Samblance of Order Restored After Desperate Fights in Brussels.

STRIKE, SOURCE OF TROUBLE, SPREADS

Labor Party Demands Revised Constitution and Universal Suffrage.

DAILY GATHERING MANY NEW RECRUITS

Thousands of Men Quit Work to Join Fighting Forces.

MORE SERIOUS OUTBREAKS ARE SEARED

Large Numbers of Rioters rested and Government Troops Diligently Guarding Against Renewed Hostilities.

BRUSSELS, April 11 .- A semblance of or- guard ing, were strongly reinforced by the gendarmes and civic guards with loaded riffes. Maison du Peuple.

to evacuate the building quietly.

of injured were carried off and hidden by exchequer appears to have carried the friends. A large number of rioters were arrested

and are still detained. The burgomasters of Brussels and suburrevolver shall be liable to six months' im-

All centers of agitation are bristling today with bayonets. Squads of cavalry are continually patrolling the streets and guarding the shops which were threatened with plundering by the rioters.

Universal Suffrage Demanded.

A manifesto signed by the general council of the labor party has been widely posted. It demands a revision of the constitution and universal suffrage.

Telegrams from the country districts inmovement, which threatens to culminate in debate in Parliament.

A thousand demonstrators caused great disturbances at St. Nicholas last night until routed by repeated charges of the gen-

At La Louviere 6,000 men ceased work, forcing the workers in the large industrial establishments, at La Croyer and Haine St. fuse to quit.

possible disorders.

Sharp Fighting Occurs.

Sharp fighting between strikers and gendarmes occurred this morning Bracquegnies, near Charleroi. thousand strikers attacked and stoped a body of gendarmes, who retaliated by fir ing their revolvers. A sharp fusillade followed and the gendarmes were compelled to retreat. A squadron of lancers, however, galloped up and dispersed the mob.

Additional regiments of infantry, cavalry and engineers arrived here this morn-A battalion is held in readiness for action at each of the barracks. All the troops are supplied with two packets of ball cartridges and two packets of so-called strike cartridges.

Gendarmes and civic guards are sembling at their headquarters in farge numbers and rigorous instructions have outbreaks in their incipiency.

Four regiments of cavalry and infantry arrived at Charleroi today. Infantry has been sent to Louvain and Vilveorden, and squadrons of chasseurs have been distrib-

uted in the midlands. Strike Gains Ground.

The strike at La Louviere is extending to the central provinces. About 15,000 men

Mr. Volkaert, president of the Society of the Young Socialist Guard, who is charged with being largely responsible for the disorders here and for whose arrest a warrant has been issued, has eluded the police and government has decided to proclaim martial law on Tuesday unless order is previously restored.

PARIS, April 11.-The correspondent of the Patrie at Brussels telegraphs that the satisfactory arrangements by others of a Belgian government has decided to proclaim martial law in Brussels if the disorders are not ended on Monday.

To Play "Ulysses" in New York. closed a contract with Beerbohm Tree to- living," that he would annul the bankruptcy "Ulysses," which has been such a success here, in New York during the coming winter, with all the original scenery and ap-

cintments, but it will be played by Mr. Frohman's own company. Mr. Frohman says he has received a proposition from a London syndicate for the appearance of Maude Adams in "Quality Street" and "l'Aigion" in London for ten weeks during the coronation season. Its acceptance depends entirely on Miss Adams

Is Just Like Tillman

VICTORIA, B. C., April 11 .- "Fighting Joe" Martin upheld his right to his title in legislatures yesterday, having two wordy ware with members. In one case he invited Captain Tatlow, member for Vancouver, to "come outside and repeat you words," and in another he called down Mr. Kidd of Richmond for saying he (Martin) had made a statement knowing it to be untrue. Martin said: "I might have lied but you have no right to call me a liar. The little passage at arms was smoothed over.

Troops to Enforce Coercion Act. LONDON, April 11 .- A dispatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Dublin says that ten battalions of English and Scotch milttia are to be embedied and sent to Ireland within a month in pursuance of the British government's determination to apply the stands that Lord Londonderry, the postlongue.

POSTPONEMENT IS LIKELY

lays Presentation of the English Budget.

LONDON, April 11 .- In spite of today's innouncement that the chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, is progressing so well that it is certain he will be able to introduce the budget on Monday next, there are many who believe that another postponement is likely to occur. It is openly said that the indisposition of the chancellor is more diplomatic than organic. Those who waited on the colonial secretary, Mr. Chamberlain, yesterday evening to discuss the position of the trade of the West Indies, went away with a strong impression that the government, even at this late date, had not definitely decided how to raise the sum represented by the enormous deficit. Nevertheless countless rumors regarding

ed on flour, while it is possible that cort of duty will be placed on wheat. trade anticipates a duty on peut this is merely an intelligent the budget proposals are ch zealous secreev in order to der was restored among the rioters in the avoid in loss of revenue which occurred partments, his last assignment being with Rue Stevens early this morning. The po- owing to business interests taking advanlice, who had borne the brunt of the fight- lage of the premature leakage of the last

After much consultation, the cabinet ap-Orders were issued to use all the force pears to favor allowing the West Indies a pecessary to drive the mob out of the lump sum, to be divided among the plantations, in order to tide over the period be-Just as the order was about to be ex- tween now and the time when the agreeecuted the chiefs of the socialists offered ment of the Brussels sugar convention comes into force. The colonial secretary Estimates of the number wounded during advocated a preferential treatment of West the rluts vary from forty to 190, but scores Indian sugar, but the chancellor of the

cabinet in his opposition to such a step. There is considerable anxiety in the British sugar trade to know whether the United States will regard the bestowal of ban municipalities have proclaimed that a lump sum on the West Indies as being meetings of more than ten persons are pro- in the light of a subsidy and will retalthibited and that anyone found carrying a ate by imposing a countervailing duty on West Indian sugar. If such be the case, it is pointed out, pecuniary relief by the imperial government will accomplish nothing.

TRIPLE ALLIANCE RENEWED Coalition Between European Powers Continued as Result of Von Buelow's Conferences.

BERLIN, April 11 .- The conferences held in Vienna by Count von Buelow, the German imperial chancellor, have resulted in dicate the widespread character of the a decision that the triple alliance shall be renewed for another term of years. This a grand coup next week, during the reform news reached Berlin from Vienna tonight. Count von Buelow's interviews with Emperor Francis Joseph, Count Goluchowski, the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, and Dr. von Koerber, the Austrian premier, resulted in bringing Austro-Hungary into an agreement to which Italy has already given its adherence. Fresh terms of alliance will be drawn embracing some Pierre, to join them. The strikers threaten of the concessions Germany makes to Austo burn all factories where the workers re- tria and Italy. These concessions probably

will relate to trade questions.

have been sent to the district to cope with SAYS DELAREY WAS HUMANE

General Methuen Asserts Boer Captor's Treatment Was Kind

LONDON, April 11.-General Methuen's dispatch on the subject of the Twelbosch evening. It adds nothing to the details already made public. Methuen pays tribute to the Boer commander, saying General Delarey "treated the prisoners and myself with the greatest kindness and left General Cellier to look after our wounded on the

American College Men Honored. EDINBURGH, April 11 .- At the gradua tion ceremony at the university here today the honorary degree of doctor of laws was been issued for instant repression of more conferred on Prof. William James of Harvard and President Jacob Gould Schurman

of Cornell university. In bestowing the degrees on the Americans the dean of the university referred in the most cordial terms to President Schurman's reputation as a deep thinker and spoke of his zeal and genius for organization, by which a school of philosophy had been built up at Cornell auch as few universities possessed.

The dean also spoke of the foremost place among psychologists won by Prof. James. Dretbund in Old Form.

VIENNA. April 11.-The German imperial bancellor, Count von Buelow, started for its old form, as the chancellor's conferences here established the fact that it would not be wise to replace the present more experimental character.

Bankruptcy is Annulied. LONDON, April 11.-In the bankruptcy LONDON, April 11.—Charles Frohman of "rash speculation and extravagance in having been reached by which the sum of Missouri river. £11,676 is provided, giving the creditors 12

shillings and 6 pence in the pound sterling. American Ment Scarce.

LONDON, April 11.-Telegrams received

American mest and the consequent increase in the price have obliged many retailers there to close their stores. Spanish Leader is Dead.

MADRID, April II .- Sepor Robert, a lead-

ng Catalonian, died at Barcelona last night as he was beginning a speech at a municipal banquet.

WOVEN WIRE TRUST NEXT Allied Securities Company is Incorporated to Acquire All the

Important Concerns.

the Allied Securities company, which was neorporated on Monday, with \$2,000,000 capital, was organized for the purpose of acquiring all the large woven wire concerns in the country, says the Journal of Commerce, and that its capital stock eventually will be raised to a much higher figure. percion act. The correspondent under- a control in the D. T. Page Woven Wire state with a seine. They were seining in marriage at the home of W. J. Mettlen. master general, threatened to resign from a capital of \$8,000,000 and which recently The parties were arraigned before Justice Rev. R. M. Stevenson of the Second Presby-

More Troops Now in the Department of the Missouri Than Ever Before,

OLD SOLDIERS STAND BY HENDERSON

Corporate Life of the Nebraska Na-'tional Bank of Omaha Extended for Twenty Years to April 11, 1922,

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, April 11 .- (Special Telegram.)-When all contemplated changes are made in the movement of troops the Department of the Missouri will have more organizations of every branch of service than any other department in the United States. In view of this fact it is contemthe budget provisions continue to circuplated to send four paymasters to the delate. The Associated Press has good reapartment, and it is thought that Major sons for believing that a tax will be im-John C. Muhlenberg, now chief paymaster in Cuba, will be made chief paymaster at Omaha. Major Muhlenberg is regarded by but this is merely an intelligent the pay department as one of its very ablest officers. He has served with distinction not only in Washington, but in several dethe army in Cuba. He comes from an old Lancaster, Pa., family, and was appointed from that state March 20, 1882. He was local paymaster in Washington when Gen-

> Senator Courtright, who announced himelf as a candidate for congress from the Third Iowa district against Speaker Henferson, has discovered what hit him. He has just learned that an organization of 200 veteran soldiers was formed in the pivotal township of Cedar Falls in that state, which would have given Speaker Henderson the delegates from Blackhawk (Courtright's) ounty even if Senator Courtright had remained in the race to the finish. Senator courtright, when he learned of the close association of the men who went through the war with the speaker decided to with-

draw from the contest. Ten special agents and ten route inspecafter jobs for their constituents. These positions within the Postiffice department. Under the bill each agent and inspector must have had four years' experience in unique he would vote for it. positions not having such experience might as well give up hope of appointment at

Money for West Point.

Chairman Hull of the committee on military affairs in the house, stated today that he expected a unanimous vote from his committee appropriating \$6,500,000 for new buildings at West Point, \$3,000,000 of which are to be available this year. It is recognized by every military officer who has been at the Point and by the committee that new barracks and quarters are absolutely necessary if the efficiency of the mil-Strong detachments of cavalry are now patrolling the district, in order to protect the triple alliance than was indicated by the factories.

It is reported here that Germany is team patrolling the district, in order to protect the triple alliance than was indicated by the utterances of its ministers last Januses at the utterance of Januses at the utter came head of the military affairs commit-

tee of the house Representative Burkett today secured an additional allowance of \$500 for clerk hire tra effort. at the Lincoln postoffice and it is thought that Gus A. Tylee will be appointed to the clerkship thus created, although there has been no recommendation from Postmaster

Captain and Mrs. H. E. Palmer of Omaha disaster was published in the Gazette this who have been making a tour of the south. arrived in Washington today and are at the New Willard. Mrs. Palmer, after spending a few days here, will go to New York on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Charles Kountze, while the captain will remain to help along the Hot Springs sanitarium

Senator Gamble gave notice today that on Saturday he would present appropriate resolutions in relation to the life and public services of the late senator from South Dakota, James H. Kyle.

Senator Gamble's bill authorizing the Federal railroad company to construct a bridge across the Missouri river at Oacoma, S. D., passed the senate today,

Attorney John M. Baldwin is in the city appear before the supreme court on Monday in the case of Lucien Woodworth et al against the Northwestern Mutual Life lusurance company, Howard Kennedy, jr., of Omaha being also in the city to represent the defendant in error.

Improvement in the Missouri.

The river and harbor bill, which was reported to the senate today from the committee on commerce, carried \$150,000 for improving the Missourl river at Stoux City, In., and above to Stubbs Ferry, Mont., while escaped from the country. The Belgian Berlin today. According to the Neue Frete \$250,000 are appropriated for improving the Presse, the Dreibund will be renewed in river from Sloux City to its mouth, such sums to be expended in such manner and in such localities as the secretary of war may direct, the abolition of the Missouri River commission placing this matter en tirely in the hands of the War department. Fifty-two thousand five hundred dollars are appropriated for building dams and constructing reservoirs at Lake Kampeska court today the registrar decided, in spite Lake Poinsett, and on the Sioux river in South Dakota, to control the flow of that stream and impound the flow of waters to enabling the former to produce of the duke of Manchester, an arrangement secure a permanent supply of water in the

Senator Warren, who has been absent from Washington for several weeks on ac count of the illness and death of his wife. eturned to his duties at the capitol today. An additional rural free delivery route here from Birmingham say the scarcity of is to be established July 1 at Grimes, Polk county, Iowa, with one carrer. The route embraces an area of twenty-eight square miles and contains a population of 500.

Carrier not named. Reserve agents were approved today as Corn Exchange and Continental National banks of Chicago for Merchants National of Grinnell, In .: City National of Lincoln, Neb., for Knoxville National of Knoxville, Is

Postmasters appointed: Nebraska-F. K. Hakel, Touby, Saunders county, vice A. B. Chapek, resigned. Inwa-E. A. Back, Meltonville, Worth county; G. F. Krause, Utster, Floyd county. The corporate existence of the Nebraska

NEW YORK, April 11 .- It is stated that | until April 11, 1922. Miss A. E. Warner of Cheyenne, Wyo. was today appointed an Industrial teacher tion and the president was at once driven in Indian school, Cheyenne river.

Fined for Seining in Lake.

ONAWA, Ia., April 11 .- (Special.) -- John Newman and William Stuart of Sloux At a directors' meeting held here it was City were arrested today by Sheriff Strain. announced that the company had obtained charged with fishing in the waters of the Pence company of New Jersey, which has Oliver's lake, five miles southeast of here, brother of the bride, Thursday afternoon, | dered destroyed.

NEEDS MORE PAYMASTERS BLACKBURN SCORES DEPEW MORGAN DOES NO TALKING

Offers Premium for Fruth in New Yorker's Remarks Toward Kentucky.

WASHINGTON, April 11 .- Some remarks which Mr. Depew of New York made yeserday concerning the proposed amendmen to the constitution providing for the election of senators by popular vote, in the course of which he adverted to southern election methods, precipitated a lively three hours' debate in the senate today. | Money of Missinsippi, to whose state reference had been made by the New York senator, replied tartly to some of the statements of Mr. Depew and defended the suffrage

clauses in the Mississippl constitution. Mr. Depew made a warm reply and attacked the election methods not only in tives. His remarks drew a sharp fire from league, Mr. McLaurin, explained Mississippi election methods and Mr. Simmons of North Carolina pointed out that Mr. Depew had been entirely mistaken about the operation of the constitution of that state and that his statements were errongous,

Blackburn Takes a Hand.

Mr. Blackburn of Kentucky warmly arraigned the New York senator for his comments on Kentucky elections, defended what is known as the Goebel election law and asserted that the New York senator was not informed as to the facts of Kentucky politics.

taken up an agreement was reached that a vote should be taken on it next Wednesday at 1 e'clock. Teller of Colorado supported the measure in a brief speech, maintaining that it was necessary and that it was not in contravention with our treaty obligations with Chins.

Budget of Bills.

Bills were then passed as follows:

Authorizing the Federal railway to construct a combined railroad, wagon and foot passenger bridge across the Missouri river at Oacoma, Lyman county, S. D.; providtors of the rural free delivery service are ing for the use by the United States of that also o be appointed immediately after July 1 devices invented by its naval officers while and the senators from Nebraska are looking engaged in its service and covered by letters patent; to pay \$5,000 to the widow of agents and inspectors, however, are, under Judge I. C. Parker for extraordinary servthe bill recently passed, covered by the ices rendered by him as judge in the westcivil service and are to be appointed from ern district of Arkansas. The bill has been reported adversely by Mr. Poar, but he stated that as the case was absolutely

HAS HOPES FOR FILIPINOS MacArthur Says Natives Are Capable of High Standard of Development in Any Direction.

WASHINGTON, April 11.-When General ippine labor.

itary academy is to be maintained, and the Manils and that for this was they re- erly punished unanimous report which Captain Hull ex- ceived \$15 in gold per month, while Amer- It seems the of receiving that they were spurred to ex- going to jail.

and European exploiters. In this connec- but the parties directly interested. tion he repeated his conviction that it is would be necessary to secure results.

MacArthur said there were few factories in Taylor to provide copies of the doors and to the islands, but that he believed the Filipinos were capable of development as artisans. "They are successful," he said, 'wherever a definess of touch is necessary. They are of artistic temperament and will take high rank as artists. They are full of romance and poetry and will generally suc- it. ceed as actors and musicians; indeed there copies of the carved doors, seized the is scarcely a Filipino that is not a musician. There is, in brief, no question of the power of the Filipinos as a people to reach | doors under penalty of ten years imprisona high standard of development in any di- ment. Taylor lost no time in obeying the

Replying to further questions from Mr. Patterson the witness detailed the situation at Manila, when he arrived there in July, 1898. He said that at that time the natives were besieging the Spaniards in the city in onnection with a few American troops The state of amity between the two forces. he said, was good, and the Filipinos evidently looked upon the Americans in the light of deliverers. He said, however, that there had been no voluntary co-operation with the Filipinos on the part of the Americans and that no subordinate officer had a right to commit General Merritt to such co-operation.

MAKES A COMPLETE CHANGE

President Roosevelt Removes Powderly and Others in His Department.

WASHINGTON, April 11.-Secretary the President Cortelyou today sent the following letter to Secretary of the Treasury

haw:

I am directed by the president to say hat after listening carefully to all the harges and countercharges affecting desert. Powderly, Fritchie and Macey, and without any judgment upon these charges or assuming their truth, as to any or all of the gentlemen concerned, he has desided that a situation exists in which it is or the good of the service that a complete hange should be made and new men appointed in all three offices. In response of a request for his resignation Mr. Powlerly has sent it in; Mr. Fritchie's term has expired, and Mr. Williams has been sominated to succeed him; Mr. Sargent will replace Mr. Powderly, although he will not be able to take office for some weeks the succeed of the some weeks.

president also requests me to ask forward a copy of this letter to Mr. to forward a with a request for his resigna-appoint Mr. Joseph Murray in President Arrives in Washington.

WASHINGTON, April 11.-President Roosevelt arrived here at 7:30 this mornthere were few people at the depot as the train pulled in. There was no demonstrato the White House.

HYMENEAL.

Conder-Mettlen.

Herbert J. Conder of Hoskins and Miss Mary Mettlen of Wayne were united in side in Hockins.

Persistently Repeated His Steamship Combine is Well Under Way.

KEEPS FINANCIAL CIRCLES ALL AGOG

Says Cecil Rhodes Lived in Solitude so Long that He Became Less Practical and More of a Sentimentalist.

(Copyright, 1902, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, April 11 .- (New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-J. Pierpont Morgan today declined to say anything concerning his plans except to state Mississippi, but of several other southern that he was going to Aix-Les-Bains and Wade Hampton died this morning at 9 states. He intimated that if fair methods that he probably would not remain in Eng- o'clock from valvular disease of the heart, BELIEVE THEY WOULD PREFER ANNEXATION were employed in those states republican land for the coronation. He was reticent having been unconscious for several hours senators would be here as their representa- about his movements except for the above. The general had just passed has 84th birthbut in financial circles it is reported that day. Twice this winter he had sustained several senators. Mr. Money and his col- he is in a position to make a big coup when attacks that had greatly weakened him. peace with the Boers is proclaimed. His but he rallied wonderfully. He was our presence in the city at this time is the driving a week ago, but it was evident his cause for much excited speculation in all strength was deserting him. quarters.

steamship combine well under way. He called yesterday at the Royal ernoon. academy, where several of his old masters are on view, and spent some time there proclaim spurious. It is not known whether When the Chinese exclusion bill was the inspection of the owner and experts yesterday settled the genuineness of the

picture in their minds. After leaving the Royal academy Mr. Morgan attended the Cecil Rhodes memorial services at St. Paul's, subsequently inspecting, with Dean Gregory, the electric light installation, which the cathedral owes to his generosity. He first gave \$25,-000 for this work, but when the estimate raised the figures to \$45,900 he at once provided the balance. Now it is found at least \$20,000 more will be required to complete the lighting plant in proper style and Mr. Morgan has volunteered to give Of Cecil Rhodes Mr. Morgan is reported

to have said: "He was a great man, but living in soliude developed the sentimental side of his character at the expense of the practical an illness of nearly a year. He was 67 side. Commerce will be the ruling factor in the future of the world, not racial at-

tachments. MORGAN CANNOT GET DOORS Authorities Step in to Prevent Muti-

lation of Old St. Dennis

Chapel.

(Copyright, 1902, by Press Publishing Co.) MacArthur resumed his testimony before blegram.—Special Telegram.)—Mr. Morgan's seven brothers and one sister. the senate committee on the Philippines well known intention to remove the better today Senator Dubois asked a number of half of Europe to New York to enrich his questions concerning the efficiency of Phil- various art collections has received a decided check through the action of the old

that received by the Americans, it was so Mr. Morgan's collection along has cost Mr. for the funeral have not yet been made, much more than they had been in the habit Taylor \$5,000 and he has barely escaped but it will likely be on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Taylor's artistic eye was attracted

He also expressed the opinion that the by the two big and marvelously carved natives would be found equal to the task doors of the old St. Denis chapel here. He of cultivating the agricultural lands of the liked them and he either proposed or islands if sufficiently paid for their services. agreed to deliver the doors to Mr. Morgan Still it was possible that this labor might in New York for a sum of money, the not be equal to the demands of American exact amount of which is unknown to any

Taylor accordingly started a little wire not desirable to unduly exploit the islands pulling and finally tempted the curate with and if this were to be done excessive wages an offer of \$5,000, which was sadly needed to provide certain interior embellishments Replying to Senator Patterson, General for the old chapel. The curate allowed remove the priceless originals. very much against the law in this city. where even private property cannot be altered without the consent of the state.

The Parietal commission discovered the transaction and denounced the parties to money which Taylor had paid to the curate and ordered Taylor to replace the original order, and Mr. Morgan cannot have the

AFFIRMS MOST'S SENTENCE Appellate Court Decides Anarchist Editor Must Go to Prison for

Incendiary Publication.

NEW YORK, April 11.-The appellate division of the supreme court today affirmed the conviction of Johann Most on a charge of printing in his newspaper, the Preheit, an improper article entitled "Murder against Murderer."

The article was published about the time of the assassination of President Mc-Kinley. Most was sentenced to a year's right to publish the article, the court says; many years. He was a machinist. "The constitution does not give to a citizen a right to murder, nor does it give to dren. him the right to advise the commission of

deprive others of an equal right." OMAHA BRIDE IS DESERTED Husband Borrows Her Money and

Leaves Her with Hotel

Bill to Pay.

is liberty of action only to the extent that

such liberty does not interfere with or

ST PAUL April 11 .- (Special Telegram.) Mrs. F. A. Inman, a strikingly handsome woman of 22, is at the West hotel in Minneapolis, a deserted bride of three weeks. hand explained that he was temporarily as the larger company. embarrassed. She gave him all the money National bank of Omaha has been extended ing. Owing to the early hour of arrival she had and sent to her mother in Omaha of \$1,027,500 and an issue of consolidation their staffs, who arrived here at noon today, for more. Wednesday he disappeared. The | bonds for a like amount of the Choctaw, husband lavished rich gifts upon her, bought by the deserted bride, but have been unable to locate her husband.

FIRE RECORD.

Frame Block at Sycamore.

SYCAMORE, Ill., April 11.-The Wilkins block. a three-story wooden building, occucabinet unless active measures were acquired the properties and business of the of the Peace Howard Ross of Onawa and terian church officiating. They left for a pying the most important location, burned to its contents. Loss, \$15,000, mostly insured. maining in the West Indies has sailed.

CONDITION OF THE WEATHER Forecast for Nebraska-Fair and Warmer

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GENERAL WAD EHAMPTON DEAD

Former Governor of South Carolina ATTITUDE OF BOERS ALSO SIGNIFICANT and United States Senator Passes Away.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 11.-General

No arrangements have been made for It is still persistently repeated that he the funeral, except that it will be at the (Copyright, 1902, by Press Publishing Co.) has the formation of a great transatiantic general's expressed wish without pomp of

The governor has issued this proclama-

tion:

Whereas, Hon Wade Hampton, a former governor of South Carelina and United States senator, died at his home in Columbia this morning, full of years and of honor, therefore I, M. R. Mc-Sweeney, governor of South Carolina, in recognition of his distinguished services to his people and his country throughout his long and honored career and in further recognition of his broad statesmanship and true nobility of character and his high patriotism and devotion to duty and his state, do request that on tomorrow, Saturparticlem and devotion to duty and his state, do request that on tomorrow, Saturday, all public offices in the state of South Carolina be closed and as a further testimonial to his worth that the flags of the state and of the United States be put at haif mast on the capitol and on all other public buildings in the state and remain in that costion until the funeral services are held.

The family of General Hampton objected to a state funeral. Bells were tolled today in all towns of the state when the news was received and many schools were closed.

Jacob B. Slothower.

PAPILLION, Neb., April 11 .- (Special.)-Jacob B. Slothower died this morning after the Eighty-seventh Pennsylvania volunteers and remained until October 13, 1864, fought in sixteen heavy battles, among which were the Wilderness, Spottsylvania, In March, 1883, he married Miss Carrie of Masons and has been a member ever PARIS, April 11 .- (New York World Ca- Order of Odd Fellows. He leaves a wife,

Mrs. Sarah A. Reeves. One more of Douglas county's pioneer The general said there were about 400 Paris Paretal commission, one of whose who had lived at Florence since 1860, died natives employed in a certain corral in duties it is to see that vandalism is prop-It seems that an enterprising American gradually falling, so that her death was expected. Four married daughters survive

Jacob B. Slophower, Papillion. PAPILLION, Neb., April 11.-(Special have originated in the town of Rontypool, Telegram.)-Jacob B. Slophower, an old Nebraska pioneer, died at 11:35 this morning. He was born July 12, 1835, in Pennsylvania and participated in sixteen important battles of the civil war with nent Mason and was a veteran member of the first Nebraska lodge of Masons of

Omaha. He leaves a wife but no children.

M. F. Bednur, Schuyler, SCHUYLER, Neb., April 11 .- (Special Telegram.)-M. F. Bender, for many years a successful business man of Schuyler, was buried here today. He was county treasurer of Colfax county for four years, but during the last several years retired from The state immediately confiacated the business. His wife, four daughters and

a son survive him.

George W. Brown, Harvard. HARVARD, Neb., April 11 .- (Special.)-George W. Brown, father of ex-State Senator Ezra Brown, died at the family home in this city at 5 o'clock Thursday morning. The deceased was born at Surry, near Keen, from St. John, Mich., in 1871.

SUPERIOR, Neb., April 11 .- (Special.)-Mrs. May Young Brownlee of Chicago died yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Young, in this city. Her death resulted from typhoid fever. She was 26 years of age. She leaves her husband and two little daughters.

Old Resident of Superior.

SUPERIOR, Neb., April 11 - (Special.)-Q. A. Russell, aged 78, died here last imprisonment. Regarding Most's conten- night. Mr. Russell was a highly respected tion that the constitution gave him the citizen and had been a resident of Superior

leaves a wife and family of grown chil-TO SELL ROAD TO ROCK ISLAND that crime by others. What it does permit

Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf is After

Northern Line as a Spec-

ulation.

PHILADELPHIA, April 11.-The direc tors of the Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad, the control of which is shortly to go into the hands of the Chicago. Rock Island day in order to return to London convinces & Pacific Rallway company, decided at a people that something important is pendmeeting today to lay before the stockholders on May 3 a proposition to purchase the Choctaw & Northern railroad and then self it to the Rock Island road at a profit of Her hotel bill is unpaid and she has no \$30 a share, or a total of \$616,500. This Her husband met her in an Omaha | was brought about by a desire of the purhotel, where she was a waitress, declared chasers of the Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf terday, but he expects to attend the cabhe loved her and they were married. After railroad to obtain possession of the proparriving in Minneapolis Saturday the hus- erty associated with the Chociaw as well

An issue of common stock to the amount Oklahoma & Gulf railroad will be made a flag of truce at an outpost. An officer, costly dresses and had much money. He The besues will have a par value of \$50 a has taken away the trunks containing the share and when the subscription is com-The police have been appealed to pleted the stock will be sold at \$80 to dorp in Cape carts. The Orange Free State Speyer & Co of New York, bankers, who envoys were accompanied by Judge Jertzog, are acting for the Rock Island road. The Chociaw Northern railroad is controlled by the the Choctaw, Oklahoma &

an important feeder to the Choctaw.

suitably guarded.

British Government Leaders Say Neither Side Has Yet Offered Terms.

BELIEF EXISTS SETTLEMENT IS PENDING

Return of King and Cabinet Meeting Strengthen This View,

Impression Prevails That Latter Are Anxious to Settle.

Feeling Exists in London Among Lib. erals that if Joseph Chamberlain Would Resign Peace Would Fellow.

LONDON, April 11 .- (New York World any sort and will take place Saturday aft- Cablegram.-Special Telegram.)-A member of the government said in the lobby of the House of Commons tonight:

We have neither offered terms of peace nor have we yet received any proposition from the licer leaders. These premature rumors are most damagins to the chances of a settlement and are utterly unfounded. The cabinet has not been actually summoned for tomorrow, but the ministers have been advised to hold themselves in readiness to attend a meeting if important dispatches should be received late tonight or early tomorrow.

Other members of the government made similar statements in their anxiety to repress the hopes based upon optimistic rumors; but nevertheless there is andoubtedly an optimistic feeling, arising apparently from the inference that the Boer leaders would not have come into a conference at all unless they had abandoned their independence claim and it is assumed here even by the jingoes that they can now have everything short of independence, including ampesty and self-government within a definite period and compensation for farm de-

King's Return Stimulates Hope.

The unexpected return of King Edward to London tonight greatly stimulated the years old. In September, 1861, he joined peace speculation, as it is known that he ardently desires a cessation of hostilities. News of the result of the Boer conference is expected tomorrow, but there is no tangible ground for expecting that either Cold Harbor, Petersburg and Winchester, party will concede sufficient to make an agreement on the present terms possible. Barnes of Rossville, York county, Pa., and It is suggested that the Boer objection to came to Nebraska, residing at Bellevue. annexation might be aurmounted by mak-Here he joined the Nebraska lodge No. 1 lng a treaty with them, under which they would agree to incorporation in the British since. Later he joined the independent empire, but in reality they prefer annexation, because a treaty would have no moral

binding force. There is strong feeling among the liberals that if Joseph Chamberlain and Milner would resign, peace would be attainable. Frederic Rutherford Harris, former-secretary of the British Chartered South Africa company, was asked this morning at his residence. Liangibly castle, Monmouthshire, if he had received a telegram announcing that the

terms. Mr. Harris replied was entirely without foundation. A similar report of the alleged agree ment was carried by the Central News and published by some of the morning papers. which issued extra editions. It appears to

Boer leaders bud accepted the British

adjacent to Llangibly castle. Editor Blames Code. The dispatch appearing in the Financier and Bullionist is not confirmed from any Pennsylvania regiment. He was a promit other quarter. The editor of the paper says several words of the code message received were vague, but he believes his gen-

eral interpretation of the dispatch to be correct. From government sources the Associated press ascertains that the peace negotiations are not expected to come to a conclusion immediately, as too premature reports indicated. The belief exists that there will be considerable discussion with the Boer leaders on the continent, who maintain no peace can be arrived at unless the British grant some form of amnesty to the Cape rebels. Whether this contention will prove well founded or otherwise is only a matter of conjecture, but it appears certain that the Boers will hold out until all efforts are exhausted in order to gain this point. Some of those who are in close touch with South Africa believe that ten days may clapse before a conclusion is reached. N. H., September 6, 1809, coming to Harvard the Boers at Klerksdorp, and other factors. create an all-round hopeful feeling. This was reflected on the Stock exchange today

> ceived no official news bearing out the statements that peace had been arranged. F Brodrick Makes Denial. The war secretary, Mr. Brodrick, informed the House of Commons today that the government had received no communication from the Boer leaders regarding the terms of peace and said that no armistics

would be granted during the absence of the

Up to 11 o'clock the government had re-

in the advance in Kaffirs.

Boer leaders from their commands. Mr. Brodrick was asked if Lord Kitchener had been authorized to offer any terms of peace besides unconditional surrender. He replied: "I am not in a position to make any statement nor am I able to add anything to my statement of yesterday regarding the conference between the Boers.' LONDON, April 12 .- Mr. Balfour's denial last night of the peace rumors was very emphatic. He said: "We have no

information at all, nor in the nature of things could there be any." The sudden calling of a cabinet meeting and the fact that King Edward rather unexpectedly terminated his cruise yestering and has led to the most extraordinary

rumore. Among other things it is reported that Mr. Chamberlain, the colonial secretary, has resigned. This is quite untrue. Mr. Chamberiain was suffering from a chill yesnet meeting today.

KLERKSDORP, Transvasi (Wednesday), April 9.- The approach of President Steyn and Generals Dewet and Delarey, with was signalized at 11 a. m. by the arrival of with an escort, was sent out and the president and the two generals rode into Klerks. Commandant Olivier and six other persons. With General Delarey were his secretary and a dozen Boers. The Free State rep-Gulf railroad. It is 187 miles long and is resentatives were quartered in the old lown. General Delarey joined the Transvasl party in the new town. A conference tent was pitched midway between the two towns and free communication was permitted the Boer delegates, but they were

To Value Spanish Artillery

MADRID, April 11.-The commission taken to circumvent the United Irish Page Woven Wire Fence company of Hill- each fined \$50 and costs and the seine or the ground early this morning, with much of which is to value the Spanish artillery re-