the jurors sitting in the case of Martia

Thorn, accused of the murder of William

a surgical operation for appendicitis, and

that under the most favorable conditions he

would not be able to resume his seat in the

jury box in less than three weeks. It there-

fore became a question as to how the case

Mr. Howe, counsel for Thorn, suggested

the retention of the rest of the jurors who

read from the court reporter's notes. District

Attorney Youngs asked for time in which

to look up the authorities before deciding

After an hour's consultation between the

"Gentlemen, I can now tell you positively

District Attorney Youngs a few moments

The court agreed to the plan of the district

NO DATE FOR DURRANT'S HEARING.

Supreme Court Adjourns Tuesday

Over the New Year.

should proceed.

waiting reporters:

rent year.

the middle of January.

or the beginning of March next.

Guldensuppe, had been obliged to submit to

Minister Woodford Assures Moret the United

NO FAULT TO FIND WITH CUBAN REGIME

Measures Thus Far Taken Give No Cause for Complaint.

of Independence.

Guard Lay in Wait for the General and Shot Him as He Was Leav-

ing Those Whom He Trusted.

MADRID, Nov. 12 .- United States Minister Woodford had a cordial interview today with Senor Moret, minister of the colonies, and it 4s believed that he assured Senor Moret that the United States government is satisfied

LONDON, Nov. 12 .- A dispatch to the Daily Chronicle from Havana summarizes statements by Generals Maximo Gomez, Aranguron Arango and the late Adolfo Custillo, all opposing the acceptance of anything short of independence and declaring that autonomy would not be worth the paper it was written upon. The same correspondent confirms the report that General Castillo was betrayed by a false friend to the Spiniards, who sent a portion of the civil guerd to lie in wait for him and shoot him as he was leaving the

minister today received the following cable message from Captain General Blanco:

"A protective committee for reconcenthe best possible remedy for the suffering fer with him in person relative to the neof the reconcentrades.

British Forces. SIMLA, Nov. 12,-The Viceroy of India, ARMSTRONGS WANT AN ENDORSER. but merely a recognition of business connoissance of the British force under General Westmacott, who on Wednesday last reached the summit of Saran-Sir mountain treated, closely pursued by the enemy. wounded, the British rear guard only being saved by the excellent disposition made

Dispatches received from the British camp in the Muidan valley say that a man who has just come in there brought some details of the killing of Lieutenant Mc-Intyre and of the twelve men belonging to the Northamptonshire regiment who met death while endeavoring to save the wounded of the regiment during the retreat from the Saran-Sar mountain. This survivor says that when the lieutenant found himself isolated he dispatched him for aid. as the small party was hampered by the

known, but as shown in the dispatches of their wounded comrades, the positions in died bravely fighting to the last. The man of the British detachment was killed.

A full representation of the Orakzi tribes met General William Lockhart, the British a fortnight.

Lose Twenty Men in Addition to Army Stores.

came upon insurgents under General Alexandro Rodriguez on the Ridalga farm, province of Havana, and in the engagement killed twenty insurgents, capturing a quan-tity of arms, together with the accountrements of General Rodriguez and a quantity

Secorro Perez, under sentence of imprison ment for life, has been liberated. His release has produced a bad impression and general indignation is expressed.

John Kevel and Charles Patterson, British subjects detained on charges of complicity in the insurrection, were liberated today and placed in the care of the British consu Considerable excitement has been caused by the report that the Dauntless has suc ceeded in landing two flibustering expedi-

BARCELONA, Spain, Nov. 12.-The police have selzed 300 rifles intended for the Carlists. These were found on board the ship St. Philippe, which took shelter here under stress of weather. The vessel came here from Antwerp and it was intended to unload on the coust of Valencia.

Campaigning in the Philippines. MADRID, Nov. 12.-A dispatch received today from General Promo de Rivero, governor general of the Philippines, now in the island of Luzon, says that the native battalions are most efficient and that it is needto send European reinforcements.

BLANCO DOING WELL WIPE BOLIVIA OFF THE MAP READY FOR

Combination. VALPARAISO, Chill, Nov. 12 .- A plan for a dreibund of Chill, Peru and Argentina is Canada and United States Prepared to in existence, which, if adopted by the three governments, will wipe Bolivia off the South American map, Chill, Peru and Ar-

gentina dividing its territory.

Startling on this statement is there are many who are inclined to give it credence. Without a doubt some international step of importance is under contemplation. Chili and Peru have become entangled with Bolivia and what the result will be no one can tell. The demands of the alarmists for INSURGENT LEADERS AGAINST AUTONOMY | an explanation from the government, it is generally believed, are justified. Senor Salinas, Chill's minister to Sucre, Bolivia, has gone to Santiago to confer with the government on the situation. The government flatly donles that he will not return to Sucre, though there are grave fears that he will be murdered if he does return, as the feeling there against Chili is intense. In the clubs and cafes and at the social gatherings everywhere in Bolivia one hears

> Reasons for all the feeling against Chill are to be found in the rebellion of 1891 and its bearing on the Ancion treaty. The revolutionists promised to Bolivia, if it would recognize the belligerency of the rebels, that if they were victorious they would give to Bolivia two years after victory the two Peruvian provinces Tacna and Arica, held temporarily by Chili under the Ancien treaty.

> More than six years have elapsed since the victory of the revolutionists and Chili has not fulfilled its promise for the reason that by doing so it would trample on the treaty. Bolivia now insists on the fulfillment of this promise, which Chill holds is illegal. In the meantime Chill has recalled Senor Lira. the minister of Chilli to Peru, who belonged to the revolutionary party, and has seat Senor Vicente Santa Cruz, a Balmacedist, there with instructions to sound Peru on an alliance against Bolivia, against which government Peru has many grievances. The plan is to bring about a war with Bolivia, and for Peru's assistance Chili promises to return to Peru the provinces of Tacna and Arica. Chili is also prepared to furnish Peru with all necessary arms and munitions to carry on a war with Bolivia.

In this connection the dreibund against Bollvia is being considered. Argentina it is said, will be invited into the alliance to give ome strength to the movement.

The Heraldo says that it is reported all international affairs between Chili and Bolivis and Peru will soon be satisfactorily settled, Chili accepting the commercial and peace treaties drawn by Bolivia and leaving the solution of the Tacna-Arica question

until next year. WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 .- At the Chilian legation a peaceful solution of the whole difficulty alleged to exist between Chili and Bolivia is enticipated. The journey of the Chilian minister to Bolivia, Senor S. Solinas, to Santiago, is explained on the probable theory that the government desired to congotiations he is conducting. It is not believed here that it means the withdrawal of the minister and the severance of diplomatic

Spanish Credit Not Good for Two

LONDON, Nov. 12 .- Striking evidence of

Spain's financial straits is furnished in the dispatch of the Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail cabled to the Associated Press last night, saying the Spanish government 000 (\$15,000,000), by loan or taxation to carry out its original naval plans, and has decided to build two new cruisers only of 2,000 tor each. The dispatch added that it is intended to summon the Cortes as soon as possible to vote credits for the building of more men of-war and the placing of more powerful guns on board the existing vessels. It is now pointed out that the cruisers mentioned by the Daily Mail correspondent were to have been battleships for whose construction th government of Spain negotiated with the Armstrongs months ago. The contracts were eventually signed and the keels of the new battleships were laid, but the Armstrongs refused to proceed without assurances of payment. Now it is doubtful if Spain will b even able to pay for the small and compara tively ineffective cruisers which are intended to replace the projected battleships

Yet in spite of this, according to the correspondent of the Daily Mail, the Spanish naval authorities claim to regard the Spanish navy as being already superior to the navy band, the dispatches also say, but shot at of the United States, which may explain them from points of vantage until every some of the bellicose utterances of the

In connection with Spain's hunt for wa ships, American diplomats have learned that commander, today at the Maidan Valley Spain recently endeavored to make an arrangement with Japan whereby in the event upon for their submission, namely: The of war with the United States the thirty or restitution of all the rifles captured since so war ships now building in various ship 500 rifles, the payment of a fine of 30,000 Spain, and it is supposed that upon the failrupees and the formal submission of the ure of these negotiations the Spanish gov tribes in full to General Lockhart within ernment entered upon a deal with Chili for the transfer to the Spanish flag of several vessels about completed for the Chilian re-

The diplomats referred to express th opinion that from the standpoint of inte national law the completion of such a deal might be regarded as an unfriendly ac

toward the United States. Besides the Rothschilds, other prominen financiers of London and Paris have entirely cut off the monetary supplies which Spain has hitherto succeeded in obtaining.

LIVES LOST IN SPANISH FLOODS.

lifteen Bodies Have So Far Recovered. MADRID, Nov. 12.—Further details regard ing the floods in various parts of Spain, notably in the provinces of Saragossa, Valencla and Malaga, where railroad traffic and telegraphic communication have been seriously interfered with, show that fifteen corpaes have already been recovered. In the neighborhood of Valencia enormous numbers of cattle have perished and the villages of Graro and Nazareth have been completely inundated. Many of the houses of these places have collapsed

Steamer Returns for Repairs. LONDON, Nov. 12 .- The Holland-Amerian line steamer Maasdam, Captain Potjer, which sailed from Rotterdam November 3 for New York, passed the Scilly islands today and signaled that it was returning to Plymouth with engines seriously disabled.

Sultan Honors a Friend. CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 12.-The sultan has conferred upon Count Muravieff, the Russian minister for foreign affairs, the grand cordon of the Osmanli order for his he is not endorsed by the regular democservices in "consolidating the friendship ex- racy, which is by no means certain at isting between the two countries."

Frame a Treaty.

PREMIER LAURIER TAKES THE SUBJECT UP

Date of Meeting with John A. Kasson, the United States Commisstoner, Not Yet Definitely Decided Upon.

Chili talked of as a faithless, disloyal nahowever, will be confined to reciprocity, as diately." he is delegated by the president to treat

> standing at this time and then perfect the ning the case onew." details later. The dinner at the White House last night assisted toward a friendly settle- attorney and the jury was formally disment of pending questions. There were no charged. Mr. Youngs asked that the new toosts and no speeches at the dinner, but at trial be proceeded with next Monday, but its conclusion the Canadian guests accom- Mr. Howe asked for a longer adjournment. panied the president and his cabinet advisers. In deference to Mr. Howe's request, Judge to the blue room, where a wholly informal Smith set the case for trial on Monday and personal exchange of views occurred. November 22. They were on the same friendly lines as those at the formal conference between the secretary of state and Sir Wilfrid earlier in the day and the general sentiment orevailed that the present time was opportune for more ordial intercourse between this country and Canada. The announcement of the meetings

In view of these meetings it is pointed out that much misapprehension exists as to the preferences which the Canadian tariff law give to Great Britain. The law makes no mention of Great Britain. It has two schedules, maximum and minimum. At present Great Britain enjoys the minimum rates, but the same are open to all other ountries, the United States included, and there is nothing in the law which contemplates giving Great Britain the exclusive benefits of these lower rates. It is understood to be the view of the Canadian officials that the markets of the United States and Canada are so closely connected geographically that it is essential that the countries look to each other, rather than to markets thousands of miles distant. This, it is said. implies no undue benefits or discriminations toward the United States or Great Britain

EACH SIDE MAKES PROPOSITIONS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 .- During today' conference on the Bering sea controversy a series of propositions was presented by the American representatives covering the number and habits of the seals, and the extent to which the seal herd had been reduced during the five years in which the Paris award had been in operation,

ives presented counter propositions, cover ing their views of the same subjects. The

ropositions might be compared.

Later in the day the British-Canadians merican propositions. It is expected that when the session is resumed tomorrow the inderstanding. The propositions do not em oody any diplomatic features, but are solely scientific, as to the number, habits and de struction of the seals.

After the experts have reconciled their sider the large subject of providing an adequate remedy against seal destruction. It is not expected, however, that this stage will plan of concluding the meeting this week has been given up.

All of the representatives of the United States, Canada and Great Britain were in attendance at the conference except Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who spent the morning in visting the Catholic university. Mr. Adams, first secretary of the British embassy, took his place as the diplomatic representative of the Canadian government.

YOUNG PULLMAN'S WEDDING OFF

Engagement with Miss Oglesby i Declared at an End.

s made of the breaking of the engagement of George M. Pullman and Miss Felicite Oglesby. The news of Miss Oglesby's engagement to one of the Pullman twins came as a great surprise ever two years ago to the friends of the young people, and the rumors been countless since that time. When the sudden death of Mr. Puliman, sr., startled the city a short time ago Miss Oglesby was at the home of her parents, ex-Governor and Mrs. Richard J. Oglesby, at Elkhart, Ill For the last week or two the young woman has been in Chicago, a guest of Mrs. Pull-man part of the time. Miss Oglesby has just returned to Eikhart, and simultaneous with her departure comes the announcement that Mr. Pullman had proposed to release her, and that she had accepted the offer. Friends of the Oglesby family are stout in their decarations that the disinheritance of the young man had nothing whatever to do with the rupture of the betrothal vows.

Free Silver Candidate for Mayor BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 12.-The Bryan democrats, a faction of the regular dem cratic party in this city, which supported Bryan and free silver, tonight nominated Thomas Riley, a well known member of the Suffolk county bar, as candidate for mayor, and also adopted a platform upon which he will stand. Mr. Riley's candidacy

A NEW JURY TO TRY THORN ASK FOR PLENTY OF SPACE Case of Appendicities Causes

NEW YORK, Nov. 12 - When the Queens county court of over and terminer opened at | Departments Want Large Amount of Room Long Island City today it was represented at the Exposition. to Judge Smith that Magnus Larsen, one of

GOVERNMENT EXHIBIT TO BE A HUMMER

It is the Purpose of the Board to Outdo All Previous Efforts -Conference Held to Assign Space.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 .- (Special Telegram.)-The committee on allotment of space and apportionment of money for the government exhibit for the Transmississippi Exposition held a meeting today at the Department of State. Two plans for alloting space were discussed and reported to the board. One plan gives about 152,000 square feet to exhibits and the other 157,000. The first provides for exhibits along the center so as to have a wide aisle in the center running the full length of the building. Either arrangement will, it is thought, provide for a larger exhibit displayed to better advantage than at Atlanta or Nashville. that there will be an entirely new jury se- In fact, several departments ask for much more space and much more money for the Omaha exposition than was desired for the plate taking up the questions of border im- in favor of adopting the plan which I pro- two expositions ramed. It is the purpose of the board to outdo any previous effort. Many eries and all other subjects affecting the will have a new panel of 200 talesmen made new exhibits will be made that will be two countries. The meeting with Mr. Kasson, up and the subpoenes will be served imme- highly interesting and of the utmost value to the student. The board will hold a meeting on the 20th inst., when the report of the later confirmed the announcement by Mr. committee on allotment of space and funds will be acted upon. Soon thereafter the detreaty itself can be matured during the Howe's suggestions," he said, "are that the partments will begin to prepare their expresent trip of the Canadian officials, the de interests of the people will be better served hibits. The committee is composed of sire being to arrive at some common under- by the empaneling of a new jury and begin- Michael, State department; Ravenal, Fish Blue Cut, in which three train robberies commission and True Smithsonian Institu-

CONFERRING ON CENTRAL PACIFIC. Government Officials Planning to Proteet Their Claim.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 - Ulon. William J. Coombs of New York, who acted in an advisory capacity to the government in connection with the sale of the Union Pacific railroad, is in the city for the purpose of conferring with the attorney general respecting the affairs of the Central Pacific. The conference is to take place tomorrow.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 12.-In view of the fact that the supreme court which is Mr. Coombs says he is not aware of what now in session at Sacramento will adjourn steps the administration will take to proon Tuesday next until the second Monday tect the government's interests in the road. in January, it is not considered probable The full amount of the government's claim that W. H. T. Durrant, the condemned murapproximates \$45,000,000, and Mr. Coombs bederer of Blonche Lamont, will explate the lieves the road will sell at its full commercrime for which he was sentenced to be cial value. He mentioned the Denver & Rio hanged in December, 1895, during the cur-Grande, the reorganized Union Pacific, the Central Pacific third mortgage bondholders In the ordinary course of events the matand stocholders, and the Southern Pacific ter cannot come up for bearing upon the Railroad company as corporations and interpoints involved in the order granting the ests which might bid on the road were i certificates of probable cause, to which the offered for sale at public auction.

murderer owes his second lease of life, until Mr. William Solomon, who it is said represents the banking house of Epeyer & Co. After the case has been decided another of New York, had an interview with Atthirty days at least must interfere before torney General McKenna today, presumably the remittitur from the supreme court can for the purpose of ascertaining the governreach the trial court and the condemned ment's intention respecting the Central Paman be sentenced for the third time. This cific. Mr. Solomon returned to New York course would not allow the execution to as soon as the conference was over and Mr. take place before the latter part of February McKenna declined to say anything regarding it for publication.

It is possible that the attorney general may apply to the supreme court to advance UNCLE SAM ASKED TO INTERVENE. the case and hear it as a special order, but

Haytian Affair. WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 .- It is not possible o confirm here the statement coming from Berlin to the effect that the United State has offered to mediate between Germany and cell, No. 21, in murderers' row, at San Hayti in the differences arising from the arrest of the German subject. It is gathered preme court passes on the question raised that while no such proffer has been made, invitations have been made to this government

to intervene without success.

These Receive Plums WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 .- (Special Telegram.)-Miss Hattie McNeill, an Indian, hos been appointed matron at Grace school, Crow Creek agency, S. D., at \$500 per annum.

Miss Julia St. Cyr of Dakota City, Neb. has been appointed cook at Lower Brule school, S. D., at \$480 per annum Thomas H. McGregor of Nebraska has been

appointed a clerk in the office of the first assistant postmaster general at \$900 per un-

Admitted to Practice. WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 .- (Special Tele-

gram.)-The following residents of the northwest have been admitted to practice as attorneys and agents before the Interior depart-Nebraska-George D. Proctor, Alexandria

Iowa-John W. Sullivan and Stephen E. Mc-Mahon, Algona; George M. Pardee, Sioux City; Joseph H. Richards, Webster City Charles McK. Duren, Eddora; Daniel H. Tal-

News for the Army.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 .- (Special Tele gram.)-The following transfers are made in the Eleventh infantry: First Lieutenant Charles W. Penrose, from company H to company A'; First Lieutenant William Wie gel, from company A to company H. Leave of absence to Captain Paulding, Tenth infantry, has been extended one month.

New Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 .- (Special Tele gram.)-Postmasters commissioned today: Ne brasko-Herman Meyer, Staplehurst; Robert C. Walker, Thornburg. Iowa-Elmer H. Currier, Melrose; Sumner W. Wiggins, Cooper Rodney R. Parsons, Ontario; Theodore H. Thorson, Soldier; George Beck, Windham.

Proclamation by the President. WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.-President Mc Kinley today issued a proclamation exempt ing from payment of tonnage duties Mexican steam versels engaged in general commerce

Daily Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 .- Today's state ment of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$203,136,-387; gold reserve, \$155.838,192.

BUYING FRAUDULENT WARRANTS. Kansas City Capitalists Caught by

Latest Swindle.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 11.-The fraudulent issue of over \$90,000 in Creek Indian warrunts recently discovered by the government has caused much stir in Kansas inthia, from Marseilles; Ethiopia, from City banking and mercantile circles, inasmuch as quite a large proportion of the ommitted suicide here today. He was well bogus issue is held here. Outside of the known in the legal profession and had just amount (\$15,000) already scknowledged as York; Mohawk, from New York. held by one local bank, it is currently reported that one man who has been speculat- York. ing in the paper was caught for \$51,000 and that a banker and a former broker here are interested with him in the deal. What acbonds to protect themselves if possible is York.

not known.

THE BEE BULLETIN.

Weather Porceast for Nebraska-Fair; Warmer; Southerly Winds Page.

1. Bianco Doing Well in Cuba. New Reciprocity Treaty in Sight

Plans for the Government Exhibit. Exposition Work Will Be Rushed.

2. Red Oak Defeats Omaha High School 3, Pleading Eugene Moore's Case, Hawalian Treaty May Be Ratified.

4. Editorial and Comment. 5. Wave of Prosperity at Pierre. Scheme to Divide New York State. Affairs at South Omaha.

6. Connell Bluffs Local Matters. Sensational Case at Des Moines. 7, Financial Review of the Week.

Future of Omaha Bridge Contracts. Fresh Developments in the Nichols Case. 10. Rits of Feminine Gossip.

11. Commercial and Financial News. 12. Perilous Venture of Lady Ackland.

Temperature at Omaha. Hour, Deg. 5 a. m.,... 40 2 p. m 50 3 p. m..... 56 4 p. m..... 57 m 42 7 a. m 48 S n. m 44 5 p. m 57 9 n. m 46 6 p. m 10 n. m 47 7 p. m..... 53 11 a. m..... 50 9 p. m..... 45 12 m 52 1 p m 54

HOLD UP MISSOURI PACIFIC MAIL. Highwaymen Have Their Labor for

Their Pains. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 12.—The Mis-St. Louis fast mail, which leaves Kansas City at 9 p. m., was held up by five masked robbers at 9:30 o'clock tonight at the Chicago & Alton crossing, just east of Independence, Mo., and less than a mile from the famous have occurred within the last year.

Two of the robbers were disguised as women, and when the engineer saw them swinging a lantern across the tracks, an apparent signal of danger, he did not hesitate to stop. The engine crew was immediately covered with revolvers. Conductor Dennia general is advisable it is instructed to also O Brien and Brakeman McMichael stepped out to see what was the matter and were greeted by a volley of bullets, which at once caused the greatest confusion in the passenger coaches. The conductor and brakeman were compelled to cut the express and baggage cars from the rest of the train and the fifty directors present. engineer and fireman were made to get down from their cab. The robbers quickly jumped aboard and took the engine and express car about two miles further east, where they mittee to sign vouchers in the absence of stopped and compelled Express Messenger Williams to open his ear. He offered no re-

sistance, as he carried no treasure, which leaves Kansas City at a later hour, and were greatly surprised upon discovering tained nothing of value. In their rage they went through his pockets, but \$2.85 was all adopted. they secured. After this they quickly left

the train and disappeared in the darkness. After a delay of over an hour the train was got together again and was started discussed informally by a number of on its journey. The county marshal and the directors—the question of creating his men were at the scene of the robbery very soon, but there is every probability that the robbers were safely in Indepen- stage and it appeared that something should dence or Kansas City before any organized be done at once. He asked that the matter effort was made to capture them.

REDUCING OUTPUT OF HARD COAL. Pennsylvania Miners Are Working Shorter Hours.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.-The Record vill say tomorrow:

In their efforts to bolster up the hard coal trade the anthracite presidents have called a halt on the rate of production and every colliery in the Schuylkill region shut down yesterday. The length of time they will remain closed could not be stated at the Reading railway offices, but it is said some of them would probably start up next week on reduced time. The Lehigh Valley railroad, in order to meet the reduction, has ordered its collieries on three-quarters time, and the other companies have also taken steps to curtail the production.

An official of the Reading company said that under normal conditions, with the col-Heries working full time and the market absorbing the coal, the November output would have reached 5,000,000 tons. Under he curtailment he thought the production for the month would aggregate between 4,000,000 and 4,500,000 tons. The curtailment of the product, he thought, would have a favorable effect upon the market, and would stiffen prices. While he did not anticipate an increase in the circular prices, the present circular, which had been badly cut in many instances, would be maintained.

SUSPENDS INDIANA LODGE OF ELKS. Edict Results from Initiation Robert Fitzsimmons

HARRISBURG, Pa., Nov. 12.-Grand Exalted Ruler Mead D. Detwiler this afternoon suspended the Marion, Ind., lodge of Elks and forwarded the papers to District Deputy Armstrong of that state, authorizing him to secure the charter, paraphernalia and lodge effects. This action was due to the alleged viciation of the laws in the method of initiating Robert Fitzsimmons.

The Associated press representative called on Mr. Detwiler and he declined to discuss the affair, merely stating that he had received the report of the district deputy for the state of Indiana in the matter of Robert Fitzsimmons' recent initiation by Murion lodge No. 195 and after a careful examination of the same it clearly appears that the lodge not only wilfully and flagrantly violated the long established laws applicable to the admission of candidates nto the order, but also the positive instructions of the district deputy notifying the officers of the lodge that the proposed initiation was contrary to law.

Hang the Last of the Gang. FAYETTEVILLE, Va., Nov. 12.-Albert Volers was hanged here at 1:40 p. today in the presence of over 10,000 people When the death warrant was read at noor he broke down, but finally railied and there were no unusual incidents on the scaffold. Albert Volers was the last of the Lewis gang of murderers and thieves and was at Montgomery, April 21, 1896.

Movements of Ocean Vessels Nov. 12, At New York-Arrived-Palatia, from Hamburg; Britannic, from Liverpool; Cor-

Glasgow, At Hamburg-Arrived-Phoenicia, from

At London-Arrived-Idaho, from New At Moville-Sailed-Anchoria, for New

Boston At Liverpool-Sailed-Georgie, for New tion will be taken by the holders of the At Genoe Arrived Commanic, from New York. At Genoa-Arrived-Fulds, from New

At Queenstown-Sailed-Catalonia,

MUST PUSH THE WORK

Exposition Directors Reach a Conclusion Concerning Buildings.

OPERATIONS CAN NOT BE ALLOWED TO LAG

Executive Departments to Be Given the Needed Assistance.

MAY APPOINT A DIRECTOR GENERAL

One Man to Be Given Authority to Oversee the Work.

FLAN OF ASSOCIATION TO BE CHANGED

Special Committee Appointed to Examine the Conditions and Report What is Necessary to Remedy the Situation.

The board of directors of the Transmississippi Exposition has taken action looking to the appointment of a director general of the exposition, A special committee consisting of Directors Herman Kountze, I. W. Carpenter, C. F. Menderson, George F. Bidsouri Pacific passenger train, known as the well and John L. Webster was appointed to consider the advisability of changing the plus of organization of the Exposition assoc'ation, consulting with the executive committee to learn the views of the managers as to the desirability of creating the office of director general and the duties which should be attached to it and to make a report of findings to a special meeting of the board of directors on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. In case the special committee finds that the creation of the office of director report the changes that should be made in the by-laws and rules to carry the new plan Into effect.

This was practically the only business transacted by the directors. When the roll was called there were twenty-six of the

At the request of Manager Lindsey the rules were changed slightly to allow the temporary chairman of the executive comthe chairman.

Mr. Hitchcock suggested that, in the future, the manager of each department sub-The robbers had evidently intended to mit to the board at is regular meetings a stop the St. Louis limited night express, brief and pointed summary of what had been done in his department and what is proposed to be done, in order that the directors that the cars which they had captured con- may keep in touch with the work that each department is doing. This suggestion was pounced upon the express messenger and put in the form of a motion and was

President Wattles sald he would bring up a matter which had been uppermost in his mind for some time and had been the position of director general, He said the exposition had reached a critical be discussed by the directors.

CASE IS GETTING URGENT.

Mr. Kountze was the first to speak on the question. He said the time before the exposition must open was short and an enormous amount of work remained to be done before the exposition would be ready to allow exhibitors to enter with their goods. He did not doubt that every head of a department was doing all that was possible for him to do, but all were busy men and had their own affairs to attend to. A way must be found to get more general push into the thing and see that the contractors do not lose valuable time. If one force of men cannot push the buildings fast enough a double force should be put on and the work crowded, or the time to open the gates would come and the exposition would be in a terri-

Mr. Kilpatrick said he had hoped a suggestion in this matter would come from the exceutive committee; if that committee considered such an office should be created it should recommend such action and should prescribe what powers the members of the committee were willing to turn over to such officer.

Mr. Kirkendall, manager of the Department of Buildings and Grounds, was called for by Mr. Wharton, who said this department would be affected by the proposed change more than any other. Mr. Kirkendall said that he was delegating his powers to experts in the several branches of work as fast as this could be arranged. He expected to go ahead along this line and organize the several departments of work and thus save the extense of a director general, but if it was decided that one should be appointed he would be perfectly willing to turn over all the work of his department to him In this connection Mr. Kirkendall suggested that the powers of the president might be enlarged so as to give him authority to consuit with the managers of the departments and advice as to what should be done.

Mr. Kirkendall moved that a committee of three directors be appointed by the chair to consult with the managers of departments and formulate a plan for future work.

Mr. Kountze asked whether the work is progressing in such a way that there is reasonable assurance that the buildings will be CONTRACTORS ARE CONFIDENT.

Mr. Kirkendall stated that there was no doubt that the buildings would be completed within the time specified in the several contracts, but he said he had consulted with the contractors and they had assured him that they would have the buildings completed in plenty of time. He said, further, that if he, or some man in his decartment, had the authority to go shead and do things that are necessary and that re-

quire the expenditure of moderate amounts of money, without running to the executive committee all the time, much time would be Director Youngs said there is a great feeling of unrest among the people of Omaha that the buildings will not be completed on time. Since Geraldine's connection with the exposition had ceased he said the pe ple felt that some competent man who has the confidence of the people should be placed in full charge of the work on the grounds and

struction. He said if this was done the feeling of distrust and unrest would disappear. In reply to questions from Dr. Lee President Wattles explained that the duties of the director general in former expositions had been to carry out the decisions of the executive committee. The latter decided what was to be done and the director gen-

given authority to push the work of con-

eral let the contracts and saw that the work At Naples-Sailed-Werra, for New York. | was properly completed. He also had au-

States is Satisfied.

Eay They Will Not Accept Anything [hort

CASTILLO BETRAYED BY A FALSE FRIEND

with the measures taken thus far by Marshal The government has received, for the queen regent, the cabled request of the union-constitutional party in Cuba that her majesty decline to sign the decrees establishing autonomy in the island, but the request will be ignored and the action of the party is regarded as unimportant if the government de-

cides to carry out its program loyally and

supposed friend's. WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.-The Spanish

trades has been formed with great success by General Bernal in Puerto Del Rio. The committee is aided by a general co-operation. but especially by the tobacco planters, who agree to contribute \$1 for every bale to tobacco harvested. This represents help to the amount of from \$80,000 to \$100,000. The greatest activity is displayed all through the island in the formation of like committees. the efficacy of which, it is boned, will prove

COURT OF INQUIRY IS ORDERED. Will Investigate Recent Slaughter of relations with Bolivia.

the Earl of Elgin, has ordered a court of inquiry to investigate the disastrous reconwith little resistance and afterwards rewith the loss of about fifty killed and finds it impossible to raise the sum of £3,000.

of the troops by the commanding officer.

wounded and he would not desert them. The rest of the sad tale will never b yesterday Lieutenant McIntyre and his handful of men sacrificed their lives for which the bodies were found showing they enemy was afraid to rush upon the little

camp and heard the terms which he insisted the outbreak, their disagmament by unother yards for Japan would be transferred to

A portion of the Orakzale people seemed to demur at these terms. DEFEAT OF INSURGENTS REPORTED.

HAVANA, Nov. 12.-The Spanish cavalry

of baggage and letters.

Seize the Carlist Guns.

RECIPROCITY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 .- Definite arrangements have been made for taking up sat for the trial thus far and impaneling a the subject of a reciprocity treaty between twelfth juror, to whom the proceedings be the United States and Canada, and to this end meetings have been fixed between John A. Kasson, who is specially delegated by President McKinley to conduct reciprocity to accept or reject the proposition of counsel negotiations, and Sir Wilfred Laurier, the for the defense, and Judge Smith adjourned Canadian premier, and Sir Louis Davies, min- further consideration of the case until 1 ister of marine. This is the result of the o'clock p. m. long and friendly conference held yesterday between Secretary Sherman and Sir district attorney and Mr. Howe, the latter, Wilfred Laurier. The meeting will be held emerging from an antercom, said to the during the present visit of the Canadian officials, but no exact time for it has yet been fixed, as it will depend somewhat on the time which can be spired from the Bering lected. I have just spoken to Mr. Youngs sea sessions. The arrangements also contem- and found that he and his associates are not migration, north Atlantic fisheries, lake fish- posed in court this morning. Mr. Youngs

on that subject alone. It is not expected that the reciprocity Howe. "My reasons for not accepting Mr.

with Mr. Kasson followed this morning.

Progress of the Bering Sen Conference at Washington.

In turn the British-Canadian represents propositions differed considerably, but were ot so wide apart as to lead to the belief that they could not be reconciled.

It was felt to be desirable to hold no after oon session, in order that the two sets o ubmitted some further amendments to the experts will be able to reach a common

propositions the diplomats will begin to cone reached before next week, and the first

CHICAGO, Nov. 12.-Formal announcement concerning the date of the wedding have

completed arrangements to open an office

complished. Meantime Durrant has been removed from the condemned cell and returned to his old Quentin, where he will remain until the su-

this action is so unusual that few attorneys

entertain the suggestion as likely to be ac-

ORGANIZE STEEL TUBING TRUST Big Manufacturers Continue to Con-TOLEDO, O., Nov. 12.-A strong ion of steel tubing manufacturers has been perfected, and the new corporation will absolutely represent 90 per cent of the tubing output of the United States. The combination is made up of the Brewer Seamless Tube company and the American Weldless Tube company of this city; the Shelby Tube company of Shelby, O.; the Ellwood Tube ompany of Ellwood. Pa., and the Greenville Tube company of Greenville, Pa. The consolidation is called the Shelby Tube company and is capitalized at \$5,000,000 under the provisions for iron and steel plants in the Pennsylvania statutes. W. H. Miller of

Shelby will be the president and general manager, and the main offices will be at the Shelby plant. The big deal was promoted by Colonel H A. Lozier and Mr. Miller, who recently sized each other up in the fight to form a steel trust with the help of English capital on the colonel's part. The combination is in a position to make a big bid for foreign trade, as the Steifel patents are a part of the assets. The minimum output of the com bined mills is 50,000,000 feet. An arrangement is to be in force, however, by which tubing for different purposes will be made at different mills, one taking the bicycle tubing, one the government work, one the flue work, etc. It is expected that the amalgamation will also undertake to pro-

duce steel billets by the open hearth process. PULP PAPER MEN FORM A COMBINE.

Surplus Product to Be Exported and Profit or Loss Divided. BOSTON, Nov. 12 .- Manufacturers of pulp paper from all parts of the United States have been in Boston for the last two days and the result of their deliberations is the forming of a national association to improve the trade and a pooling of export business. The manufacturers present represented 90 per cent or more of the total pulp paper output in the United States. The manufacturers have therefore made an agreement that all surplus pulp produced in the mills of the United States and not supplied at list prices to buyers in this country is to be exported through the executive committee of the association. The loss on this paper exported. if there is ary, is to be divided among the mil's in proportion to the amount contributed to the general pool, while any profits are also to be divided pro rats. Hereafter the handling of the over-product through the association will do away with the necessity of home competition at ruinous prices.

in this city. No reason has been assigned for his act. Steamer's Cargo on Fire. CAPE HENRY, Nov. 12.—The British steamer Governor, from Galveston for Newport News, passed Cape Henry at 8 a. m. It signaled the Weather bureau office that its cargo was on fire.

Suicide of a Leading Lawyer, NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—John C. Bullit

rominent railroad lawyer at Duluth, Minn