Nation's Capital Completes Arrangements for Great Events.

REVISED PROGRAM OF THE CEREMONIES

Inauguration Today; Incidental Ceremonies Tomorrow and Wednesday.

WASHINGTON IS LOOKING ITS GAYEST

Dainty Feminine Costumes Mingle with Smart Military Uniforms.

STRANGE SCENE IN THE HOUSE CHAMBER

Several Hundred Soldiers Take Possession of the Holy of Holles and Proceed to Violate Tradition.

WASHINGTON, March 3 .- When the sun by its chief, Prof. Moore.

events of the next three days was issued Mrs. A. J. Cassatt, Mr. Van Alen, Senator

Schedule of Events. Monday, March 4, 11 a. m .- Gathering of specially invited guests in the United States tol.

senate chamber. 11:50 a. m.-Inauguration of Theodore Roosevelt of New York as vice president after which he will return to New York of the United States. Ceremonies in the for a time on private business. senate, attended by the president and a distinguished company.

12 Noon-President McKinley takes the eath in the presence of the assembled multitude. Delivers inaugural address. 1:30 p. m.-Inaugural parade moves from

the capitol up Pennsylvania avenue. 7:30 p. m .- Illumination of the court of honor, in front of the White House. 7:45 p. m.-Display of aerial fireworks

from Washington monument grounds. 8 p. m .- Doors of pension office open for reception of guests of the inaugural ball. 9 p. m .- Inaugural ball opened by President McKinley.

Tuesday, March 5, 10:30 a. m .- Dedicatory concert, pension office, in honor of the United States army. Marine band.

2 p. m .- Dedicatory concert, pension office, in honor of the United States navy. Marine band. 8 p. m .- Dedicatory concert, pension of-

fice, in honor of the states of the union. Wednesday, March 6, 2 p. m .- Dedicatory

8 p. m.-Dedicatory concert, pension ofspeaker of the house of representatives. The band will be directly behind Colonel Marine band and grand chorus of 500 voices. Roosevelt in the inaugural parade.

Crowds All Prevailing.

Inauguration eve was a quiet but crowded Sunday. The weather opened threatening, with a southeast wind and a clouded sky. but toward noon it cleared and the sun sci fair, with every indication of a good day to follow. From early morning till toward midnight every street in the downtown section was crowded. The local churches kept open doors, both day and evening, and were crowded with worshipers at every service, many of the visitors being in uniform and reminding old residents of wartime Sabbaths. In the evening the theaters vied with the churches in keeping open and staff of New York, Governor Stone and

house and they were equally well patron-For such as sought spirituous rather than spiritual consolation there was a rather dry and unprofitable time. The local antisaloon league had appointed a large vigllance committee to see that the Sunday closing law was enforced and their efforts met with considerable success. There was but little sign of drunkenness on the streets. The militiamen, who usually furnish a good-natured but rather turbulent element at inauguration time, were generally quiet and decorous and up to a late hour there had not been the name of a single regular entered on the blotter at any

The crowd had a distinctly boliday air on the street. The weather was mild enough to permit a large display of feminine finery and this, with the mixture of uniforms. gave the streets in the fushionable section the northwest much the appearance of an Easter Sunday parade. Seldom has an inaugural gathering brought such an assortment of uniforms as were met on every street car and at every street corner. The dark blue of the service uniforms were relieved by the red caps and facings of the artillery and the yellow of the cavalry.

Porto Rienns Are Picturesque. The Porto Rican contingent, in sombreros and toreador jackets, mixed with the jackies of the naval contingent, and the lighter blue of the National guard was everywhere in a large majority. There were not lacking strange combinations of uniform that distinguished several of the crack volunteer cavalry troops, while the variety among the members of the various civic marching clubs was almost endless.

The soldiers and visitors swarmed about the capitol building, where the legislators were struggling with the remnants of congressional work. Throughout the day and well into the night they paced the capitol corridors. Tomorrow all the doors will be closed, except to those holding tickets of admission. But today everything was open to the public. It is not often that the Sabbath calm of the building is disturbed by such a popular invasion. Early in the day several hundred blue-coated soldiers from one of the nearby states took possession of the house end of the capitol. house was in recess until 2 p. m., but the emblem of legislative authority, the mace, stood in position as a warning that the dignity of the house must not be invaded. But the soldier boys were oblivious to such congressional fictions. Before the weary doorkeepers were aware of it the chamber was in possession of several hundred blue-Some of them ascended to the speaker's restrum and hammered for order. Others occupied the seats of members and for the time being the floor of the house of representatives for the first time in its history presented a completely martial as-The soldiers were after souvenirs two officers and twelve men. He handed 239 mays to 84 years. and some of them got them, to the diacomfiture of members. The officers of the house finally came on the scene and expelled the intruders.

Seldom since the civil war have so many uniforms been seen at the capitol. The capitol police were instructed to exercise every consideration for the visiting throngs

New York Senator Entertains a Fer Notables in Prospective Vice President's Honor.

WASHINGTON, March 3 .- Vice Presidentect Recsevelt put in a busy Sunday prehis many of his sister, Mrs.

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Sander Cowles of the navy cakfast with the family his inauguration and he is staying Mr. and ... pakfast with the family, Mr. and a attended morning service at the deform church. Mr. Roosevelt always has en a member of the Dutch Reform church, following the practice of his family for many generations past, but as there is no Dutch Reform congregation in Washington he has selected the German Reform as the nearest

approach to it and will be an attendant that church during his residence in Washington After the service Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt called at the executive mansion and paid their respects to President and Mrs. McKinley. Returning to the Cowles home, luncheon was served, at which, beside the family, there were present Senator and Mrs. Lodge and Senator Kean of New Jersey. The early afternoon was devoted to receiving callers. Among these were a number of the members of Colonel Roose-

velt's old regiment, which happened to be in the city. Later in the afternoon Mr. Roosevelt set on the national capital today everything made a few personal calls and returned in that human effort could do to make the time to attend a dinner given in his honor second McKinley inauguration a success by Senator Depew. The guests at the dinhad been done. A majority of the troops ner were Vice President-elect and Mrs. and civic organizations were already in Roosevelt, Secretary of War and Mrs. Root, the city and safely quartered. Some thou-sands more were on the various railroads Hanna, Senator and Mrs. Elkins, Major hurrying toward Washington, and the General and the Hon, Mrs. Eaton of Lonweather bureau predicted "fair weather don, Mrs. Sheridan, General and Mrs. Franfor March 4" in a special builetin issued cls V. Greene, Mrs. Kernochan, Commander and Mrs. Cowles, Lady Cunard, Mrs. Paget, The corrected time card of the official Miss Johnson, Frederick Harrison, Mr. and

Bacon and Senator Daniels. It is announced that Squadron A New York, formerly Troop A of the Monday, March 4, 11 a. m.—Gathering of militia, will act as Mr. Reosevelt's per-high government officials, diplomats and sonal escort from his residence to the capi-The vice president will remain in Washington from his inauguration till the close of the executive session of the senate.

Cadets Enthuse the Crowd. '

The West Point cadets reached the city about 5 o'clock this afternoon and created a fine impression by their magnificent bearing. They marched past the residence of Secretary Root, by whom they were reviewed. Among the other organizations which came in today were the following: The First Signal corps of New York; the A. C. Harmer club of Philadelphia, with band; 190 men of Squadron A of New York, In command of Major Bridgeman; the Fourth and Fifth regiments of the Maryland National guard; the Naval brigade of Maryland, consisting of 400 men and six guns; about 700 men from various regiments of the Massachusetts National guard;

the Rail Splitters of Toledo, O., with band; the Frelinghuysen Lancers of Newark, N. J.; the Essex troop of Newark; a company of Rhode Island militia; the Taylor District McKinley and Roosevelt Republican club of Virginia; the Grove City College cadets; the Young Men's Republican club of Wilmington, Del., accompanied by the Philecocert, pension office, in honor of the harmoule band of that city. The Oklahoma congress of the United States. Marine Rough Rider band of Mulhall, which is to have a conspicuous place of honor in the parade, got here early this morning. Its fice, in honor of the vice president and members are typical bronzed westerners.

Original Rou-h Rider Club. The St. Paul Roosevelt Marching club St. Paul, Minn., arrived this afternoon. It. is the original Rough Rider club. The club wears Rough Rider hats, khaki uniforms and leggings with blue trimmings. The club will ha a prominent place in the procession an will be escorted by the fa-

fous Oklahoma Rough Rider band. Thus far an even dozen of governors of states and territories, with their staffs, in full uniform, have reached the city and they all will be in line when the procession moves tomorrow. They are: Governor Odell staff of Pennsylvania, Governor Bliss and staff. comprising thirty members, of

Michigan, Governor Nash and of eighteen men of Ohio, staff Gov. Yates and staff ernor IIIInois, Governor Richards and staff Wyoming, Governor McLean of Connecticut. Governor Smith and staff of Maryland, Governor Dietrich and staff of Nebraska. Governor Shaw of Iowa, Governor Heard Mississippi, Governor Voerhees of New Jersey has been detained by illness, but several members of his staff are here representing him. Governor Murray Crane of Massachusetts and Adjutant General Samuel Dalton of ha staff are expected early

tomorrow morning. The Porto Rican battalion of native troops, which arrived here last night, has attracted considerable attention. At o'clock this afternoon, under command of Major Swift, the hattalion gave a parade and drill on the mail just south of the War department. Their evolutions evoked much enthusiasm from the large crowd of spec-A native band accompanied the

battalion BEST THAT EVER HAPPENED

Chief Moore Predicts That Weather Monday is to Excel All Previous Records.

WASHINGTON, March 3 .- The weather ureau tonight gave out the following: WASHINGTON, D. C., Sunday, March 3 .-30 p. m.-To John Joy Edson, Chairman Inaugural Committee: Dear - Str-The weather tomorrow (Monday, March 4) will be the finest ever experienced on the inauguration of a president. The sky surely vill be clear and the temperature warm and balmy-a fit meterological climax to the magnificent work done by yourself and your able assistants. Sincerely yours,

WILLIS L. MOORE, Chief United States Weather Bureau.

CRISTOBAL IS VANOUISHED

insurgent Colonel, with Officers and Men. Surrenders.

MANILA, Feb. 3 .- The Thirty-fifth United tates volunteer infantry arrived here today from the province of Bulacan and will probably sail for home March 15 on the

ransport Thomas. Captain Draper, commandant at Oalong apo, secuted along the west coast of the province of Bataan with 180 marines, capturing two insurgent officers and four-

teen men, taking twenty-six rifles and destroying 14,000 bushels of rice. The insurgent, Colonel Cristobal, has surrendered at Naic, province of Cavite, with

over twelve rifles to the Americans. KING EDWARD IS IN LONDON

Arrives Sunday Evening After Tourthe Continent and Visiting the Downger Emperor.

LONDON, March 3 .- King Edward arrived in London this evening from the continent. of the United States at Hong Kong, China. the high tides which run about April 20."

Closing Hours in the House Marked by No Great Excitement.

Chairman Cannon Succeeds in Preevuting Concurrence in Senate Amendment Aiding the Three Expositions.

WASHINGTON, March 3.- The house reumed its session at 2 o'clock this afternoon with the galleries packed to the doors with inauguration visitors. A majority of them were soldiers in uniforms.

Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio, of the committee on rules, presented a special order providing that after ten minutes' debate it should be in order to move concurrence in the senate amendments to the river and harbor bill and to agree to the conference asked for by the senate. Twenty minutes on a side were allowed on the rule. No democrat desired to speak and Mr.

Richardson yielded his time to Mr. Hepburn, who aroused the house with a passionate speech denouncing the measure. He taunted the democrats for not opposing it, saying that the \$60,000,000 carried by the bill accounted for the lack of opposition. If the democrats had stood against this bill, he total \$1,500,000; Kennebec river, Maine, disaid, enough members on his side of the rect appropriation increased to \$81,000 and house would have joined with them to defeat it. The special order was adopted.

of Illinois and Catchings of Mississippi were appointed conferecs.

Proposes Going to Investigate. Mr. Dalzell of Pennsylvania, from the committee on rules, presented a resolution for the appointment of a special committee of seven members of the committee on insular affairs, not more than four of whom shall be of one political party, to visit Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines and report upon the conditions there.

Mr. Richardson, the minority leaders, endorsed the resolution. He thought if congress was to legislate intelligently it should have the information which this committee could get. "Inasmuch as we are about to give up

Cuba and have a commission in the Philippines, is this anything more than a proposition for a junket?" asked Mr. Steele of Indiana. "It is not a junket," replied Mr. Richard

"This investigation should be made." Mr. Williams of Mississippi, a member of the insular committee, said he believed this would be simply a congressional junket. Sundry Civil Bill.

Debate upon the resolution was inter-rupted by Mr. Cannon, who presented a civil appropriation bill. The items-agreed still in dispute the items for the purchase of the old Corcoran art gallery in this city -532,000; the appropriation for the memorial bridge across the Potomae at Washington; the payments to Mexico of \$412,000; ton and St. Louis expositions and the amendment touching the irrigation of arid lands. The report was adopted.

Separate votes were demanded on various amendments. The house refused to concur in the irrigation amendments. The amendment for a \$5,000,000 memorial bridge was defeated, 65 to 116.

Expositions Are Turned Down. The conferees were instructed to insist pon their disagreement to the amendment to increase the calaries of the appraisers at Boston and Philadelphia.

Mr. Alexander of New York moved to recede and concur in the senate amendment carrying \$5,000,000 for the St. Louis exposition, \$500,000 for the Buffalo exposition and \$250,000 for the Charleston exposition. The motion provoked a lively debate. On a rising vote the motion to concur

was defeated, 76 to 139. The house was in an uproar on the an

nouncement of this result and many members sought to gain recognition. Mr. Sherman of New York moved to concur with the St. Louis and Buffalo items, omitting the Charleston item. Mr. Bailey of Texas sought to amend by excluding Buffalo with of Louisiana and Governor Longino of Charleston, but the speaker would not entertain the amendment. The Sherman amendment was defeated without division and the sundry civil bill was thereupon sent back to conference. The conference report on the deficiency

appropriation bill was concurred in, thus disposing of that measure. At 5:45 a recess was taken until 8 p. m.

After the Recess.

When the house reconvened at 8 o'clock the discussion of the resolution presented by Mr. Dalzell in the afternoon for the appointment of a special committee to visit Porto Rico, Cuba and the Philippines was resumed.

The debate was interrupted by Mr. Buron, chairman of the river and harbor committee, who presented a conference report upon the river and barbor bill, agreeing to all items except four. The report was adopted, 134 to 25.

A motion to concur in the Brazos river amendment was defeated by an overwhelming majority. The representatives from the avid land states made a strong effort to induce the house to accept the Sioux river and Wyoming river atnendments, but the members refused to listen to them, crying, "Vote! Vote!" The motion to concur was voted down and the bill sent back to con-

Mr. Louis, chairman of the postoffice committee, presented another disagreement on the postoffice appropriation bill, and that bill, too, was sent back to conference. The senate amendments to the District of Columbia code bill were concurred in. The bill now goes to the president for his approval.

bill was adopted and the bill now goes to the president for his approval. At 10:55 p. m. the house took a recess until midnight. During the recess memhers gathered in groups and sang hymns, patriotic airs and ragtime melodies.

efforts were heartily applauded by the oc

The conference report upon the naval

cupents of the galieries. When the recess was over Mr. Loud presented the final conference report upon the postoffice appropriatiton bill and it was adopted. The conference report on the bill to restore certain widows to the pension roll was agreed to.

The house then took up the Dalzell reso-

lution providing for the appointment of a ommittee to visit Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines, defeating it by a vote of The house then took a recess until 2 o'clock. At 2:45 a. m. the house again met, but without transacting any business took

a recess until 4 o'clock Consul General at Hong Kong Rublee of Wisconsin to be consul general why we should not be able to launch with

House and Sepate Conferees Determine Items in Last Big Appro-priation Measure.

WASHINGTON, March 1 -At 4 o'clock to ONLY FIGHT IS OVER SUNDRY BILL day the conferees of the house and senate reached an agreement upon all the items of the river and harbor fell, covering 300 disputed points, except the senate amend ments providing for the construction of storage reservoirs in South Dakota and Wyoming, and authorizing the payment of \$400,000 for work done upon the Brazos river, Texas With those items eliminated the bill carries an appropriation of \$49,675, This is a reduction from the appropria-

> house, the senate figures being \$50,854,526, and those of the house \$59,985,415. In its work the conference committee used the senate bill as a basis. The principal changes made were as follows: Buttermilk channel, New York harbor, increased \$137,500, making a total appropriation of \$250,000, continuing contracts

> eliminated; Towarda harbor, New York, increased \$61,425, restoring the house figures. of \$257,700; Mobile harbor, Alabama, increased \$31.187, making the total appropriation \$350,000. For the Southwest Pass.

For Southwest pass, Mississippi river, the conference took \$137,500 from the continuing contract provision and added that amount to the direct appropriation, making the the continuing centract dropped out: Hudson river, New York, increased \$50,000, in Mr. Burton of Ohio, chairman of the river direct appropriation: Black Warrior Warand harbor committee, then entered the mo- rior and Tombigbee rivers. Alabama, house tion to non-concur in the senate amend- direct appropriation of \$360,000 restored ments and, after a brief statement, the mo- making an increase over the senate pro tion was adopted and the bill was sent to vision of \$90,000. The continuing contract conference. Messrs, Burton of Ohio, Reeves provision as inserted by the house was also restored, making the appropriation on that

account \$400,000. Galveston ship channel, increased to the extent of \$75,000, making a total direct appropriation of \$275,000; Galveston channel, Twentieth to Fifty-first street, both direct and continuing contract provisions entirely eliminated; Upper White river, Arkansas, increase of \$50,000, restoring the house figures; Illinois river, house figure of \$75,000 restored; survey Illinois river, increased \$50,000, also restoring house provision; Mississippi, from head of passes to the mouth of the Ohio, increased \$125,000 on direct appropriation, making the total \$2,000,-000, and continuing contract reduced to the

Licking River Gets Its Share.

Licking river, Kentucky, the house direct | now is. appropriation of \$100,000 restored but continuing contract eliminated; Oakland harthe total \$150,000, and continuing contract eliminated; Biscayne bay, Florida, direct questing that the house grant further conappropriation increased to \$50,000; Big ference on the naval bill. It was adopted Sandy river, Kentucky, direct appropriation increased \$87,500, making a total of \$200,000, and continuing contract reduced partial conference report upon the sundry from \$416,667 to \$250,000; Monongahela river. Pennsylvania, house provision of o comprised all the minor lasues, leaving \$200,000 restored, making an increase of \$50,000; Cumberland river above Nashville, dered. Tenn., decreased \$48,750, restoring the house provision of \$165,000, Lakes Union At 6 and Washington, Washington, entire apthe appropriations for the Buffalo, Charles-Fear river, North Carolina, reduced from \$250,000 to \$150,000; Allegheny river, Pennsylvania, at Natrons, senate smendment eliminated entirely.

SHORTEST SESSION IN YEARS

Present Congress Lived 197 Days, Disposed of 14,326 Bills and Many Resolutions.

WASHINGTON, March 3.-The volume of work done by the congress just closing was shown today in a supplement to the house calendar prepared by Tally Clerk Wakefield of the house staff. The congress was in session 197 days, which is less than any congress for years. The following count is given of bills, acts, etc.: Number of bills, 14,336; number of reports, 3,000; public acts, 345; private acts, 1,250; total acts, f.595; number of joint resolutions, 395

DRIFTING TO THEIR DEATH

Four Fishermen on Lake Eric Have Only Ice Cakes for Crafts.

SILVER CREEK, N. Y., March 2 - again a widow shall be entitled to a pen-Twenty-one fishermen were carried out on sion; to incorporate the Society of American Lake Erie off Silver Creek this afternoon Ficrists; amending the law of the District on floating ice, but seventeen of them were of Columbia relating to wills involving real rescued. The other four have probably estate; discharging Aquila J. Daughterty, perished. Their names are:

HENRY TURNER. JOHN GEORGE.

JAMES M'BRATIE JULIUS LUDWIG.

The last seen of the four men they were and the shore.

When it was found that the men were cut off from shore this morning a message was sent to Dunkirk by the mayor asking for assistance.

PRESENT THEIR PETITION Paraders File Their Address to President Me-Kinley.

HAVANA, March 3.-Last evening, after the demonstration in front of the Marti theater, where a torchlight procession, composed of members of the national, repubcan and popular parties, were reviewed by the members of the constitutional convention, the procession, 5,000 strong, went to the governor general's palace, where a delegation presented to General Wood a petition to President McKinley, urging absolute independence for Cuba.

demonstration was originally intended as a rebuke to the United States senate and house of representatives for adopting the Cuban amendment, but no such feeling was displayed at the palace. The delegation was cordially received by General Wood and on retiring gave cheera for the United States.

LIPTON WILL BE ON TIME Experts His Shamrock II to Be Ready to Launch About April 20.

GLASGOW, March 3 .- Sir Thomas Lipton when interviewed today by, a representative of the Associated Press on his return from his inspection of the Shamrock II, expressed himself as completely satisfied with the workmanship and progress made. "From what I have heard," he said, "I was afraid there was more than a probability that we would be forced to avail ourselves of the new clause allowing us three weeks to refit, and I was agreeably surprised WASHINGTON, March 4-The senate in find the plating of the hull well forward. executive session confirmed William A. So far as I could see, there is no reason

Their Final Session Long and Full of Contests.

POSTOFFICE APPROPRIATION AGREED TO

That and Other Principal Measures Are Disposed of After Frequent Reports from Conferences.

WASHINGTON, March 5 .- Despite the beautiful weather and unusual attractions. tions made by both the senate and the particularly at this time, of the national capital, the galleries of the senate were thronged with strangers today when the senate resumed its session this afternoon. The senate convened at 3 p. m and proceeded directly to the business of facilitating the enactment of the remaining appropriation bills.

> A conference was agreed to on the general deficiency bill, the conferees of the present senate being Mr. Hale, Mr. Allison and Mr. Teller. Mr. Allison presented a partial report on the sundry civil bill. The bill was sent back to conference, with Mr. Allison, Mr. Hale and Mr. Cockrell as senate conferees.

Two bills were passed as follows: Granting a right of way through the Devil's Lake Indian reservation in North Dakota to the Jamestown & Northern Rallway company; authorizing the Portland, Mehalem & Tillamook Railway company to construct a bridge across Mehalem bay in Oregon

Safety Appliance Bill Passes.

Consideration of the bill relating to safety appliances on railroad trains and requiring railway managers under oath to make monthly reports to the Interstate Commerce commission of all accidents that may occur to passengers and employes and the attending circumstances, was resumed. Pending discussion Senators Nelson, Mc-Millan and Berry were named as conferees on the river and harbor bill. The final conference report upon the general deficiency bill was agreed to without com-

ment Mr. Hoar secured the adoption of a resolution directing the secretary of war to send to the senate all information in his possession as to the authenticity of the alleged order for the massacre of foreigners in Manila on the night of February extent of \$333,333, making a total of \$3,900,- 15, 1899, and to state whether the original of the alleged order ever was in possession of the War department and where it

Mr. Hale submitted a partial report upon the naval appropriation bill, and said that bor, California, direct appropriation in- as the time of the session was growing creased to the extent of \$100,000, making short he would offer a resolution discharging the present senate conferees and re-The safety appliance bill was then passed

without further discussion. At 5:10 p. m. a partial report of the conferees on the river and harbor bill was presented by Mr. Nelson and it was agreed to. A further conference was or-

Postoffice Appropriations.

At 6:45 p. m. Mr. Wolcott made à report upon the postoffice appropriation bill, saycept upon the two amendments of the senate concerning the extension of the rural free delivery system to small towns and directing the postmaster general to report upon the feasibility of the use of the telegraph and telephone wires as a part of the postal system. The report was agreed to and a further conference was ordered on the items

in dispute. Mr. Hale made a second report of the conference upon the navai appropriation bill saying that a complete agreement had been arrived at on all points of difference on that bill except upon the senate amendment autherizing the construction of three additional submarine torpedo boats. The senate

voted to recede from this amendment, 32 to Under the unanimous consent arrange ment the following house bills were passed among others:

House Bills Go Through To establish a code of laws for the District of Columbia; amending the act in relation to the exchange of gold coin for gold bars; to restore certain widows to the pension roll; the bill providing that a widow who is drawing a pension at the time of her re-marriage and subsequently becomes collector of internal revenue for the Fifth Illinois district, from responsibility for \$39 .-000 worth of government stamps stolen from his office; making all national banking associations United States depositories; an thorizing the construction of a bridge across the Monongahela river by the Charlevoi and still on the ice, but a big sea was blowing Monessen Bridge company; authorizing the up. They were four miles out and there city of Nashville, Tenn., to construct a free was a mile of open water between them bridge across the Cumberland river within the city limits; authorizing the Paris, Choctaw & Little Rock Railway company to construct a bridge across the Red river in Texas: to provide an American register for the foreign-built ship Balcthua; to establish a national bureau of standardization; to loan certain paval equipment to schools; authorizing the Pigeon River Slide and Boom company to improve Pigeon river at the Cascades in Minnesota. In addition fifty-four private pension bills were passed

At 8:45 p. m. a recess was taken unti 10:20 p. m. When the senate reconvened at 10:30 th scene in the chamber, particularly in the galleries, suggested a notable social function. The galleries were packed to the doors and hundreds of persons were obliged

to leave, unable to gain admission Morgan and His Hobby.

Mr. Morgan of Alabama then addressed the president to conclude arrangements with the governments of Nicaragua and some months ago in her residence in Brook-Costa Rica for the construction of the lyn. Isthmian canal, and asked unanimous consent that the senate adopt his resolution. which would preserve the protocol of treaties between the United States and sentative. A benefit in her interest is being made a clever escape with the bulk of his Nicaragua and Costa Rico.

Mr. Aldrich objected.

Mr. Nelson reported a further disagreement upon the river and harbor bill. The items still in contention are the payment of \$400,000 to the Brazos Improvement company of Texas and appropriations for the two reservoirs in Wyoming and one reser voir in South Dakota. Mr. Nelson sald that he did not believe an agreement could be reached upon the subjects in controversy and both he and Mr. Berry, another of the conferees, urged the senate to dis cuss the propositions involved and decide them by an ave and no vote. Mr. Morgan moved that the senate recede from the contested amendments.

During the discussion the complete agree. ment on the postoffice appropriation bill was agreed to. The bill now goes to the At 1:40 a. m. Mr. Allison presented an-

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READINESS ROOSEVELT IS DEPEW'S GUEST MAKES VERY PASSIVE FINISH RIVER BILL AGREED UPON SENATORS TEST ENDURANCE CONDITION OF THE WEATHER OUTLOOK ON SENATOR

Forecast for Nebraska-Generally Fair; Slightly Colder. Temperature at Omaha Yesterday: Hour. Deg. 5 n. m..... 46 6 n. m..... 41 Hour. Deg. 1 p. m. . . . 43 2 p. m 45 7 n. m..... 42 8 n. m..... 38

SECOND VAIN TRY AT SUICIDE

9 a. m..... 39 10 a. m..... 40 11 a. m.... 41

Marie Gray Intimates That When Her Third Opportunity Comes She Will Seize It.

Marie Gray, a domestic in the employ of E. W. Arthur of 914 South Thirty-third street, made a second unsuccessful attempt upon her life Sunday night. She retired to her room on the second floor of the house and turned on all the gas jets after locking the door securely. Mr. Arthur detected the odor of escaping gas, burst in the door and found the young woman unconscious. She was removed to another room at once, a physician was summoned and he restored her to consciousness after an hour of hard work.

The young woman would talk little of the matter after she had recovered, but gave the impression that she would repeat the attempt at the first opportunity. It is said that she was involved in no love affair and as far as known had no family troubles, her only relatives in the city being a stepmother living at Thirty-third and Popply ton avenue. She had been in the employ of the Arthur family but a few weeks and during that time had conducted herself in an exemplary manner.

Two months ago she made a similar attempt to destrey her life. Dr. Womersley, who attended the young woman, expressed the opinion that she was subject to attacks of monomania and melancholia and was not responsible for her actions.

The police were requested to take charge of her and she was placed in the matron's not bind anybody in attendance, according quarters in the city jall. She made no objection to accompanying the officers on the patrol wagon and did not seem to care what became of her. No charge was put if it was understood that the caucus meant if it was understood that the caucus meant against the young woman, but she will be business and that its members recognized held in custody until it is decided what an obligation to carry out its decisions. final disposition to make of her.

Referee Finds in Favor of Yankton County in the Case of A. W. Peterson. YANKTON, S. D., March 3 .- (Special.)-

second term.

son was entitled to credit for all county governor. money used by him in paying rounty warrants, which he afterward sold, and that fection forecasting the withdrawal of Mr. all credits shown on his books for the pay- Rosewater, which we are told is sure to him from those to whom he had sold county warrants. The credits given to Peterson in the sec-

ond term not shown on the books are tactics they hope to keep men away from \$7,171.44, and the credits shown on books him who would otherwise join in with his which are stricken out in the second term column. are \$5,464.30. It was proven that all the money paid by the First National bank by Fred Schnauber, and about \$1,600 of that paid by the American State bank for warrants was used for county purposes and i could not be proven that any of the proeeds secured by a sale of warrants to G. T. Stevenson, Mrs. Catherine Smith, Yankton Savings bank or others was so used.

Mr. Peterson's bond.

SOLD FOR QUARTER MILLION

Edge, Dakota Maid Other Black Hills Mines.

DEADWOOD, S. D., March 3,- (Special felegram.)-A big mining deal was made Saturday, when Minneapolis parties made the first payment on the Gilt Edge, Dakota Maid and adjoining properties in the Strawberry gulch district. The full amount of the consideration was about \$250,000. The Dakota Maid and Gilt Edge mines are among the largest in the Black Hills. They contain large bodies of cyaniding ore. Work is to be begun immediately to work the properties on an extensive scale. John R. Wilson, an attorney of Deadwood, promoted

morning. IS FOR MADAME JANAUSCHEK | may | sense.

Benefit Now Being Planned by Young Actors is Inspired by Tragedienne's Misfortune.

NEW YORK, March 3 .- The conditions of Mme. Janauschek, the distinguished tragedienne, has for some time attracted the tympathy and aroused the regret of her dramatic colleagues and her personal friends. Mme. Janauschek is now at Sarathe senate upon his resolution authorizing toga under medical care and seeking recovery from a paralytic stroke which befell her

> Her condition is one which appeals to the aid of the dramatic profession, of which she was so long a leading reprearranged in New York under the auspices of the Twelfth Night club: That is an organization of the younger members of the dramatic profession, and a committee of their members has been appointed to tender to Mme. Janauschek, as a veteran and distinguished actress, the benefit proposed.

IS SPREADING IN CAPETOWN

Bubonic Plague Condition Grows Worse and Many Suspected Cases Are Isolated.

CAPETOWN, March 3.-The bubonie of colored persons, have been found since yesterday morning. Ten colored persons and one European woman believed to be affected by the disease have been removed had come into contact with suspected cases have been isolated.

Republicans Want No Caucus that Does Not Bind Its Members.

TIRED OF FRITTERING AWAY THEIR TIME

Efforts to Get the Seceders in Line Has Not Feen Abandoned.

PIPE DREAMS OF YELLOW JOURNALS

Stories of Withdrawals Formulated by the Ever Active Fakire.

OMAHA'S POSITION IN THE SITUATION

How a Supporter of Thompson Figures Out the Importance of Choosing One Senator from the Metropolis at This Session.

LINCOLN, March 3 .- (Special Telegram.) The senatorial contest will be resumed again in joint session tomorrow, which, however, will doubtless disclose only the usual Monday vote, with many absentees and no material changes from the last ballot. Senator Baldrige is expected to make his reappearance this week after his long sickness, but word was received from Nebraska City last night that Representative David Brown is in a more serious condition than supposed and in all probability will not be able to participate fur-

ther in the work of the present legislative session. So far as the caucus situation is concerned it remains as it was when adjournment was taken to Tuesday evening. While the disposition is pronounced against to the recent interpretation put on the

Fakirs Getting Wild. As the senatorial contest progresses the DECIDES AGAINST BONDSMEN faking propensities of the yellow journal correspondents seem to grow and all sorts of wild stories and imaginary rumors may be looked for from these sources from now on. Only ten days or so back these journalistic fakirs were out with a yarn to the effect that Mr. Thompson's Burlington Referee Erickson made known his con- backers had concluded to withdraw him clusions in the case of Yankton County from the race and substitute for him Govagainst the bondsmen of A. W. Peterson, ernor Dietrich, to whom the entire Thompthat occupied his attention for two months son strength was to be thrown. They went and a half. He concludes that the de- into full particulars about the alleged fendants are liable to the county in the conference between Governor Dietrich, Mr. sum of \$1,235.18, with interest at 7 per Thompson and General Manager Holdrege cent, from January 12, 1897, for the short- and gave a minute outline of the plan by age of the first term, and \$15,765.04, with | which the coup was to be effected. It is interest, from November 23, 1899, for the needless to say that Mr. Thompson is still in the field and that he denies ever having The referee found that Treasurer Peter- even thought of retiring in favor of the

Along the same line is the latest place of ment of county debts with money re- occur this week "unless he changes his ceived by him from those to whom he sold mind." Of course, if it does not happen said county warrants should be stricken it is only because the fake fabrication is out. The credits given to Peterson dur- not a good mind reader. This story is, in ing the first term not shown on the books | fact, only part of the systematic practice are \$3,232.14, and are stricken out because of Mr. Rosewater's opponents to make the it could not be shown that Peterson paid public believe that his delegation is weakany county debts with money received by ening, or he has lost confidence in his own campaign, or he is about to upset things generally by opening up against this or that candidate in his paper. By these

Points Favorable to Omaha. That the logic of the situation points to Mr. Rosewater for the North Platte senstorship is impressing itself more forcibly upon all who are observing the contest. As stated by one member who is voting for Thompson and Rosewater, the argu-

ment is summed up as follows: "Aside from the fact that Omaha has A motion will next be made to the cir. always been conceded one of the senatorcuit court to confirm the findings of the ships because it is the metropolis of the referee in each case. If they are con- state and never lays claim to any of the firmed judgment will be found according to state offices, it is the only sensible thing Referee Erickson's conclusions. The only for the South Platte man to want to have other question to come up before the cir- his colleague from Omaha as a purely cuit court is whether Mr. Rothmyer signed selfish protection to himself. You see by a sort of common consent the short term has been accorded to the South Platte, which means that the man who fills it will be seeking re-election four years from now. Suppose he has as his associate some man from the central part of the state, does anyone imagine Omaha will sit back and let him have a second term without a contest? The Omaha people would make their aspirants battle it out first among themselves and then come down here and put up the fight of their lives to capture the place now conceded to us. They certainly wouldn't wait six years to get a senator when they might have a chance at it in four years with a second go two years later if they happened to miss. And we must remember, too, that with a new legislative apportionment Omaha is going to be in a stronger position four years from now than at present, while if it has the deal. He left for Minneapolis this a senator under this year's division it will be glad to help our man hold on if he wants to when his term is up. This may be polities, but it is also common

BOERS FINALLY CROSS IT Dewet, Steyn and Fifteen Hundred Men Succeed in Fording the

Orange River. COLESBERG, Cape Colony, Friday, March -Fifteen hundred Boers with whom, it alleged, were General Dewet and former President Steyn, found a spot at Lilliefontein, near Colesberg bridge where the Orange river widens and the current is slow, and they all crossed yesterday, both men and horses, by swimming.

heavily in men and stores by his incursion into Cape Colony, but he seems to have commando. Apparently Commandant Hertzog crossed the Orange river with him. General Bruce Hamilton, who was pur-

LONDON, March 4.-General Dewet lost

suing, heard that General Dewet was surrounded at Philipstown, northeast of Colesberg. On arriving there he found the Boers had not been at Philipstown at all, but had doubled back and were struggling across the river at Colesberg

Bentrice Dwelling. BEATRICE, Neb., March 4 .- (Special Telegram.)-The fire whistle blew at 12:05 this morning for the third time in three months.

The cottage of Sam South at Twelfth and Bell streets was completely consumed. The plague is spreading here. Five corpses, all loss is about \$500. Mr. South and family went away last evening, leaving a fire in a heating stove and the stove becoming overheated was the cause assigned for the fire. Scarcely anything except some bedding was te a hospital. Numbers of persons who saved. At this hour no particulars can be obtained as to whether the property is covered by insurance or not.

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