## AIRSHIP KILLS TWO

French Inventor Meets Instant Death in Striving to Conquer Atmosphere.

FLIES ALL RIGHT FOR FEW MINUTES ONLY

Wind Takes Centrol and Bears Balloon Along in Spite of Steersman.

WIRES BREAK AND CAR FALLS TO GROUND

Occupants Crashed by Catastrophe Expire Without Speech.

AERONAUT'S WIFE SEES RETURNING BAG

Phinks ft to Be Entire Craft and Fenre for Dead Husband's Safety at So Great a Height.

PARIS, Oct. 13 .- De Bradsky, the serohaut, and a companion, were killed by falling from a dirigible balloon today. The balloon started from the aerostatic

station at Vaugiriard, a suburb of this city, at 7:55 a. m. on a trial trip. After preliminary maneuvering with a rope attach-ment De Bradsky released the balloon and proceeded southward at a height of 300 or 400 feet.

The propellers of the machine appeared to work well, the rudder, however, was not quite successful. At about 9:20 the balloon had returned to above the point of departure and then it gradually mounted higher and higher until it disappeared in

Ropes Break vith Fatal End.

About 9:80, when the balloon arrived over Stains, the aeronauts called to some workmen, asking the direction of Pantin. De Bradsky and Morin were seen moving about the car. Suddenly one of the wire ropes broke and then another gave way and the car, weighing 880 pounds, fell to the ground, burying the aeronauts beneath it. They were crushed, their legs were roken and their faces were bloody, but

they were not disfigured. An eye witness gave the following account of the accident:

"I was standing on the steps of my building, when I heard a voice calling. I looked up and saw an airship a hundred yards in the air. M. Morin was leaning out of the car and asked through a megaphone where was a suitable spot to descend. I indicated a place and the airship proceeded in that direction. A few minutes later the balloon turned sharply and at the same moment I heard a noise like the tearing of cloth. The plane wires attaching the front of the car to the balloon had broken. Other wires followed suit, the car became detached and it fell to the ground 200 yards distant. The balloon itself unded up in the air and disappeared. "I hurried to the spot and found De

Bradsky dead and terribly bruised. M. Morin was lying under the remainder of the car. He lived but a few minutes." A number of aernonauts and Madame De

De Bradsky first tried the ascensional screw, situated below the car, and the air ship, held by ropes, rose easily and maintained its equilibrium. Satisfied with this he said he would maneuver over the drilling ground. A whistle was blown, the ropes released and the propelling screw behind was set in the proper direction, when suddenly a southwest wind sprang up and the airship swerved to the northwest instead of the northeast. Crossing the main boulevards, it continued northward with the wind, eventually disappearing over the great white basilica of the church of the Sacred Heart and the top of the hill of Mount Matre. The aernonaut's wife and friends waited at the shed from 8 till 10 and grew

auxious at the prolonged absence. Friends Think Balloon Too High.

About this time what they took to be the balloon was perceived at an immense height and the anxiety was increased, as it was known the airship was never intended to rise so high. They saw, however, merely the inflated envelope which drifted back across Paris after the accident had relieved it of the weight of the car. A few minutes later a telegram arrived with the news of the disaster.

The balloon was in the form of a cylinder ending in a cone twenty-five feet long in front and twelve behind, the same length as the Santos-Dumont airship which won the Deutsch prize, though its volume was larger, because the length of the cylindrical part was longer.

The balloon proper contained 2,789 cubic feet. The cylinder was seventy feet long and was made of steel tubes. It carried a car sixteen feet long, suspended ten feet FRENCH CHEER THE BOERS below, which guarded the gas bag against risk of fire from the sixteen horse-power

etroleum motor. The airship was propelled by a screw twelve feet in diameter and had a rudder

with a surface of five square yards. A notable feature was a sail apparatus consisting of wings made of light canvas, 35 feet long and five feet wide, fixed to the right and left of the envelope, giving it the appearance of an enormous aeropane and intended to enable the airship to sail or

descend slowly in case the motor stopped.

Ambassador Choate and Generals Corbin, Wood and Young Guests at Buckingham Palace.

and Generals Corbin, Wood and Young were great shock to you and to us. I hope selfthe guests of King Edward at a luncheon in government will soon be given to the Borr Buckingham palace today in honor of Lord people, for they loyally laid down their Kitchener, prior to the latter's departure arms and took the oath of allegiance. for India, where he is to take command of it must not be inferred from this allegian; the British forces. Lord Roberts also was that they will allow themselves to be the guest of the king.

General Corbin delivered to the king a message from President Roosevelt expressing the hope that King Edward would lend his assistance in creating interest in Great Britain in the St. Louis exposi-The king replied that he would answer the measage personally in the same kindly spirit in which it was sent.

At the conclusion of a rather elaborate luncheon his majesty arose and proposes the health of President Roosevelt. king spoke in most admiring terms of the president and expressed his delight at seeing such distinguished Americans pres-Before any other toast could proposed his majesty announced an adjournment to the smoking room, where he had a long talk with Generals Corbin and Wood, and personally expressed to them his gladness to see them in England.

only friends, but relations." The king asked many questions about the American army.

PORTE MAKES A COMPLAINT

ends Ctrcular to Powers Saying that Buigaria to Not Properly Guarding the Frontier.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. ... he Porte has sent a circular to the complaining that Bulgaria is guarding its frontier, that it is ting Macedonian bands to cross and the remnants of these bands, after bedispersed by Turkish troops, recross the frontier and find shelter in Bulgarian ter-

The Turkish government also complains that a revolutionary banner was recently consecrated in the Bulgarian monastery at Rilo and that commands of revolulonary bands have been apportioned to

Bulgarian reserve officers. Turkish reinforcements have been sent to Demir-Hirsar, Roumelia, to strengthen

the frontier cordons. BERLIN, Oct. 13 .- The Vossische Zeitung publishes a dispatch from Sofia announcing that the Macedonian insurgents have been, victorious along the left bank of the Struma river and have seized the mountain pass between Melnik and Serres.

VIENNA, Oct. 13 .- Die Zeit today publishes a letter purporting to have been written by M. Zontcheff, president of the Macedonian committee, declaring the great struggle of the Bulgarians has begun. He says the people do not aspire to the establishment of a "great Bulgaria," but are fighting for freedom from tyranny.

He concludes as follows: "The struggle will only be ended by the extirpation of Macedonian Christians, and from their bones avengers will arise."

FORMER GOVERNOR IS LEADER Seneral Deschamps Takes Up Arms Against Provisional Government of Santo Domingo.

CAPE HAYTIEN, Hayti, Oct. 13 .- Gen eral Deschamps, the former governor of Porto Plata, Santo Domingo, has taken up arms against the provisional government of Santo Domingo and risings have occurred at

The Artibonite (revolutionary) army won a brilliant victory Saturday at Montrouise, and the provisional government's gunboat Nouvelle Voldrogue was sunk by the Fortas In the land fight the troops of the pro-

visional government lost 115 men killed, one field gun, a rapid-fire gun and many new rifles. It is said that the gunboat's crew was drowned. The Nouvelle Voldrogue was re-

cently commissioned to enforce the blockade of the revolutionary ports. The Firminists at Limbe are maintaining the advantage which they recently gained by defeating General Nord, the gov-

ernment commander, in skirmishes which have taken place since then. The United States cruiser Cincinnati left Indians have received out of their prinhere yesterday morning for St. Marc. SAN DOMINGO, Santo Domingo, Oct. 13 .-A former governor named Navarro, has revolted and taken possession of Monte Christo on the north coast of Santo Domingo, near the Haytian border. The government is taking prompt measures to re-

## GOVERNMENT AGAIN REPULSED the Indian office is already at the Omaha Venezuela Rebels Gain a Decided Vic-

store order.

tory in a Battle Fought at Corra.

WILLEMSTAD, Island of Curacoa, Oct. 13.-The troops of the Venezuelan government have been repulsed while reattempting to again occupy Corru, capital of the state of Falcon, and sustained heavy losses. A schooner with sixty men on board was sunk.

An engagement was fought at Goyabo, three hours from Caracas, Saturday, The government was defeated, losing 112 men. The revolutionists have almost completely encircled Caracas.

An important engagement began this morning near La Victoria between the forces commanded by President Castro of Venezuela, numbering 4,100 men with fifteen guns, and the revolutionary forces commanded by Generals Matton, Mendoza, Peraloza and Riera, about 6,000 men, with twenty-two guns. At Valencia, two hours' march from La Victoria, the sound of fierce cannonading can be heard. Vice President Vicente Gomez left Caracas today by a special train with 800 men and a large amount of ammunition to reinforce President Cas-

The British cruiser Indefatigable arrived at LaGuayara Sunday. Other British vessels are to follow.

The United States gunboat Marietta has returned to LaGuayara from Curacos, Serious events are predicted for this week.

Generals Boths, Dewet and Delarey Given a Most Hearty Welcome in Paris.

PARIS, October 13 .- The Boer generals. Botha, Dewet and Delarey, arrived in Paris Senator Pauliat and the pro-Boer today. committee received them at the railroad After speeches of welcome had been delivered the party drove to a hotel. The precincts of the station and the route to the hotel were thronged with spectators, who heartily cheered the gen-LUNCHEON WITH THE KING crals, although the crowds present and the enthusiasm manifested were nothing like the assemblages and the demonstration witnessed on the occasion of Mr. Kruger's arrival here two years ago.

General Boths, replying to Senator Paullat, said: "We have suffered greatly and LONDON, Oct. 13 .- Ambassador Choate had to sign a peace treaty which was a

dragged in the mud." This statement was greeted with cheers The Society for the Aid of Boer Children handed General Dewet \$15,059.

FINS DISLIKE RUSSIAN RULE Petition Against Change of Language and Other Features of Museo-

vite Control.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 13.-Several members of the Finnish court of appeals have been removed because they opposed the application of the new military conscription law in their jurisdictions.

The members of the Diet representing the rural population are preparing to present to the authorities at St. Petersburg a petition for the limitation of the impehe said, "I feel we are not rial manifestoes relating to Finnish laws and also for the postponement or modifi- will be gone unless the Indian bureau alcation of the order introducing the Russian language in official procedure.

Complain Colonel Mosby is Teo Active Tearing Dewn the Fences.

SENATOR MILLARD BACKING THEM UP

rst Payment of Money from Land des to the Omaha Indians to Be Inde Within the Next Few Days.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 13 .- (Special Telegram.)-Colonel John S. Mosby, special agent of the land office, is in Washington to give President Roosevelt and Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock his views regarding conditions affecting the reduction of fences in western Nebraska. Colonel Mosby was authorized by the land department of the government to see that the fences the cattlemen have unlawfully erected upon public lands be taken down and Mosby has seen to it that the fences the cattlemen had run on the public domain were removed. This action of Mosby in carrying out the regulations of the secretary of the interior has created such a feeling of indignation on the part of the cattlemen that Senator Millard has taken a hand in the fence war. He protests against Mosby's activity and has asked for an investigation of his acts. Accordingly Colonel Mosby has regulations of the Interior department.

Colonel Mosby is obdurate. He says the made against him of undue severity in to take up the demurrer. carrying out the regulations of the In-Monte Christo, Dajabon, Savanett and being deprived of the inclosures by reason the state is ready to reply." of the manner of which Colonel Mosby interpreted his orders from the land office. ence with Colonel Mosby will not take soon as possible and that he appears as

> time the fences were, but are not. Paying Money to the Omahas. The \$100,000 authorized by the last Indian appropriation bill will be distributed within the next ten days to the Omaha Indians. This is the first amount which the Omaha cipal derived from the sale of lands in agency to aid Agent Mathewson to distribute the money, which will be authorized by Secretary Hitchcock to be drawn Sioux City.

the spokesman of the cattlemen. Mean-

of the bond which the agent of the Omaha for \$40,000, so that the government will only permit him to draw \$12,500, but as the special agent, Mr. Conser, is under a also present. similar bond the first payment of \$25,000 will be authorized as soon as the rolls are approved, which is expected to be tomorrow. Just as soon as this first amount of \$25,000 is disposed of similar amounts will be telegraphed to the depository in Sioux City to be paid to the agent on check to the Indians of the Omaha agency. It is thought in view of these payments there will be several celebrations in order or the Omaha agency and that possibly an old-time dance may be decided upon.

Charges Against Saunders George W. Saunders, superintendent of schools at Santee agency, is charged with "jimmying" his way into the classified Mr. Saunders succeeded H. C. Baird as agent of the Santee agency in Nebraska. He was appointed to the place by Senator Millard. It appears, however, by the record that his bond as superintendent of schools was filed before he went into office as agent at that agency. There was an interreguum of some two or three hours between the termination of Agent Baird's term and the assumption of office by Saunders. Baird terminated his posttion as agent on June 29 and Saunders assumed office for a few hours as agent of was transferred into the classified service as superintendent of schools at the Santee agency, the last Indian bill baving abolshed the agency at that place. The attention of the Civil Service commission has been called to this matter and it is understood it proposes an investigation as to the manner in which Saunders got under cover of the civil service. It is also charged that Senator Millard was imposed upon when he recommended Saunders.

Putting Indians to Work. Commissioner Jones, in speaking of his report to be made to the secretary of the holds options on several thousand acres interior, and which is now in press, said that outside of routine matters affecting the department it would discuss the subject of Indian employment in view of the suc met with in the Sloux nation in South Da-The commissioner has been an ardent advocate of putting the Indian to work wherever work could be secured within the limits of his reservation. He Ohio Senator Able to Be at Office and has impressed his views upon Secretary Hitchcock to such an extent that it was finally decided to try the experiment of allowing Indians to do manual labor in stead of issuing him rations, as provided by legislation. In consequence of this new departure the commissioner devotes con siderable space to discussion of the Indians. He sees in it new hopes for the He states that Indians in a very large degree have shown a disposition to accept wages instead of rations. During last season, in the Sloux nation in South Dakota, reservoirs have been built, fences put up, bridges erected and lands protected by Indian labor, and the com sioner says they have shown an enthusiastic desire to work "just like the white man." Yet strange as it may seem, Commissioner Jones is in receipt of many letters from ethnologists in the field and elsewhere protesting against the order of the Indian bureau permitting the Indian to work Some of the letters go so far as to sugges that the jobs of ethnologists in the field

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# CATTLEMEN ARE OBJECTING OFFICER CAPTURES FUGITIVE MINE

rested Just as He is Entering His House.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.-Delegate Julius Lehmann, convicted of perjury and resting under an indictment for bribery, who has been a fugitive from justice for several weeks, was captured by a deputy sheriff today at his home. The capture was made just as Lehmann was entering his house. It was stated Saturday that Lehmann intended to surrender tomorrow, as his case comes up then. He is seeking to secure a reversal of the werdict of the jury that convicted him of perjury in connection with the lighting bribery and and the birthday party, at which \$47,500 is said to have been distributed among members of the house of delegates' combine. Lehmann was sentenced to two

years in the ponitentiary. Delegate Lehmann applied to Judge Douglas for a writ of habeas corpus to secure his release so that he might attend the sitting of the supreme court tomorrow, when his application for an appeal from the verdict of the circuit court, sentencing him to two years' imprisonment in the penitentiary for perjury, will be beard. Judge Douglas denied the application and remanded Lehmann to jail.

Defendant was represented by a brilliant array of legal talent, among whom were Judge Alexander Waller, Thomas J. Rowe, Former Governor Charles P. Johnson, Judge Chester H. Krum and Judge William M. reported to Washington to explain what he Williams. Circuit Attorney Folk appeared has done in the way of carrying out the for the state, with his office force for as-

Mr. Folk opened the case immediately fences are down in his district, a region after the calling of the venire for the comprising six or seven counties bordering standing jury. He presented the motion for on Wyoming, and that so far as he is a venire for a special jury. Judge Waller concerned they will stay down. If, how-objected on the ground that an application ever, the secretary of the interior decides for a special venire must be made. Judge that the aggressive work now going on Holliday ruled that the demurrer filed with looking to the removal of the fences be the clerk of the court by the defense would curtailed, Colonel Mosby will execute the take precedence to the motion for a spewishes or his superior officer. Charges are cial venire. He asked if the state was ready

"The defense has not seen fit to furnish terior department. It is asserted cattle- us a copy of the demurrer, and until I nave men who have rights in the premises are seen the demurrer I do not know whether

At 2:30 the court announced that he would adjourn the court until 8 o'clock Tuesday It was stated today at the Interior de- morning. This action was taken in response partment that in view of the president's to the statement of Circuit Attorney Folk illness and the interest which he is taking that he was not at present prepared to in the anthracite coal strike, the confer- argue the demurrer submitted by the de-

place until the end of the week. The fact | Five objections are named in the demurremains, however, that Senator Millard is rer. All had been anticipated by Mr. Folk active in bringing about the conference as and his assistants, but they desired to arrange their arguments in consecutive form.

#### SECOND TRIAL OF MOLINEUX Motion of the Prosecution for a Special Jury Panel is Allowed

by the Court.

NEW YORK, Get. 13 .- The second trial of Roland B. Molineux, accused of the murder Nebraska, which was authorized by act of of Mrs. Catherine J. Adams, on December congress, approved August 7, 1882. The 28, 1898, was called today after many derolls to cover this appropriation are new lays and adjournments in the criminal in the hands of the secretary of the in-terior and the secretary's approval is ex- S. Lambert of Fredonia presided. Molineux telegraph. Special Agent F. M. Conser of made last week for a special jury panel tend such trials. A formidable array of forgery. against the government's depository at defense, including former Governor Frank the court, and any violation of it consti-Four payments will be necessary in view and ex-Supreme Court Justice W. M. K. the injunction was properly based. The and Winnebago agency gives. His bond is Battle, both former assistant district at- complaining roads were tenable. torneys, and Henderson Peck. General F.

The prosecution was represented by Dis-Nathan A Smythe

Judge Lambert granted the motion for a special jury panel of 200 names and court by another party. adjourned until Wednesday next.

#### TRIES TO WIPE OUT FAMILY Minnesota Man Shoots Wife, Son and Aims at Father-in-Law, Then Suicides.

TRACEY, Minn., Oct. 13.-Ed Stricker this afternoon shot and killed his wife and young son, seriously wounded Frank McCallister and then committed suicide. Stricker and his wife had been living apart

for two years. This afternoon he followed her into the furniture store of Frank McCallister and, drawing a revolver, shot the woman dead. He then fired a bullet through the head of their little boy and turned the weapon upon his father-in-law, L. Harvey. The shot went wild, however, and wounded McCallister in the face. Stricker then shot himself, dying instantly. McCallisthe Santees on the 30th, and thereafter ter is in a critical condition, but may recover.

### COAL OWNING ROAD St. Paul Buys Extensive Tract of Fuel Lands to Insure Itself

CHICAGO, Oct. 13 .- The management of the St. Paul railroad has just purchased 25,000 acres of rich coal lands in Illinois at an expense of nearly \$2,000,000 and

Supply.

more. The purpose of the management is to pro vide the St. Paul system with fuel for all FIGHT AT FOOT BALL MATCH time. The lands which have been acquired cess which the employment of Indians had are located west and southwest of the city of LaSalle.

# HANNA IS MUCH IMPROVED

Wednesday, CLEVELAND, Oct. 13 .- Senator Hanna, who was taken ill Saturday while on a speaking tour, and compelled to return use their clubs. ome, was at his office today and feeling

Will Resume Campaign Trip

nuch better. The senator expects to resume his speech making trip on Wednesday next, but as a result of his illness will omit a number

## Union Pacific Machinist at Denver is Charged with Obstructing

the Mail.

of points.

lvan, one of the leaders of the Union Pacine railway machinists in this city, who are on strike, and James C. Wood have injured five others. been indicted by the federal grand jury on Deer Trail, Colo.

## OPERATORS AGREE TO ARBITRATE.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13 .- The operators have agreed to the appointment of a commission to be appointed by the president of the United States, to whom shall be referred all questions at issue between the companies and their own employes, whether they belong to a union or not, and the decision of the commission shall be accepted by the operators.

The commission is to consist of an army or navy engineer officer, an expert mining engineer not connected with the coal mining properties. one of the judges of the United States courts of the eastern district of Pennsylvania, a man of prominence, eminenet as a sociologist, and a man who by active participation in mining and selling coal is familiar with the physical and commercial features of the business.

The operators also demand that the miners shall return to work as soon as the commission is constituted and cease all interference with non-

The commission is to name a date when its findings shall be effective and to govern conditions of employment between the companies and their own employes for at least three years. The statement was read to the president as an act of courtesy before

being given to the press. These terms are practically the same as those suggested by Mr. Mitchell at the recent conference with Mr. Roosevelt at the White House.

\$\_\$\_\$\_\$\_\$\_\$\_\$\_\$\_\$\_\$\_\$ TICKET SCALPERS HIT HARD CONDITION OF THE WEATHER

Dust and Hurls Workmen to

Eternity.

W. V. OVERCASH, aged 30, single. MICHAEL YORJA, aged 27, single.

onight.
Peter Green, head and body crushed.
John Burke, frightfully bruised.
George Worley, bruised and burned.

All those killed and injured were about

4,000 feet from the place where the shot

was fired. Isaacs was hurled against the

entry wall with such force that his head

It is reported that Overcash was worth

Much Damage is Done to Property,

While Several Persons Are

Seriously Injured.

QUINCY, Ill., Oct. 13.-The storm which

of Missouri and Illinois. Reports indicate

than one hundred houses. Many people

the town was practically destroyed and

twenty or more houses are in ruins. Henry

Jacobs is a complete wreck from nervous

was sick in bed. His house was unroofed

First reports from Missouri were exag-

gerated. There was great general damage,

the monuments were blown over. At least

Two Men, One Woman and Two

Children Are Killed in

Wreckage.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 13 .- A special to

the Republic from Macon, Mo., says: Word

has reached here that the little mining

town of Keota, six miles from here, was

almost destroyed by the tornado of last

night, and two men, one woman and two

children, names unknown, were killed. The

molished and Vall was pinned under the

Assistant Postmaster's

Father.

MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 13 .- The funeral to-

day of the late Jacob W. Heath, father of

Perry S. Heath, former first assistant post-

master general of the United States, was

Members of Delaware lodge of Masons,

of which the deceased was a member, were

Movements of Ocean Vessels Oct. 13.

At New York-Arrived: Minnetonka,

London: Krooniand, from Antwerp, Plymouth—Arrived: Kaiser Wilhelm Grosse, from New York, Southampton—Arrived: Finland, from

York. Brisbane-Arrived: Aoringi, from ouver, Salled: Miowera, for Van-

Havre-Arrived: Pentaur, from Se-

At Havre-Arrived: Feltaur, from Se-attle, vis Montevidee; La Gescogne, from New York. At Hamburg-Arrived: Patricia. At Bremen-Arrived: Bremen, from New York, via Cherbourg. Salled: Cassell, for New York.

one of the largest seen here in years.

timbers and badly injured.

in attendance in a body.

general store of Edward Vail was de- m

TOWN

loss will reach \$200,000.

TORNADO DESTROYS

was smashed beyond recognition.

in town but a few days.

no instant fatalities.

6 p. m..... 44 7 p. m..... 48

8 n. m..... 38 9 n. m..... 30

10 n. m .... 40

11 a. m..... 42

12 m.... 41

miles from here.

Fatally injured:

Others injured were:

The dead:

Court Holds it Fraud to Deal in Return Temperature at Omaha Yesterday: Halves of Excursion Passes

VAINLY PLEAD RAILROADS BROKE LAW

Users, Apart from Original Hoiders, Held Liable to Prosecution for Forgery Because of Signed Contract on Face.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13 .- A decision of sweeping importance to ticket scalpers and the railroad passenger business generally was delivered today by Justice Hagner of the equity court of the District of Columbia, who permanently enjoined thirty-three of the local ticket brokers from selling the Grand Army special excursion tickets issued by the Pennsylvania, Southern, Baltimore & Ohio and Chesapeake & Ohio railroads.

The defense of the brokers was that they were pursuing a legal, licensed brokerage business and that the railroads in combining in the establishment of a joint ticket agency here during the encampment for the vising of return tickets vio ated the Sherman

anti-trust law. The court held that the tickets sold by the roads on account of the Grand Army encampment bore contracts signed by the purchasers in the presence of a witness and pected to be appended within a day or two, was not in court when his counsel began were absolutely void when used by any day force of 190 men went off duty, and so that payments may be authorized by their argument in objection to the motion other than the original purchasers. The was caused by too much powder in a blast, tickets distinctly read that any one except the concussion causing coal dust, which The court room was thronged with the the original purchasers attempting to use thickly overhung the mine, to explode with usual crowd of men and women who at- them woud be subject to prosecution for great force.

counsel was at the table devoted to the This contract is absolute, according to S. Black, former District Court Attorney tuted fraud, on which the suit at bar for Olcott, Bartow S. Weeks and George Gordon | court declared that the contentions of the

As to the claim of the defendants that L. Molineux, father of the accused, was the roads violated the antitrust law it was held that the joint ticket agency could not be considered in that light, as the agency trict Attorney Jerome and his assistants, had nothing to do with the fixing of rates. James W. Osborne, F. P. Garvan and Further the defendants had shown that they were violating the law and could not press as a defense the violation of a law

### WESTERN MATTERS AT CAPITAL Several Rural Free Delivery Routes

Are Authorized in Ne-

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Oct. 13 .- (Special Telegram.)-These rural free delivery routes Jacobs' home was among those destroyed. will be established in Nebraska November 15: Adams, Gage county, two routes; area prostration and may die. Robert Garrett covered, sixty-eight square miles; population, 1,655 Ceresco, Saunders county, two and part of the wall fell in on his couch. additional routes; area, seventy-two square He was unburt but may die from exposure. miles; population, 930. Clay Center, Clay Mrs. Robert Tribune was buried in the county, two routes; area, forty square ruins of her home and may die.
miles; population, 800. Filiey, Gage First reports from Missouri w county, two routes; area, hfty-six square miles; population, 910. Wahoo, Saunders but it was mostly in the demolition of county, three routes; area, sixty-four barns. The southern part of Quincy was square miles; population, 1,366. The post- struck by the storm and Green Mount cemoffices at Hanover, Pella and Townsend etery was stripped of every tree. Many of

will be discontinued. The postmaster at Cedar Rapids, Ia., will fifty houses and barns in the southern part ; be allowed one additional letter carrier on of the city were destroyed. The financial

November 1. The comptroller of the currency has approved the application of the following persons to organize the First National bank of Dolliver, Ia., with \$25,000 capital: J. P. Kirby of Estherville, E. I. Sondrol, M. K. Whelan, Henry G. Graf and Emma

G. Allen. The postoffice at Pyramid, Albany county, Wyo., has been discontinued. William W. Gross has been appointed substitute letter carrier at Keokuk, Ia,

Presbyierian and Normal Scholars' now Brings Police Clubs lnto Play.

EMPORIA, Kan., Oct. 13.-Several hun-FLOCK TO HEATH'S FUNERAL dred students of the Presbyterian college and the State Normal school of this city Crowds Witness Interment of Former engaged in a free fight today during the progress of a foot ball game between the two schools. The police were forced to Manneban, a Normalite, was struck on

the head and dangerously injured, and many of the boys were hurt by the clubs of the officers.

LIGHTNING STRIKES FUNERAL STRIKER UNDER INDICTMENT Negro Mourners Fice When Flash Kills One and Injures Five Around Bier.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13 .- A special from Beaumont, Tex., says: Lightning tore DENVER. Colo., Oct. 13.-Alexander Sul- through the roof of a negro church on Wall street late this afternoon while a funeral was in progress and killed one man and

The steeple was completely demolished a charge of obstructing the United States and in the panic that ensued the mourners, mail by disabling a Union Pacific engine at | who were at the bier of the dead man descried the corpus.

Agree to Submit Matters in Dispute to Commission Appointed by President.

MEN TO RESUME WORK PENDING AWARD Both Sides to Pledge Themselves to Accept

Willingly Final Decision. MORGAN CARRIES OFFER TO PRESIDENT

All-Day Conferences Result in Proposition Being Made at Night.

STILL ADHERE TO ANTI-UNION ATTITUDE

Lay Trouble to Impossible Wage Demand Made by Workmen.

MITCHELL REFUSES TO DISCUSS PROFFER

Not Believed Plan Will Suit Him Exnetly. Although it is Expected

Union Will Waive All Objections and Accept.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13 .- By authority of Mr. J. P. Morgan, who with his pariner, Robert Bacon and Secretary Root, were in conference with President Rosevelt at the Forecast for Nebraska-Fair and Warmer Tuesday; Wednesday Fair. temporary White House tonight for an hour and a half, a statement was given by Secretary Cortelyou in which the presi-Hour. Deg. Hour. Deg. denta of the coal carrying rather than 5 a. m..... 39 1 p. m..... 44 mine operators propose a commission of 6 a. m..... 38 2 p. m..... 44 five persons to adjust the differences and dents of the coal carrying railroads and 3 p. m..... 46 4 p. m..... 47 5 p. m..... 45 settle the coal strike.

The proposition is believed by the ad-ministration to be satisfactory to the miuers, as it covers the proposition made by S p. m..... 42 President Mitchell of the United Mine 9 p. m..... 40 Workers union, with additional conditions Workers union, with additional conditions which, it is believed, the miners will ac-MINE EXPLOSION KILLS SIX cept.

The conference assembled very quickly Overcharge of Powder Ignites Coal after Mr. Morgan and his partner, Robert Bacon, had reached Washington on a flying trip from New York. Mr. Morgan and Mr. Bacon arrived about 10 tonight in a special car over the Baltimore & Ohio rail-SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 13.-Two men road and drove at once to the Arlington

were killed, four fatally and others se- hotel. iously injured, this afternoon in an ex-They met Secretary Root and the three plosion at Victor mine, Pawnee, eighteen gentlemen walked over to the White House and were shown at once to the president's room. They remained with the president

intil ten minutes of 12. Secretary Root's face was beaming, and although he would say nothing as to the Frank Isaacs, aged 14, breaker boy, dying conference, except that Mr. Cortelyou would give the press a statement later, he seemed so satisfied that those who saw him believed that good progress had been made toward a settlement of the great question Daniel Reece, John Dick, William Spar-ling, John Pick, Peter Cerovich, Jerome Sproul, Thomas King, Joseph Buchner.

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The three gentlemen on leaving the White The explosion occurred just before the House went to the Metropolitan club, where they remained in conversation until a late hour, while the president retired immediately secure some needed rest. Mr. Cortelyou said that he would pre-

pare a statement for the press and make t public as soon as he could complete what was to be said concerning the ference. Secretary Root was asked the direct

question if a settlement of the strike had een reached, but declined to answer, say-\$40,000 and had no relatives. He had been ing it would be all given out in the statement from Mr. Cortelyou. Mr. Morgan likewise was appealed to QUINCY VISITED BY A STORM

with a direct question, but pleasantly re-

sponded that anything that was to be said

would have to come from the gentlemen in the White House. Official Announcement Made.

Secretary Cortelyou later said "Mr. J. P. Morgan came to Washington raged here last night also visited sections with his partner, Mr. Bacon, at the request of the coal companies, who desired the complete or partial demolition of more that as a matter of courtesy their statement should be shown to the president bewere hurt, but, strange to say, there were fore it was made public. Having been laid before the president by Mr. Morgan, it is now given to the press": At Camp Point, the southeast corner of

To the Public: The managers of the dif-ferent coal properties comprising the an-thracite coal fields wish their position in the present strike to be understood, and therefore make the following statement of There are in the anthracite regions about eventy-five operating companies and firms and 147,000 miners and workmen (of which 0,000 are under age), comprising some twenty nationalities and dialects.

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Of these workmen possibly one-half belong to the United Mine Workers' union, of which Mr John Mitchell is president. That organization was originally formed in the bituminous coal region and three-fourths of its members are miners of bituminious coal, and bituminous coal is sold in active competition with anthracite coal. The remaining workmen in the anthracite fields either belong to no union whatever or do not belong to the mine workers union.

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The present strike was declared by the mine workers' union on the 10th day of May, 1962. Since that time many workmen not belonging to or not willing to follow that organization were working about the mines. From 7,600 to 16,600 are now at work. Many more have wished to work, but have been prevented by a course of violence and intimidation towards those working and towards their families, accompanied by the destruction of property and the fear of death or bodily harm to every man who wishes to exercise his right to work.

A schedule is annexed hereto showing some of the things done to create this reign of terror, and every instance stated can be varified by reference to the the officers of the law in the anthracite region. This violence has continued and steadily increased notwithstanding repeated disavowals by Mr. Mitchell, and it is clear that he either can not or swill not prevent it, and that the rights of the other workmen can not be protected under the supremacy of the mine workers' union.

ne workers' union. Believe Wages Big Enough

The coal companies believe that the wages paid in the coal regions are fair and full, and ad that the business in its normal conditions has been able to stand if the capital invested is to have any reasonable return. The profits have been small, several of the companies have been small, several of the companies have been small several that the companies have been as small return for the capital invested, it is not, however, the purpose of this statement to discuss this question.

The undersigned are not and never have been unwilling to submit all questions between them and their workmen to any fair tribunal for decision. They are not willing to enter into arbitration with the Mine Workers' union, an organization chiefly composed of men in a rival and competitive interest, and they are not willing to make any arrangement which will not secure to the men now working, and all now or hereafter wishing to work, whether they belong to the Mine Workers' union or not, the right and opportunity to work in safety and without personal insult or bodily harm to themselves or their families. For these reasons the arbitrations heretofore proposed have been declined. rbitrations heretofore seen declined.

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It will be remembered that at the conference in Washington October 3 we made the following offer:

To take up at each colliery any alleged grievance, and in the event of a failure to make satisfactory adjustment, the questions at issue to be submitted to the final decision of the judges of the court of common pleas of the district in which the colliery is located. This offer was made by