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May 12-Anniversary of the Women's

May 14-Reception to fraternal delegates.

May 16-Mass meeting in the interest of

May 17-Anniversary of the Freedmen's

May 19-Anniversary of the Women's

May 21-Reception to fraternal delegates

May 22-Mass meeting in the interest of

May 23-Anniversary of the Board of Edu

May 24-Lecture by Governor Theodore

May 28-Reception to fraternal delegates.

noon at the Auditorium, the preachers to be

selected from among the bishops and dis-

DEATH RECORD.

Pioneer of Nebraska.

OSCEOLA, Neb., Feb. 23.—(Special.)—On Thursday the funeral of William Heitzman

was held at the Methodist Episcopal church

at Fairview in this county. Mr. Heitzman

came to this state and settled in Columbus

in 1873 and soon after moved to this county

and settled on the Platte bottom in Platte

precinct. He was born in Northumberland

county, Pennsylvania, in 1830, and married there in 1855. There were eight children

Aged Sister of Charity.

mother house, Mount Carmel, yesterday,

Prominent Irish-American

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.-Edward O'Flaherty,

the junior member of the dry goods firm of

McPartland & O'Flaherty, died at his home

president of the Irish American League.

William Volght.

services will be conducted Friday from St.

Road Will Reorganize.

oday that Vermylie & Co., Hallgarten &

Co. and Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co. had

signified their willingness, at the request

of a majority of the stockholders of the

Third Avenue road, to undertake the re-

organization of that property. It was also

stated that this syndicate would at the first

opportunity confer with the creditors' pro-

tective committee with a view of securing

New York Republican Convention.

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—The republican state committee today selected New York City, April 17, for holding the state convention to elect delegates at targe to be ublican national convention at Phila-

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.-It was announced

NORFOLK, Neb., Feb. 23 .- (Special.)-

and was 90 years old.

tinguished vicitors from beyond the sea.

May 25-Grand temperance rally,

Aid and Southern Education society,

May 18-Lecture (speaker to be

Foreign Missionary society.

ity evangelization.

Home Missionary society.

he deaconess' work.

ounced).

Roosevelt.

In the highest regard.

The attention of congress is directed to five bills now in the hands of the ways and means committee, not necessarily to aid the passage of any of them specifically, but as evidence of a great demand for some form evidence of a great demand for some form of remedial legislation to which the inquiry we request would be preliminary. We believe the entire agitation against trusts presents no more concrete example than this, and your petitioners, relying upon the desire of congress to legislate in the interests of the people, believe you will accept the epportunity to make this inquiry in the spirit in which it is demanded.

The newspaper, it is fair to state, unlike most forms of industry, sells at a fixed price and has no means of putting the increased cost onto the consumer. In many

price and has no means of putting the increased cost onto the consumer. In many
instances it means the complete confiscation of profits and in many others creates
an actual loss.

The apparently sincere desire of all
parties to deal with the trust question removes this inquiry from the charge of partisanship and makes it what it is intended
to be, an inquiry in the public interest.

The following officers were re-elected S. H. Kauffman, Washington Star, president M. A. McRae, Cincinnati Post, vice president; W. C. Bryant, Brooklyn Times, secretary; Edward P. Call, New York Evening Post, treasurer. Executive committee, W. L. McLean, Philadelphia Bulletin; C. M. Palmer, Cleveland; A. A. McCormick, Chicago Times-Herald; F. E. Whiting, Boston Herald; C. W. Kuapp, St. Louis Republic; Charles H. Taylor, Boston Globe, and Joseph T. Nevin, Pittsburg Leader.

FIRE RECORD.

Masonie Temple at London, Ont. LONDON, Ont., Feb. 23.—The Masonia temple was destroyed by fire today. Noth ing remains but the walls. The Great Northwestern telegraph office, Shea's wholesale liquor store. the office of the Northern Life Assurance company, Parke & Purdom, barristers: Roath Bros. and C. E. Turner brokers; F. E. Butler, broker; Keene Furniture company, the Grand opera house, R. G Dun & Co. and the Dominion Lean and Sav

ings company's place are all in ruins The Maronic temple was the finest structure in the city. The loss will be in the neighborhood of \$200,000. The fire is said to have originated on the stage of the opera

Hotel at Birmingham.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 23.-The explosion of a gasoline stove in the basement of the Metropolitan hotel this afternoon was followed by a fire which burned that building and the Hewlett block adjoining, causing a loss of about \$160,000. The insurance amounts to about three-fourths of the loss A telegram was sent to Montgomery asking for aid. An hour later, however, the fire was under control and the request for help from Montgomery was countermanded. The Berney bank will lose all its books, money and fixtures from its building. A company of militia was called to guard the coin and

keep back the crowd. Seven Business Houses. BARABOO, Wis., Feb. 23 .- Seven business firms were wiped out by fire at Wonewoe today. For a time it seemed probable that the entire village was doomed. The loss amounts to \$60,000. The origin of the fire

Dry Goods Store Destroyed. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 23.-Fire broke the home of his daughter today. Funeral sut under a counter on the ground floor of

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TEXT OF THE FINANCE BILL

Agreement on the Iwue Reached by Repub-

Provides that Legal Tender of United States Shall He Measured by a Gold Standard-Democrats

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the case on demand and used for no other presses.

See. 7—That hereafter silver certificates shall be issued only of denominations of \$10 and under, except that not exceeding in the aggregate 10 percentum of the total volume of said certificates, in the discretion of the secretary of the treasury, may be issued in denominations of \$20, \$50 and \$100, and silver certificates of higher denomination than \$10.

tion than \$10. May 15-Anniversary of the Epworth Sec. 8-That the secretary of the treasury

Sec. 8—That the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized to use, at his discretion, any silver builion in the treasury of the United States purchased under the act of July 14, 1896, for coinage into such denominations of subsidiary silver coin as may be necessary to meet the public requirements for such coin. Provided, that the amount of subsidiary silver coin outstanding shall not at any time exceed in the aggregate \$100,000,000.

Sec. 10—That section 5138 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended so as to read as follows: "Section 5138—No association shall be organized with a less caultal of \$100,000, except that banks with a capital of not less than \$50,000 may, with the approval of the secretary of the treasury, be organized in any place the population of which does not exceed 6,000 inhabitants and except that banks with a capital of not less than \$55,000 may, with the sanction of the secretary of the treasury, be organized in any place the population of the secretary of the treasury, be organized in any place the population of which does not exceed 5,000 inhabitants. No association shall be organized in a city the population of which does not exceed 5,000 persons with There will be a sermon each Sunday after-

in any place the population of which does not exceed 3,000 inhabitants. No association shall be organized in a city the population of which exceeds 50,000 persons with a capital of less than \$200,000.

Sec. 12—That upon the deposit with the treasurer of the United States by any national bunking association of any bonds of the United States in the manner provided by existing law, such association shall be entitled to receive from the comptroller of the currency circulating notes in blank, registered and countersigned as provided by law, equal in amount to the par value of the bonds so deposited. Provided, that the total amount of such notes issued to any such association may equal at any time, but shall not exceed, the amount at such time of its capital stock actually paid in.

Sec. 12—That every national banking association having on deposit, as provided by law, bonds of the United States bearing interest at the rate of 2 percentum per ancounty. Pennsylvania, in 1830, and married there in 1855. There were eight children born to this union, all of whom are still living and were present at his bedside when he died, and they are all residents of this county except R. S. Heitzman of David City and Prof. W. S. Heitzman of Lincoln.

Reuben Sizer.

OSCEOLA. Neb., Feb. 23.—(Special.)—Reuben Sizer, who was a veteran of the civil war and nearly 74 years old, died here today. He was an Obioan and came to this county in March, 1872. He leaves a wife and three children, who were present at the funeral. Two of the daughters are Mrs. A. P. Mickey living in Lincoln, Neb., and Mrs. O. J. Colmon of Osceola.

Clation haying on deposit, as provided in whomels of the United States bearing interest at the rate of 2 percentum per annum, issued under the provisions of this act, to secure its circulation pays to the treasurer of the United States in the months of January and July a tax of one-fourth of 1 percentum each half year upon the average amount of such of its notes in circulation as are based upon the deposit of secure its circulating notes, shall pay to the treasurer of the United States bearing interest at the rate of 2 percentum per annum, issued under the provisions of this act, to secure its circulation and July a tax of one-fourth of 1 percentum each half year upon the average amount of such of its notes in circulation as are based upon the deposit of such control of the Inited States bearing interest at the rate of 2 percentum per annum, issued under the provisions of this act, to secure its circulation and such the provisions of the months of percentum each half year upon the average amount of such of its notes in circulation as are based upon the deposit of such case of the correct antition of the Inited States in the months of the treasurer of the United States in the months of the result in the provisions of the control of the Revised Statutes.

Sec. 14—That the provisions of the such tax of the months of percentum each half year upon the average amo

M. R. Hanna Talks of It.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.-"Every man DUBUQUE, Ia., Feb. 23.-Sister Mary who favors a revision of the monetary Bernard, one of the founders of the order laws," said H. H. Hanna, chairman of the of Sisters of Charity, died here at the Indianapolie monetary convention, "will realize that the provisions for the establish-She had been in the order over fifty years ment and maintenance of the gold standard and the other important features of the financial measure reported by the house and the senate conferees make a splendid It is not as a whole an Ideal measbut it is a great step forward and worth all the time and labor the sound today from pneumonia. Mr. O'Fisherty was money organization has spent to secure it. president of the Irish-American Club and yet to complete before our financial sys-

William Voight, aged 72, died of dropsy at will come later. TO RECOMMEND SOME TRUST LAW.

> Certain Suggestions to Congress. ing of Mosers. Smythe, Harris, M. D. Latch- other similar cases." gate industrial conditions in the south.

Mrs. Daniel Manning Appointed. WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.-Under the joint resolution of congress the president has Democratic Convention Committee. appointed Mrs. Daniel Manning es a com- WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Chairman Jones missioner to represent the United States of the democratic national committee today

and the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the unveiling of the Lafayette statue in Parls and at the Paris exposition.

PORTO RICA BILL MAY FAIL

(Continued from First Page.)

lumber from Maine to Porto Rico. At San Juan the duty was collected by the United States. Therefore, it had as well been collected by the United States when it left Maine. He assailed as a pretext the theory

We want no Porto Rican stepdaughter in Clayton of Alabama, Campau of Michigan.

notable speeches were delivered.

After a sharp parliamentary squabble Mr. Penrose moved that the resolution involving the seating of Mr. Quay be taken up for consideration. On a yea and nay vote the motion prevailed; 34 to 28. The majority was so decisive as to cause some surprise It is known that some senators who will vote, if the opportunity be offered, to seat Mr. Quay today voted against the consideration of the case, while, on the contrary, others who voted for consideration probably will vote against scatting him.

The vote cannot, therefore, be regarded as a test of Quay's absolute strength in the senate. Following the taking up of the reselution Daniel, democrat of Virgania, delivered a speech in which he vigorously supported Quay's right to a seat.

Allison.

McComas, McEnery, McLaurin, Morgan, Pettigrew Pritchard Hansbrough, Hawley. fallaferro. lones (Nev.). Nave: Kean, Lindsay. Aldrich, Burrow McCumber. McMillan, Pettus, Platt (Conn.)

Tillman. Turner—28. Jones (Ark.). The following pairs were announced: Clay with Ledge (Ledge in favor of seating Quay, but against taking up case now). Deboe with Mallory (no statement of position), Prye with Berry (no statement of position, Mc-Bride with Money (McBride against, Money for), Taliaferro with Scott (both in favor of Quay), Taliaferro voted; Thurston and Allen assistance could be expected from him ow-(no statement), Wetmore with Bacon (no statement), Sewell with Wellington (Sewell for), Platt of New York with Heitfeld (Platt

Mr. Daniel also held that the weight of precedent was largely in Quay's favor. In concluding he said:

"The senate is at once a legislative body, an executive body and a judicial body. When I hear cenators say that we should lay aside this matter so that a Hawaiian or Porto Rican bill or any other bill shall be considered it seems to me that the senator has not risen to his proper dignity and that he is not treating his The business men of the country have much brother senator as he ought to be treated when he is knocking at the gates of the tem is properly adjusted to our rapidly body with as perfect credentials as his own expanding commerce, but these changes I shall never vote-unless, indeed, in some great public emergency, when everything else must give way-to postpone the cre dentials of a senator to any other consid-Industrial Commission Will Make cration of public policy. The first step is the organization of a body is to ascertain WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 .- It was stated who are its members. According to the oday that the Industrial commission has constitution it has been ascertained that decided to make certain recommendations we are members of this body, but there is as to legislation in regard to trusts, and one who has as much right in this senate these will be forwarded to congress next according to my ludgment, as any one who Tuesday or Wednesday, together with the has placidly voted to postpone his case and estimeny taken by the commission on the let him cool his heels waiting to be heard subject of trusts. A sub-committee consist- I shall vote in this case as I voted in all

ford, L. D. Livingston and Senator Kyle will | Vest. democrat of Missouri, and Foraker leave Washington about March 13 to investis republican of Obio delivered speeches anent the Hawalian government bill. They were constitutional arguments, Feraker's being a reply to that of Veet.

QUESTIONS FOR

If you were offered sure aid in time of trouble, would you put it aside and accept something of doubtful efficiency?

If you saw before you a strong and safe bridge leading to your goal, would you ignore it to try some insecure and tottering structure? The answers to these questions are plain. You would, of course, choose

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table Compound.

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"For a number of years I was troubled with backache and leucorrhoea. I became so weak and miserable that I could not attend to my work or studies. The least effort would completely exhaust me. Physicians failed to help me. I felt that my youth was blighted, and the life before me would be one of suffering and misery. Then a friend insisted on me taking your medicine. Before I had used one bottle I was greatly relieved. I had not known a well day for four years, but now I feel better than I have since a child, and it is all due to Lydia Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Miss May B. Stevenson, Alliance, O.

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"I suffered for fifteen years without finding any relief. I tried doctors, but nothing seemed to do me any good. I had falling of the womb, leucorrhoea, pain in the back and head, and those bearing-down pains. One bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did me so much good that I sent for four more, also two boxes of Liver Pills and one package of Sanative Wash. After using these I felt like a new woman." - Mrs. G. A. Winter, Glidden, la., Box 220.

"I was suffering with falling of the womb, painful menstruation, headache, backache, pain in groins, extending into the limbs; also a terrible pain at left womb. The pain in my back was dreadful during menstruation, and my head would ache until I would be nearly crazy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has given me great relief. I suffer no pain now, and I give your medicine all the praise." - Mrs. J. P. McSpadden, Rosenberg, Tex.

nothing could have given it this sale except its

WOMEN.

Ovarian Troubles Always Yield to Lydia E. Pink. ham's Vegetable Compound.

'I had been in poor health for twenty years, having inflammation of ovaries and womb trouble. Although treated by physicians, I could not gain strength nor do my work, and was so low-spirited and tired of life. A friend advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The first bottle strengthened me, and I wrote After taking six bottles can say that I am well and can even do washing. - Mrs. M. W. Miller, No. 1033 Canal Street, New Orleans, La.

"For three years I suffered with ovarian trouble, having inflammation and an absecss on right ovary. Had such pain in my back and head, and at times was unable to walk. Had several doctors, but they did not do me much good. One doctor said that I would have to have an operation and have the ovary removed. I became discouraged, and gave up all hopes of getting well. I began taking Lydia E. Pin'.nam's Vegetable Compound. wrote to Mrs. Pinkham and followed her directions faithfully, and am better than I have been for three years. I have taken ten bottles, and my friends are surprised at my rapid improvement," — Mrs. W. H. Walters, Cold Spring Harbor, L. I. N. Y.

ommittee on arrangements for the national convention: Senator Jones, ex-officio chairman; Stone of Missouri, Johnson of Kansas, Guffey of Pennsylvania, Wilson of Colorado. Stops the Cougu and Works Off the Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quintne Tablets cure a cold

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named the following members of the sub-

MORE OF ATKINSON'S TYPE

Persons Gather in Philadelphia to Denounce the Government of the United States. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23.-The second

day's session of the eastern conference of anti-imperialists was characterized by the adoption of a strong resolution condemning he expansion policy of the administration. During the discussion President McKinley was severely criticised and held personally responsible for the "criminal aggression of he country." Today's proceedings began with an execu-

ive meeting of the committee on resoluions, of which Herbert Welch of this city is chairman. The resolution drafted by this ommittee was unanimously adopted with elight amendments. It is as follows:

"Whereas, The present administration on-der the leadership of President McKinley has undertaken to extend the soverclanty of the United States over various trooteal islands, in no case with the consent of their people, and in the Philippines by force of arms, and denies that the inhabitants of these islands have any constitutional rights:

Resolved. That this policy violates the principles upon which our government rests and not only subverts the liberty of these islanders, but also endangers the permanence of free institutions in our country.

Resolved, That we will support no man for the presidency or for congress who is not known to be absolutely opposed to the policy and that we will do our best to de feat all candidates for either office wh

Resolved. That we request the executive committee of our national league to call national convention at such time as the think wise for the purpose of securin united action by all who hold these views Several of the delegates objected to the use of President McKinley's name on the ground that it was unwise to insert personalities into a resolution of that nature. The resolution when first presented placed the responsibility for the war in the Philippines with the republican party, under the lead of President McKinley, but on motion of Moorfield Storey of Massachusetts the words, "the present administration" were substituted. In offering the amendment Mr Storey said that the members of President McKinley's cabinet, who at heart were op posed to the policy of imperialism, but who by their silence supported it, should b made to bear their share in the respons bility. Answering the objections of those who favored striking out the name of Mr McKinley, Frank Stephens of this city said "That murderer is the man who is chiefly to blame for the shame that rests upon this ountry and his name should not be re

moved. Senator Hoar came in for some criticism Several of the delegates declared that little ing to his staunch support of the presi-

"We want it to go out to the world," said Mr. Storey, "that our anti-imperialism is not of that sort." Herbert Welch in discussing the resolu-

ion, said he regarded the administration's imperialistic policy as "the breaking down of the American union."

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