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JURY RETURNS FIVE MORE INDICTMENTS

There Are Now Seven Charges Against Her and She Would Have to Give at Least \$100,000 Bonds to Secure Release.

CLEVELAND, O. Dec. 14.-Five times indicted by the United States grand jury at the exact minute that her train rolled into the station Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick came home to Cleveland this afternoon. She was greeted with jeers, hoots and into the stuffy, ill-smelling office of Sheriff

collapsed utterly and fell in a dead faint. But for the aid of Deputy United States Marshals Kumb and Kelker, who held her up and almost carried her along as she mounted the stairs, she never would have been able to reach her cell. Breathless, pale and staggering, she was barely able to reach her chair as the steel door of the woman's corridor swung open to receive her. She sank into a chair, her head fell backward and but for the marshals she would have rolled to the floor. Water was quickly brought to her and in a few seconds she revived and was again a woman of business. Her first request was that her lawyer, Sheldon C. Kerruish, be sent for, and she was soon engaged in a conference with him concerning her defense.

There is small chance that she will be able to leave the jail before her trial There are now seven indictments against her, five additional charges having been laid against her in the federal court this afternoon. It would require surety to the amount of at least \$100,000 to gve her freebernelf no idea of giving ball and will remain in jail. She has the best cell in the place, but it is not a nice cell, nor is the county jail of Cuyahoga county a nice jail even as jails go, but it is the best there is and there she must remain.

Federal Grand Jury Acts. The federal grand jury returned the indictments against Mrs. Chadwick, President Beckwith and Cashier Spear of the National Bank of Oberlin at the exact minute that Mrs. Chadwick's train rolled into the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern depot in this city.

The federal indictments against Mrs. Chadwick are five in number, three of them charge her with aiding and abetting officers of a national bank to defraud the institution and two charge her with conspiracy against the United States. Of the four indicuments against President Beckwith, two charge him with misapplication of funds of a national bank, one with conspiracy to commit an offense against the United States and one with certifying checks when no funds were on hand. The indictments against Cashler Spear are the same as those against President Beckwith

The first witness before the grand jury

was United States Marshal Chandler, who presented to the grand jury the sworn statement of President Beckwith. This is the document which has been called the "confession" of Beckwith. It sets forth in effect that there were two notes of \$500, 000 each, both signed in the name of Andrew Carnegle, and that Mrs. Chadwick declared peattively, both to him and to Cashler Spear, that she saw Mr. Carnegie sign his name to beth notes. It was also set forth in the statement that a New York attorney who claimed to be an attorney of Andrew Carnegie, had declared to Beckwith in Oberlin that the notes were genuine. The endorsement of the notes by Beckwith and Spear was admitted, but the statement declared neither of them had any idea they were to be used in the manner in which Mrs. Chadwick handled them. Mr. Beckwith's statement declared that he received from Iri Reynolds information to the effect that "everything was all right," and a large amount of good securities belonging to Mrs Chadwick were held by the Wade Park bank. This encouraged him to make the loans to Mrs. Chadwick. Mr. Beckwith's statement set forth the fact that Mrs. Chadwick had secured large loans from other bankers and had met them promptly There was no reason to believe that she would not treat loans made by the Oberlin bank in the same manner.

The second witness was T. K. Whitney township treasurer of Oberlin. He said James R. Severance, treasurer of Oberlin college narrated the facts and told him the money had been repaid. Cashier Spear and J. E. Barrett, of Wooster, were other witnesses. The hearing consumed all of the morning and was finished shortly before 2 o'clock in the afternoon, after the jury had been thirty minutes in session after luncheon. The indictments voted at once. District Attorney Sullivan handed in the documents which he had previously prepared and in five minutes thereafter Mrs. Chadwick, Beckwith and Spear had been indicted.

Cannot Give Ball.

There is no probability of Mrs. Chadwick being released on bail. She would be required to furnish bonds of \$15,000 on each indictment or a total of \$75,000. Did she give this she would be rearrested on the two county indictments and asked for an additional bond of \$25,000. There is a possibility that she may be indicted a third time by the county and if this should happen she would be asked for additional surety, amounting to \$12,500. To insure her

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Gets Off with Comparatively Light Punishment.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 14.-It turns out that at the trial yesterday of Sasoneff, the and Sikorifsky, his accomplice, while Sasoneff did not present the apologia he a speech in his justification. Both prisoners were dressed in civilian clothes. Sasoneff walked with a cane, three of his toes and one finger having been amputated as the result of wounds received by the bomb explosion. He also was very deaf, one of his ear drums having been smashed. Sasoneff, being still an invalid, was taken back to Viborg prison after the trial. Sikorifeky was taken to the St. Peter and St. Paul fortress. The effect of the appliation of Emperor Nicholas' manifesto on the occasion of the birth of the helr to the throne upon the sentences reduces Sasoneff's term (penal servitude for life) to fourteen years' penal servitude, and Sikorifsky's (who was sentenced to twenty years) to ten years' penal servitude.

### OPPOSITION HAS ITS OWN WAY

President Perezel and Bodyguard Not Allowed to Enter Hungarian Diet. BUDA PEST, Hungary, Dec. 14.-The ower house of the Hungarian Parliament opened today in perfect calm. The royal hisses by the crowds that gathered in the rescript convoking the Diet was listened depot when her train arrived, howled at to attentively and the house thereafter by hundreds gathered in front of the fed- adjourned without the least attempt on the eral building. The last sound that reached part of the opposition to renew the rioting her from the outside world as she passed of yesterday. The orderliness was attributed to the absence of President Perczel Barry in the county jail was the hoot of and his parliamentary bodyguard, who yesderision from the people massed in front terday were driven from the house. Had of the doorway. She made no attempt to these been present undoubtedly there would give ball and after a brief stop in the office have been repetitions of yesterday's scenes.

> would not preside, and that the guards would not enter the house, the platform

> was cleared. Premier Tisa and the members of his cabinet entered about 10 o'clock and occupled the front bench, as all the ministerial armchairs had been destroyed. There was no demonstration. The house listence to lasted only a few minutes.

> Outside a cordon of foot and mounted police had taken up positions in a rliament square, where small groups of curious people collected, but there were no disturbances.

#### RUSSIAN ZEMSTVOS ARE ACTIVE At Kishineff Bread Is To Be Sold at

Cost to the Distressed. KISHINEFF, Dec. 14.-The district zemstyo has voted \$105,000 to purchase bread senate in its support. and to open warehouses for the sale of dom, and there s nobody in Cleveland who flour and grain to the distressed at a cost will furnish that amount for her. She has price, as the Jews are said to be buying n all the grain in the villages and recilling it at three times its cost MOSCOW, Dec. 14.-There was another

arbitrariness."

The town council has telegraphed to Inerior Minister Sviatopolk-Mirsky a petition in support of the zemstvo memorial. The Humane society has asked for permission to aid in the relief of the sufferers in Bessarabia.

Turkey Would Bar Bible Sellers Under Plea of Danger. CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 14.-In conse-

to colporteurs traversing the disturbed allowed. rural districts of European Turkey on the ians. The American Bible society is principally interested in Anatolia.

# RIOTING WAS ALMOST MECHANICAL

Witness Testifies to Lack of Excitement in Gomel Disturbance.

GOMEL, Russia. Dec. 14.-During today's session of the court which is trying the nen accused of being responsible for the rioting here in September, 1903, a new witness, railroad employe, recounted his attempts to stop the workmen who were rioting almost mechanically and without nanifesting excitement.

The witness added that it needed only a few energetic orders to stop the rioting. He called the attention of several officers to this fact, but his efforts were of no avail. The witness heard of the impending troubles long before they actually took

# RUSSIAN LIBERALS WIN POINT

Statement that a Representative Consultative Body Will Be Created. ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 14.-There is no onger any doubt that the government intends to commit itself to reforms as the result of the liberal agitation begun when Prince Sviatopolk-Mirsky made his advent as minister of interior. The Zemstvoist demand for a direct representative body to make the laws of the nation will not be

granted, but some medium in the form of a representative consultative body which can voice the wishes of the people direct to the sovereign now seems the probable outcome. An entirely new law for the liberalization of the press also is apparently certain.

# Gun Trophy is Unveiled.

MANILA, Dec. H .- The gunnery record trophy presented by President Riosevelt | field (Me.), Powers (Mass.), Clayton (Ala.) to the battleship Oregon was unveiled to- and DeArmond (Mo.). day. Rear Admiral Stirling, in command of the Philippine squadron of the Asiatic fleet, made the presentation speech, after which the president's salute was fired. There was a large reception on board the Frye informed the committee that the persons were injured as follows: Oregon, which was attended by Major General H. C. Corbin and many officials.

Court-Martial for Major Hardin, MANILA. Dec. 14.-Major Edward E. Hardin of the Seventh infantry is about to court-martialed on charges of neglect in not having a sufficient guard at Malate by Mr. Baker, (N. Y.); demanding an infreedom pending trial she must therefore prison, from which thirty-three native prisoners escaped recently after killing three

House Committee Calls Attention of Upper Chamber to Swayne Impeachment.

PHILIPPINE CIVIL BILL IS DISCUSSED

Senator Forsker Presents an Amendment Changing Tariff Schedules, but Withdraws it After Objec-

tions Are Made.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.-The senate, Swayne, federal judge in the northern dis- crats a majority in the senate. trict of Florida. The matter was brought trint.

rnment bill and the pure food bill. Mr. Foraker presented a tariff amendment to the Philippines bill, but on complaint of jorities ran from 700 to 2,000, Dubois and other senators that this the senete entered into an agreement to drawn.

A number of semi-public bills were passed.

The senate passed the bill incorporating the American National Red Cross. The senate committees were also filled in accordance with the recommendations of the committee of committees. The house Impeachment committee was then announced, Representative Palmer spoke for the com mittee, saying:

give bail and after a brief stop in the office of the clerk of the United States court was taken to jail. She is held tonight in cell it in the women's department of the jail and her palatial residence on Euclid avenue, of which the furnishings alone are valued at \$200,000, is occupied by her maid.

Faints at the Jail.

Her courage held to the last, but her body falled her and when she had mounted the three flights of stairs leading to the tier of cells where she is to remain she collapsed utterly and fell in a dead faint.

Would not present unadoutedly there would have been repetitions of yesterday's scenes.

The opposition, under the leadership of the house of representatives and of all the people of the United States of America we do impossition on the president's platform. The deputies took up a strong position on the president's platform. The latter, however, made no effort to enter the house and on the assurances of for the appearance of the said Charles of impeachment.

The opposition, under the leadership of the leadership of the house of representatives and of all the people of the Linted States for the northern district of Florida, of high crimes and misdemeanor in office; and we further morning that the bouse of representatives and of all the people of the Linted States for the sitting at 7 a. m. The deputies took up a strong position on the president's platform. The latter, however, made no effort to enter the house and on the assurances of for the appearance of the said Charles Swayne to answer said impeachment.

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The president pro tem said:

The committee immediately retired. The entire ceremony consumed less than three minutes' of time.

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of the committee on judiciary.

Philippine Bill Taken Up. when at 2 p. m. the pure food bill gave place to the Philippine bill, Mr. Dubois asked that the unanimous agreement to vote on the Philippine bill on Friday next be abrogated, because of Mr. Foraker's student demonstration here today, at tariff amendment to be introduced today. which the students shouted, "Down with He said that the people of the west and of his own state especially are greatly effort to secure tariff legislation is unfair.

Mr. Platt (Conn.) suggested to Mr. jured and 5,533 arrested. Foraker that he should withdraw the He divides the table as follows: amendment, adding that when the consent quence of American and British repre- to vote had been secured there was no Union men sentations the porte has renewed its in- reason to apprehend that such a question structions to the provincial officials to as that raised by the amendment would allow colporteurs to sell Bibles in towns be presented. He agreed with Mr. Dubois that the Philippine tariff subject is too The porte, however, persists in objecting important to be considered within the time

After some debate Mr. Foraker consented pretext that their safety cannot be guar- not to press his amendment in connection inteed, and also to the sale of Bibles in with the pending bill, but in doing so said the Anatolian provinces, because of the that hereafter he would offer his amendalleged fear that the colporteurs may dis- ment and press it without feeling called tribute seditious literature to the Armen- on to give specific notice of his intentions

in that respect. Provisions of Foraker Amendment.

Admission free of duty of all articles which are the product and growth of the Philippine islands, except tobacco and sugar, is provided for in the amendment proposed by Senator Foraker to the act providing for the administration of the affairs of the civil government of the Philippine islands now before the senate. The proposed amendment fixes the duty on sugar and tobacco at 25 per cent of the Dingley rates. It is provided also that all duties shall be paid into the treasury of the Philippine government to be expended for the benefit of the islands. The present duty is 75 per cent of the Dingley rates.

# PROCEEDINGS OF THE HOUSE

Committee Appointed to Notify Senate of Swayne Impeachment. WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.-Further action

resopnded that "order shall be taken." urgent deficiency bill and several other bills of a public nature were passed. Immediately after the house met today Speaker Cannon announced as to the mittee of seven to prepare the charges against Judge Charles Swayne of the northyesterday, the following: Messrs. Palmer (Pa.), Gillette (Cal.), Parker (N. J.), Little-

The committee of the house appeared at senate would proceed in accordance with been received in years that so profoundly

impressed the senate. From the house committe on the judiciary Mr. Jenkins, (Wis.); its chairman, reported back the resolutions recently introduced quiry into the socalled steel trust, with

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### Colorado Supreme Court Throws Out Vote of Precinct Where Fraud Was Committed.

DENVER, Dec. 14.- By deciding today to throw out the vote of Precinct seren, Eighth SAYS POLITICS IS AT THE BOTTOM OF IT ward, of this city, in consequence of frauds ommitted there at the late election, the upreme court established a precedent that may be applied to many other pre olnets, in which it is alleged the court's injunctive order was violated and thereby vitally affect the result of the late election. Should similar action be taken in other cases to the extent demanded by the republican lawyers it will result in the which under the constitution is made the election of the entire legislative ticket in trial court in impeachment cases, today this county and give republicans control received official notice of the determination of both branches of the legislature. On of the house of representatives to present the face of the returns the republicans impeachment charges against Hon. Charles have a majority in the house and the demo-

Another result of the exclusion of a to the senate's attention by a house com- few precincts would be to put the repubmittee and the senate appointed a commit- licans in possession of all the city and tee to prepare the details of the proposed county offices except the mayoralty, should the supreme court decide that the The senate considered the Philippine gov- spring election was not legal and that these offices were to be filled at the November election. The democratic ma-

Should the entire vote of eight city provision had not been contemplated when wards over which the supreme court assumed jurisdiction be discegarded. Alva vote on the bill next Friday, it was with. Adams, democratic candidate for governor, would lose 18,865 votes and Governor James H. Peabody (republican), 3,541, a net loss of 10,324 for Adams, but this alone would not result in his defeat, as his majority in the state is something over In announcing the decision to exclude the

> returns of Precinct eight, Seventh ward, Chief Justice Gabbert said:

> Frauds cannot be fully prevented unless the court assuming jurisdiction to prevent them has the power to undo them in all cases where they are committed in viola-tion of its order. A court of equity has the inherent power to effectuate its or-der and the motion will therefore be sus-tained. tained.

zDissenting from the opinion of Justices Gabbert and Campbell, Justice Steele said: In my opinion the finding of the court is unwarranted, unprecedented and directly contrary to the law. This court has no power to take the action that it has. I have no opportunity to prepare a written opinion in the matter, but I will do so later.

In announcing the decision Chief Justice Gabbert said that the evidence showed Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Com-mittee: The chair begs to announce that the senate will take order in the premises, due notice of which will be given to the was the right of the court to prevent the that false ballots had been substituted for consummation of the fraud.

The hearing of contempt charges was resumed today by the supreme court, the case from Precinct two, Seventh ward. After the house committee had retired being taken up. The defendants are the rescript in profound silence and voted Mr. Platt (Conn.) presented a resolution Leonard Rogers, democratic candidate for of Charles Swayne be referred to a select liam G. Adams, Louis Hamburg and John committee to consist of five senators, to P. Kendrick. The complaining witness is The resolution was agreed to and the chair designated Messrs. Platt (Conn.), to show that there was repeating, ballot Clark (Wyo.), Fairbanks, Bacon and Pettus box stuffing and disturbances at the polls, members of the committee. All the mem- for which the defendants were respon-

> It is announced that 120 more warrants The pure food bill was then taken up have been issued by the supreme court on and Mr. McCumber again addressed the application of the republicans for the arrest of persons allegad to have been implicated in the election frauds.

# List of Killed and Injured in Conflicts Growing Out of Strikes in

Thirty-Three Months.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.-The forthcoming interested in the proposed reductions of number of "The Outlook" will contain an duties; that he would not willingly consent article by Slason Thompson, on "Violence to a reduction, and if he had known that in Labor Conflicts," which presents some the senate would be called on to vote on statistics on loss of life and property due the tariff question he would not have to this cause. He gives a table by states, assented to the unanimous agreement to showing that during the period between ALLOW COLPORTEURS TO OPERATE Vote. He expressed the opinion that the January 1, 1962, and June 30, 1994, there were killed in strikes 180 persons, 1,651 in-

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# to the Episcopate at Erie.

ERIE, Pa., Dec. 14.-Rev. Franklin Spencer Spalding, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church for the last nine years, was consecrated bishop of Salt Lake City in the impeachment proceedings against today. The impressive ceremonies took Judge Charles Swayne of the northern dis- place in the church where he had officiated trict of Florida was taken in the house for the last nine years, the consecrator today by the appointment of the committee being Bishop D. S. Tuttle of Missouri, the seven provided for by a resolution presiding bishop of the church in the adopted yesterday to draft the charges for United States, assisted by the co-consepresentation to the senate and by the re- crators, Bishop Whitchead of Pittsburg ception of the report of the committee of and Bishop Scarborough of New Jersey. five to notify the senate of the impeach- The consecration sermon was delivered by ment, which announced that it had per- Bishop Vincent. A noteworthy incident in formed its duty and that the senate had connection with today's ceremonies is the fact that Bishop Spalding's father, now deceased, was consecrated bishop of Colorado in the same church as the son, almost exactly thirty-one years ago.

### WRECK AT MANHATTAN KANSAS ern district of Florida, who was impeached Rock Island Stock Train Runs Into Union Pacific Freight-Five

Men Injured.

MANHATTAN, Kan., Dec. 14.-A Rock the bar of the senate today and notified Island stock train ran into a Union Pacific the senate that the house had impeached freight train which was standing on the Judge Charles Swayne. President Pro Tem crossing of the two roads here today. Five

Fireman McKay of Belleville, badly the notice. No message from the house has scalded: may die.
Engineer Henderson of Belleville, both legs hurt. Head Brakeman, name unknown. injured. ry Robbins, fireman, scalded.

Immediately following the wreck Engicould not be aroused.

Has an Interview with President Cencerning the Case.

Informs President that He Had No Opportunity to Be Heard Until After the Order for His

Removal Was Made.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.-(Special Tele gram.)-Judge Ben Baker, accompanied by Senator Millard, who had postponed his trip to New York to have a conference with the judge, and Congressman Hinshaw, saw the president this morning. The president, when he met Judge Baker, full and free conference on the charges made against the former Omaha jurist and in recommending another man for Baker's the persons of his callers this morning. but finally the room was clear for the conference. The president, Senator Millard, Mr. Hinshaw and Judge Baker were the by the presecution as satisfactory to justify the course taken.

After the motion for a continuance was allowed and the order entered. United and to say in his own defense. Judge Baker, among other things, told the president gave the closest attention to what Baker, among other things, told the president by the Department of Justice to give evidence in any of the charges against him; that he had answered the specifications of the Department of Justice, but had never seem one bit of the evidence against him; that it was usual in all courts to give the defendant his day in court and he asked for no more. He said he had been assured by the special officer of the Department of Justice went to examine into the charges, that he would be given a chance to be heard, but until the newspapers had announced that he matter was still in abeyance. president was largely the listener to the statement which Judge Baker made, and tify the course taken.

## Says it is Politics.

In a talk had with Judge Baker after the interview with the president, the judge refused to state what had transpired at the White House, but volunteered the information that politics was at the bottom of the whole business. charges against me," said Judge Baker, "is one that I have falled to enforce the to refer it to the upper house. The stating directing that the message of the house the state senate; Frank W. Lee, police law relating to the closing of saloons and to what the matters are which I expect to of representatives relative to impeachment captain; Michael Geary, constable; Wil- gambling houses on Sunday. Now, I maintain that the judge is not a police officer. We have district attorneys and be appointed by the president pro tempore. Jay Cook, jr. supreme cou.t watcher, grand juries whose business it is to bring malefactors before the courts for trial. I is the business of judges to be absolutely fair and impartial in the trial of causes before them. When they find that I did not go out in the highways and hedges to gather evidence in cases that might be tried in my court, that is true. I do not conceive that my oath to hear impartially cases brought before me would permit me to work up cases for which other officers are duly appointed. My honor is at stake in this matter. I care nothing for the position, but I care above everything for my good name. The president has been imposed upon. So has the attorney general and his assistants. I am here to get my day in court, which is every man's due, That's all I care to say."

Judge and Mrs. Baker arrived last night New Willard.

Bill for Relief of Miss Thomas A bill was introduced into the house today by Representative Burkett appropriating \$10,000 for the relief of Miss Cora B. Thomas of Lincoln, Neb., who in an elevator accident at the Treasury department last spring had both legs broken and was otherwise seriously injured. Miss Thomas was only recently able to leave the hospital and Representative Burkett believes that some such relief as that afforded by the appropriation of \$10,000 is due her. It is charged the accident was due to gross carelessness.

State Pays for Blankets. Governor Mickey transmitted to Senator Millard a draft for \$2,500 to be credited to Nebraska's account with the government for blankets for the Nebraska National Guard. Today Senator Millard turned the money over to the treasurer of the United

States as requested. Judge Norris of the Fifth Nebraska district today recommended the reappointment of George Williams as postmaster at Cambridge, Furnas county.

Personal Matters. Dr. Harry Akin was in Washington today enroute to his home in Omaha. M. C. Peters and son, Ralph, left for New York today enroute to Omaha.

Senator Millard went to New York

Rural free delivery route No. 1 has been ordered established January 16 at Bryant, Clinton county, Ia., serving 348 people and 87 houses. Iowa postmasters appointed: Palmer

Pocahontas county, R. H. Berry, vice Minnie Shanshan, resigned. Santiago, Polk county, Howard R. Allen, vice F. T. Tomlinson, resigned.

#### CONFIRMATIONS BY THE SENATE Willett M. Hays to Be Assistant Sec retary of Agriculture. WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 .- The senate to

day confirmed the following:

Willett M. Hays, Minnesota, assistan accretary of agriculture. William E. Distin, Illinois, surveyor gen William E. Distin, Illinois, surveyor general of Alaska.

Registers of land offices: John E. Watson at Boonville, Mo.; Dick L. Morgan at Woodward, Okl.

Receivers of public money: Sidney R. Delong at Tucson, Ariz.; Julius H. Weisse at Delnorte, Colo.

Postmasters: Idaho-Edna P. Madden, Burke; Julia A. Garber, Grangeville; Adred J. Dunn, Wallace, Kansas-Eva B. Milligan, White City; Jared C. Richcreek, Oswego, Iowa-Charles S. Smith, Clarence; William L. Cometock, Mechanicsville; George H. Otis, Menona. Missouri-Albert McAdow, Lamar; John W. Key, Mountain Grove, Montana-Arthur G. Poster, Columbia Falls, Utah-James Clove, Provo; George H. Richards, Sunnyside; Jonathan Page, jr., Payson.

#### Page, jr., Payson. NOMINATIONS BY THE PRESIDENT C. F. Larrabee Named as Assistant

Commissioner of Indian Affairs. WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 .- The president today sent to the senate the following nominations:

Assistant commissioner of Indian affairs, Charles F. Larrabee of Maine, Poatmusters: Missouri-Edward D. Lowe, Cuba: Edgar W. Prentise, Beihany, South Dakota-William F. Bancroft, Washington Springa Treaty with Italy.

Fred Wheatly of Mankato, stockman, bitration between Italy and the United States was signed today at the State department by Maron Mayor Des Planches, neer Henderson of the Rock Island train the Italian ambassador, and Secretary Hay. fell into a sound sleep, from which he The treaty is identical with other arbitration treaties signed by this country.

# FOURTEEN YEARS FOR ASSASSIN SENATE RECEIVES NOTICE REPUBLICANS GAIN BIG POINT BAKER TALKS OF REMOVAL NEBRASKA WEATHER FORECAST

Snow Thursday and Friday Temperature at Omaha Yesterday: Hour.

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## LAND FRAUD CASES GO OVER Attorney for the Government Calls

Special Session of Grand Jury for Monday. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 14 .- On motion of

Special Assistant United States Attorney General Francis J. Henry all the land immediately indicated that he desired a fraud cases now pending in the United States circuit court for the district of Oregon were ordered to go over for the the action taken by the attorney general term. The witnesses summoned to appear were excused for the term and speculation place. It took the president some time to is rife as to the cause for this unexpected clean up his business, as represented in action on the part of the government. In moving for a continuance, Mr. Henry gave the court no reason for the movement other than to say that the government desired not to disclose its reason at this only persons present at the interview. The time, but reasons at hand were regarded by the prosecution as satisfactory to jus-

desired to present some important mat- |ers to the grand jury before leaving here, the defendants to continue the pending feet of dynamite used as an offensive government's making some slight conces- instanced in an appaling manner by the sions in relation to the defendants' bond condition of the dead bodies, which are torn

"For obvious reasons it would not be proper for me to give any intimation as present to the grand jury."

### NEGRO SAILOR SHOOTS TWO George Washington Objects to Teasing and Uses a Revolver on Mates.

two others of the Illinois' crew. Henry Borribly torn by dynamite bombs. More, an apprentice, received a bullet in he arm and Beaman Shap, another in the

back. Shap is seriously wounded. More and the colored man occupied adjoining hammocks and Washington was said to be inoffensive till More's tantaliz- ports that the ing got the better of his temper today from Albuquerque, N. M., and are at the and he drew a revolver and shot More in the arm. Shap interfered and was shot in the back. Pursued by a crowd of sailors, and with his revolver in his hand. Washington fled to the deck down the gang plank to the Cob dock and tried to enter the ferry to reach the main land. On the way it is said that Washington fired several shots at his pursuers, but they never halted. A corporal stopped him at the ferry, whereupon Washington jumped into the icy water and tried to swim ashore. The sailors promptly followed and a struggle ensued between the swimmers. The negro finally yielded to force of numbers and was made a prisoner.

### BOSTON STILL DEMOCRATIC Republicans Gain Four Members of City Assembly, but Lose on Party Vote.

BOSTON, Dec. 14 .- Although the municipal election yesterday resulted in a sweeping victory for the democratic party, the republicans gained two members of the Board of Aldermen and two members in the the harbor, possibly returning at night, common council. The city, as usual, de- Its anchorage, according to the dispatch, clared for license by a large majority. The only coniest where a party vote could be tested was in the balloting for street commissioner. Salem D. Charles, the

vote of 42,690 to 19,861. No mayor was elected this year, and because of that fact the campaign lacked a great deal of interest. Of the thirteen aldermen elected ten were democrats. Alderman J. H. Curley, who is serving two months' sentence in jail, was reelected. Curley was convicted of impersonating another man at a civil service

The next common council will consist of twenty-six republicans and forty-nine democrats.

examination.

### COLUMBUS FEARS THE DROUTH Scioto River May Freeze Solid and People Are Warned to Hoard Water.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 14 .- Drouth has lowered the Scioto river to a low stage and the river, from which Columbus secures its water supply, is today frozen nearly solld.

The situation has alarmed the water works officials and Superintendent O'Shaunessy today issued a warning to the people to hoard their water supply and fill their cisterns while there is an opportunity, as, if the river is completely frozen, as now seems possible, the water supply will be cut off. All the fire cisterns are being filled to the brim.

#### FORMER MAYOR IS NOW FREE All Indictments Against Dr. A. A. Ames of Minneapolis Have Been Dismissed.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 14 .- Dr. A. A. ench today granted the motion of Special ments for bribery and corruption against fused to redeem their policies when prethe much-tried mayor be dismissed.

# COLD RUSSIA'S ALLY

Csar Depends Upon Winter to Prevent Further Advance of Japanese.

RUSHING MORE MEN TO THE FRONT

Kouropatkin Will Have Half Million Before

Navigation Opens. WILL DRIVE JAPS BACK INTO COREA

General Staff Tells Row Big Victory Will

Be Achieved in the Spring.

AWFUL EFFECT OF DYNAMITE BOMBS Used in Hand Grenades the Explosive

> Produces Mutilation of Men and Great Destruction to Property.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 14.-The general taff apparently is entirely satisfied with he military situation in Manchuria, being convinced that the Japanese have reached their high tide. A high officer said to the

Associated Press today:

Awful Effect of Dynamite. BEFORE PORT ARTHUR, WITH THE secured the consent of the attorneys for THIRD ARMY, via Fusan, Dec. 14.-The efcases for the term in consideration for the weapon in the form of hand grenades is in the cases which have not yet been and unrecognized masses of flesh and bones. Fragments of hundreds of killed unearthed form the filled-in Russian trenches presented a scene of awful horror. The heavy timbers and steel plates of the bombproofs were torn to splinters by shells and dynamite.

WITH THE THIRD JAPANESE ARMY, via Fusan, Dec. 14.-The work of removing the dead from the slopes and crest of 203 Metre hill has been completed on the north side. The south slopes are still covered with bodies buried under the debris of NEW YORK, Dec. 14 .- A double fatality trenches and bombproofs. The long lines on board the United States battleship lili- of Japanese dead laid out on top of the nois in the New York navy yard was nar- hill and the signes previous to interment rowly averted today when George Wash- presented an awful apearance. Most of ington, a negro seaman, shot and wounded the bodies were partially naked and

> Three Russian Ships Sunk. WASHINGTON, Dec. 14 .- The Japanese legation has received the following cable-

gram from Tokio; The commander of the naval artillery reports that the bombardment on the 13th was principally aimed at the arsenal and the torpedo depot at Tiger Tail and at steamboats in its vicinity. Torpedo depot abaze one hour. Three ships were destroyed and one was sunk, besides buildings being greatly damaged. Indirect bombardment upon Sevastopol staying outside harbor was suspended, owing to bad weather, which prevented observation.

Admiral Togo reports torpedo boat flotilla attacked the Sevastopol twice on the night of the 13th. The result is uncertain. Each time they met enemy's fierce fire and one of our torpedo boats, was disabled, but towed back, while three received one shot each. Our total casualties were only three men wounded. The commander of the naval artillery re-

wounded. The Sevastopol was the only battleship at Port Arthur to escape damage by the Japanese bombardment from 203-Metre hill. Official Japanese advices said that it appeared to be lying in the east harbor, that only the tops of its masts was visible to the Japanese gunners and that its hull was completely hidden by a hill,

An unofficial report circulated at Tokio sald that on December 9 Japanese torpedo boat destroyers had attacked the Sevastopol at the mouth of the harbor, but that the result of the attack was unknown. A dispatch from Tokio of December 11. conveying an official report, said that the

Sevastopol continued at anchor outside of was at that time inside the outer boom, which protected it against torpedo attacks In this connection it may be interesting to recall the fact that, according to the present commissioner, was returned to same dispatch, the whereabouts of the office by the democrats, defeating Guy W. Russian torpedo boat destroyers continued Emerson, his republican opponent, by a to be doubtful, and that it was thought they had taken shelter outside,

All Quiet at the Front. MUKDEN, Dec. 14.-Late dispatches received at headquarters from Port Arthur by the way of Che Foo declare that the situation there is by no means as desperate us it is represented by foreign newspaper dispatches. The line of main defense forte is unbroken and there is plenty of ammunition and food.

# "WILD CAT" SCHEME ENDS

Men Who Placed Fraudulent Fire Insurance Plead Guilty in Federal Court in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.-A crusade begun several months ago by government officials against the operation of "wild cat" insurance companies reached a successful termination today when Steven W. Jacobs and Charles J. VanAnden pleaded guilty to charges of operating a scheme to defraud by placing alleged fraudulent insurance policies and using the United States mails to conduct the frauds. Witnesses from all parts of the United States were present in the court today ready to testify that they had paid premiums on fire insurance which when their homes burned they were unable to collect. Jacobs and VanAnden will be sentenced December 27.

Shortly after the Baltimore fire last winter E. V. Durvat, one of the losers by the conflagration, complained to the federal authorities that he could not collect his in surance and an investigation was begun which resulted in the arrest of Jacobs and VanAnden. Several other persons who suffered losses in the Baltimore fire have been unable to collect on the policies issued by Jacobs and VanAnden. Besides those in Ames, former mayor of Minneapolis, is now Baltimore who were defrauded complaints a free man. Judge Elliott of the district have been made from over 100 different cities and towns throughout the country County Attorney Kerr that all the indict- that the two men awaiting sentence had resented for payment.