolences. He remained in the family apartments of the Arlington for nearly an hour conversing with Mrs. Hanna and other members of the family. While there he was shown the casts of the death mask made of Senator Hanna by U. S. J. Dunbar, the sculptor.

Bird was Released on a Writ.

NEW YORK.—In an address to the Associated Press from San Juan, P. R., under date of October 25, 1903, the fact was announced that Mr. Hobart S. Bird, editor of the News, had been sentenced to two months in jail for libelling Judge Pamos, and had begun to serve his sentence. Mr. Bird made an appeal for a writ of habeas corpus before the supreme court, which was granted on the day following his arrest and he was released from arrest by order of the court.

JIMINEZ HAS BEEN ROUTED.

Cause of the Revolutionary Leader in San Domingo is Hopeless.

SAN JUAN.—The Cuban steamer Julia, which has arrived from San Domingo, and the French steamer St. Simon from Peurta Plata, San Domingo, both report that General Jiminez, Dominican revolutionary leader, has been routed, that his whereabouts are unknown and that his cause is hopeless.

The recent fight at Pajarito, near San Domingo, was caused by revolutionists firing on a flag of truce carried by Americans, landed from a warship, who were going to consult with persons ashore. The Americans, it is asserted, retaliated, and scattered the insurgents. No international complications are expected.

Senor Eschaia, formerly governor of San Pedro de Macoris came here as a refugee on board the St. Simon. He will join President Wos y Gil, who is living in San Juan. San Domingo city orders its provisions from Porto Rico direct, the supplies of that capital being exhausted. A schooner loaded with provisions sailed for San Domingo.

Americans Would Help Russia.

WASHINGTON—The Russian embassy is being flooded with offers of assistance from Americans in various walks of life. Letters from twelve physicians arrived on Wednesday. The Russian ambassador has been obliged to abandon his original intention to answer each of these offers with a personal letter, but a cordial letter of thanks is sent by the embassy to each writer. The offers are declined, as Russia does not stand in need of medical or military aid.

Russian Prisoners to Be Held.

WASHINGTON—United States Minister Allen cables from Seoul the following details of the disposition made of the Russian sailors who composed the crews of the Variag and Korietz, the Russian cruisers sunk by the Japanese at Chemulpo on the 9th instant: "Russian forces that were captured have been taken on the French naval vessel and will be conveyed by her to Saigon (Cochin China) Wednesday, where they are to be detained until after the close of hostilities."

First Trophy to Mikado.

TOKIO—The flag of the Russian cruiser Variag, recently sunk off the harbor of Chemulpo, which will be presented to the emperor as the first trophy of the war, reached Sasebo on Tuesday on the cruiser Chigoda, together with the anchor, a gun and other souvenirs of the destroyed war ship. The captain of the cruiser Chigoda has been summoned to Tokio to personally recount to the emperor the action and experience of himself and crew. He will bring the captured flag with him personally.

On Orders from Washington.

COLON—Hurried orders from Washington were received to embark a battalion of marines on the Prairie. A special train left Colon Sunday morning and returned at noon with the 450 marines, who were encamped at Bas Obispo station on the Panama railroad. The Prairie's boats were kept busy all day embarking the camp fittings, baggage, stores, etc., and this task is not yet finished. Major Lucas will command the battalion and the Prairie will sail Monday under sealed orders.

HANNA'S FUNERAL

REMAINS OF SENATOR PLACED IN CRYPT.

LAST TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD

Throngs Are Too Large for All to See the Body Lying in State—Striking Marks of Respect to the Deceased.

CLEVELAND, O.—Cleveland was again a city of mourning on Friday. Business was practically suspended and a large proportion of the population paid homage to the memory of their distinguished fellow citizen, Senator Marcus A. Hanna.

Just as dawn began to break over the city the doors of the chamber of commerce auditorium, where the body lay, were reopened to a vast throng of people who desired to view the face of the dead senator. The long lines of people stretched away until they exceeded in length the five blocks reached during Thursday afternoon. The early hours of opening the doors to the chamber brought thousands of men with their dinner pails on their way to their daily toil. In such great numbers did they come, however, that many were unable to remain in line. Early morning trains brought many excursionists from surrounding towns, and they, too, helped to swell the long line.

The funeral was held in the afternoon at St. Paul's Episcopal church. During the service Cleveland was a silent city. Nearly all business was suspended. Street railway and steam road traffic on every line in the city was stopped for five minutes, from 1 to 1:05 o'clock.

At noon the funeral cortege left the chamber of commerce building, preceded by a platoon of police, for the church.

Following the police came troop A, as guard of honor; then came carriages with the pall bearers, the Washington delegation, the governor's staff, chamber of commerce committee, Loyal Legion committee, and delegations representing various civic societies.

The church was filled long before the hour for the services to commence and thousands lined the street about the edifice.

The choir chanted the 30th and 19th Psalms. President Pierce of Gambier college an institution of which Mr. Hanna was a benefactor, read the lesson, which was from 1st Corinthians, 15th chapter, from the twentieth verse to the end of the chapter.

The choir, under the direction of Prof. C. E. Clemens, then sang the hymn, "Lead Kindly Light." Bishop Leonard then delivered a eulogy.

The choir sang the hymn, "Forever with the Lord, Amen, So Let It Be." Dr. H. G. McGrew, rector of St. Paul's church, followed with the creed and prayer. The anthem, "I Heard a Voice from Heaven Say," was sung by the choir.

Bishop Leonard then read the committal service and pronounced the benediction.

At the cemetery, where a final farewell of the dead was taken in Wade Memorial chapel, the service consisted simply of a prayer by the bishop. The body was deposited in a crypt in the chapel to await burial at the pleasure of the family.

On the way to the cemetery two striking marks of respect were shown the dead senator. At Adelbert college the students drew up in line in front of Hatch library and stood with uncovered heads as the cortege passed. Again, at the Euclid avenue car barns, near the entrance of the cemetery, several hundred employes were drawn up in line and with bared and bowed heads paid their last respects to the dead.

During the time that the body lay in state from 1:30 to 9:30 o'clock p. m. Thursday, and from 6 to 11 o'clock Friday, it is estimated that not less than 60,000 people gazed upon the features of the dead senator.

ALL QUIET AT PING YANG.

General Pflug Sends a Report to Alexieff.

ST. PETTRSBURG—Major General Pflug, chief of staff to Viceroy Alexieff, has sent him the following telegram from Port Arthur:

"Our scouts report that no Japanese have been seen at Tsen Chu, or at Ping Yang, Korea. The population is indifferent toward us. The ice on the Yalu river is beginning to go out. Natives say that if a high tide comes within five days the ice will begin to drift. The coast of the Liao Tung peninsula is covered with ice for a mile and a half to the sea. None of the enemy's ships has been seen lately. There have been no fresh attempts to destroy the railroad."

Paul Lessar, Russian minister at Pekin, has telegraphed that Yuan Shai Kai, commander-in-chief of the Chinese army, intends to send 10,000 men from Pao Ting to Shang Hai Kwang.

Don't Care What Bryan Says.

PRINCETON, N. J.—"I don't care any more about what Bryan says than the wind that blows. I'm sure it does not bother me any. Let him talk," said Grover Cleeyland on Friday, when asked what he thought of Bryan's remarks in taking exception to what Cleveland said recently in an article in the Saturday Evening Post. Cleveland declined to comment further on the article, saying: "I think the article explains itself, and I have nothing more to say about it."

Attacked by Korean Soldiers.

WASHINGTON—United States Minister Allen has cabled the state department from Seoul, under Thursday's date, that a company of Korean soldiers attacked an electric carriage belonging to an American citizen, damaging it and injuring the operator.

Bids on $3,000,000 Certificates.

WASHINGTON—The war department issued a circular calling for proposals for the purchase of $3,000,000 worth of Philippine temporary certificates, to bear 4 per cent interest.

SQUADRON IS ORDERED BACK.

Russian Ships at Jibutil to Return to Cronstadt.

PARIS.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Figaro cables that the Russian squadron at Jibutil, French Somaliland, on the gulf of Aden, has been ordered to return to Cronstadt.

The Russian squadron at Jibutil consists, as far as known, of the battleship Osiadaya, the cruiser Aurora, the cruiser Dmitri Donskor and a number of torpedo boat destroyers. It was reported from St. Petersburg on February 15 that this squadron has been instructed to remain at Jibutil until further orders.

It has been sugested that the stopping of these warships at Jibutil might lead to international complications, Jibutil being a neutral port.

The volunteer transport Saratoff and four Russian torpedo boat destroyers were reported on February 15 at the island of Jebel Zugur, in the Red seat, ninety miles from the Strait of Babel Manleb, and on the same day the volunteer fleet transport Smolensk and another torpedo boat destroyer were at Daedalus island in the Red sea, 300 miles south of Suez.

DOLLAR WHEAT AT CHICAGO

May Option Sells One and Three-Eighths Cents Above That Figure.

CHICAGO.—Attended by excitement not often equalled, wheat Friday advanced nearly 4 cents a bushel. The grain pits on 'change were, from start to finish, in continuous pandemonium.

The long coveted goal in speculated trading, $1 wheat, was made a mere reminiscence, May delivery on Friday going as high as $1.03 a bushel. The price named was 3½@3⅝ cents above Thursday's closing figures. The close was within ¼ cent of the highest point of the day. The sharp advance was due to fear that the war would not be confined to Russia and Japan. Bulges of over a cent on Liverpool and Berlin markets were the immediate factors. Scarcity of cash wheat suitable for milling purposes was an additional element of strength. Trading was exceedingly active, the aggregate of business for the day being enormous. May wheat opened at $1 to $1.01, and after touching $1.03⅜, declined suddenly to 99½ cents on selling by the Armour interest.

NOT CHARGEABLE TO WOMEN.

Shafroth Says Influence of Woman Suffrage is Good.

WASHINGTON—Former Congressman John L. Shafroth of Colorado, who resigned his seat because of election frauds in Denver, denies that these frauds were committed mainly by women. In an interview Friday Mr. Shafroth said:

"Of the persons implicated, very few were women; not more than one in ten at the outside. Frauds were committed in the lowest parts of Denver, where not many women live. The incident was not characteristic of the women voting in Colorado and it was preposterous to make it an argument against female suffrage. Everybody knows there are bad women as well as bad men, but what would any good man think if it were proposed to take his vote away from his because some bad men had cheated at an election? In Colorado the women vote as generally as the men, and fraud is more rare among them. As a rule, their election methods are honorable and the influence of woman suffrage on the state has been distinctly for the good."

TWING TALKS ABOUT HANNA.

As Student at Western Reserve University and Laborers' Friend.

CHICAGO.—President Charles F. Twing, D. D., LL. D., at a meeting of the Alumni association of the Northwest and Western Reserve university here, said:

"At this time one does not forget that Senator Hanna was for a time a student of the old university. Senator Hanna was not a scholar, but he was a thinker. He also embodied the fine qualities of the gentleman, but above all he was a great public servant. As an employer of labor he wished to be just to the laborer. As one who stood, in a sense for capital, he wished to be fair to capital. He knew well that no solution in the industrial crisis could be of permanent value unless it proved of benefit to both capital and labor. He was a republican in politics, but desired to use his party affiliations for the benefit of all.

Japan Not Seeking Territory.

LONDON—The Japanese legation has received a copy of the note received by the Chinese government giving it instructions in regard to the neutrality of China and the reply of Japan, which is to the effect that Japan is not seeking any annexation of territory and will respect as far as possible all the Chinese palaces, mausoleums and public buildings.

Life is a good deal like a meal in a cheap restaurant. The things you want fail to show up on the bill of fare.

Bryan on Hanna.

TALLAHASSEE, Fla.—William J. Bryan, when informed of the death of Senator Hanna said:

"He was one of the most forceful figures in American politics. He won the position as the head of the party in the senate and in the nation by his extraordinary executive ability and by his skill in organizing the forces that control that party. Even his political opponents realized the strength of his personality, and many admirable qualities."

Russian Cruisers Go Down.

ST. PETERSBURG—The Russian second-class cruiser Boyarin was blown up by a mine February 13, in the same manner as was the Russian transport Yenisei. It had on board 197 officers and men, all of whom it is understood were lost.

American Gets Decoration.

PARIS—Dr. A. J. Magnin, the American physician who has charge of the American hospital here, has been decorated with the cross of the Legion of Honor.

TROOPS IN KOREA

MANY OF THEM ARE BEING LANDED BY THE JAPANESE.

SOON HAVE A LARGE FORCE

German Admiralty Predicts that a Quarter of a Million Men Will Be in the Field when the Land Movement Will Begin.

BERLIN.—The admiralty here has received confirmation of the report that the Japanese are landing many troops on both of the Korean northern coasts. It is stated that the Japanese will be ready by spring for a forward land movement, supported by properly equipped bases. Possibly 250,000 men, according to the estimates made at the German admiralty, will be in the field before a collision takes place with the Russians in force.

Expert naval opinion in Berlin justified the Japanese in landing before the Russian fleet is destroyed, as to wait until then might mean a delay in the land operations for months, consequent on the strengthening of Russia's forces. The expectation expressed by a technical newspaper, which reviews the situation, is that Japan probably will in the beginning have considerable land successes through hard fighting. What may happen after the early period of the land operations, no technical person ventures to predict in writing, though it is doubted if the Siberian railroad will be adequate to reinforce and supply the Russian army.

The Marine Bundschau, the semi-official publication of the admiralty, has issued the first of a series of pamphlets designed to keep German naval officers informed as to what is happening in the far east and the meaning thereof. After reciting the preparations on both sides and giving professional estimates of the strength of the fleets, the paper says:

"The Russians fired the first shot, doubtless because the Japanese torpedo boats were creeping near. The Russian Port Arthur squadron relied too much on protective nets and obviously was surprised. The commander made a serious blunder in having two ships at Chemulpo and one at Che Foo separated from the main body. If these ships were sent to observe the Japanese they did it badly.

"When the Japanese squadron withdrew from Port Arthur February 10 the Russians sought to follow and keep in touch with it by means of swift scouts. The Russian commander is now ignorant of where it went.

"The conduct of the Russian ships in retiring to cover in the inner harbor indicate that they will not again engage the enemy at sea."

SENATOR HANNA'S SUCCESSOR.

A Growing Feeling that it May Be Congressman Dick.

COLUMBUS, O.—There is a growing feeling here that the question of a successor to United States Senator Hanna will not precipitate such a fight as had been expected. It is now believed that when the time for the balloting arrives Congressman Chas. Dick will prove to be the man.

The republicans are expected to caucus a week from the coming Saturday night, and it is believed that they will decide to elect a senator for both the long and the short terms, despite the fact that their right to elect for the long term at this time is questioned.

A leader high in the republican party Wednesday told an interesting story, which makes it reasonable to believe that Dick will be the man chosen as senator. The story as told conforms to certain known facts. The gentleman said that a week before the last republican state convention was held in Columbus a conference occurred at a residence in Akron between Hanna, Herrick and Dick. Senator Hanna, at the time, had misgivings as to the time he had to live, and said to Herrick and Dick that he considered them as his boys, and expected them to take up his work, which they both knew. With respect to Herrick, it is said that Hanna was following out McKinley's wishes in taking care of the present governor.

LOSSES AT BALTIMORE.

How the Insurance Companies Will Come Out.

BALTIMORE, Md.—The Baltimore Underwriter prints the list of losses of all the fire insurance companies in the Baltimore fire.

The total gross loss is $32,864,894, of which $6,000,000 falls upon the local companies.

The estimated total of salvage is $1,769,762, which leaves a net loss to the insurance companies of $31,095,132.

It has been learned that many of the large wholesale dry goods houses formed an insurance pool among themselves which amounted to about $5,000,000, from which practically nothing will be realized.

Another development is that very few tenants of the so-called fire proof buildings carried any insurance.

In Battle with the Cold.

BERLIN—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Tageblich Rudschau says that 600 Russian soldiers have been frozen to death while marching across Lake Baikal, eastern Siberia. The correspondent adds that the temporary railroad across the lake is not yet completed; that a large detachment of troops was sent on a twenty-two mile march over the ice-covered lake, and that it is presumed that a large number of these troops lost their way in a fierce snow storm and perished.

Union Pacific Hurries Freight.

RAWLINS, Wyo.—Orders have been issued to the crews having charge of trains Nos. 19 and 21, the Pacific coast fast freights, to make the run from Rawlins to Green River in six hours. These trains must not be delayed, say the officials, for almost daily they haul meat, canned goods, clothing and other supplies en route to the far east. The bulk of the shipments are consigned to the Japanese government, which is very anxious that the best time possible be made on the trip, especially with the meat.

HONOR TO THE DEAD.

Impressive Services Over the Remains of Senator Hanna.

WASHINGTON—In the presence of the grief stricken family, of many friends whose sorrow was scarcely less pronounced, of the senate and house of representatives, of dignitaries from all the other branches of the government and of the representatives of most of the foreign powers, funeral services over the remains of the late Senator Marcus A. Hanna occurred Wednesday in the senate chamber, the scene of his most recent activities and of his entire official life. The spectacle was imposing and quite in harmony with the public estimate of the great man's services to his country and the world.

The ceremony was dignified and simple, in consonance with his character. The senate chamber lent itself naturally to the occasion. It was practically barren of decoration, and the dark furniture, heavy walls and subdued light were quite in keeping with the sorrowful proceedings which were the occasion of the gathering.

Seldom has a more distinguished body of people been collected in Washington to do honor either to the living or the dead, and rarely has there been witnessed here a more impressive proceedings. The floor of the chamber was filled with the representatives of the official life of the national capital, the galleries with people from all the higher walks of society, including the families of officials and many persons of distinction in the professional and business world.

JAPANESE WILL APPEAL.

Will Ask United States to Prevail on Russian Government.

WASHINGTON—Japan will appeal to the United States to prevail on the Russian government to release the 100 Japanese subjects reported detained at Port Arthur. Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister, it is expected will present the appeal to Secretary Hay Monday.

In a cablegram received from Tokio Sunday the minister was informed that according to news brought to Che Foo by a British steamer from Port Arthur, 100 Japanese refugees had been taken from the steamer by the Russian authorities just before the vessel sailed in spite of the protest of the Japanese.

Having agreed to look out for the Japanese citizens in Russian territory during the war, this government will instruct Mr. McCormick, the American ambassador at St. Petersburg, to inquire of the Russian government on the subject as to the Japanese in question.

The best naval opinion here is to the effect that the detention of these Japanese at Port Arthur is a strategical necessity to prevent the Japanese gaining information as to the fortifications, troops, etc.

RUSSIA AND MR. HAY'S NOTE.

A Favorable Response Likely to Be Sent Soon.

ST. PETERSBURG—Information has been received at the foreign office that Secretary Hay's proposition to limit the war operations is considered "practicable," and that a response will soon be forthcoming. Viceroy Alexieff is being consulted regarding the matter and the authorities are doubtless waiting an indication as to how the proposition will be received by the Japanese.

The sympathetic reception given by the powers to Mr. Hay's note and the representations the powers have made here have unodubtedly had a good effect upon official opinion and the Russian government shows a more friendly spirit toward the direct representations made by the United States. The American government is now pressing for an answer to the request that United States army officers be allowed off is being consulted regarding the ations, but it is explained that Viceroy Alexieff, to whom the request was made, has not yet replied.

CZAR'S SHIPS RAID COAST.

Traffic Between Hakodate and Aomori Suspended.

YOKOHAMA—The four Russian cruisers which sunk the Arouar Maru had first appeared in the Tsugaru strait on the 11th, escorting a transport from Vladivostock. Another steamer, the Zeensho Maru, also met the Russian cruisers, but escaped from them. All traffic between Hakodate and Aomori has been suspended owing to the Russian raiders. Great indignation is felt here over the sinking of a commercial steamer, and it is believed to be a violation of the laws of warfare.

Japanese troops are reported to have landed 12,000 strong at Dove bay last Wednesday and to have been repulsed by Russians in a hand-to-hand fight.

General Litevitch has been appointed to supreme command of the Russian army in Manchuria.

Cossacks put 410 of a landing party of 600 Japanese to death by the sword at Tallienwan.

To Bar American Lumber.

VANCOUVER, B. C.—Wholesale and retail lumber men of the west held a meeting with Winnipeg men to devise means to keep out American lumber from the Canadian northwest. They told the Canadian Pacific railway, which carries all the lumber of western Canada, that their prices will be reduced $1 a thousand if the road would reduce its freight charges from 40 cents a hundred pounds on lumber to 38 cents. By this means American lumber would be shut out from that territory.

Want Expert Agriculturists.

WASHINGTON—Mr. Quesada, the Cuban minister, conferred with Secretary Wilson regarding the organization of an educational and experimental agricultural system in Cuba. The Cuban government is seeking the services of a man who understands tropical agriculture. So far the department of agriculture, whose services were enlisted, has been unable to find a suitably equipped person, and the same difficulty has been met with as to the Philippines, where the department's first duty lies.

Brief Telegrams

Italy is favorable to the note of Secretary Hay.

Mormon colonies are to be established in Tobasco, Mex.

Secretary Shaw inspected the new postoffice building at Chicago.

Of the seven presidents France has had only one has served a full term.

Charles Kratz, the alleged St. Louis briber, has asked for a change of venue.

Pani W. Bartlett's heroic statue of General Joseph Waren is being exhibited in New York.

Both branches of the legislature adopted resolutions of regret on the death of Senator Hanna.

Sergeant James Reardon, the noted soldier-mathematician, has just died at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

The Lathrop Publishing company of Boston assigned. The capital is $145 and liabilities are estimated at $150,000.

Colonel C. M. Wheldon, one of General B. F. Butler's staff during the Civil war, is 82 years of age. He lives at Newton, Mass.

Savings deposits in Chicago banks have passed the $100,000,000 mark. In the last year they have increased more than $22,000,000.

Governor Alexander O. Brodie of Arizona went to West Point in 1866. He became a mining engineer after serving several years in the army.

It is officially announced that Admiral Alexieff has been appointed to the supreme command of the Russian land and sea forces in the far east.

The steel-like grass from the volcanic slopes of Oran, Algeria, is so elastic that it can be used instead of springs in the manufacture of furniture.

Copious rains have fallen over Southern California during the past few days, relieving the apprehension of farmers and fruit growers as to the crops.

Dr. A. J. Magnin, the American physician, who has charge of the American hospital in Paris, has been decorated with the cross of the Legion of Honor.

Assistant Secretary Oliver, who only recently returned to the War department, after a severe attack of the grip, has had a relapse and is now confined to his bed.

The Austro-Hungarian cruiser Aspern has been ordered to leave her winter station as Hongkong and proceed to Chefoo, so as to be nearer the scene of war.

A receiver has been appointed for the Peabody Fire Insurance company of Baltimore. The company lost $700,000 by reason of the fire and it had assets of only $300,000.

In Dutch Guiana the women carry upon their persons all the family savings in the shape of heavy bracelets, anklets, necklaces and even crowns of gold and silver.

Walter Wellman says that in the opinion of experts the personnel of the navy is more valuable than the type of ship used. The United States is strong at sea.

Cardiff exports 12,000,000 tons of coal a year, Newcastle about four million, Newport and Sunderland each ship abroad about two million five hundred thousand tons a year.

Dr. William Foster, of the Department of Chemistry at Princeton University, has discovered a new acid, hereafter to be labelled with the interesting name trisulphoxyarsenic acid.

Representative Warner in Washington refuses either to affirm or deny the story that he is to succeed Cullom in the Senate and that Lowden is to become the Republican nominee for governor.

Colombia is reported to be menaced with a new rebellion in Bolivar. General De Castro, deposed for aggressive partisanship in support of Reyes, is raising a force to take the old post at Barranquilla.

Senator Ankeny understands the Indian language perfectly and acted as interpreter the other day in Washington when a crop of Yakima Indians were presented to the president at the White House.

Reinsurance of the Baltimore fire companies is already under way. Managers are confident rates on conflagration hazard risks throughout the country will be high as a result of the Baltimore calamity.

A London paper, the Chronicle, says that in the matter of clothes the House of Commons is the most correct assembly of legislators in the world, and the American house of representatives the most astonishing.

It was announced after the cabinet meeting Tuesday that W. Cameron Forbes of Boston had accepted the office of Philippine commissioner vacated by the resignation of Governor Taft and the promotion to the governorship of General Luke Wright.

The report that Russia is attempting to arange with Turkey to permit the lack Sea fleet to pass through the Dardanelles is revived, and it is added that Russia is trying to secure Great Britain's consent. There is no confirmation of the report in authoritative quarters.

The Standard Oil company of New Jersey has declared a dividend for the quarter of $16 a share, a reduction of $4 a share from the rate paid at this time last year. The previous dividend paid on December 15 last was $12 a share. The dividend is payable March 15.

The constitution adopted by the committee was officially promulgated by the Panama junta. It now becomes the organic law of the republic.

A man known as Shorty Bill, said to have been a desperate character from Texas, was shot and killed in a fight with the police at Toronto, Ont.

The large paint shop in the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western company's car shop plant at Scranton, Pa., was destroyed by fire. Loss $110,000.

First Lieutenant Jarret of the Second infantry died from self-inflicted wounds, made while suffering from dementia, at Fort Logan, Colo.

A unique reunion of ex-secretaries of war was observed in a corner of the senate chamber in Washington one afternoon last week.

Fifty years as a hotel proprietor is the proud record of Peter Meitzler, the jolly Boniface of the Hotel Riverside, of Lock Haven, Pa.