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OMAHA, THURSDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 16, 1905-TEN PAGES. ESTABLISHED JUNE 19, 1871. IOWA IS HARD HIT MUJIKS ARE AS GOOD AS ANY DEMANDS QUICE DISSOLUTION WOMAN IDENTIFIES HOCH SHAW MAY LEAVE CABINET Alleges that He is Man Who Coming Russian Zemsky Zabor Will Swindled Her in Land Be Elected by Manhood Resolution Introduced in House of Com-Rumor Has it He is to Retire to Nurse His Des Moines in Grasp of Coal Famine Deal. Suffrage. mons by Mr. Asquith. ·Boom for the Presidency. Despite Local Mines. CHICAGO Feb 15 -- Mrs Elsie Brucker ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 15 .-- M. Souvorin, of Chicago today created a scene at the PAUL MORTON MAY BE HIS SUCCESSOR ditor of the Novoe Vremya, discussing the TIME TO APPEAL TO THE PEOPLE nquest of Mrs. Marie Walcker-Hoch by SUFFERING OF POOR IS UNPRECEDENTED proposed assembling of the zemaky zabor exclaiming, "That's him, that's him," and quotes the view of a very high personage S.n. m -- 4 pointing her finger at Hoch. She Identified Liberal Leader Declares that Fiscal close to the emperor as outlining a plan Chairman Burton of Rivers and 9 a. m. 0 10 a. m. 2 11 a. m. 5 9 a. m. Hoch as a man who had swindled her out Deep Drifts Make it Impossible for Teams by which the outlying districts would be Harbors Committee Blocks Appro-Muddle Which Mennees Indusof \$15 two years ago on pretense of selling treated as are the colonies of the United 11 a. m. to Reach Coal Shafts. trial Interests Should printion for the Missouri her a farm in Michigan. Hoch smiled at 12 m 10 States, but maintaining the principle of unthe woman sarcastically, but sat still. In Be Settled. River Near Omaha. restricted suffrage declaring that the contrast to his nervousness at the opening MANY FARMERS ARE BURNING CORN mujik has as much right to yote as the of the inquest last week, Hoch today pre university graduate and saying it is LONDON, Feb. 15-In the House of Comsented a neat appearance and wore a self-(From a Staff Correspondent.) essential that the proceedings be conducted WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.-(Special Telemons today the debate on the address in rellant air. Hundreds of Towns Are Isolated and _ in Russia. This personage figures that the reply to the speech from the throne was When the hearing was resumed after the gram.)-There is a persistent rumor that zemsky zabor will consist of 1,500 members. of Fuel Has Advanced. interruption Coroner Hoffman announced Leslie M. Shaw, secretary of the treasury, esumed by Mr. Asquith (liberal and former Upon the question as to when the zemsky will leave the cabinet toward the close of that the expert medical testimony would home secretary) who moved the following zabor will be initiated he made no definite Product. the year and will be succeeded by either not be presented until next Monday, when amendment: SITUATION IN WESTERN NEBR statement saying the date had not been We humbly present to your majesty that the various aspects of the fiscal question have been fully discussed in the country for nearly two years and that the time has come for submitting the question to the people without further delay. George B. Cortelyou or Paul Morton. Secall the evidence regarding analysis of the determined upon, whether now or at the woman's stomach in connection with the theory of poisoning will be submitted. TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 15 -- The American retary Shaw will be a candidate for presiend of the war. dent in 1908. Iowa will present him as its lutter Refining company, with an author-Temperature is Rising Slowly, # 11:40 p. m.-In spite of Emperor Nicholas' Police Inspector Shippey was a witness favorite son. The talk that President ized capital of \$17,000,000, was incorporated personal inclination in favor of the zemaky Many Points Will Remain Cut 0 Roosevelt will be the nominee of the rehere today, to produce and deal in milk, today. He told in detail statements made zeabor, as intimated to Count Leo Deonfrom Outside World for butter and food products and to acquire by Hoch in the presence of witnesses after Mr. Asquith supported this demand for publican party is wholly discounted, vitch Tolstoi, the imperial decision to sumfact there is good ground for believing the business and plants of other incorpora Several Days. an immediate dissolution of Parliament being brought here from New York. Acmon this parliament has not yet been taken. that the president will become the presitions, firms and individuals. The capital with some remarks on the wide fiscal gulf cording to Inspector Shippey, Hoch admit-The emperor is carefully weighing arguseparating the unionist factions. ted marrying eleven times. Five of the dent of Harvard university, his alma mater, stock is divided into \$2,000,000 preferred. ments for and against the plan before comwith 6 per cent non-cumulative dividend, in 1909. Matters have so far progressed DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 15 .- Continued, Turning to Premier Balfour, Mr. Asoulth wives died within a year after marriage. mitting himself to this course. This stateand \$15,000,000 common stock. The incorpo as to make this almost an assured fact. unrelenting cold and snow which has asked him to give a monosyllable answer Inspector Shippey said that he had a ment is made upon the authority of perhaps rators are Walter E. Hohe, Beverly R. practically put an end to business and whether there was any practical differong written statement signed by Hoch Waiting on Hubbard. the most liberal of the emperor's ministers, tied up all trains entering Des Moines and Robertson, E. Theo and I. Thygeson, all ence between his and Jospeh Chamberlain's which would be turned over to the state's Congressman Thomas is anxious to bring who this evening informed the Associated of Jersey City. traversing the state, have placed the entire fiscal policies, but the premier maintained attorney to be used in prosecuting the about the selection of Archie Smith o Press that the question remains under concity and state at the mercy of a coal and silence defendant Storm Lake as successor to J. U. Samsideration at the Tsarskoe Selo. "I myself The incorporation of the American Butter fuel famine. But one dealer in Des Moines Henry Schwanzala identified Hoch as a mis as revenue collector, but there is a have frankly urged upon his majesty," the Confusion Mennees Industry. man who, under the name of "John disposition on the part of the delegation has hard coal for sale and that at a price minister said, "the view that the time has The speaker then declared that Mr. almost above the reach of the consumer. Schulz," had married Mrs. Marie Becker to hear what Representative-elect Hubcome when the people should no longer be Chamberlain was also becoming inoculated process butter trust Drifts between the city and the coal fields in St. Louis in 1863. Mrs. Becker was the bard has to say about the matter, and it denied a voice in the government, and the with the "malaria of ambiguity" and added "We had heard rumors of such a trust." render teaming almost impossible, thereby mother-in-law of Schwanzala. Not long 1s expected no recommendation will be same counsel has been given by many that this intolerable confusion menacing cutting off the soft coal supply In many said Charles Harding of the Aarding Cream after the marriage, the witness stated, his made to fill the vacancy when it occurs others, who, like me, believe that the modand perilous to industry and the empire sections of the state farmers are burning until Hubbard expresses himself. mother-in-law was taken ill and died. erate liberal element, which has been driftcould only be cleared up by a prompt and corn for fuel. Hundreds of Iowa towns, 'When I went to St. Louis to attend the Bullock Bringing Cowboys. ing away, can thus be rallied to the supdirect appeal to the people. iess. I should not wonder if it would be lature today. isolated because of the stagnant condition funeral," said Schwanzala, "Charles Rein-Seth Bullock, famous in the Black Hills port of the government. His majesty re-Austen Chamberlain, the chancellor of of railroad service, are actually suffering. possible to control that branch of butter | For the first time this session the cry hardt, a brother-in-law, told me that the ceived our views sympathetically and I becountry and superintendent of the forest the exchequer, replying taunted the lib-Fuel has advance in price to a considerable doctor who attended my mother-in-law reserve, is coming to Washington with Heve is personally inclined to adopt the erals with asking the country for a mansaid that her death looked suspicious and fifty cowboys from western South Dakota extent and will be unobtainable at any course we suggest. He now is carefully dedate to stimulate bounty-fed competition that in his opinion she died of arsenic and eastern Wyoming to attend inauguraprice in the event the cold weather conliberating upon the subject. It is no secret, with British manufacturers and to mainpoisoning. My brother-in-law and myself tion. These fifty men will be representatinues. however, that powerful influences about his tain a system of free imports without a Des Moines charitable associations have believed that Hoch was a decent man and tive cattlemen and will be part of the esmajesty are pressing the contrary view and free exchange. The opposition's policy, tssued an appeal to the public for aid in had no idea that our mother-in-law had cort to the president. Representative Maradvancing strong arguments which cannot the way of fuel and food. The Associated he added, was to shut its eyes to all that been poisoned. Chronic nephritis was given tin of South Dakota saw the president tolightly be thrust aside, even if the decision Charities of Des Moines, which practically was passing in the rest of the world and talists." as the cause of death at the coroner's inday, as well as the inaugural committee, is finally favorable. Precipitation is imposcling to the ancestral traditions of sixty looks after all the poor of the city in a cling to the ancestral traditions of sixty quest. After my mother-in-law's death for the purpose of securing a proper posi-years ago. The government desired a free Hoch said that he intended to rent a flat tion in the line of march. sible, although the people, who are laboring public appeal says that never before in the under the stress of excitement, seem to hand to negotiate fiscal matters with for- and stay in St. Louis. He presented my tion in the line of march. history of the association has there been Congressman McCarthy, as soon as he forget that for such a sweeping innovation eign countries and the colonies and an wife with the wedding rings of her mother. such intense suffering as that called to can receive unanimous consent, will entime is necessary to formulate and elabounfettered conference of the latter to see Two days later I received a letter stating the attention of this body in the past week deavor to pass the bill defining the boundrate the scheme for the electorate, composiif a closer union could not be promoted of the unbroken cold. ary line between Union county, South Dathat Hoch had left St. Louis without paytion and functions of the body. between Great Britain and the other parts ing the doctor's bill or funeral expenses." kota, and Dakota county, Nebraska. Great Western Train Derailed. "Reasons of state also exist which might of the empire. Senator Millard today recommended the A southbound Great Western passenger make it inadvisable to summon such a body Mr. Asquith's amendment to the reply to LIVELY FIGHT FOR CONTROL appointment of A. O. Reis as postmaster train pulled by three engines was partially during the continuation of the war since the speech from the throne was discussed at Richard, Sarpy county. ditched at Norwoodville, north of Des the government is unitedly of the opinion at the evening session. Sir Edward Grey Policyholders and Stockholders of Moines, late this afternoon. There were that peace is impossible now. But if the Pension for Mrs. Frederick. no injuries. The snowplow on the first zemsky zeabor is to be convened at the said that next to a foundation of force, a Equitable Life Assurance Senator Millard has obtained for Mrs. foundation of taxes was the weakest upon engine tore up the track, ditching the third conclusion of the war a proclamation should Helen A. Frederick, widow of General C. Society Will Lock Horns. which an empire could be built. The presbe issued now." engine and a day coach. H. Frederick, a pension of \$s per month. Weather conditions in Iowa today favored It is understood that one of the arguent suspense, he said, was bad both po Mrs. Frederick will receive about \$250 back the refining company. the efforts of the railroads to raise the ments used by the court party against the litically and materially. A moral obligation NEW YORK, Feb. 15 -- The movement to pension. This is a forerunner of a bill rested on the government to appeal to the take the control of the Equitable Life Asrevival of the zemsky zeabor is the fact blockade of the last few days and with which Senator Millard will introduce in another twenty-four hours of similar con- that the party in old days wielded immense. surance society from the stockholders and country the next session of congress to give an ditions passenger service will be fully re- power, being itself responsible for the eleplace it with the policy holders is to be The debate was adjourned. adequate opension to General Frederick's Aged Author of Ben Hur Passes vation of the Romanoff dynasty to the taken up by the board of directors tomorsumed and freight traffic much improved. Second Cabinet Meeting. widow. throne, and therefore it might even underrow. Representative Hinshaw has been suc All trains in Iowa were still belated. The discussion was robbed of interest At that meeting two petitions will be pretake, if again called into being, to elect a

Coal Supply Low.

BUSTER BROWN'S GHOST

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new ruler. CRESTON, Ia., Feb. 15 .- (Special.)-There is anxiety among the coal men in this city of a famine should the freight blockade on gailroads continue a few days longer. One dealer reports His supply of soft coal very low and that it would be exhausted within three days. The supply of hard were immediately met. The question of the coal supply for the

Burton Blocks Appropriation.

NEBRASKA WEATHER FORECAST VOTES FOR INQUIRY Fair Thursday; Colder in West Por-tion, Friday Fair and Colder in East Portion. House Decides to Investigate Disposition of Temperature at Omaha Yesterday: Norfolk Asylum Appropriation. Deg 2 p. m..... 13 LIVELY DEBATE OVER THE RESOLUTION 3 p. m 10 4 p. m 5 p. m..... 6 p. m.... Author Denies Intention to Make Political 7 p. m Capital Out of It. S p. m 9 p. m..... 15 - Indicates below zero. SHRECK FRATERNAL BILL IS KILLED NEW PROCESS BUTTER TRUST Debate Over the Measure the Most Ani-Company Formed in New Jersey with mated of the Session. Big Capital to Control a

SPEAKERS ARE PERSONAL IN REMARKS

Junkin Anti-Trust Bill After Being Amended Recommended for Passage by Committee of the Whole in House.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Feb. 15 .- (Special Telegram.)-The adoption by the house of Jones' resolution for an investigation of the expenditure of the \$100,000 appropriated by the last

legislature for repairs at the Norfolk asylum, the recommendation for passage of Refining company is regarded in Omaha the Junkin anti-trust bill, amended so as butter circles as an attempt to form a to exempt from its operations native Nebraska corporations, and the defeat in the senate of the Shreck bill, vesting control

of fraternal insurance societies in 95 per company, "The name of it indicates that cent of the membership, were among the t will confine itself to the process busi- most important transactions in the legis-

making, for it is confined to a compara- of party politics was raised in the house adopted the Jones resolution, demanding

All But One Out of Office.

Only one member of the board under which this act was to be carried out is now in office. That is State Treasurer Mortensen. The remainder of the board consists of new members. Former Attorney General Prout, a member of the old board and one of a committee sent east in the interest of the proper expenditure of this appropriation, was an interested spectator in the house throughout the course of the debate.

While protesting good faith and no desire to create political capital, Jones, in his impassioned appeal to the house to adopt the resolution warned the republican members that if they turned down meeting had no connection with Parlia mentary affairs. There is a rumor that it was owing to the receipt of important dispatches from the far east connected with

The latest reports from Poland indicate the strike situation at Warsaw and Lodz is exhausting itself. At several places in southern Russia, however, individual strikes are reported, notably at the locomotive works of Kharkoff, but the men's demands

bers to the lobbies. It is believed that the meeting had no connection with Parlia-other declaring it to be see opinion of the

cabinet meeting, which sat for two hours during the evening. A second cabinet president and two of the four vice presimeeting in one day is unusual and cre- dents, one petition asking that the control ated great curiosity and an exit of mem- of the society be taken from the stockhold-

by the unexpected calling of a second

cessful in securing a pension for Edgar W. Harver of Utica, Seward county, at \$12 per nonth, with about \$900 back pension.

outside of the packing houses, are not of

tively small number of large houses. Not this morning when, on the grounds of its nearly so much process butter is made in duty to clear from the taint of suspicion Omaha now as a year or two ago. Two the State Board of Public Lands and of the incorporaters. Walter E. Hohe and Buildings, after a highly animated discus-Beverly R. Robertson, are prominent proc- sion, which occupied nearly the entire foreess butter men in the east and are capi- noon, the house, by a vote of 60 to 30, The number of process butter makers in | an investigation of the action of the state Omaha has been decreased in the last year, board in expending the \$100,000 appropriated several of the smaller houses dropping out. by the legislature two years ago for the Armour's and Cudahy's plants in South repair and rebuilding of the wing of the Omaha make a great deal of process but- Norfolk Insane asylum, damaged by fire. ter. Most of the butter men in the city The speaker thereupon appointed Jones of had heard nothing of the American Refin- Polk (fus.), Windham of Cass and Howe ing company. They believe such a trust of Nemaha, a farmer, lawyer and banker,

will have little if any effect on the local as the committee on investigation. situation. The process butter makers here.

sufficient importance to be taken up by such a corporation. The packing houses are too large to be controlled unless they are among the parties interested in forming

GENERAL LEW WALLACE DEAD

Away at His Home at Crawfordsville, Ind.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 15-Surrounded by his family, General Lew

al is plentiful. Coal for Creaton is within fifty miles of the city, but the inability of iron industry of the south is growing daily the railroads to handle freight the last few traffic can be enforced within a few days, which will relieve the possibility of a coal famine

Burlington Abandons, Branches, BURLINGTON, Ia, Fet. 15.-Confronted by apparently unsurmountable conditions, Burlington railroad officials today abandoned offorts to run trains on branch lines out of Burlington. Only main line trains are moving. The mercury today stood at 14 below zero.

May Have No Floods.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 .- The sweather bureau today issued a special bulletin saying that a rapid alternation of snowstorms and cold waves during the last three months, with practically no prolonged intervals of thawing weather, has covered the watersheds of the Missouri, Ohio and middle Atlantic and New England states with an unusual depth of snow and filled the streams with heavy ice that has at cost many lives. points formed gorges that will, under certain conditions, cause serious damage. Notwithstanding these threatening conditions comparatively listle damage will result, provided the spring be so cool as to allow the ice to break and move out of the streams gradually and the snow to pass away in quantities not greater than the water courses are capable of safely transporting.

If heavy rains and high temperatures should suddenly come with this large snow covering, disastrous floods will result.

Expect Higher Temperature

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 15-The following temperatures were reported today: Kansas City, 2 below zero; Concordia, Kan., 2 below; Wichita, Kan., 4 above; Oklahoma City, 16 above. A further rise in temperature in this section is predicted for tomorrow.

PEORIA, Feb. 15 .- The thermometer at the government weather station has risen to 8 degrees below zero. The indications are that the cold wave is broken. Railway traffic is, however, still interfered with. Train is Stalled.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 15 .-- Passengers on westbound Central train were compelled to walk nearly two miles into Farmington last evening to escape spending the night in a cold passenger coach attached to a "dead" train. Owing to the excessive cold the engine refused to steam and it was impossible to get aid to the beleaguered

Business Interrupted in the North. LA CROSSE, Wis., Feb. 15 .- On account of the intense cold little out side work being done here and most of the freight trains leaving La Crosse have been discontinued. The thermometer today registered 16 to 22 degrees below zero. Angeles police:

Thirteen Trains Snowed In. MADISNON, Wis., Feb. 15 .-. Thirteen trains are stuck in snowdrifts between here and Montfort. The company today sent aut an enormous rotary plow to relieve the snowbound trains, on which there are a member of his force to bring him back to several members of the legislature. adcrable excitement and curiosity over the arrival of a ship in the harbor with traces of snow still on its deck. The people rushed to the docks to see it, as it was a October 25, when he disappeared. distinct novelty-something that many had never seen before.

Farms Are Isolated.

WEST POINT, Neb., Feb. 15.+(Special.) I'p to yesterday morning the temperature rose slowly in this portion of the state and travel In the country districts was beoming possible; the wind suddenly rose to a gale from the northwest and has drifted the snow still more. Many remote

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more critical. The possibility that the days has allowed the soft coal supply to be strikers of privately owned railroads will liable is known on the subject. greatly reduced and some fear exists. There demand the increase accorded to the men has been a letting up of the blizzard and it employed on the government roads is inis hoped that the resumption of freight dicated by the action of the office force of the Moscow-Kieff road who have presented an ultimatum to that effect, but altogether the outlook continues to improve.

in Securing Wandering Grocer

in California.

Bishop Conaty has positively

the east.

COUNTESS EJECTS HER NURSE Contest for Child of the King of Saxony Takes Dramatic

Turn. LODZ, Feb. 15 .- The situation here is FLORENCE, Italy, Feb. 15 .- The affairs becoming serious. Fewer men were workof the Countess Montignoso (former wife ing today. There is much suffering among of King Frederick Augustus of Saxony) the families of strikers. The director of took a dramatic turn today. For some time the Coates Thread mills at his own expense the countess has suspected that her Geris daily giving dinner to the workmen's man nurse, Mahote, was planning to abduct children, of whom 250 were present today, the little Princess Anna Monica Pia and The governor himself admits that the conplace her in the care of her father, the ditions are very grave. He is anxious to avoid bloodshed, but fears, it will be diffiking. Today under pretext that the German consul was waiting to see the nurse cult. He has peremptorily ordered soldiers at the gate of the villa where the countess to refrain from exciting animosity of the is residing, the latter led Mahote to the strikers and that they must not shoot ungate. Then quickly pushing the nurse outless first attacked. The attitude of the strikers shows increasing hostility. The side and closing and locking the gate, the governor fears that it will be necessary countess cried; "Go to your master, spy." Entering the house the countess ordered all finally to proclaim martial law and this probably will end the strike, but it may of Mahote's belongings thrown out of the window to the street. The nurse protested

The manufacturers are hesitating and against the electment, but unavailingly, and unable to report an agreement with regard later applied to a locksmith to aid her in re-entering the villa, saying she had lost to concessions. The large mills remain closed. The situation tonight appears to her key. The locksmith declined. Failing to enlist the locksmith's assist. be most grave and unless the deadlock is

shortly broken the outlook for a settleance, Mahote went to Dr. Koerner, the Dresden lawyer who came here recently ment is extremely discouraging. to demand that the Countess Montignoso relinquish the custody of the Princess ... non POKING FUN AT UNITED STATES to King Frederick Augustus and he in

Russian Editor Gets Sarcastic When company with the German consul, returned Referring to Senate's Action. with her to the villa, where they found all ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 15 .- The Novoe

the doors bolted and even the beliwires cut Vremya, in a sarcastic editorial on the Dr. Koerner appealed to the police, but action of the United States senate in conwas told that they could not enter a pri nection with the arbitration treaties, pokes vate house without the order of a court. fun at the alleged attempt of the United The people in the vicinity of the villa States to take the leadership in the world's have been intensely interested in the royal diplomacy. The editorial reviews the plan domestic drama and many of them declare for preserving the administrative entity of they will personally oppose any attempt China, the proposed naval demonstration at violence against the former crown in Turkish waters, the establishment of the princess of Saxony. Republic of Panama and the proposition to

hold a second peace conference at the CHINA'S OFFICIAL PARLIAMENT Hague, "concluding with the cornucopia arbitration treaties," the whole idea of

Emperor Approves Plan Whereby which the paper says "finally met the fate Government Officials May Confer. which always overtakes a new fad. There-PEKING, Feb. 15 .- The emperor of China fore it is not to be wondered at that the has recently approved a memorial presenate declines to yield to a scheme which sented by the president of the board of revplaced the settlement of future disputes enenue, advising the establishment of official tirely in the hands of President Roosevelt." parliaments where matters of importance

oth foreign and domestic, can be dis-WILL SEND MAN FOR KELLY sussed by the chief metropolitan officials. members of the Hanlin college, the variour Philadlephia Police to Assist Family boards of censors and the grand secretaries This new council is not to hold discussions at regular intervals, but only when commanded by the emperor. Its consultations

will be carried on by correspondence and PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 15 .-- Captain Donnot verbally. thy of the detective department today re-The formation of this new so-called parceived the following telegram from the Los liament is regarded by the foreign community as entirely illusory, useless, but inter-

man under arrest as Owen Kelly, Adesting, as an indication that China now recognizes the inadequacy of the existing Captain Donahy at once sent a message government machinery. requesting the Los Angeles authorities detain Kelly and stating that he would send

PRUSSIA TO BUY COAL MINES Philadelphia. Detective Ducy will start for Upper House of the Diet Authorizes Purchase of Hibernia Property, Los Angeles tomorrow. Kelly is not wanted

by the police here, but his family and BERLIN, Feb. 15 .- The upper house friends have been searching for him since the Prusaian Diet has adopted the bill for the purchase of the Hibernia coal mines. LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 15 .- Owen The minister of commerce announced that he and the finance minister were averse

Kelly, the former wealthy grocer of Philadelphia, who was arrested on the streets to any general nationalization of coal mines, of this city Monday night, is still confined but the nationalization of the Hibernia in the city prison awaiting advices from mines was necessary to give the govern-

ment power over the coal syndicate. The police say that Kelly sits in his cell weeping constantly and appears to be on French Ambassador Leaves Turkey

the verge of nervous prostration. He has CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 15 .- M. Conasked for an interview with Bishop stans, the French ambassador, left Con-Conaty of this Roman Catholic diocese, stantinople for Paris today on a brief leave This is given as one of the reasons why Prof. Nash of the Ohio Pathological school, but so far it has not been arranged

of absence.

the stock as first vice president, would be Burton of the rivers and harbors committee the possibility of peace, but nothing reprejudicial to the welfare and progress of today, Chairman Burton is dead set against the society. doing anything for the Missouri river. He

sented to the board, each signed by thirty-

nine officers of the society, including the

said:

Supporters of each side to the was not the least dismayed when told that troversy were in conference today with their respective adherents. Mr. Hyde said river between Sioux City and Rulo was he had nothing to add to the statement liable to be wholly lost with any breakmade by him on Monday last, Mr. up. Mr. Burton told Mr. Scott it was a Alexander made a statement in which he

matter for private interests to look after the river and keep it within bounds.

The present movement is for the purpos The present movement is for the purpor of preserving through all future time t strength and prosperity of the society putting the power of voling for directo where it belongs, namely, in the benefic owners of the company—the policy holde It now rests in \$100,000 stock capital, Mr. Scott stated that the Illinois Central and Douglas street bridge and water works at Council Bluffs were in imminent danger and that the money spent by the govern ment on both sides of the Missouri at It now rests in \$100,000 stock capital, a majority of which is under control of James H. Hyde, the vice president. It needs no argument to demonstrate that such a power in the hands of one man is fraught with danger in the future. Eminent counsel have given an opinion that there is a remedy by action of the board of directors who can legally and constitutionally so amend the charter as to invest the policy holders with the right to vote. Omaha and Council Bluffs would be wholly lost if something was not done by the govriver. Burton, however, could not see the to the room. force of Mr. Scott's argument and the

Iowa and Nebraska delegations will go to the senate for help. Amending Banking Law,

vote Jacob Schiff of Kuhn, Loch & Co., one Senator Kittredge succeeded in passing a bill yesterday providing that stockholders of the directors of the Equitable Life Asin banks of \$25,000 capitalization, holding surance society, previously had firmly defive shares of stock could be made diclined to be drawn into public discussion of the question of the control of that so- rectors in said banks instead of having to clety, but in view of the statements which own ten shares as provided under existhave appeared in public print, Mr. Schiff ing law. Today Mr. Burke from the banktoday authorized the following: ing and currency committee made a favor

today authorized the following: The gist of the entire controversy is this: Mr. Alexander and his associates desire to secure control of the company and elect a board of trustees of their own making; those opposed to Mr. Alexander insist that if the colleyholders participate in the con-trol, they should be enabled to voic un-trammelled by the interference of the ex-cutive officers and that the latter be elected by and be reasonable to the board of trustees, rather than being made the masters of the board. able report on this bill. Colonel A. G. Stewart of Waukeen, Ia., who was recently appointed attorney general of Porto Rico, arrived in the city to day to receive instructions before departing for his post. He expects to be in Washington about ten days.

RELIGIOUS TEACHERS BUSY

Boston.

NO SHOW FOR PURE FOOD BILL Score of Meetings of Association Are Now in Progress at

Seasion Draws Near Close and Congress Has Much Work

ROSTON, Feb. 15 .- Numerous depart-

mental sessions, at which were delivered addresses dealing for the most part with (From a Staff Correspondent.) the religious education of the American WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 .- (Special.)-All expectation that the senate will pass the youth, made today a busy one for the delegates to the third annual convention of the

pure food bill at this session has been substantially abandoned. In a final effort to Religious Education association. Nearly a secure action a delegation called on Presiscore of meetings and conferences were dent Roosevelt last week and suggested held during the day and the second general that he send a special message to congress session of the convention was held tonight. Three different meetings were held during on this subject. The president is reported the forenoon. At 9 o'clock there was a dis to have assured the members of the dele-

cussion of the council of religious educagation that he sympathized with the movement to secure pure food legislation, but tion. At 10 o'clock a doint session of all there the matter ended. From information seventeen departments was held in the secured in administration circles it does Park Street church. Routine business was not appear probable that any effort will be transacted, including the adoption of rules made by the administration toward secur- for the convention and the election of committees. Addresses and a discussion fol-

lowed on the general subject, "The Place of Formal Instruction in Religious and Moral "that there will be no legislation on the Education." At noon there was a special session of the

department of correspondence and instrucgress. There is no time now to take up this important matter. But very few days tion. Dr. Frank W. Gunsalus of Chicago, remain before the expiration of this con- president of the Armour Institute of Techgress and the majority of the appropria- nology, was the principal speaker. tion bills are yet to be acted upon. Some The afternoon was devoted to departof these will be debated at considerable mental meetings, of which there were

length and the senate has also the im- fourteen, and the day concluded with the peachment proceedings against Judge second general session of the convention,

The second general session of the convencircumstances I can see no opportunity for it to devote the time to a discussion of tion tonight attracted an audience that That there is filled Tremont temple. President Charles food legislation. pure need of pure food logislation," he Cuthbert Hall presided. After a brief decontinued. "no one conversant with the votional service addresses were delivered on subject can deny. I hope and expect to see the general topic, "How Can We Develop such a law enacted by the Fifty-ninth con- in the Individual a Social Conscience?" grees."

In some quarters it is believed that the Chicago delivered an address on "Science activity of the so-called Whisky trust in as a Teacher of Morality." "The Ethical Education of Public Opinurging the passage of the pending bill and

in utilizing alleged statements by Govern- ion" was the title of a paper read by Presiment Chemist Wiley to advertise certain dent Henry S. Pritchett of the Massa-

proval of a number of senators who otherwise might be inclined to vote for the bill. Duhois of Atlanta (Ga.) university and no action is probable at this session

waning for several years and for months, despite the efforts of the family to keep the public in ignorance of his true condition, it has been generally known that millions spent on the revetment along the his vigorous constitution could not much longer withstand the ravages of a wasting disease. For more than a year he has been unable to properly assimilate food At no time has he ever confessed his be

Hef that the end was near, and his rugged constitution and remarkable vitality have been responsible for prolonging his life several months.

The deathbed scene was one of calmness Beside his physician, only his wife, his son, Henry Wallace of Indianapolis, and Mrs Wallace were present. Two grandchildren ernment to check the encroachment of the although in the house, were not admitted

When told by his physician that he was dying General Wallace was perfectly calm and his last words were expressions of cheer to his grief-stricken family, Bidding them farewell, he said: "I am ready to meet my Maker," and lapsed into unconsciousness from which he did not re over. No definite funeral arrangements have been made.

PRINCE HOUSE IN TROUBLE Chicago Broker Caught in May Wheat and Squeezed Out of Business.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15 .- Notice was posted to day on the Board of Trade that all open trades with E. H. Prince, a grain and pro vision broker, would be transferred. Mr. Prince said his suspension was only temporary. Transfer of his open trades, he mid, had been necessitated by the congested condition of the market for Mas wheat. Assets and liabilities were said not to be large. A branch office in Omaha was also closed.

The local branch of E. H. Prince claimed to have received no definite information as to the closing of the Chicago house. No trades were being received dur ing the morning, but the Western Union usual. E. Huntley is the local manager for Prince. It is the general impression the

house will close. CHILDREN BURN TO DEATH Woman of Kansas City, Kan., Locks Four Infants in Cabin and

Goes Shopping.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 15 .- Four negro chil dren were burned to death in Kansas City Kan., today. The dead:

RICHARD CARSON, aged 3 years, RANDALL LILLARD, 3 years, RANDALL LILLARD, # years, RALPH LILLARD, 2 years, ROBERTA LILLARD, 1 year, The mother of the children locked them the Lillard cabin and went shopping It is presumed that the children foun some matches and started the fire. They

were dead when the firemen arrived. Movements of Ocean Vessels Feb. 15.

At New York-Arrived: Kron Prinz Wil-heim, from Bremen; Finland, from Ant-werp. Sailed: Statendam, for Rotterdam; Sicilia, for Naples; Oceanic, for Liverpool; Heilig Olav, for Christiania. A: Queenstown-Arrived: Teutonic, from New York, Sailed: Overnia, for Boston. Hellig Overnia, for Boston. Lombardia, for New

At Genoa-Bailed: Lombardia, for Boston. At Genoa-Bailed: Lombardia, for New York; Cretic, fot Naples and Genoa. At Liverpool-Arrived: Logician, from New Orleans: Lonian, from St. Johns, N. B. Sailed: Baltic, for New York, At Alexandria-Arrived: Romany, from Boston:

At Yokohama-Arrived: Keemun, from Sailed for Beatty Tydeus,

At Antwerp-Arrived: Kroonland, from low York via Dover. At Bremen-Arrived: Kalser Wilhelm der At Bremen-Arrived, Failed irosse, from New York At Hong Kong-Arrived; Empress of fapan, from Vancouver, At Largairo-Arrived; Princes: Victoria At Largairo-Arrived; on cruise

Japan. Louise, from New York, on cruise

Leading republican members pleaded for the adoption of the resolution as a means of proving the honor and integrity of the state board and freeing its members from the suspicion of wrong-doing which might rest upon them since the question had been raised, if the resolution was not adopted.

Jones Gets the Floor.

Jones, Jouvenat of Boone and Perry of Furnas instantly were upon their feet when the order of resolutions and memorials was reached, each clamoring excitedly for recognition. The speaker recognized Jones, who immediately called for the reading of his esolution, introduced the previous day and laid over under the rules. Jones moved its adoption and Perry followed with a motion to table the resolution.

"I declare the motion to table at this time out of order, exclaimed the speaker, who insisted that Jones had not yet yielded the floor. Perry gave way and Jones proceeded.

"Mr. Speaker," began Jones, "I want it inderstood that no insincere motives actaated me in this matter. I have no person or body to censure. I introduced this resolution because I believed the money appropriated for this purpose was not properly expended. The legislature appropriated \$100.000 for one purpose; the State Board of Public Lands and Buildings expended that money for another purpose. Did the board overstep its authority? That is the question I want settled. The legislature ordered the board to repair and rebuild the old wing of the hospital. The board built three new cottages instead of rebuilding the old wing. Did the board have the right to thus openly and arbitrarily vielate the law? That is the question I want answered." After an appeal to the house for the adoption of the resolution, in which he grew fervent and eloquent, Jones concluded with the asgertion that he was not peeking a

sensation nor trying to make capital for his party, but was doing what he conceived to be the will of the taxpayers of the Perry took the floor and in a protracted and animated speech declared he did not

believe Jones understood the kind of resolution he was introducing. The resolution supplied the Chicago market quotations as said "it appears" that such and such is the case and Perry interpreted this to be a conclusive charge.

Motion to Table Lost

"The resolution asks the house to resolve that the board did not spend a dollar of this money as the law required," said Perry, "and then calls for the appointment of a committee to find out whether or not this is true."

Opposing the resolution on the grounds of this alleged inconsistency and declaring that if there was a wrong the proper mode of procedure was to bring a suit through the attorney general, Perry renewed his motion to table the resolution. This motion was lost by a vote of 51 to 39.

In explaining his vote under the roll call Jones took occasion to appeal once more for the adoption of the resolution, concluding his remarks thus:

"There is no politics in this resolution but let the members of this house vote it down if they will and then dare go before the people and make a campaign for Peelection on that ground. Remember your overpowering majority here, republicans and remember also that it's a long lans that has no turn."

Peabody and Wilson of Nemaha Pawnee, respectively, both explained their votes, calling for the investigation, Wilson taking the position that as there was some puestion as to this matter it would be highly improper if the legislature did not settle it once for all. He had no fears but that an investigation would result in the complete exoneration of the hoard.

Inckson of Antelope made a against the resolution, growing dramatio in his opposition. -

"I was at first willing to credit good faith to the gentleman who introduced

Swayne, so that under the most favorable | which was held at Tremont temple.

Prof. John M. Coulter of the University of

of their brands has met with the disap- chusetts Institute of Technology. Other speakers were Prof. William E.

Cambridge

ing this legislation at this time. "It is my opinion," said Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, in discussing this matter, subject of pure food by the present con-

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