

GREAT REDUCTIONS! Closing Out the Colored Dress Goods Remnants

Remnants have piled up on us-now they are straightened Out. No matter what they cost they are marked at next to noth- eral today in the absence of Mr. Payne. ing in price. Waist lengths, skirt lengths, as well as many full dress patterns. Remnants of etamine, voiles, twine cloths, mis-tendent Fosnes of the free delivery system trels, cheviots, suitings, etc.—on sale Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock. Come early—there is nothing like first choice in a sale of this kind. We mention a few prices selected at random from many rumors of impending dismissals and this summer, but all visits to Chile will this fine collection:

ALL WOOL CREPE MISTREL-Color. French gray, regular 75c per yard, 44 inches wide, 4% yards in remnant-ALL WOOL MISTREL-Color dark

brown, 74 yards in remnant-for \$1.69. ALL WOOL ETAMINE-Color navy blue, 5 yards in remnant-for \$1.39. ALL WOOL TWINE VOILE-Color French gray, regular \$1.25 per yard, 7% yards in remnant-for \$3.98.

ALL WOOL CHEVIOT-Color dark brown, 4 yards in remnant-for \$1.19. ALL WOOL ETAMINE-Color navy blue, 7% yards in remnant-for \$2.89. ALL WOOL CREPE VOILE-Color navy blue, 44 niches wide, regular \$1.00 per yard, 4% yards in remnant-for ALL WOOL FRENCH CHALLIS-Reg-

ular 50c per yard, 11% yards in remnant-for \$1.39. ALL WOOL TWINE CLOTH-Color receds green, regular \$1.25 per yard, (imported fabric), 7 yards in remnant -for \$8.19. ALL WOOL FRENCH CHALLIS-Reg-

ular &c quality, 10 yards in remnant-ALL WOOL CREPE GRANTTE-Color navy blue, 4% yards in remnant-for

WOOL TWINE VOILE-Color new blue, regular \$1.25, (imported fa-brio), 6% yards in remnant—for \$3.29. WOOL GRANITE-Color new green, 4% yards in remnant-for \$1.29. NEW TWINE CLOTH-Color old blue (imported fabric), regular \$1.25 per yard, 6% yards in remnant-for \$4.39.

Mayor Craddock of Kansas City, Kas.,

The Missouri Pacific entered the Union

station for the first time, this being the

TOPEKA MERCHANTS SELFISH

storing Flooded Dis.

triot.

TOPEKA, June 9.-None of the stores on

issued a proclamation last evening request

ing that such action be taken, but the mer-

whether they would serve without pay:

Unidentified Assailant Slays Negro

Persecuting Unwilling Black

Maiden.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 9 .- Eugene Burke,

The man who fired the shot is not known

Two Fair Days Are Promised for

Iowa and Most of

Nebraska.

Nebraska: Fair Wednesday except show-

ers in southwest portion; Thursday fair,

Iowa: Fair Wednesday; Thursday fair

Colorado: Showers and warmer Wednes

Montana: Fair Wednesday, warmer

south and east portions; Thursday fair.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, June &.-Official record of tem-perature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three

CONDITION OF THE

ficiency for cor. period, 1802... 2.66 inc. Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

Wyoming: Fair in west, showers in east

day; Thursday warmer.

day fair, warmer.

warmer.

Illinois: Fair Wednesday, cooler in

WASHINGTON, June 9 .- Forecast:

and there have been no arrests.

warmer.

Topeka a new start.

chants failed to observe the order.

only change in the railroad situation.

Refuse to Let Clerks Atd

of the city inhabitable.

Thompson, Belden & Co. Y. M. C. A. Building, Corner Sixteenth and Douglas Sta

tribute the sufferers in the cities and vill souri and the Kaw are lower by twelve lages slong the Wabash as far north as feet than last Tuesday, a good portion of

Pour-fifths of the 5,000 inhabitants of is still from two to three feet deep in water. Granite City remain within the limits of the town. One-half of them are homeless

The steamer Cape Girardeau, which has arrived in St. Louis brings accounts of the immense damage inflicted on the farmers at first supposed. It will require many located on the Mississippi lowlands south

The entire wheat and corn crop in the valley has been ruined" said W. R. Wilkinson, a commission merchant in St. Louis, who was one of the passengers. "As w came up the river we, saw sights that amazed us. Some houses were completely submerged. Others showed only the roofs. We saw many persons standing on the tops of houses. They waved to us for assistance but on account of the uncertain conditions of the river we were unable to go to them I did not hear of any one losing his life, although it seems probable that some were drowned. The damage to houses and barns and live stock will reach into thousands. but the loss in wheat and corn will be the greatest disaster.

Say Nine Drown.

"A report, that has not been confirmed tells of the drowning today of a woman her baby, and seven men on Third street near the railroad station in Madison. Refugees say a boat was capsized in the ourrent while the occupants were trying to escape from the flood.

Cone station, East St. Louis, became a twenty-five members of the legislature givseeped through the levee and above the Baltimore & Ohio tracks and the police about the city hall, and compelled them to will go a long way toward giving North

Twelve men are imprisoned in the East St. Louis waterworks pumping station by SHOT FREES COLORED GIRL as late as February, 1902. a strong current, which has cut off communication by skiff with the mainland. Water has weakened the plers and the viaduct leading to the approach of the Eads bridge was ordered closed to all persons today. The visduct at present is the only connection between East St. Louis and St. Louis. The city of East St. Louis suffered a severe setback at noon, when the waters his attentions on a young colored girl near of Cahokia creek peured into the pumping the river, was shot and killed this afterstation and completely submerged the engine which was used to force the flood him. back from the city sewers. With the engine disabled the water will have a free flow through sewers and may thus cause

HANNIBAL THIEVES ARE BUSY Loot Vacant Houses Whose Inmates

Fice from Encroaching Waters. HANNIBAL, Mo.; June 9.-The Missis-

sippi has fallen three inches during the warmer past twenty-four hours, tonight registering The creat of the flood has been reached and the worst is over. There has been considerable looting of

residences in the flooded districts and to fresh north winds. especially is this reported from the farming districts. The Sny levee is will holding, but the

King's Lake levee south of the city is in a dangerous condition and application fair. has been made for government assistance to strengthen the embankment,

MEMPHIS FEARS MISSISSIPPI Laborers to Strengthen Levees Are Scarce and Waters Fast

Rising.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., June 9.-Some concern is felt here over the flood of the Mississippi river to the north. A stage of thirtyfour feet is thought to be probable at Memphis and large forces of men are ensaged in repairing the breaks left in the Askansas levees north of the city made by Maximum temperature.... country behind the levees, flooding a cor siderable area. A pile driver and 10,000

Much trouble is being experienced in securing the laborers for the work. ARMOURDALE IN SAD PLIGHT Many Months Required to Render

Submerged Suburb Habit-

sacks have been dispatched to these points.

able. KANSAS CITY. June 2.- The Twelfth street cable line, reaching into the stock varde district, was started today, after o ten days shut down. While both the Mis-

> There are others but the best is GORHAM

Omaha, cleaf...
Valentine, clear
North Platte, cloudy...
Cheyenne, cloudy...
Salt Lake City, clear
Huron, partiy cloudy.
Williston, partiy cloudy.
Williston, partiy cloudy.
St. Louis, clear.
Davenport, clear.
St. Paul, cloudy.
Kansas City, clear.
Havre, clear.
Helena, clear.
Helena, clear. T indicates trace of precipitation.

I. A. WELSH.

Level Ferenat Official

Postal Investigation Likely to Breed Another Orop of Sensations.

AUDITOR'S CLERK HELD FOR EMBEZZLING

District of Columbia Official Accused of Misappropriating Monies Given Rim to Deposit

General Wynne was acting postmaster gen-Mr. Bristow spent a large portion of the and a number of postoffice inspectors re-

of the large deficit in the appropriation for free delivery service, and will be reinspected before final action is taken. There are many of these routes.

ment of existing service. The payment of a fee of \$100 to General William W. Dudley, member of a local law

General Dudley acknowledges having been paid for his services, but says it was a lesitimate transaction

"Mr. Stone," said General Dudley today, 'was a married man who came to me and said he believed I could help him in getting Stone as best I could and succeeded. Four secure a substation in that vicinity, but I aware that it is not a high class of legal business, but we have to take up little matters of that kind as occasion offers to meet

Druggist Stone complained that after nearly three months the station that cost him \$100 was summarily removed across the

James M. Watson, jr., a clerk in the office of the auditor for the District of Columbia and son-in-law of a wealthy re-

the south side will allow their clerks to aid \$75,000. The warrant makes the specific charge in removing the mud from the flood in the north side buildings. Mayor Bergunthal of embezziement of \$5,008, which represents only a portion of the alleged peculations. Watson was not bonded and in case he or his relatives fail to make good the al-All trains have resumed almost regular leged losses, Auditor J. T. Petty will be held responsible for the amount. The

The money alleged to have been embez-Kansas legislature will be called tomor- sled was part of the funds deposited in the Kansas legislature will be called tomorrow to pass bills for the relief of the flood
office of the auditor by property owners
sufferers. Replies have been received from
who are willing to pay half or all costs of
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the legislature of t improvements abutting on the point of danger this afternoon. Water ing favorable answers to the query as to such as paving sidewalks, alleys and streets. This fund is entirely separate from Nearly \$60,000 is now in the flood relief the other accounts and is not subject to marched 100 negroes, who were standing fund. If this generous aid continues it review by the Treasury department, but is checked by the clerk in charge of the corresponding account in the District de-

Auditor Petty has complete charge of the ssessment and permit fund, depositing the money in a bank to his own credit. Mr. Watson, it is alleged, has been entrusted with making the deposits and has returned he pass book in apparently proper condition in each instance. He has been an colored, who, it is said, was trying to force the alleged defalcations are supposed to have been spread over most of that period. noon by one of a crowd that was watching by the auditor in the hope of securing restitution. The commissioners of the District were made acquainted with the condition FORECAST OF THE WEATHER of affairs this morning and at a special session demanded a formal report on the matter and an explanation of the system by which such a large sum of money could be abstracted without earlier detection. The

counts had been manipulated in such a

the exact situation. treme south portion; Thursday fair, light running the paper he owned a barber shop, which he had been trying to sell recently. He was also the promoter of a patent mediknown as the District Co-operative assoportion Wednesday; warmer Thursday and ciation, which takes in money from em ployes on deposit and lends it out again. Many of the office holders at the District building are depositors in the association turning the money over entirely to Watson Missouri: Cooler Wednesday; Thursday and getting his personal receipt in tiny books resembling bank books. Several government river work at that place. It South Dakota: Fair Wednesday; Thursmothis ago Major Sylvester, chief of po- will take it about ten days to make the Kansas: Partly cloudy Wednesday with lice, investigated Watson's record and it round trip. showers in north and west portions, cooler is stated he found he was once sent to

> Important conferences have been in progress lately between Secretary Hay and persons connected with the Panama canal en-

gard to the treaty that come from Colom-Colombian congress will convene and its proceedings will be watched with the greatest interest here. If it shows an earnest purpose to

sider the treaty a due allowance of time will be made by our government. If there is an evident purpose to dela; ratification beyond a reasonable time, then the treaty negotiations will be abruptly terminated and the president will proceed to carry out the next instruction of congress, namely, to arrange with Nicaragua

and Costa Rica for canal rights. Leaves for Hanna Wedding. President Roosevelt left this afternoon for Cleveland to attend the wedding of Miss Ruth Hanna, daughter of Senstor and Mrs. Hanna, and Joseph Medili Mc-Cormick of Chicago. He was accompanied by Miss Alice Roosevelt, Captain W. S. Cowles, his naval aide, Dr. Grumwell and Secretary Loeb. The party will arrive in Cleveland tomorrow morning and during their stay there they will be the guests of

Judge for the Philippines. The president has appointed F. Finley Johnson as associate justice of the supreme court of the Philippines to fill the vacancy

with the judiciary of the Philippines for the past two years.

Ships Are Not Needed. The orders issued yesterday for Amer-

ican ships to go to Valparaiso have been

revoked owing to the receipt of cablegrams from Minister Wilson which indicate that their presence is not needed. The explanation given at the State dec partment for the sudden change of plans is that the department for some time past has been receiving advices from various sources indicating the existence of a serious situation in Chilean seaport towns. owing to a formidable strike of dock labor ers and severe rioting and destruction of property. The Navy department was ad-WASHINGTON, June 9.-First Assistant vised of this situation and an intimation was given that the presence of an Amertean warship would be prudent. When the department decided to send the South Atday in conference with General Superin- lantic squadron from Montevideo the emergency had ceased to exist.

The resolution of the order does not ingarding the investigation, but no complete dicate that the South Atlantic squadron developments were made public. There are will not cruise in southern Pacific waters

Sanger Takes New Duties Secretary Root has placed the execution of the military law in the hands of Assistant Secretary Sanger, in order that he may devote his entire time to other important matters before the department Colonel Sanger was an officer of the New York National Guard and is regarded as one of the best informed men in the counfry on all questions affecting the citizen

State Official Falls Four Stories. With three other passengers Colonel Willam H. Michael, chief clerk of the Department of State, fell four stories in as elevator today without serious results. The accident occurred in an apartment house in the northeast section, where Colonel Michael was visiting his daughter. All the

Battleship Contracts Awarded. Secretary Moody late today announced the acceptance of the three lowest bids for

the three new 16,000-ton battleships, and the ollowing awards have been made Minnesota, to the Newport News Ship Building company of Newport News, Va., for \$4,110,000.

Kansas, to the New York Ship Building mpany of Camden, N. J., for \$4,179,000. Vermont, to the Fall River Manufacturing company of Weymouth, Mass., for \$4,

Secretary Moody has ruled that the portable equipment is not to be included in the like limit of cost fixed by congress, namely, \$4,212,000 for each ship.

Smelting Firm Files Papers. The American & Mexican Smelting and Refining company filed articles of incorporation today. Its capital is \$30,000,000. The incorporators are O. S. Lee, N. C. Clark and Edward Christy. The company is empowered to own and lease and operate mines.

The main office will be in New York City and branch offices will be constructed either at Baltimore or at some point in the south. It will be the receiving works for base bullion produced in the United State and Mexico. English and American capital is said to be behind the new enterprise. E. R. Holden of New York, formerly of Colorado, will probably be the general manager.

Postal Revenue Grows.

The gross postal receipts for last month as largest postoffices in the United States, strike was called off. show a net increase of \$209,152, or about 6 creased 0.8 per cent and Chicago's 9 per

TRAMPS FIGHT OVER WHISKY One is Shot Through the Body by a Companion and Will

Die.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., June 9 .- (Special Telegram.)-Jack Monroe, a tramp, was shot through the body this evening by P. S. Shepardson, a companion, and will die The men, with other tramps, quarreled employe of the District for four years and over a quart-bottle of whisky. The shooting is said by an eye witness to have been unprovoked, but Shepardson, who admits The discovery of the alleged shortage was the shooting, says it was in self-defense made several days ago, but was kept secret for Monroe was attacking him with knife. A half hour before the shooting the tramps were driven out of the Union Pacific yards by the shop guards. The tramps fired upon the guards and the fire was returned but no one was hurt.

Fatal Quarrel Over Woman. DEADWOOD, S. D., June 2 - (Special Telegram.)-D. Bennett of Spearfish was has been conducted since the days of Sir the killing of Edward Wilson. Wilson was missed as of no account." shot this forenoon near the government elever manner that he was not certain of had quarreled over a woman and Bennett believed, must have spoken with authority made threats that he would kill Wilson, elicited loud cheers and is considered ever Watson was a joint publisher of a news It is charged that Bennet shot Wilson at more important than Mr. Ritchie's debulletin issued in this city. In addition to the home of the woman. Bennett says to- nunciation, as indicating that the majority night that Wilson shot himself. He claims in the cabinet is overwhelmingly that Wilson tried to shoot him (Bennett) to any system of preferential trade. cine concern and the treasurer of what is broke away form Bennett, who had of Premier Balfour's absence clinched him and entered the house.

Towing Piling Down River.

PIERRE, S. D., June 9 .- (Special Telegram.)-The ferryboat Scotty Phillips left here today for Yankton, towing a large raft of piling which will be used on the

THINKS BILL IS EXCESSIVE for the consumer," and that if any taxes Controller Refuses to Issue Warrant tea and other articles of general consumpto New York Contracting Firm.

NEW YORK, June 9.-Controller Groutt has notified President Cantor of the berough of Manhattan, that payment of the hausted over the conflicting reports in re- bill presented by a contracting firm for the demolition of the old hall of records, in City Hall park, has been witheld on the ground that it is excessive.

The work was done by day laborers and the bill called for more than \$47,000. The controller, upon scanning the items, found, it is stated, that four foremen were employed March 28 at \$3.50 a day to super vise the work of twelve laborers.

One item calls for the payment of three superintendents at the rate of \$10 a day and three timekeepers at \$3.50 to keep the time of a company of laborers that never exceeded forty and was often less. One foreman was employed throughout the removal of the building at \$5 a day to supervise the work.

CLARK TO LEAD WATER TALK Senator is Chosen President of Com ing Irrigation Con-

OGDEN, Utah, June 9 .- Chairman Keisel of the executive committee, eleventh irri gation congress, announced today that the ommittee has chosen Senator W. A. Clark as president of the congress.

After Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil is ap

BRIBES TO SETTLE STRIKES

Employers Swear Parks Demanded Money | curtaited at the outset. to Call Off Disputes.

Union Leader Likely to Face Man; Charges of Extertion in Connection with Recent Labor Troubles.

NEW YORK, June 8 .- After being bailed out by his friend, William S. Devery, exchief of Police, Samuel Parks was rearrested when he appeared in court for a hearing on warrants sworn to by Herman Ritchle, saying the ministers had thrown Lobel, of Lobel, Andrews & Co., and Louis away a weapon which would have helped Brandt, of Brandt Brothers, who say they them to carry out the new fiscal policy to paid him \$300 to call off strikes. At the hearing in the Hecla matter

George D. Law, superintendent of the Hecla Iron works, testified that Parks questioned him in regard to the wages paid the men employed on a job on the customs house in September, 1901. Parks said instead of \$2.50 a day the men should get \$3.50 and insinuated that the works must make lots of money. "I will help the company spend some of it," said Parks, and he added, according to

the witness, "I will send word to Mr. Jackson that I want \$1,000. When they pay me they can employ whoever they like. "I saw Mr. Jackson and delivered Parks" message," said Law. "Later I met Parks was quite different from the view held by and told him it was no use, there was strike the job.

Pay Up and Start Work. Neils Poulson, president of the Hecla Iron | the duty with surprise and regret.

works, testified that shortly before May Parks and end the strike.

Housesmiths' union," he continued. "Kelly be speaking from a bench above the gangknew me and introduced Parks. Parks way. It was impossible for a chancellor shook my hand affably and said he thought of the exchequer the strike could be settled without any without the hearty and continuous support 'fuss.' I asked him how it was that the of the premier. No money was worse spent men were on strike when the president of than money expended on the army. He the union had come to me and apologized. earnestly appealed to the premier to assure Parks said he did not care a d- for the the house that he was determined to stop president of the union, or the union or any- the increase in the normal expenditure. thing. He did not care for the law, that unless he was settled with he would tie Mr. Chaplin's amendment, although he up the works tight. 'When you pay me,' sympathized with the latter's objection to

Mr. Poulson identified the \$2,000 check given evil. Having to choose between two evils to McCord and subsequently endorsed by he would choose the lesser and support the

Robert A. McCord of the Hecla Iron works said Parks told him in the presence of Joshua A. Hatfield, president of the American Bridge company that it would cost \$2,000 to settle the strike. At Hatfield's suggestion he consented to settle for that amount.

"Parks did not want the check drawn to nim," he said, "but asked that it be drawn to me and endorsed over to him. Accordingly I got father to draw the check in my favor and I endorsed it over to Parks. delivered the check to Mr. Parks." Witness identified the signature on the check as that of his father.

Mr. Poulson, recalled, swore that the \$2,000 check had been passed through his bank, that it was paid by him to McCord, with another check for \$2,000 and that he authorised McCord to advance the money compared with May, 1802, at fifty of the to square the account. The next day the

This closed the evidence for the day. The matter finally went over to June 17. about ten months ago and after telling if he persisted in them they would destroy of the attempted extortion in connection with a building he was erecting had con-

sented to see Parks. "I had Detectives Walsh and Maher fol-\$300.

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should remain a cheap country and that they will be convinced that the basis on which our financial and commercial system brought to Deadwood tonight, charged with Robert Peel should not lightly be dis-

This direct attack on Mr. Chamberlain fish hatchery in Spearfish. He and Bennett by a member of the government, who, it is and when neighbors started to interfere debate was adjourned after severe criticism

Chaplin Supports Grain Tax.

Henry Chaplin, M. 'P., former presiient of the Board of Agriculturel and the malcontent unionists were actively enagaged early in the day in and around Westminster, in rallying the supporters of Mr. Chaplin's amendment to the budge bill which declares that the removal of tax on grain "involves a needless and injurious disturbance of trade and a serious oss of revenue, without substantial relief are removed it should be those levied on

Before the debate opened Premier Balfour ascertainded from John Redmond, the Irish leader, that the nationalist members of Parliament would support the government, as against Mr. Chaplin. The liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman. has already announced that his party would also uphold the proposal of Chancellor of the Exchequer Ritchle to remit the grain tax. This practically insured the government from possible defeat at the hands of its own supporters.

Keen Interest is Displayed. The curious situation created the keenest

interest. At the opening of the sitting a little excitement was caused by John Redmond asking that a committee be appointed to inquire whether the arrest of P. A. McHugh, member of Parliament from Sligo, on Saturday last, under a warrant for contempt of court was not a breach of privilege.

This the speaker refused to do and William Redmond wound up the discussion by loudly and ironically deploring the fact that Mr. McHugh, who is now in Bligo fail, would not be able to receive King Edward when the latter visited Ireland. The asking and answering of question

in the house followed and then Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, conservative, formerly chancellor of the exchequer, invited the speaker's decision as to whether the opportunity could be taken of the debate on Mr. Chaplin's amendment for a full discussion of the fiscal policy suggested by Mr. Chamberiain, the colonial secretary, not for

to the budget bill, as the question of preferential tariff rates between Great Britain and its colonies was not raised in the bill. The scope of the debate was thus largely

Mr. Ritchie, having formally moved the second reading of the budget bill, Mr. Chaplin, who was received with cheers, moved TWO MORE COMPLAINTS ARE LODGED his amendment and proceeded warmly to attack the chancellor of the exchequer, whose ineptitude, he said, they owed their present remarkable position.

In repealing the grain duty Mr. Chaplin said Mr. Ritchie had made an irretrievable mistake and had precipitated a movement for which neither his party nor the country were prepared.

For a moment he appeared to have prevailed over Mr. Chamberlain, but his triumph would be short-lived. Mr. Chaplin blamed the government for yielding to Mr. which Mr. Balfour and Mr. Chamberlain were committed.

Useless to Seek Leadership.

Mr. Chaplin referred to the extraordinary position in which the followers of the gov ernment had been placed by the indecision of the ministers. It was useless, he added to seek guidance or leadership from them He concluded with formally moving his amendment, on which he said he meant to divide the house. The motion was sec onded and Sir Michael Hicks-Beach fol lowed.

He commenced by saving that his view of the general fiscal and political situation Mr. Chaplin, Sir Michael, continuing, said nothing doing. Parks then said he would his colleagues were perfectly aware that the grain duty was unpopular when he had inaugurated it, but it had been a success and he had heard the proposal to repeal He considered that the duty was neces-

1, 1902, he was asked by representatives sary because of the growth of expenditure of the Fuller Construction company to see against which he had protested. Had his protests been received with greater sym-"I met Parks and Delegate Kelly of the pathy by his colleagues he would not now Sir Michael said he was opposed to added, 'you can go to work when you the repeal of the grain duty, but he be lieved the alternative policy to be a greater

budget bill. Praises Chamberlain's Work.

Referring to the suggested preferential tariff, he declared he yielded to no one in appreciating the splendid work of Mr. Chamberlain. No colonial secretary had ever done so much to bind the colonies to the motherland or so much to make the colonies feel their position and duties as part of the empire. He wished, however, to know whether Mr. Chamberlain's opinion was that of a united cabinet. The repeal of the krain duty appeared to be direct bar to the adoption of preferen principles. He therefore concluded that the opinion of the cabinet as a whole was the same with regard to these principles as when he, as a member of it, opposed colon lal preference in regard to wines, sugar and grain, and he was convinced that matters could not last long in their present in

definite state. A continuance of the premier's attitude of suspended judgment was impossible. It was not fair to the members of the party whose constituents wanted information The question was dividing the unionists The matter finally went over to June 17.

District Attorney Jerome said later that Louis Brandt, a builder, came to see him to disunite than to unite the empire and the unionist party.

Ritchie Still Pree Trader.

Mr. Ritchie, who made a general reply, low him," said Mr. Jerome. "He went to read a carefully prepared statement. The Parks. Then he told me Parks wanted government, he said, thought there should \$1,000, but that he had got him down to be an inquiry into preferential duties. He I told him I was ready to take a avowed himself an out and out free trader complaint if he wanted to make one. Later and added that, with his present knowledge he said they had decided not to make he could not be a party to a policy which any, as it would be too much trouble. The he believed would be detrimental to the detectives followed him, though, and the interests of both Great Britain and the next day they paid the \$300 to Parks. We colonies, and he believed that the inquiry, are likely to have several more complaints from which he would not shrink, would confirm his present views.

He justified the remission of the gralt duty and contended that the millers and farmers had not benefited by them. In his opinion the consumer had paid the tax, which had pressed most heavily on the poorest classer. Although he was precluded by the speaker's ruling from discussing preferential tariffs he might say on behalf of himself and his colleagues what he and they thought. The members of the government who had spoken on the subject had spoken for themselves and not for the government. All thus far that had been suggested was that the matter should be discussed and inquired into.

Mr. Ritchie concluded with saying that the grain duty was properly imposed as the result of a great national emergency and had been properly removed when the prospects were brighter. He denied that there had been any inconsistency, and while he regretted that the government had wounded the feelings of some of its supporters he believed its action would be in dorsed by the country. It was the foreign and not the British gained by the tax.

Mr. Ritchie's outspoken repudiation of Mr. Chamberlain's proposals caused immense satisfaction in the lobbies of the ouse. No such situation has risen in the Parliamentary world since the memorable split on the home rule bill, and the keenest interest is manifested in regard to possible developments.

While Mr. Ritchie's speech also gave rise to fresh rumors regarding an early disso lution it is not really essential before late in the autumn or more probably next year The recent resignation of R. W. E. Middle ton, head agent of the conservative party, discounts the likelihood of such a step. It



was freely predicted this afternoon that the government will relegate the thorny ques tion of a tariff preference to a royal com mission, which will insure time for a full consideration of the matter and a thorough test of popular opinion.

SEVEN KILLED ON CRUISER

Boiler Explodes on Board of British Armored Vessel Good Hope.

GIBRALTAR, June 2.-A boller explosion occurred today on board the British armored cruiser Good Hope. An officer and six men were injured. Good Hope is fitting with Bellville boilers. It is of 1,400 tons displacement.

MUNYON'S WITCH SOAP



la a Lady's Spap. Is a gentleman's soap.
Is a soap for everybody who wants the It improves the complexion.

It softens the skin. It cures chapped hands and chapped It cures pimples.

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It is ideal for shaving.
It gives the glow of youth to sallow ad duli complexions.

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If your blood or liver is out of order or if you suffer with indigestion, you should take Munyon's Blood Cure and Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure. The Blood Cure will eradicate all poisons from the system, and the Dyspepsia Cure will give you a good appetite and enable you to digest everything you eat, thus making good, rich blood. These remedies in consection with Munyon's Witch-Hazel Soap will improve any complexion.



8.15 PM THE OVERLAND LIMITED

8.00 AM THE ATLANTIC EXPRESS

5.50 PM THE EASTERN EXPRESS Pullman drawing-room and tourist electing care-free regining chair cars, buffet library and smaking cars. Disting cars. 2 OTHER DAILY TRAINS 3.40 AM Drawing-room sleeping care, buffet smok-ing and library cars and free reclining chair cars to Chicago. Dining care.

11.30 AM Through service Omaha to Chi. Rorth-Western standard day con and free chair cers. Dining care.

2 DAILY TRAINS ST. PAUL-MINNEAPOLIS

. 15 AM To Fremont Lincoln, Wahoo, Norfolk Long Pine, Verdigra, Bonesteel and the CITY TICKET OFFICE, 1401 and 1403 Farnam Street.

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Prof. Somerfield, a prominent physician of Berlin, has announced a new cure for consumption, which is attracting the attention of the medical world. The treatment consists of the inhalation of a vapor produced by heating a mixture of Eucalyptus Oil, Sulphur and Charcoal. Of 100 patients experimented on with this treatment during the last six months sixty were completely cured. For Rheumatism. Constipation and all diseases of the blood Dr Burkhart's Vegetable Compound is the greatest medicine the world has ever known. Thirty days' treatment, 25c. All

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BOYD'S FERRIS STOCK CO MATINEE TODAY, 2:3 TONIGHT. "MONTE CRISTO." Thurs, night and bal, week "DR. BILL" Prices, Mat., 10c any seat; night, 10c, 15c, 25c.

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KENNEBUNK BEACH, MAINE Opens June 22. A new house of the best class with every appointment designed for the comfort and pleasure of the guests. A beautiful outlook from every room. Situated upon a high knoll fronting the open ocean. Surf-Bathing. Canceing Golf, tennis.

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in Bank,

arrests but officials refuse to discuss them. be of a friendly character. The records of a number of the officials and employes are being thoroughly overhauled. The proposed rural free delivery routes inspected and recommended for establishment under the Machen administrution are held up following the discovery

A number of southern representatives in congress are making inquiries regarding the plans for the rural free delivery service and protesting against delay in the establishment of routes already recommended and against any possible curtail-

firm, in connection with the location of a postal substation in the drug store of John
W. Stone has been investigated by the inspectors.

the substation, which he desired. I consulted Postmaster Merritt, pleaded for Mr. Armourdale and the lowlands near there or five years ago I helped Mr. Prentis to after making a boat trip through the did not charge him for the work. Mr. Stone came to me as a stranger. I am Armourdale district, says: "The ruin in Armourdale is much more enormous than months of hard labor to make that portion

our office expenses."

Columbia Clerk Arrested.

tired contractor, was arrested today charged with embeszling government funds. The amount is estimated at from \$50,000 to

service out of Topeka, except the Union auditor's bond is for \$30,000. It is expected a special session of the

partment. This clerk reported it correct

system is said to have been inquired into ten or twelve years ago, but no changes in methods resulted. Auditor Petty said today that the ac

in southeast portion; Thursday fair and the reform school for forgery. Canal Negotiations Must End.

> terprise, the outcome of which is a determination to promptly terminate the negotia tions with Colombia one way or the other. The president's patience is well nigh exbia, and that government is to be made aware of that fact. On the 20th inst. the

A Cut Never Bleeds

gress.

present, but for future adoption. The speaker replied that he had very care caused by the resignation of Fietcher plied. Relieves pain instantly and heals at fully considered the matter and had arrived the same time. For man or beast. Price, Sc. at the conclusion that it was not relevant fully considered the matter and had arrived