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## ESTABLISHED JUNE 19, 1871. OMAHA, MONDAY MORNING, MAY 30, 1904. SINGLE COPY THREE' CENTS. RAILROAD PROPERTY BURNED H. A. BABCOCK PASSES AWAY NEBRASKA WEATHER FORECAST DALNY IS DESERTED STREAMS VERY HIGH THIBETANS ABANDON SIEGE PARKER CANNOT LAND IT Fire at Lackswanna Bailroad Pier British Command Can Now Communi-Fair Monday; Tuesday, Showers. and Adjoining Property Keeps cale with Position in the Indications Point to a Struggle for Demo-Suddenly Expires in His Home While Talk-Esins in Kansar Raising Rivers to Flood Firemen Busy. Temperature at Omaha Testerday: Town Evacuated by Russians, Who Remove Rear. cratic Nomination. Point and Serious T ouble L oged Foring to H . Wife. Hour. Deg. Hour. 5 s. m..... 63 1 p. 1 Deg. Valuables and Troops to Port Arthun. GYANG TSE, Thibet, May 28 -(Delayed 1 p. m..... 70 2 p. m..... 73 NEW YORK, May 29 -- Seven freight and 6 s. m.... 62 transmission.)-The Thibetans have PLENTY OF TIMBER TO SELECT FROM coal plers of the Delaware, Lackawanna & NOT THOUGHT TO BE DANGEROUSLY ILL RAILROADS TIED UP BY THE HIGH WATER 7 8. 18..... 63 8 p. m..... 74 4 p. m..... 72 abandoned their investment of the British Western railroad in Jersey City were de-ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS ONLY REMAIN 8 n. m..... 64 rear and communication with the mission stroyed by a fire that started about 5 9 a. m..... 64 5 p. m ..... has been restored. Dark Horses Seem to Be Favoriteso'clock this afternoon in pier 13 on which a 10 s. m..... 63 11 s. m.... 68 6 p. m.... 73 7 p. m.... 74 Railroads File Brief with State Board Tracks Washed On . and Trains on Many A dispatch from Simla, British India, Oivilians Have Charge of Mines Set to De-Situation is Similar to that lot of barrels of oil were stored. The in Which They Object to Capi-May 26, said that the British Thibetan ex-Lines Are Running Lateflames spread rapidly. Pier 12 was 800 feet 12 m..... 60 stroy Dooks, Piers and Ships. of Eighteen Sinetytalization of Earnings pedition under Colonel Younghusband was long and was soon ablage its entire length Six. isolated and that no communication with and the firemen who were trying to fight RUSSIAN TORPEDO BOATS ARE SUNK as Basis. HIGHEST WATER SINCE THE BIG F. JUNKS PASS JAPANESE GUNBOAT FLEET t had been had for three days. Further the fire from the shore were able to ac-Teinforcements, the dispatch stated, had complish but little. (From a Staff Correspondent.) News of Mine Disasters Intercepted ONDON, May 9-The Daily Mail's The flames swept across to pier 11 and WASHINGTON, May 28.-(Special.)-It is (From a Staff Correspondent.) by the Japanese. Residents of North T.paks Much Alar. Vessels in Proximity to Battleship Bayan, beyond, being finally checked at pier 5, coming more and more plain every day LINCOLN, May 29.-(Special.)-While TOKIO, May 28.-5 p. m.-Certain Rus-. Over the St. ustion. grespondent at Chumbi, India, says the Whose Capture is Expected. which is a new coal trestle, steel framed that Judge Parker will not be able to obtalking with his wife at their home here sian correspondence which has been intertain enough votes in the democratic na- and iron clad. Here the firemen and fire- this morning, death came to H. A. Bab- cepted by the Japanese at the blockade of lish expedition on May 26, after a fight sleven hours, expelled the Thibetans tional convention to secure the nomination boats made a desperate stand and stayed IN THE ZONE OF LAST YEAR'S OVERFLOW cock, deputy state trensurer. For some Port Arthur gives the information that AMERICAN WARSHIP FOR NEW the village of Pallata, close to the for president. The situation resembles in the advance of the fire until the burning weeks Mr. Babcock had been feeling ill some Russian torpedo boat destroyers have Eh camp at Gyang Tse. A British many respects the state of affairs which piers crumbled and fell into the water. and for several days has been almost conbeen sunk by mines outside of Port Ar hant and three soldiers were killed. existed eight years ago. Then it appeared Although there was but little wind, sparks stantly confined to his home, but his death thur, as well as details of the placing by that "Bilver Dick" Bland of Missouri had fell all along the water front for the better was not looked for by his family or friends. Although there was but little wind, sparks stantly confined to his home, but his death thur, as well as details of the placing by Hope that Rains Will Cease for a Will Take Position in the Harbor hibetans suffered heavily and thirty-Time and Give Swollen Streams ven of them were taken prisoners. Pal-Guard American Interests if the part of a mile, endangering the Lacka-Two days ago he was down town and ex- the destruction of the battleship Hatsuse the lead. It was a silver convention from a Chance to Go lata is a walled stronghold, from which the start and Bland, who had been the wanna depot and even the Hamburg-Amer-Town is Abandoned by pressed himself as feeling better, though on May 15 the Thibetans started building works with Down. champion of the white metal in congress lican and Bremen line plers, where the firevery weak. It is supposed that heart The sixth Japanese squadron, which was the Russians. a view to outflanking the British position. men were kept busy playing streams of trouble resulted from his sickness and was for a quarter of a century, was the "logiblockading Port Arthur, overhauled and cal" candidate. Then as now there were water upon the buildings and over the the immediate cause of his demise. searched a junk and selzed a number of GERMANY CHAGRINED O'ER TREATY a host of candidates in the field. And yet ships at their docks. Mr. Babcock leaves a widow and two letters written by Russian officers. One TOPEKA, Kan., May 29.-Heavy rains CHE FOO, May 29.-4 p. m.-Dainy has up to the moment that William J. Bryan throughout the Kansas river valley have France May Have to Reimburse Em-The building of the Hoboken Coke comsons, one living in Lincoln and the other letter said that a torpedo hoat destroyer practically been evacuated, according to caused higher water than at any time since made that cross of goid speech almost any pany, five blocks from the main fire was residing at Omaha. had successfully placed a series of mines pire for Morocco Loases. the statements of Sikh and Russian reduring the night which preceded the loss BERLIN, May 29 .- The popular chagrin the flood of a year ago. It is expected man present would have been willing to set ablass by burning brands, but the fire-The funeral arrangements have not been fugees arriving here today by junk. All of the Hatsuse, and continuing, tells of wager that the Missourian would certainly men responded quickly and the building made and will not be until relatives who that the Kansas river will be very high, over the Anglo-French understanding found valuables, ammunition and most of the nominated. But upon the first ballof, was only slightly damaged. A number of the loss of some Russian torpedo boat debe are now in St. Louis have been communibut no dangerous results are looked for. expression at the annual meeting today of troops have been taken to Port Arthur. stroyers. How many is not mentioned, The rain has been general over the state the Colonial society at Stettin. Count von Mr. Bland had less than half the number canal boats and several tugs were burned. cated with, but it is probable that the fun-The only civilians remaining are the elecbut it is interpreted that there were at for thirty-six hours and has extended to Pfell and others presented resolutions adnecessary for a choice. The ballot resulted the loss of small boats being variously escial will be held Wednesday. trical engineers in charge of the mines laid as follows: Bland, 235; Bryan, 119; Patter-Mr. Babcock was one of the best known least two. the Colorado line. All the railroads are dressed to Chancellor von Buelow, asking timated at from \$30 to \$200. in the harbor and also those set to destroy The heavy loss of life which accompanied son, (Pa.) 96; Boles, (Iowa) 55; Blackburn, men in Nebraska. He was elected state The number of freight cars burned is not having trouble. the German government to take steps to docks and piers. auditor in 1992. Later he was the head of the sinking of the Japanese cruiser Yo-Nearly a mile of track on the Santa Fe provide for the guaranteeing of free trade (Ky.) 53; McLean, (Ohio) 54; Matthews, known ,but on this class of rolling stock One large Russian watchip, probably the shine as a result of colliding with the (Ind.) 37; Tillman, (S. C.) 17; Pennoyer, and coal cars the loss will be heavy. Durthe insurance department under Auditor is washed out near Reading and all the to the fullest extent in Moroccan ports dur-Bayan, and three torpedo boats reached Japanese cruiser Kasuga on May 15 was (Oregon) 8; Btevenson, (Ill.) 7; Russell, ing the fire the Lackawanna moved its Westen, which place he filled with ability, trains have to be sent by way of a cut-off. ing the existence of the understanding. Tallenwan bay on the 24 instant, from due to the smashing of five of its boats passenger coaches from its yards out to realgning to become deputy to State Treas-(Mass.) 2; Hill, (N. Y.) 1; Campbell, (Ohlo) On account of high water at Pomona, on The resolutions emphatically called at-Port Arthur, and it was doubtless this vesby falling masts. When the ships came to-1; not voting, 178. Five ballots were rethe Meadows and one train of a dozen box uter Mortensen upon the latter's election. the Missouri Pacific, no trains have passed tention to the necessity for protecting the cars was hauled out of a burning pier and Mr. Mortensen and Mr. Babcock have been gether, collision mats were used and a sel which attacked the Japanese left wing quired to assure a nomination. On the through today. All the Union Pacific and political and business interests of the Gerduring the battle at Kin Chou. tarpaulin was placed over the hole, but it final ballot Mr. Bryan received 500 votes, partners in the real estate business and it Rock Island trains are late. At Warnego mans settled there and if the statute quoted saved. The junks just arrived on their way was impossible to stop the inrush of water but just as soon as the result was an-Piers 11 and 12 were full of general merwas with a full knowledge of Mr. Babthere is a rise of seven feet. At Minne- is changed to the advantage of France, down, passed fourteen Japanese warships The ship settled, listing to the starboard. nounced enough others were transferred to cock's ability that Mr. Mortensen appointed chandise; piers 7, 8, 9 and 10 were used for just outside of Dalny, so that the Bayan apolis the Solomon river has risen six feet Germany must demand compensation in Captain Gin Sayeki ordered the crew coal, and pier 6 was a grain-loading pier. his column to give him more than 512 nechim deputy treasurer. in the last fifteen hours. At Salina a rise Morocco fully equal to France's advantage will likely be captured. The United States to the upper deck, where they manned the Mr. Babcock was born in New York in essary. of eleven feet and a half is reported. Abi- and corresponding to the magnitude of her The loss is estimated at \$1,000,000. gunboat Frolic, now here, will go to New Five boats were lowered on the boats. No One Has the Votes. 1842 and removed to Wisconsin, from which Chwang in case that town is evacuated lene has a rise of twelve feet. business interests in that land to the nestarboard side and one on the port side, As matters stand today no man is likely GILLESPIE JURY DISAGREES place he entered the union army and Balina, McPherson and Junction City recessity of her fleet having over-sea points but before they were cleared the ship by the Russians. served through the civil war. He then reto have 'the necessary 606 votes to secure port heavy rains, with all the streams get- of support and to the fact that it is neceslurched to the starboard and commenced urned to Wisconsin and in 1872 he came to the nomination at the St. Louis convention. Murder Case at Rising Sun Will Come Battle at Ying Chong Tse. ting higher. At Topeka the Kansas river sary for the population to have territory in to mink. Nebraska, locating at Ord, where with Mr. Perhaps there will not be fourteen candi-10:30 p. m .- A Chinese who arrived from is rising tonight at the rate of four inches | which to extend itself. The masts and davits smashed all five Up Again for Trial in Mortensen he engaged in the real estate Dainy today, having left there on Saturdates, but the number will not fall greatly an hour. This rise will probably continue Count von Pfeil, in supporting the resoof the boats on the starboard side. Cap-September. business. For eight years he was county day, says that a Japanese scouting party below that total. Judge Parker, who four until late tomorrow afternoon. lutions, said it was a national misfortune tain Sayeki remained on the bridge and clerk of Valley county. weeks ago, was regarded as almost certain was seen by villagers in the vicinity of If no more heavy rains fail for a day or that 32,000 German emigrants yearly still cried "banzai" to the sailors as they were During his residence in Lincoln Mr. Bab-RISING SUN, Ind., May 29 .- After deto have at least a majority of the delegates Dainy and that a battle took place Friday entering the boats. When last seen he two, however, there will be no great dam- seek the shores of the United States when cock made many warm personal friends on the first ballot, will probably fail to liberating forty-two hours without soming was shaking hands with Commander Hiroat Ying Chong Tse, a point on the railroad age, as the river will have to rise twelve there is a larger territory right along their and because of his genial disposition he secure more than 400. Some of the southern to an agreement, Judge Downey discharged about ten miles northwest of Dalny. feet or more to exceed the danger point. doors, the acquiesence of which would not watari and bidding him farewell. was welcomed everywhere. At the state men who have been here during the past the jury in the Gillespie case this morn-At this moment Lieutenant Naito sprang Exactly one year ago today was the be- cause any difficulties worth mentioning. heuse his opinions were sought and confew days express great disappointment ing. When the jury was brought into the overboard and swam to the only cutter RUSSIANS GET NEWS FROM JAPS ginning of the disastrous flood in the Kan-The resolutions were adopted by a large sidered on many questions of state that over the failure of their respective states courtroom Judge Downey asked them which had escaped from the wreck. He sas valley which caused the loss of much majority. to follow the lead of New York and in- whether there was any probability of vexed those less conversant with affairs rowed to the cruiser Kasuga and returned **Operations** Against Port Arthur Are property and a number of lives. The peogenerally. He and Mr. Mortensen have Pushed with Marked Energy. struct for the New York jurist. The po- agreeing on a verdict and every one of the with three boats, but no trace of the Yople in North Topeka, where most of the SEPARATION OF CHURCH AND STATE been in perfect accord and to him a share litical statisticians who put in a great deal men answered in the negative. Judge shino or its crew could be found, with the ST. PETERSBURG, May 29.-12:46 p. m.damage was done then, are naturally of the credit is due for the manner in French Law Upon Religious Observof time upon preconvention figures are pre- Downey then thanked them and dismissed exception of six men who had already been Intense interest is displayed in the Japaalarmed over the situation. They are which the office of the treasurer has been rescued by boats from the cruiser Chitose. nese reports of the Kin Chou battle. The dicting that the first bailot will result in them from further service. ances Makes Sweeping Changes. watching the river closely so as to move onducted. The fog was so dense that the searchlights 400 votes for Parker, 250 for Hearst, 40 or 50 Prosecutor McMullen said that the state PARIS, May 29.-Premier Combes' an-ouncement that the question of the seppeople in the streets almost mob newsboys out as soon as necessary. for Olney, as many more for Gorman, and **Oppose** Income Plan. of the Kasuga, though not more than 500 would oppose any effort on the part of the to secure extras containing the dispatches. brief covering nineteen printed meters distant, were only faintly discernthe remainder scattered among Miers of defense to release James Gillespie and aration of church and state would come up In a Crowds stood around the official bulletin HALF CENTURY IN LIGHT HOUSE pages filed by the railroads with the State | ible in January has called attention to the law Indiana, Harmon of Ohio, and half a stated that the came would come up again toards awaiting the Russian versions, but already formulated by the committee on the dozen other lesser lights. The Kasuga struck the Yoshino on the Board of Equalization Saturday the connext September. At the present time the none arrived. The official world as well as Old Woman Who Trims Lamps Passes clusion is reached that "Taxation of a corport side near the engines and the force four defendants are in the same position the public is entirely dependent upon the No one expects that the final result will separation of church and state. It is a poration, whether a railroad or some other, of the blow was so great that the dynamos he reached on the first day of the balloting. as they were before the trial bgan, as the Away at a Ripe Old sweeping measure, the opening clause read-Japanese for news. Further details are upon a supposed property value, estimated of its lighting plant were d u., d, avbonds of those released from custody are carerly looked for, especially regarding And it is conceded by Parker's warmest ing as follows: Copyright, by New York Herald Co., 1994.) NEW YORK, May 2.—(New York Her-ald Service-Special to The Bee.)-Min, Nancy Rose, who for forty-eight years trimmed the tamps and cleaned the tenses of Us Makhamad at the crost of Stony Point, died there this weak at the age of By years. She had dwelt at the beacon for more than half a condury and have a service of any demain ation or for the solution of the ministers. The measure further abolishes the con-Age. friends that he must concentrate his continuous. August Greiwe, who was on by capitalization of its entire net earnings ing the ship in darkness. The portrait of 1оляев. or by calculation of the full price of its the emperor aboard the Yoshino was resstrength at an early stage if he is to be the jury originally, but afterward was The prevailing conviction here is that stock, amounts to an income tax, and is cued and carried to the Kasuga. successful. challenged, committed suicide last night. It the Japanese must have carried Nanshan not a property tax at all." The brief is said he lost his mind worrying over the at tremendous sacrifice. The accounts of Many Dark Horses in Training. continues: "There is no substantial differ- JAPANESE BONOR DEAD HEROES Gillespie case and imagined that James In the event of a long drawn out conthe heroically stubborn defense made by

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vention a number of "dark horses" may be brought into the race. The most promi-

Tariff Will Be a Feature.

nent of these is Judge George Gray of ATTENDANCE AT EXPOSITION income through measuring the tax propriate Delaware, whose record is of the cleanes character. He has proved himself to be

Gillesple was trying to kill him.

ence between putting a tax directly upon

income and putting it indirectly on that Solemn and Imposing Religious Cere-TOKIO, May 29 .- A solemn religious and

the Russians notwithstanding their nosition, subjected to the fire of artillery from the front and from warships on the fiank, are a source of much satisfaction. Their

own reports, the Russians say, could not

have placed the fighting qualities of their

happened but one wreck.

She had lived in the neighborhood of Stony Point all her life. Her great-grandfather, Jacob Parkinson, was wounded in the battle where "Mad Anthony" Wayne was slain, and in the belongings of the descendants were bullets and bits of grape shot which she had picked out of the soll of the battle field. The lighthouse was built seventy years ago on the foundations of Fort Stony Point, and about it lie the acres where one of the struggles for American independence took place.

Mrs. Rose's husband, Alexander Rose, was in 1852 appointed lighthouse keeper vessel and died within a few weeks.

dependent on her, was appointed to his dependent on her, was appointed to his operating against the Armenians consisted place, and until a few days of her death of 12,000 regulars and 16,000 Kurds, with fifwas in charge of the light which teen guns. The dispatch further asserts warns the craft which ply up and down that forty-three villages were burned and the Hudson river. Her life was one of that their inhabitants were killed. practical isolation. The government gave the use of nine and one-half acres made a desperate resistance on the summit about the tower, and in the daytime she of Mount Antek. M. De Pressense has forlooked after the affairs of her domain warded the dispatch to Foreign Minister and prepared the lamps and the wicks for Delcasse, with a letter announcing that he the coming of the night. In formy weather will question the minister in the Chamber she saw that the bell was ringing. The of Deputies concerning "what steps French government moved the bel ltower an eighth a mile from the lighthouse ten years ago, and Mrs. Rose had to walk down there every three hours in bad weather to wind up the mechanism which maintained the note of warning.

## SEA BASS MAKE NEW RECORD

Twenty-Six Live in Acquartum for Ten Yoavs Without Death in Family.

(Copyright, by New York Herald Co., 1904.) NEW YORK, May 29 .- (New York Herald Service-Special to The Bee.)-The keeper of the aquarium. in Battery park. gave a unique birthday party late this week in honor of the institution's oldest group of fishy denizens. The celebration was to commemorate the remarkable record made by twenty-six huge striped sea hass, which arrived at the Aquarium ten years ago and have all survived the maladies of captivity.

"This is certainly a remarkable record. "The twenty-sixth fish Keeper De Nyse. came in May, 1894, and not one has died. As many fish live but a few months here, you can see how unusual is this fact about the sea bass. They came to us when very small and they now average ten pounds apiece."

# ENTIRE RUSSIAN TOWN IN ASHES

Children Start Fire Which Reduces Population to Beggary.

GITOMIR, Rursia, May 29 .- The large village of Iskorosk has been burned down, stimulants to race horses. The loss is estimated at \$1,000,000. The fire was started by children playing with CROWDS OF PEOPLE AT CHURCH matches. The whole of the population is homolean and reduced to beggary.

## Sues for Heavy Damages.

CEDAR RAPIDS. In., May 29 .-- (Special.) -A. B. Drohl has filed a petition in the suprome court asking for \$50,000 damages from the Illinois Central railroad. He claims to have been damaged that much in a wreck at Pomeroy March 11, 1908. He claims to have been permanently injured and that his mind was so affected by the accident that he was unable to transact business, and as a consequence lost \$7.000 on a land deal he was prosecuting at the time of the accident.

more than half a century, and in all cordat, suppresses the French embassy at that period. as she used to say, nothing the Vatican and makes detailed provision a statesman, a diplomat and a jurist of the highest order. As a senator, a member for the disposal of the government's ex-

of the commission which negotiated the tensive possession of church property. In treaty with Spain and as an arbiter between comparison with the present regime, under the coal operators and their employed which the clergy are salaried officers and Judge Gray won the confidence of his counthe minister of public worship is one of the trymen. But unfortunately for his presimembers of the cabinet. the , foregoing dential ambitions, if he really has any, makes a striking change in long established there is a bar sinister upon his political secular conditions. escutcheon. He voted against Bryan in 1896 and in consequence he is not looked

NEWS OF MASSACRES INDEFINITE upon as "regular." Charles F. Murphy, the Tammany leader.

Government, However, Admits tha Turkish Outrages Are Grave.

of New York City, upon the first oppor-PARIS. May 29 .- The government's ad vices concerning the details of the Artunity whenever convinced that Judge and he and his family moved into the house menian massacres are not yet definite, but Parker cannot win. It is known that Mc-While carrying timbers in 1854, the official advice is that the depredations Ciellan's big majority last November atfor the tower, where the fog bell was are very grave. Deputy De Pressense, tracted to him a very wide following. He subsequently placed. Rose ruptured a blood (socialist) who has confidential relations is the second choice of several hundred with the Foreign office, has received a teledelegates already elected. He must be His widow, who had six small children gram from Bakus saying the Turkish forces reckoned as one of the dangerous candidates now under cover, but against him will be brought the charge that be approved

the New York City gas bill, which the governor subsequently vetoed, and which would doubtless serve to drive away a great The male Armenians are said to hav many votes in Greater New York, if he should by any chance be nominated. A great many more dark horses are being groomed for the race and the southern statés can supply a dozen men of presidential size, but the fear of sectionalism will keep them back and it may be that after all some other Bryan will arise in a diplomacy intends to take to stop this la-Niagara of eloquence and name the winner mentable crime." from the list not considered up to this The officials believe that M. De Pres

sense's dispatch correctly states the de- time. vestation the Truks have wrought. The tariff is to be featured in the political

TUBERCULOSIS CONGRESS MEETS discussion between the two great parties in the impending battle of the ballots, accord-Many Telegrams Expressing Well ing to republican and democratic leaders

Wishes Are Received.

Leigh

The democrats will also, it is assorted, COPENHAGEN. May 29 .- The Interna make a general assault on the republican tional Tuberculosis congress, which was administration of the Postoffice and Informally opened in Parliament house yes- | terior departments, demanding further interday under the presidency of Prof. Brou- vestigation and possibly other bureaus ardet, of Paris, today, received telegrams where it is alleged frauds have been perexpressing beat wishes from a number of petrated and not yet fully brought monarchs and presidents. The states rep. to the supposed guilty officials. This fever resented adopted resolutions favoring the for investigation may find a lodging place study of hygiene in schools and universi- in the next platform of the democrats to ties, uniform schedules for tuberculosis sta- be adopted at St. Louis in July, but as tistics, the appointment of a commissioner matters political are now shaping themto consider the question of the predisposi- selves tariff revision will be the paramount tion to tuberculosis and the enforcement of issue. The republicans are arranging to regulations against expectoration in pub- meet the attack of the democrats on the lic places. tariff question, and will doubtless be able

to flood the country with campaign ma-AMERICAN TRAINER DECORATED terial bearing upon this most vital question. But the republicans will not permit. Receives Gold Medal for Fine the tariff to be made the only lasue

They Care Given Horses. will show the attitude of President Roose-PARIS. May 29.-The French Humane sovelt on labor questions, the Panama canal ciety has given a handsome prize and a and Cuban reciprocity which was brought gold medal to Eugene Leigh, the American about during the last session of congress. trainer for the exemption of his stables Should the democrats tackle the proposifrom brutality, the thoroughness of their tion to cause further investigation of afsanitary equipment and the special care fairs in the various executive departments given to the horses. This leads French it is asserted that there is ample oratorical turf circles to make surcastic references ammunition available in the republican

to the alleged American method of giving ranks to controvert all assertions the opposition may bring forward. Speeches for Campaign Material.

The republican congressional committee has decided to spring on the country a Miss Roosevelt Proves a Bigger Atnumber of speeches made by leaders of traction at St. Louis Than their party in congress during the session Sermons.

just closed. The able speech of General Charles H. Grosvenor of Ohio, relating ST. LOUIS, May 25 .- A detachment of chiefly to an exposition of the true attipolice was needed at the First Presbytude of President Roosevelt on labor questerian church to control the curious crowd tions will be among the number. that assembled to see Miss Alice Roosespeech attracted considerable attention at velt pass into Sunday service. So unos- the time of its delivery and is voluming tentatious was Miss Roosevell's departure and exhaustive. This speech alone con-from the church that few recognized her mats of eighty-eight printed pages, and sists of eighty-eight printed pages, and and nearly 100 women stood for half an there is still another speech of General hour in the rain, thinking she was still in the church.

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According to Official Figures Crowds Last Week Were Increased Nearly 50,000 Feople.

ST. LOUIS, May 29 .- According to the official figures issued tonight by the department of admissions of the World's fair, the attendance last week was larger by nearly 50,000 than for any previous six days. The tabulated statement follows: Monday, 41,-440; Tuesday, 47,922; Wednesday, 44,835; Thursday, 45,076; Friday, 52,582; Saturday,

58.125; total, 299,990. About 100 enlisted men of the regular will trot out George B. McClellan, mayor army reached the grounds today under command of Captains Greble, King and McDonald and Surgeon Lister, to pitch the camp for the West Point cadets, who will reach here about 7 o'clock tomorrow morn- day. This amounts to approximately \$450 ing. The cadets will number 420 and be commanded by Colonel Charles E. Treat. The cadets will have dress parade each to him when he could get \$450 from others day from 5 to 6 p. m., in the Plaza of St. Louis.

> WIFE OF DIGBY BELL IS DEAD Well Known Comic Opera Singer Passes Away at Her Home in

New York.

NEW YORK. May 29.-Mrs. Laura Joyce Bell, the comic opera singer and wife of Dighy Bell, died at her home in this city. aged 46. Mrs. Bell was born in England, her parents being named Maskell, and received her musical education at the Royal

Academy of Music, London. Her professional debut was made at the Strand theater, London, and her first American appearance was at Niblo's theater in 1872. RUSSIAN MOVEMENTS UNCERTAIN

Wild and Conflicting Reports Regard-

ing Troops in Corea. SEOUL, Corea, May 29 .- Continuous and conflicting reports concerning the move- it, the state of Nebraska having set its ments of the Russians are being received from Corean sources with wild guesses as more than the state itself charges for to the number of men seen, while owing to the differences existing between the Corean and the Japanese pronounciation it is difficult to determine the different localities mentioned.

In reliable quarters here the present Russian strength in the province of Ham Houng is estimated at about 1,000 men with

twelve guns, which, it is anticipated, will be reinforced in the near future. The Cos Large Classes Are the Rule in Most sacks claim that 600 and 4,000 infantry

are now following in their rear. The main PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., May 29.-(Spe bodies of the invaders are advancing by cial.)-In the First Presbyterian church in two routes, flanked and preceded by small scouting parties. It is not known whether this city this evening Dr. J. T. Baird detheir objective point is Ping Yang or Gen livered the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of thirty-two members of San, the latter being an easy prey, the the Plattsmouth High school. Rev. J. W. town stretching along the beach in a cup-Swan made the opening prayer and Rev. like hollow formed by the surrounding A. F. Ploetz, pastor of the German Preshiles.

sacks have occupied Puk Chong and it is known that the Japanese are preparing to reaist their advance. It is now be lieved that a column will be sent north from Gen San, and a body of infantry left here to reinforce the garrison station at that point. receive their diplomas.

Lino River Still Guarded.

KAI PING. May 28 .- (Delayed in Trans mission.)-The Liao Tung frontier guards have several times come into collision with the Japanese cavalry. The factics of the Japanese seem to be to retreat and entice the guards toward the infantry which lies in wait. New Chwang reports that Japanese troops have not landed there, as reported. Foreign merchantmen continue to arrive in that port. The gunboat Sivoutch still guards the mouth of the Liao river.

property) which represents, not the prop erty at all, but the capitalized value usiness profits."

By many examples the brief attempts to show that the income from property and the income from labor must be separated before the part of a business income that represents return from property is available for capitalization in order to reach the value of the property employed in the

business. One of these examples will suffice: "Sup pose the case of a farmer who owns 160 acres and derives a net income from oper

ating it himself, which we will suppose amount to \$1,200. Is this \$1,200 all to be capitalized in order to ascertain the value conducted the religious caremonial, and of the farm? This same farmer, by hiring himself out to someone else, could get perhaps \$1 a day and his board, or \$1.50 a a year. Can the farmer consider that the rives of the army and other departments. farm has been worth more than \$750 a year delegations from schools, guilds and other unions participated. The foreign naval for the same labor that he has put upon attaches joined the cortege at the Aoyata

his farm without owning any farm at all? Suppose this farmer had not yet bought his farm. Would he be a sane man if he were willing to pay for the farm a

greater than the capitalized amount of \$750 Death Penalty to Be Inflicted if Ofiet income? Let us see. If he capitalized \$1,200 to find out what he could afford to pay for the farm and accordingly paid SEOUL, Corea, May 29.-4 p. m.-M. Hay-\$20,000 for the farm (6 per cent being taken ashi, Japanese minister to Corea, has noti-

fied the Foreign office that the Japanese as the rate of capitalization), he would be getting \$1,200 per year for his labor and military authorities are constantly com plaining that telegraphic communication the use of \$20,0000, while if he did not buy the farm, he would be able to get \$450 with Gen San is frequently interrupted wages from others and \$1,200 as interest The Japanese military authorities suspec on his \$20,000, or a total income of \$1.650. that the country people are cutting the lines at various unfrequented points.

Stock Values the Same.

The brief states that finding the value of a railroad on its stocks and bonds is practically the same thing as taking the net earnings as a basis. The brief points out to the board the fact that it employs thousands of men, and like every other em-

few miles from Puk Chong and ployer it should be allowed a profit on their work. The franchise, the brief conbroken telegraph communication to the tends, is worth what it will cost to secure southward. CHINESE ARE WINDING UP AFFAIRS

own price it has no right to value it In the meantime there are several roads that have not yet made any returns to the state board and these will be called to the attention of the board shortly. They are the Wabash, Milwaukee, Illinois Cen-

tral. Atchison, all of which are doing business in Nebraska.

GRADUATIONS OVER THE STATE ducts.

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daily.

byterian church, gave the scripture read According to the latest report the Cos ing. The music was furnished by a choir of twenty voices. This is the largest class that has ever graduated in Cass county. W. K. Fowler will deliver the address to the class Wednesday evening in the Parmele theater, at which time they will

> Graduating exercises for the Grant High school were held in the Methodist Episco pal church Friday evening. The class constated of six young women and four young men. In place of the usual tions of the graduates, Prof. N. W. Preston of Fremont delivered a class cration "Masters of the Situation," which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. A reception was held at the Workman hall immediately

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military service in honor of fifteen off cers, residents of Tokio, who were lost at the time of the disasters to the battle-

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COREANS CUT TELEGRAPH LINES

fenders Are Caught.

Hayashi states that the Japanese empero

ticipation of Serious Events.

soldiers in a better light than do those of ship Hatsuse and the protected cruised the Japanese. Yoshino, were held here today. The pro-Both the admiralty and the War office are without news and frankly confess they cession formed at the naval college and marched through the city to Aoyata cemdo not expect to hear from the beleaguered etery. Four small caskets containing garrison in Port Arthur again directly, except by accident until the fortress has relics of the deceased officers were borne on gun carriages, battalions of marines been relieved or surrendered or the war ended. Some native reports that drifted escorting them, while resting on pillows

nto headquarters at Liao Yang and were on top of the caskets were the posthumou forwarded here, say that the Japanese lost decorations awarded the officers. many thousands. Conspicuous features of the cortage were The impression in army circles is that a dozen white-robed Shinto priests, who the Japanese will push operations against Port Arthur with the greatest energy, but the widows and other female relatives of it is also believed a month or more will the deceased officers clad in pure white be required to bring up siegs guns. In the who rode behind the gun carriages. The entire naval staff and represents

Chino-Japanese war, although Kin Chou was taken practically without opposition eleven days were necessary to prepare for the storming of Port Arthur.

Colonel Novezky of the general staff, in an interview, points out that Port Arthur, although generally denominated a fortress is in reality an entrenched camp where Kin Chou was only an advanced provised position. It would be unwise to judge of the strength of the permanent connected fortifications around Port Arthur by Kin Chou. These fortifications, he said, support each other scientifically. Operations against them will require the most careful syste-

matic preparation. "The Japanese now before Port Arthur," said Colonel Novesky, "may now proceed in three ways: First, an open attack after preparatory artillery fire; second, a progressive slege, and third, a blockade hink the Japanese will adopt the first course, as it is not to their advantage to has issued a proclamation inflicting the walt while Russian reinforcements are ardeath penalty on all persons destroying the iving. The second method is a long and telegraph lines and asks that the Corean complicated operation that might last for government take similar action. It is said nonths. that two Russian columns have joined a

> have JAPS CAPTURE SIXTY-EIGHT GUNS

Russians Leave Five Hundred Dead in Nan Shan Trenches.

WASHINGTON, May 29 .- The following cablegram has been received at the Japanese legation, dated Tokio:

Merchants Leaving Lino Yang in An desse legation, dates forios. General Oku, commanding the army st-tacking Kin Chou, reports that in the at-tack on Nan Shan hill the third division formed the right wing, the fourth division the left wing and the first division the cen-ter. The enemy consisted of one division of the fold army and two batteries of field artillery, besides the forgress artillery and marines. LIAO YANG, May 28 .- (Delayed in transmission.)-Most of the Chinese merchants are closing their stores and winding up business in expectation of serious events. Those remaining in business have raised the prices of meat and other pro-

artillery, besides the foriress artillery and marines. The fourth division, taking advantage of the enemy's left wing, which was weak-ened by the bombardment from our feet at Kin Chou bay, finally succeeded in carry-ing the enemy's position, while other divi-sions immediately followed it up. There-upon the enemy retreated in confusion and exploded magazines at Tafangahin. The trophies of the battle consist of aixty-eight guns and ten machine guns, be-sides many other things. Our casualities are estimated at about \$500. The enemy left on the battlefield over 500 dead bodies. A high Chinese personage here is be lieved to be organizing a movement against the Russians. The Russian cavalry is in great need of forage. Chinese arriving here brought the news of the fighting at

Kin Chou. The results of the fighting on the peninsula caused no appreciable effect on the troops, whose health and spirits are excellent. Soldiers are arriving

ASKS THE CHINESE TO TAKE HOLD

Japan Wants to Get Rid of Government of Conquered Territory.

LONDON, May 30 .- The Standard's Tier Tain correspondent telegraphs that Uchida, the Japanese minister at Peking, commanding the Japanese army now in- has demanded an immediate answer to the vesting Port Arthur, has issued a procla- inquiry previously sent to the Wal Wu Pu, mation to the people of the Lino Tung as to whether China is prepared to hold peninsula setting forth that Japan is forced and administer the teritory the Japanese

The Telegraph has a dispatch from property and noninterference with orderly Bhanghai saying it is reported there that citizens. It promises ample remuneration Minister Uchida has notified the Chinese for all houses and supplies requisitioned government at Peking that Port Arthur and warns the people to refrain from as- will soon be captured, and has asked cisting the Russians under penalty of se- whether China is ready to resume possession of the district or if Japan shall hold it.

WARNING ISSUED BY THE JAPANESE Caution People Not to Assist Russian Under Danger of Penalty. TOKIO, May 29.-7 p. m.-General Oku,

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vere punishment.

to appeal to arms on account of the un- have conquered, adding that otherwise lawful aggression of Russia in China and Japan must appeal to other powers to un-Japanese army is fighting for the cause China.

Corea. The proclamation declares that the dertake the responsibility at the expense of of justice, pledges protection to persons and