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APPEAL FROMKRUGER CARTER AGAIN TURNED DOWN IMPORTANT DAY FOR CUBA MASKED WOMEN RAID DEPOT CONDITION OF THE WEATHER NEBRASKA DISTRICT INTACT SIXTY MEN ENTOMBED Judge Hook Refuses to Release Him Commissioner Yerkes Assures Con Forecast foor Nebraska-Fair; Warmer. on Bail, Necessitating Regreasmen That lowars Attack is Temperature at Omaha Yesterday. turn to Prison. Island Republic Expects to Make Great Utterly Futile. Fifteen Veiled Crusaders at Goffs Destroy Pall Mall Gazette Prints a New Plaint Honr. tonr. Deg. 5 n. m..... 28 6 n. m..... 27 flour. Deg. 1 p. m..... 41 Explosion Blocks All Channels of Exit a ad Occasion of Signing Constitution. LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Feb. 15 --- Ex-Whicky and Beer in Transit. Por 11-12 other of the former of the source WASHINGTON, Feb. 15,-(Special Tele-Interview with Boer President. 2 p. m..... 3 p. m.... Fire Encompasses Them. gram.)-Senator Thurston had an interview 7 a. m..... 25 8 a. m..... 27 with John W. Yerkes, commissioner of in-ternal revenue today, relative to the MISSOURI PACIFIC WILL PROSECUTE 4 p. m..... 5 p. m..... 6 p. m..... IS TO OCCUR MONDAY OR TUESDAY ASKS FOR SOMEONE TO ARBITRATE erturne ernmen. contracts, today suffered another de tempt to secure re-lease: MINERS WHO FACE A HORRIBLE DEATH 11 m. m..... 40 divide the Nebraska collection district 7 p. m All Foreign Consuls Are to Be In-12 m..... 43 p. m Commissioner Yerkes said he understood Officials Resent the Act and Will Send Says "Will No One Give Us a Chance of Judge Hook refuse. to release Carter on 9 p. m vited to Witness Ceremony-Com-Rescuing Party Has a Long Dig Ahead and such a scheme was being pushed, but Detectives to Discover the mission and General Now Defending Ourselves?" bail and ordered him remanded to the fed thought it had little chance of succeeding. Offenders and Have STRUGGLE ON TOP OF THE CAR May Be Too Late. eral penitentiary to await the action of the Conferring. Later Congressman Mercer also called upon Them Tried. Unites States suprems court, on appeal in the same errand as the senior senator from his habeas corpus case. Brakeman and Two Holdups Hav CAN PROVE ENGLAND THE AGGRESSOR Nebraska, and was given to understand that WOMEN WRING HANDS AT SHAFT'S MOUTH "I cannot," said the judge, "even had the HAVANA, Feb. 15 .- Governor General Hard Fight While Train is GOFFS, Kan., Feb. 15 .- Fifteen masked the Nebraskans need not fear about any court the power, which is doubtful, see a Wood left Havana today for a two days' division for sometime at least. in Motion. women broke into the Missouri Pacific reason for liberating the prisoner on ball, rest at Batabano. With him went the freight depot here tonight and destroyed Olaims Transvaalers Declared War Only Seek Places in the Army. CHICAGO, Feb. 15 .- On top of a box car Such a case has not been presented that Looks Like One of the Worst Mining special committee appointed by the Cuban fifteen jugs of whisky and four kegs of Senators and members of congress are at the rear end of a rapidly moving freight would authorize anything of the kind and Fecause Compelled. constitutional convention to draw up a beer. Breaking into a freight depot is a Disasters in History. cearing holes in the marble steps leading train William J. Bennett, a brakeman, gave the motion is denied and the judgment proposition defining the future relations penitentiary offense and the Misouri Paup to the White House in their cager decifics officials announce that detectives will of the bandits had a revolver. With that of the court stands." between the United States and the republic sire to get a favorable position for their Carter flushed as these words were of Cuba. FRENCH MAKES ONE MORE CAPTURE be brought here to learn the identity of proteges in the army, Senator Thurston, In the women concerned in the affair so they tumbled about together on the top of the one Bennett clinched. They rolled and SPECIAL RELIEF TRAIN WITH DOCTORS spoken, but soon regained his composure, quietly put on his overcoat and left the discuss the matter this afternoon and the early this week, has prepared this sup-The committee and General Wood will addition to the batch of names he sent in may be prosecuted. The destruction of swaying car, each endeavoring to hurl the court room with Warden McLaughry to re- former will probably return to Havana to-Report Comes from Lourenzo Marques the liquor, it is contended, was unlawful, as plemented list of men for ligutenants, in- the depot is not a saloon and the liquor turn to the penitentiary. other from the train. After a desperate That Large Force of Boers Have morrow. Judging from the personal opin-"I am innocent of the charges upon which ions of the members of the committee, no Back in an Effort to Succor the struggle Bennett succeeded in getting his came from another state. It is believed 1 was convicted," are the opening words objections will be raised on its part to the Philippines; Nathan J. Shelton, Clan-Surrendered to Him in adversary in a position where he was able Helpless Prisoners-Reports Ermelo. to throw him from the car without going Grow Stendily Worse. court-martial proceedings will be declared deed, it seems to be accepted as a matter Furay, son of J. B. Furay of Omsha. All with him. At that juncture the confedin other parts of the state. null and void by the supreme court, and of course that the United States governerate of the robber with the revolver came The women raided all of the "joints' the consequent recovery of my liberty will ment is entitled to ask for assurances as in active service in the east. these men, with the exception of Furay, are into action. He saved his companion and LONDON, Feb. 15 .- The Pall Mall Mag-SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 15 .- A special to here Wednesday and a determined fight not vindicate my honor nor proclaim my to the stability of the republic. There is in a scuffle with the brakeman struck him azine will publish on February 15 an inagainst the saloons has been kept up since from behind with a billy and rendered him innocence to the world." Indian Appropriation Bill. terview with Mr. Kruger, in part as follows an evident disposition to look upon the then. Carter's special plea for liberty is that outline of the proposed relations as pub-Will no one arbitrate? Will no one unconscious. The conferees having charge of the In-Topeka as a Dry Town. he may secure civil trial at Atlanta, Ga. Hished in La Nacion, as indicating what is dian appropriation bill completed their Angered because of his narrow escape give us a chance of defending ourselves? TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 15 .- Today was the of not only the province, but of the dominthe robber who had been worsted then set We may have done wrongly; we have our Continuing, the affidavit attempts to acdesired by the United States. In Lucha work today and agreed upon all items in limit fixed by the citizens' committee for count for the sums of money expended by commented favorably on the proposition at conference, "except upon the appropriation the jointists of Topeka to to be out of busiupon Bennett and as he lay helpless faults and our weaknesses. We declared pounded him mercilessly over the head war, but our hands were forced and we Carter in excess of his pay, stating that the time. of \$100,000 for the survey of lands and ness. As far as can be ascertained the with his revolver, inflicting a dozen wounds can prove it. Get someone to judge bethey were given him by his father-in-law beginning work for a dam across the Gila orders of the citizens have been observed. May Stall on Naval Nations. and knocking out several of the victim's Two physicians offered affidavits to the eftween this England aud ourselves. river at San Carlos reservation, Arizona, The chairman of the vigilance committee The only hitch that is expected to arise "But the Lord will help us in the end. teeth. After searching Bennett and sefect that the prisoner was a sufferer from permitting the leasing of lands by ex- said he was satisfied tonight that the town between General Wood and the commission curing a small sum of money and a silver We shall win. I do not know how or when, neurasthenis, and if confined for any length ecutive order in reservations for mining was dry, with the possible exception of a in discussing the question is as to the estabwatch, it is supposed that the robbers of time would suffer mental collapse and but we shall win at last." purposes, and sending to the court of little "bootlegging." The jointists have lishing of naval stations in Cuba by the jumped from the train and made their es-Mr. Kruger says the Transyaal offered become insane. claims the Sisseton and Wahpeton claims, been busy all week moving their fixtures to United States. The other clauses may be cape. The assault took place on a train more reforms in one week than an older Senator Pettigrew's pet project. somewhat modified, but it is likely that an places of safety. on the Lake Shore tracks between Fortycountry would make in forty years, giv-W. C. T. U. ENDORSES HATCHET shortly be obtainable. These amendments, inserted in the bill Mrs. Nation in an interview tonight conagreement will be reached whereby Cuba ing in to the uttermost, but the uttermost third and Fifty-first streets. As near as can be gathered, the explosion by the senate, will be reported back to demned the action of the secret organizashall not negotiate loans on which she is Bennett did not recover his senses until was seized upon as a stumbling block. President of White Ribboners Urges the two bodies with notice of disagreement, tion of men in Topeka which has closed up unable to pay interest and shall not make he train reached Englewood. There the Referring to his reception in Europe Followers to Give Mrs. and the real fight for the system of national the joints. She said the closing would treaties with other nations prejudicial to train was moving slowly, and with blood which has bitterly disappointed him, Mr Nation Aid. irrigation will thus be sprung upon the only be temporary and the women would the interests of the United States in Cuba Kruger said: "I care nothing for flowers streaming from his wounds. Bennett use under the privilleged question. Rep- have made a much better job of it. She or in any way preventing the island's freeclimbed down the car and fell from the nothing, nothing. The people who send them mean well, and I am grateful, but I CHICAGO, Feb. 15 .- The Record today says: Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, president of dom of action. The United States, on the resentatives Sherman, Little and Curtis, said it was a very serious mistake for the train into the arms of Yardmaster Flaws. Women's Christian Temperance other hand, will guarantce peace and the the house conferees, are decidedly of the women not to go out on their smashing The injured man was taken to the Englecare nothing for them. What I want is a the union, has sent the following message protection of the rights defined by the opinion that their body will instruct them four on the night of the 7th. She has fair hearing. If they will only give us a wood Unfon hospital. fair hearing and justice. We are a little from her home in Maine to Mrs. Caroline treaty of Paris, and all rights acquired by to further insist upon their disagreement. called a meeting of the Home Defenders for solid mass of rocks, timbers and earth. The friends of irrigation have a fight on | tomorrow, at which various matters will be HIS BODY IS IN EVIDENCE military decrees during the period of in-Both Fire and Gas. folk, but we have made great steps." Grow and Mrs. Chapin, editors of the their hands, and every interest friendly to discussed. tervention will be respected. The special When asked why he came to Europe he The first explosion was followed by sev-Union Signal, the official organ: the recognition of arid lands is expected to Today, at Olpe, Kan, a large company of committee will report to the convention said to the interviewer: "I could not go "Print as many good things as you can Kansas City Man Found in a Creek lend a helping hand to the representatives women, headed by the ministers of the early next week. of Mrs. Carrie Nation; she certainly has out with the commandos, as did Mr. Steyn, Proves Faisity of a in congress, for the Gila river dam site is town, waited upon the jointists and gave The signing of the constitution will be but I thought I should be of some use accomplished much." Letter. looked upon as the entering wedge for them just fifteen minutes to close. made an occasion of importance. It is ex-The here. It was the first endorsement that has pected to take place next Monday or Tuesnational irrigation. It is expected the women were armed with hatchets and KANSAS CITY, Feb. 15 .- The body of Regarding Mrs. Kruger he said: "I am been given Mrs. Nation by the Women's conferees will report their disagreement to threatened to smash the fixtures. The day and the foreign consuls will be in-William Stelp, a hardware merchant, who of the morning shift in No. 5 shaft or-mysteriously disappeared on January 31 ganized a rescue party. No. 5 is situated sorry for her, too. I have a deep sorrow Christian Temperance union's officer. Mrs. the three amendments on Monday and ask jointists did not wait to parley, but imvited to be present. for her, but I have far more sorrow for Nation wears a white ribbon, but she said for further instructions. mediately closed. The same process was last, was found today in a creek in an out- about a mile from No. 6, but the two my country. My wife has her children. at Willard hall Wednesday night: repeated at Cottonwood Falls. NOT LIKELY TO BE ABSORBED Six are still with her. They were left with her in her home. Two were cap-Won't Press Indian Bill. lying portion of the city. Stelp had taken workings are connected by a tunnel and "I haven't much use for the white rib-Riot Threatened at Winfield. Congressman Gamble has decided not his life with a revolver, which he still bon and not so very much for the Women's WINFIELD, Kan., Feb. 15.-A riot is clutched in his hand. President of Colorado & Southern tured. I believe; two more are dead also, to press the bill ceding Indian lands in Christian Temperance union. They to help the unfortunate fellows in the threatened here as a result of the crusade About the same hour the body was found as I have not heard from them for two Railway Denies Rumored Sale Gregory county, South Dakota, to the govwouldn't help me along with my work. wrecked shaft. recently instituted against the "jointists." a relative of Mrs. Stelp handed Chief of months and I know they were in the thick to Other Roads. ernment. The Indian appropriation bill They are too slow.' The saloon men have many sympathizers Police Hayes a letter, received by the of the fight contains general authority for investigation "The endorsement, if we interpret it that who deny that the crusaders have a right to woman, in which the writer offered to re-DENVER, Feb. 15.-President Frank with a view to securing constants of such destroy saloon property. The partisans of turn Stelp on the payment of \$1,000, which and obliged the party to desist. The hope-"Thirty-one sons and grandsons I have in way, was given cautiously," said Mrs. the field, yet I could not go on com-

mando. I have not heard from my wife for sixteen days, but she has six children with her and she is not to be pitled." Reported Capture by French.

LOURENZO MARQUEZ, Feb. 15 .- It is re-

way in a statement issued today denies the becomes a law Mr. Gamble will formally

oved of Mrs. Nutle

Grow, "as Mrs. Stevens is studying Mrs. Nation and her methods. Truly her work in Kansas is remarkable and the entire Women's Christian Temperance union is says:

now recognizing it." "Do you think Miss Willard would have

each faction are arming and a clash be- was to be left at a point designated. Chief way in a statement issued today denies the likihood of that road being absorbed. He says: "My information from official sources is that nothing is going on in Colorado & The recommended the estat is been at and and sources is that nothing is going on in Colorado & The delivery at Sherman and Madison in the bergory of the massing that nothing is going on in Colorado & The nothing is going on in Colorado & The delivery at Sherman and Madison in the bergory of the massing that nothing is going on in Colorado & The delivery at Sherman and Madison in the bergory of the massing the bergory of the massing the bergory of the massing the bergory of the missing the money be sent at 7 of the bergory of the missing the money be sent at 7 of the bergory of the missing the money be sent at 7 of the bergory of the missing the money be sent at 7 of the bergory of the missing the money be sent at 7 of the bergory of the missing the money be sent at 7 of the bergory of the missing the money be sent at 7 of the bergory o tween them is imminent. Several ministers Hayes began preparations' to trap the al-KANSAS CITY. Mo., Feb. 15.-A special this time your husband will suffer immeto the Times from Perry, Kan., says: Fif- diately." teen women following Mrs. Nation sallied forth at 6 o'clock this evening and with shaken up by Mrs. Nation; so are the intended to protect all security holders measure providing for the reclamation of axes and hatchets denuded and wrecked the verdict rendered and wandered away, church people, said Mrs. Chapin. "We alike. This absolutely precludes the domi- arid lands, which the house committee on joints. The last visit, that to a drug store. He had evidently been dead several days. ended in one of the women being severely be any bands of home defenders formed ish interest of any other corporation, un- view to reporting it to the house. On the burned by breaking a bottle of carboilc have taken advantage of his disappearance

Ocean Steamship Ordered to Turn

the Post Intelligencer from Victoria says: News of what is feared will be one of the most horrible mine accidents in the history ion, took place this forenoon at the union mines, owned by the Wellington Colliery company, of which James Dunsmulr, the premier of the province, is the principal shareholder. The telegraphic advices received so far give no complete story of the accident, but newspaper correspondents are now hurrying by steamers and tugbeats to the scene and the facts will

took place about 11 o'clock in No. 6 shaft. This particular shaft is situated in the village of Cumberland. There were sixty men in it when the explosion took place and not one of them escaped. The explosion wrecked the mine, destroying the shaft from midway down and filling it with a

eral more, while the dense volume of smoke issuing from the ventholes indicated only too truly that the fire as well as gas was doing its destructive work below. As soon as practical after the accident the men ganized a rescue party. No. 5 's situated through this channel an attempt was made

They had not cut their way many yards through the debris when they encountered less message came back by telephone to the surface, conveying the heartbreaking news to the relatives of the imprisoned men. whose urging was not necessary to induce the relief party to return to their apparent

large Boer force in the Ermele district. The ammunition, guns and shells surrendered by the Boers to the Portuguese at Komatipoort will be sunk at sea

Women Assist Strategie Move.

CAPETOWN, Feb. 15 .- For a month Lord Methuen has been acouring the country be tween Kuruman and the Transvaal, bringing in women and children, cattle and foo from all the farms. Fifty women and 100 children, together with a few men, he has sent to Vryburg. On one occasion while he was pursuing a commando the Boers sent off their wagons in charge of women and girls in one direction and went themselves in another. The women were such experi drivers that the British had considerable difficulty in catching the convoy. General Smith-Dorrien occupied Amsterdam and Taungs February 9. Push Back the Boers.

COLESBURG, Cape Colony, Feb. 15 .-Plumer's column encountered General Dewet February 13 and gradually pushed back the Boers. The British had a field battery and the Boers one five-pounder The shrapnel burst splendidly. Ten of the British were wounded during many hours of fighting. An occasional dead Boer was found. The engagement is being continued today

All the males at Grasfontein have been arrested. There is plenty of evidence that they were assisting the Boers.

THEY CRY FOR BREAD OR WORK

Several Thousand Idle People Parade In Buda Pest, Finally Becoming Violent.

BUDA PEST, Feb. 15 .- Several thousand persons out of work marched through the principal streets here today carrying mottoes such as "Bread or work is our righ.," and singing the "Marselllaise." They also began smashing the windows of restaurants and stores.

The police, in force, dispersed the mob after scenes of violence, during which many arrests were made

GERMANS TO HAVE FAST GUNS

Military Commissioner Reports That Rapid-Fire Rifles Will Be Supplied the Army.

BERLIN, Feb. 15 .- During today's discussion in the budget committee of the Reichstag, one of the military commissioners said the tests with the machine guns firing 200 shots per minute were sat isfactory and that the whole army would be fitted out with them, during the present year, forming a special corps.

Death of Helen Fiske.

(Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co. NICE, Feb. 15 .- (New York World Cable- opened the tiger's cage by mistake. gram-Special Telegram.)-Helen Finke died at the Cosmopolitan hotel here yesterday after a short illness.

MAY COMBINE WITH YERKES

Union Traction Company May Enter Consolidation of Chicago's Intermural Lines.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.-Representatives of the Union Traction company today denied unequivocally rumors of a consolidation of all the street and elevated railway lines insurgents, who were commanded by Tino, operated by that corporation and the inter- had two cannon and were strongly enests affiliated with Charles T. Yerkes. Representatives of Charles T. Yerkes, on the other hand, stated that resident stockholders and directors of the Union Traction company would not be consulted previous to the consummation of the rumored deal

In financial circles the belief was gen scally expressed that the report of a com nation of a closer alliance of the Unior Loop, Lake street and Northwestern Elevated companies was true and that these companies would in the near future be united under one management.

"By all means; she would have liked her mored absorption of the road by other railwork in Kansas. road interests. "I think the Women's Christian Tem-"All of the capital stock of the company

here, but surely the women will be quickened by the Mrs. Nation spirit."

would have to be made with the voting CRASHES DOWN EMBANKMENT

Street Car Containing Thirty Passengers Leaves Rails and is Wrecked.

particularly as the trustees are men who CINCINNATI, Feb. 15 .- A street car containing thirty passengers, enroute from in New York, namely: F. P. Olcott, presi-Dayton, Ky., to Cincinnati, jumped the dent Central Trust company; J. Kennedy track today on a down grade and plunged over a fifty-foot embankment into a small stream, injuring all but one of the passen gers. Several may die. Among the most eral G. M. Dodge and H. Walters. seriously injured were:

Motorman Samuel Yates, fatally. W. H. McCormick, Bellevue. Miss Edna Contans, Bellevue, may die. William Spencer, Dayton, Ky., may die. Miss Ella Huxell, Westwood, may die.

A. H. Waggner, Bellevud. The others injured received cuts and bruises. Miss Emma Hampton was the only passenger who entirely escaped injury. She was taken from the wreck in a fainting con

dition. The car was running at a lively speed when it suddenly struck some small ob struction on the rail and instantly veered across the track. Motorman Yates stuck bravely to his post in an ondeavor to apply the brakes, but his efforts were unavailing and the car crashed over the embankment

OF BENGAL TIGER VICTIM Bloodthirsty Beast Attacks Its Kcepe and Fatally Wounds.

Him. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 15 .- Albert Neilson, aged 15 years, employed as an animal keeper at the zoological garden in this

city, was killed by a Bengal tiger today He entered the cage in which the tiger was confined and was attacked by the beast A terrible struggle followed, in which Nellson was torn in a hundred places. Redhot irons were thrust into the bloodthirsty animal, but not until seven bullets had been fired into its body did it release its hold on the victim. Neilson was dragged from

the cage more dead than alive and was hurried to the city hospital, where he died as he was being carried in. The tiger was not fatally wounded. Nellson lived at company three years. He was in charge of the lion cubs and it is supposed

MANILA MINERS' RICH FIND

Two Clean Up \$3,000 in Two Weeks-Important Discovery of Gold.

MANILA, Feb. 15.-Colonel Marcus D. Fronin and eighty men of the Thirty-third regiment have routed 100 insurgents

Candon, South Hocos. Captain Green, with fifty man, routed force of the enemy at Santa Maria. The

trenched behind stone walls on a steep mountain side. There was hard fighting partment has officially advised Count Cas- people. for three hours. When their ammunition was exhausted the Americans retired short distance. Then Tino abandoned his

position and retreated southward. Gold discoveries of some importance have been made in the province of Lepanto, Two miners made \$3,000 in two weeks. The mining prospects in the provinces of Benguet and Bontoc, adjoining Lepanto, are on couraging, but it is impossible to obtain title to mining clams at present.

South Dakota Mondell States His Position

A controversy among western representaperance union in Chicago is being is held by five voting trustees, a measure tives has arisen over the provisions of the are all too apathetic. I doubt if there will nation of the policy of the road in the self- public lands has under consideration with a

less all of the stock be purchased, and one hand Shafroth of Colorado and New- acid over her hands. even in the latter event an arrangement lands of Nevada are urging the adoption of the bill embodying the provisions of bills barrels of whisky, sixty-two kegs and twenty Beals, a teamster, aged 18 years, who was trustees before the voting trust could be introduced by themselves. Their proposed dissolved. It will thus be seen that it would measure provides for building reservoirs \$500 worth of fixtures destroyed. A cheer- where the money was to be left. He is and canals and for the diversion of streams ing crowd followed the crusaders from place being held for investigation. be impossible to change the management be impossible to change the management of the property and its general policy with-or diverted shall be used to irrigate speout the knowledge of the voting' trustees, cific tracts of land which shall be sold at such a rate per acre that the government are eminent in railroad and banking circles shall be reimbursed for its expenditure in constructing irrigating works and canals.

Representative Mondell opposes the provis-Tod, banker; Henry Budd, head of the ions'of the proposed measure providing for banking house of Hall, Garten & Co.; Gen- the distribution of stored water by the government. He contends that the resolutions adopted by the national irrigation congress in December in Chicago should be followed.

clamation is to be inaugurated it is highly

important that such plans be good ones, for

from which we will not recover for many

Society and Personal.

Mrs. W. E. Andrews was hostess this after-

noon at a charming reception, being as-

ship formed in the prairie state.

remain until after the inauguration.

years.

NEW PLAN IN RURAL SERVICE sole and entire control of distribution of Maryland Town Wants Postoffic Building on Basis of Rural Population Served.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 .- An entirely new departure in postoffice buildings in centera of rural communities was proposed to the ouse postoffice buildings committees today, and met with general approval. Westminster, Md., is a small town of 3,000

tire county. The town now distributes mail from the states the full control of public to 40,000 people scattered throughout the waters which they now possess. county. It is now proposed to build a \$50,postoffice, with facilities for this wide- land reclamation bill, should one be repread distribution.

Chairman Mercer of the committee says I am prepared to oppose such a measure based on the rural population they serve the protection of all of our western inter instead of the local population of the ests. If a comprehensive plan of land re-

Rural free delivery service was ordered established March 1. at Hooper, Dodge a mistake now in the adoption of a plan ounty, Nebraska. The route embraces an which will not be practicable and which area of forty-four square miles, with a will not be acceptable to the people of the population of 900. J. B. Lane was appointed west will prove a setback to reclamation

carrier. WANT THEM VICE ADMIRALS

> Senator McComas Proposes a Way Out of the Sampson-Schley Difficulty.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 .- Senator Mcomas is making efforts to secure a compromise which will permit confirmation of Piqua, O., and had been employed by the the president's nominations advancing various officers of Admiral Sampson's fleet for meritorious conduct during the Spanish war.

He suggests that all but Sampson and Schley be confirmed and that congress pass a resolution creating the grade of vice admiral, with the understanding that these officers he given the position.

Some opposition is made by supporters o Admiral Schley, who fear that he would not he given the senior position by the president

TARIFF WAR IS IMPROBABLE

Russian Ambassador Indicates N Serious Result from Imposition of Countervailing Duty.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 .- The State desini, the Russian ambassador, of the decision reached by the Treasury department

to impose a countervalling duty on Russian sugar imported into the United States. Count Cassini was unwilling to express an opinion as to what action his government will take, probably preferring to await developments from St. Petersburg, whither are to be supplied by rural carriers. he referred the official communication. However, he scoffed at the idea that a

serious tariff war is probable.

The sum total of the raid was twenty cases of beer turned into the street and found acting suspiciously at the place

to place. Neither the county nor city offi cials made any attempt to interfere Emporia Women Are Ready.

EMPORIA, Kan., Feb. 15 .- The principal hurches of the city have agreed upon a plan to suppress the joints. A committee of ten men from each of the churches has been appointed with orders to have the joints closed within a few days, The

women have organized and stand ready to do hatchet execution if it is needed. INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 15 .- Senator Bar These provided that the states shall have low today introduced a bill legalizing "loint-smashing" in Indiana. The bill perwater and that the general government mits any crowd of people not exceeding should not be expected to go beyond buildtwelve to "smash any booth, boat or othe ing storage reservoirs and dams in the work place where liquor is illegally sold in Inof land reclamation. It is Mr. Mondell's condiana, declaring such places to be nuistention that the construction of ditches and ances. It also provides that anyone interthe distribution of water is not due from fering with the "smashers" shall be pun the government, and that neither should the ished for assault and battery or assault

government make any extra charge for with intent to kill. The bill was referred lands which may be irrigated by conserva- to the temperance committee. people, where the experiment of rural free be taken, he contends, that would open the tents or wagons where intoxicating liquor tion at government expense. No step should is sold, or gambling or selling lottery tickets is carried on. It is made the duty of

peace officers "to proceed to abate such "I do not wish to vote against an arid nuisances by processes now provided by law, but on the neglect or refusal" of these officers, "the joint-smashers" may legally this is the first building in small towns if it is not framed along the proper lines for freed from responsibility in damages. enter and destroy. The "smashers"

> PECK IS A DRY MEASURE Kansas Prohibitionists Rid the Tow of Two Moist Head-

> > guarters.

WICHITA, Kan., Feb. 15 .- One hundred prohibitionists, men, women and children. living mostly outside of Peck, raided two oints in that town last night. The citizens looked on in indifference, without violence, little excitement prevailing. Peck sisted in receiving by Mrs. Bishop of is a Sedgwick county town fourteen miles Michigan, Mrs. Ferguson of Nebraska, and south of Witchita.

Mrs. Dennett of South Dakota. A great Traders waited on George Hattie, who many Nebraskans availed themselves of ran one saloon, and told him he would the opportunity to renew old acquaintancethe building and refused to budge. Then the crowd entered his store and removed Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ferguson of Hastings, Ncb., arrived in Washington today every fixture and all his goods to the street. They told him to take them from and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. An-

drews of the treasury department, and will town. Again he declined, and they quietly moved his goods to the depot. They then visited Carey Leedham W. B. Taylor of Omaha is at the Raleigh. another jointist, and carried out the same Hon. Bert Gannett, now a resident of

to Be of Incendiary

Origin.

program, exacting from his a promise not Omaha, is on a visit to his parents, Mr. o re-enter the business and Mrs. A. W. Gaunett. Senator Thurston will present the name FOUR SUSPICIOUS FIRES

of J. A. Miller of Fairbury for the position of special agent of rural free delivery. All in Hotel Majestic and Believe He is strongly urged by representative men of Fairbury and other places.

Senators by Direct Vote

Mr. Burke presented a memorial of the South Daketa legislature urging the adopof which are believed to have been of tion of a constitutional amendment for the incendiary origin, were discovered today at election of senators by direct vote of the different times on as many different floors

of the Hotel Majestic, which adjoins the Postmasters appointed: Great Northern hotel. Following the evi-Iowa-J. H. McKeeman, Big Springs, dent attempts at incendiarism last night at Wayne county; J. E. Sullivan, Oasis, John-

the Palmer house, the Great Northern hotel and the Hotel Grace, today's fires caused Wyomins-V. C. Standard, Archer, Laraconsiderable excitement and have resulted mie county; Ira Waters, Lovel, Big Horn in the police and detective forces around the leading hotels to be more than doubled.

count; Postoffices at Everett and Maple Creek The police department believes that or-Dr. George H. Stranger was appointed panics in the big hotels for the purpose of City." pension examining surgeon at Boone Va., robbery and the utmost efforts a and Dr. E. P. Robrbaugh at Casper, With made to discover the miscreants.

son county.

losed: "If this money is not paid within Stelp, who had served as a juror on

murder case, worried himself insane over The alleged "kidnapers" are believed to to ply their game.

The police tonight arrested William T.

ORPHEUM CIRCUIT STARTS IT

Meyerfeld and Ackerman Lead Western Vaudeville Managers' Contention with Eastern Syndicate.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15 .- The Record tomorrow will say: Western members of the Vaudeville Managers' Association of the United States are secretly preparing for strife with their eastern associates. Ability of the castern managers to pay higher salaries than the western men and thus secure the best attractions is said to have started the trouble, which threatens the disruption of

the so-called trust. For two days Morris Meyerfeld and Charles Ackerman of San Francisco, president and vice president of the Orpheum circuit, have been in Chicago in conference with the managers of the Chicago opera

was made up and proceeded at 1:15 o'clock house, the Olympic and the Haymarket, to Nanaimo, Premier Dunsmuir is not and it is asserted that the negotiations have home from Ottawa, but his confidential reached a point where the papers for the representative, A. L. Lindsey, his son, Robsale of the Chicago theaters to the Orpheum | ert Dunsmuir, Mr. Little, the superintendpeople are being prepared. ent of the mine, and Inspector of Mines Morgan left on this special. At Nanaimo,

When the sale is completed the western managers will be in a position to offer united opposition to the eastern managers, AT and it is said that unless the latter discontinue their custom of giving performers extravagant salaries open warfare will be de-

clared. TWO WAGONLOADS OF GAME

> Governor Reosevelt and Guide Bring in Last Installment of Lions

> > and Cats.

the interior of the wrecked workings tonight there is little hope for any of the men MEEKER, Colo., Feb. 15 .- "Buck" Davis, locked up in the shaft. John Bryner, exa cowboy who has just come in from the member of parliament, brother-in-law of north, brings the information that Governor the premier and ex-manager of a portion Roosevelt and party will reach Meeker toof the Dunsmuir mining business, said to night. Mr. Roosevelt and John Goff, the the Post-Intelligencer tonight that scarcely guide, have been down the river hunting any hope could be held out for the men.

outside the Coyote basin and came back to have to move out at once. Hattle owns the Keystone ranch Tuesday night with two wagonloads of itons and wildcats.

One of the llons, which will probably measure and weigh more than any other killed on the trip, was treed about forty miles west of the Keystone ranch and killed by "Nig," one of Goff's bloodhounds. Davis says the roads between here and Coyote it for hours. The last report of the inbasin are in bad shape on account of heavy spector of mines pronounced the shaft as

The Colorado Midland agent at Rifle has been asked to reserve berths for Roosevel and party on the train going east Saturda; night

WARNS KANSAS CITY CHINESE

CHICAGO, Feb. 15 .- Four small fires, all Chief of Police Says Celestials Must Cease Wrangling or Be Driven Away.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 15 .- Sam Moy, a rominent Chicago Chinaman, arrived here oday to attempt to straighten out a factional fight that has existed in Kansas City's Chinatown several months. Moy interviewed the chief of police on the situation and was told that there was only one way out of the trouble. "The Chinese must stop their wrangling.

timbered with 12x18 sawed bulks, built ganized attempts are being made to create said he, "or I'll drive them out of Kansas solidly together, sixteen feet wide robbery and the utmost efforts are being Moy promised to do his best toward set.

tling the trouble.

eless task. Rescuers Forced to Withdraw.

Overcome at last by gas and smoke they reluctantly withdrew from No. 5 and commenced work on a long cut from No. 4. the only other means of reaching the men. Work on this was prosecuted with the greatest vigor until abatement of the fire in No. 5 enabled them to once more return there. The latest news is somewhat encouraging, it being stated that the fans are again working: that the cage has got down 175 feet and is still going down in No. 4 shaft. A special to the Times from Nanaimo says: An explosion occurred in No. 6

Union mine this afternoon. Sixty men are

imprisoned. The mine is on fire. The res-

fire and wreckage. The rescue party is

now trying to get through from mine No. 5.

A special train has left Victoria with offi-

cials and doctors to connect with the

steamer Joan, which has been ordered

Partial List of Those Imprisoned.

the names of the following are obtainable:

Of the sixty men imprisoned in the mine

Many of the men are married and have

arge families. Immediately on receipt of

the news today at the head offices of the

Dunsmuir company here a special train

which was reached this evening, the Duns-

muir steamer Joan awaited them and on

her they will proceed sixty miles by water

to Union bay, the remaining six miles by

land to Cumberland to be made on the

Dunsmuir colliery railway. The scene of

the accident will be reached by midnight.

join the party of officials at Nainamo and

Little Hope for the Men.

Their Only Avenue of Escape.

escape would be by reaching some remote

portion of the workings to which the fatal

gases and smoke could not penetrate. The

gas in a coal mine, he said, did its work

in a few minutes, hence the hopelessness

of the task of saving men who had been in

complying with the regulations governing

Memorable Bridge Disaster.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 15 .- The Cumber-

and mine is one of the properties of the

Inion Colliery company, situated near

lomox and reached from Union bay by

the private colliery railway crossing the

Trent river, on which the memorable bridge

disaster occurred over a year ago. It has

been singuarly fortunate heretofore in im-

munity from disaster and was counted an

especially safe mine to work in by reason

of the character of the coal formation

found there and the manner in which it

No. 6 shaft, the scene of the disaster,

was bottomed in October, 1898, at a depth

of 814 feet. It is well constructed and

imbered with a mud wall, the pit being

weive feet high. The shaft is located close

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coal mines.

had been opened up.

The only way in which any of them could

Even should the rescuing party reach

will accompany them to the mine.

Walkem, the colliery surgeon, will

back from Vancouver.

John White.

Thomas Lord.

George Turnbull

Robert Steel

-- Walker and two sons.

ue party failed to get down, owing to the