

longed slege. The correspondent asserts that it will take a whole army to begin the Men slege and many months to capture the place, while the spirit of the garrison is such that many soldiers, tiring of the prospects of inactivity, have run away and joined the army in the field.

Russians Fear Humiliating Treaty. ST. PETERSBURG, June 17 .- The note of the Foreign office announcing that the meeting of the Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries was proceeding rapidly was strikers and J. V. Farwell, jr., who has printed without comment in the morning papers, but the press of all shades of kind for the employers.

opinion, in discussing Japan's probale terms, declares with particular unanimity the acceptance of humiliating conditions. In this the newspapers are upheld by public opinion, which is steering around to sup-

port of the war policy if Japan's terms prove too hard. Only the Nasha Ziesm advises Russia that it need not be alarmed at the payment of an indemnity, the cession of the island of Sakhalin, the continuation of its right to keep warships in far eastern waters or the surrender of Vladivostok, but the paper holds that Russia must

retain northern Manchuria and the Vladirailroad

Who Want an Increase in Pa; May Refuse to Handle Goods Delivered by Nonunion Drivers.

CHICAGO, June 17 .- Negotiations for the ending of the teamsters' strike were re opened late this afternoon, and on Monday a conference will be held between the been delegated to act in matters of this President C. P. Shea of the Teamsters'

union will not be a member of the comfor a continuation of the war rather than mittee which will meet Mr. Farwell, nor will any members of the old strike com mittee which was friendly to President Shea.

is reached on Monday that a strike of the score more injured. freight handlers employed in the railroad freight depots will result on July 1. This strike will be the result of the refusal of at the point named, it crashed into a double the freight handlers to touch goods hauled to the depots by nonunion men. At presthe engines were reduced to scrap iron, the ent the freight handlers are bound by a express and baggage cars were smashed contract which compels them to handle and a number of freight cars were splintit, but this agreement expires July 1. ered. The passenger coaches sustained lit-All of the freight handlers are asking the injury and almost without exception for an increase in wages amounting to 10 their occupants escaped with nothing worse per cent. No action has been taken on than a bad shaking up. The fatalities and injuries were of the rews of the engines and to workmen emthat a strike while the teamsters trouble ployed by the railroad. It is a remarkable is still on will aid both unions materially coincidence that these latter should have been at work repairing the damages caused east are not the Japanese, but the British of the freight handlers are, however, by a recent small freight wreck that occurred at Mount Hope station, near this city. They were on their way to their homes, in small towns along the Western hopes of reaching an adjustment with the Maryland, to spend Sunday. Not being regular passengers, they had boarded the The strike situation before the grand jury baggage car and engine. When the crash today developed nothing new. Promises came, the more fortunate, who were on the are still made by State's Attorney Healey engine, jumped or were thrown from the that a great sensation is forthcoming, but wain and were only injured. Those in the baggage car were terribly mangled and the crews of all three engines were killed. Fatal Fight with Sheriffs. The first relief train to reach here One man was instantly killed and two brought all the badly injured, and one who others dangerously wounded today by had died on the trip. Those taken from deputy sheriffs who were guarding nonthe wreck dead were taken to Westminster. union drivers of express wagons. The A dozen ambulances walted the arrival of dead; the relief train at the union station and FREDERICK HUCKSOLD, teamster, shot through the heart by a deputy sheriff. hurried the injured to hospitals as fast as they could, The injured: Although all the help that can possibly Frank Davis, fatally wounded by Frank Armstrong, conductor of an American Ex-Armstrong, conductor of an American Ex-press company wagon. Armstrong fired into a crowd which jeered him and the builet struck Davis in the abdomen, pass-ing entirely through his body. Armstrong was arrested. William White, a teamster, shot in the left side by Charles Hillman. The shorting of White and Hucksold or injured yet under the wfeckage. Those known to be dead thus far are; GEORGE / B. COVELL. Hagerstown, Md., engineer of passenger train, JOHN J. ST. LEDGER, fireman of passenger train SHOEMAKER, Hagerstown Md., fireman. WRIGHT, Hagerstown, Md., en The shooting of White and Hucksold occurred this afternoon at the intersection of gineer of one of the freight engines. JOHN CROUSE, Taneytown, Md., engi-neer ga one of the freight trains. DERR, conductor of freight Van Buren and Canal streets. The express wagon, in charge of Hillman and William Monroe, was blockaded by a numtrain. ber of union teamsters and White, who The following members of repair gang: JAMES GROSHON of Thurmont. CHARLES KELLY of Thurmont. WILLIAM SWEENEY of Thurmont. MCLELLAN SWEENEY of Thurmont. was one of them, called the deputies a number of names. Monroe placed him under arrest and a fight followed. Other teamsters ran up to protect White and

same no matter how many committees work on it. The teamsters' joint council strike."

Head End Collision on Western Mary land Road Near Balti-

cannot repeal the constitution of the Team sters' Brotherhood. The arrest and conviction of every strike leader would not alter the situation a particle. The men on strike decide on settlement or continuation of the

more.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 17 .- By far the

vorst wreck in the history of the Western Maryland railroad occurred this evening at a point about a quarter of a mile from

Patapaco, a small station between Westmin ster and Finksburg. At least eighteen peo-It is possible that unless some settlement ple are believed to have been killed and a

Passenger train No. 5, westbound, was running at a very high rate of speed, when header freight running east. All three of

the Spanish general Villar treated some starving Cuban refugees for whom Gomez EIGHTEEN KILLED IN A WRECK had collected funds, the young Ueutenant severed his connection with the Spanish army. He became so enraged at General

Villar's conduct that he struck the general. called him a coward, and from that time became an enemy of Spain. General in Ten Years' War. He joined the patriots in the insurrection

of 1868 and fought ten years, being Cuban commander-in-chief from 1873 to 1878, succeeding General Agramonte on the latter's As a guerilla commander he was death. unexcelled. His exploits during the war of independence are well known. From

Holguin, in the northern part of the province of Santiago de Cuba, where Gomez and Marti landed with fifty well armed men from a yacht, Gomez fought his way inch by inch up to the gates of Havana and into the province of Pinar del Rio, frequently crossing Spanish trochas of mili- in the army and in the press is that Ger- to be promoted to the grade of major gentary walls, when they were looked on as many, in a military sense, has now be-

impassable. He completely outgenerale

nan officials or residents. Indeed the German embassy is one of the most serene spots in the French capital and it has not been necessary to station even a police guard there Germany Reassures France.

BERLIN, June 17 .- 3:35 p. m .- The Forign office has, the Associated Press learns, elegraphed to Prince von Radolin, the German ambassador at Paris, during the last day or two in a sense that will be reassuring to French apprehensions if such were felt in the French cabinet. Ger many still presses France diplomatically for its acceptance of the proposal to hold conference of the powers on the subject of Morocco

The undoubted disturbance of feeling in Paris over Germany's policy is not traceable to anything actually aggressive that the German government has done or is preparing to do. It is probably due to the feeling of weakness that has suddenly arisen in France, since Admiral Rojestvensky lost the sea fight and the corresponding relative increase in German confidence since it has become evident that Russia need not for the present be reckoned with. The thought in the government,

eral Corbin's retirement equally. Mator General George L. Gillespie, assistant general of staff was today placed on the retired list of the army at his own equest. He will be succeeded by Major

the military secretary's office.

Some Worthless

Jewelry.

Reappointed Commander of

Northern Division.

Major General Corbin would successively

General Chaffee next April. General Cor-

bin becomes of retiring age in September

General John C. Bates. The War departfor a favorable turn soon. ment has announced that Brigadier General John P. Story, chief of artillery, is Assessment Figures Interest. Seven county auditors reported the aseral and will be immediately retired and sesiments to the state auditor's office tothat Brigadier General George M. Randall, day, making a total of thirty counties the ranking brigadier, will be promoted that have reported the assessments, Twenty out of the thirty show a slight increase in the valuation of the farm General Randall will be ordered to St. lands and the other ten show a decrease. When the returns first began to come Louis to command the northern division. in the showing was all for a decrease, but Colonel S. S. !"Ils of the artillery corps the returns now in, which comprise onehas been promoted to be brigadier general third of the state, show the other way. and chief of artillery, Colonel Thomas C. Lebo of the Fourteenth infantry is pro-

Census of Burlington, First of Large Cities to Be Completed, Shows WASHINGTON, June 17 .- An official anan Increase of Two ent today that Major John C. Bates and

Thousand.

serve as chief of staff with the rank of (From a Staff Correspondent.) leutenant general after the retirement of DES MOINES, Ia., June 17 .- (Special.)-Lieutenant Governor John Herriott of Guthrie county is in Chicago in a hos-1906, and General Bates in August, 1906, pital, where he has been for the past but the present plan contemplates that three weeks. There are fears that his General Bates, who will be the immediate successor to General Chaffee, will be retrouble is more serious than was first anticipated. Some weeks ago Governor tired in advance of the regular time, in Herriott went to Chicago, where he was order that he and General Corbin, who operated on in one of the hoswill succeed at the head of the army, may pitals there. He returned divide the time between the retirement hôme four weeks ago, when the wound did not of General Chaffee and the date of Genheal as it should have done, and it was necessary for him to return to Chicago. He has been there since and it is learned through one close to the family that considerable anxiety is felt over his condition, though his physicians are hopeful

guished himself at the battle of Tome when with twenty men he routed a much superior force of Haytians. When the Spaniards were driven from the island, Gomez went with the Spanish troops to Cuba and for a time was in garrison at Santiago Later disgusted at the manner in which

ouncement was made at the War depart-

The Bourse Gazette, which draws a gloomy picture of Russia's relations with France, Great Britain, Germany and Aus- the domands by the railroads as yet, but tria, the Novoe Vremya and the reaction- the freight handlers are of the opinion ary Sviet sound hostile notes against the United States. The Novoe Vremya feiterates that Russia's chief enemies in the far in getting what they want. The officers and Americans, on account of their com- strongly opposed to a strike, and President mercial rivalry, while the Sviet objects to C. P. Flannery of the Freight Handlers' Washington as the place of meeting for union stated tonight that he had strong the plenipotentiaries, declaring that the atmosphere there is unfriendly and asserting i railroads without calling a strike. that Russia's representative will be sub-

jected to prejudicial influences in "the capital of the enemy's ally." All the papers comment on the retire ment of Grand Duke Alexis from the office he declines to discuss the details. of high admiral, and a general feeling of

relief is manifested at the fact that the present naval regime is ended.

Japanese Agent at New York.

were assaulting Hillman and Monroe when

the former drew his revolver and fired

several shots. One of them struck White

in the side, inflicting a serious wound, and

another passed through the heart of Huck-

sold, who was a passenger on a Van Bu-

ren street car. He jumped up from his

seat to watch the fight just in time to meet

Murder Charges May Be Result.

Admission is made by State's Attorney

Healy that the grand jurors have found

Golden Heads Revolt.

the bullet from Hillman's revolver.

NEW YORK, June 17 .- K. Takahashi, the financial agent of Japan, who looked after the flotation here of his country's war loans, has received dispatches from the imperial minister of finance summoning

him to Tokio at once. He will leave New York June 24 and sail for home on July 3. Mr. Takahashi will appear before the imperial cabinet immediately upon his return to Tokio and confer with the officials upon the advisability of making further large loans in foreign markets in the event that peace then seems assured. If these plans are carried out it will be with the object of making ready for business conditions which will follow the cessation of hostilities.

Mr. Takahashi said he believed that a new loan, made either in America or England, could be placed at as low a rate as 4 per cent.

In the event of a continuance of hostilities a new loan to carry on the war doubtless will be made within three months. About \$140,000,000 of the foreign loan remains on deposit, divided between the banks of America and England.

The financier expressed great admiration for the negotiations in the direction of ending the war inaugurated by President Roosevelt.

Generals Prepare to Meet.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE RUSSIAN ARMY, GODZYADANI, Manchuria, June important evidence apparently corroborat 17 .- It is learned from an authoritative source that negotiations toward as armistice are under way.

Manager Denies Story.

LONDON, June 17 .- A. S. Williams, manager of the Royal Mail Steam Packet com- If an indictment is voted as a result the pany, in an interview with a representa- alleged conspirators are likely to be tive of the Associated Press today said the report that the company contemplated placing a line of passenger steamers be- of so-called "wrecking crews." tween Southampton and New York was erroneous. He said that this service WAS already more than provided for and that his company would not attempt to compete with the big concerns now engaged in that trade.



FRANK SWEENEY of Thurmont, HARRY SWEENEY, brother of McClel CHARLES T. MILLER of Thurmont.

GUY LYNN of Middleburg. L. D. RITE, Hagerstown, Md. T. C. LYNCH, Middleburg, Md. ONE UNIDENTIFIED MAN. WEAVER REMOVES OTHER MEN

Thirty Employes of Philadelphia's Bureau of Health Are Dia-

missed from Service.

PHILADELPHIA, June 5.-The only deing the report that the strike is, partly relopment of importance in Mayor at least, the result of a conspiracy di-Weaver's crusade for good government was rected against the firm of Montgomery Ward & Co. by other employers and by the diamissal of thirty employes in the bureau of health. labor leaders involving the payment of

\$30,000 in installments of \$10,000 and \$20,000. Mayor Weaver today issued a statement bearing upon the letter signed by twentyone business men and addressed to Sheriff charged with being responsible for one Miles, chairman of the republican' city or more murders growing out of attacks committee, urging the committee to reform the republican party. The letter

suggested that new nominations be made for the fall election.

George F. Golden, who with a number of George F. Golden, who with a number of others was until recently a stanch Shea adherent, it developed today, is the one who made the motion in the council pro-viding for a new committee to be appointed at Monday night's meeting. Golden is the business agent of the packing house team-sters' union and former president of the sters' union and former president of the teamsters' joint council. Hugh McGee, formerly one of the chief heutenants of Shea, openly advocated peace today. "I know that terms which were accept-able to the majority of small leaders and to the rank and file were offered a week ago by the employers," he said. "Overtures made by the teamsters were reciprocated by a stanch status or many be on their guard against-government may be on their guard against-The mayor's statement in part follows:

reciprocated by a certain prominent memher of the Commercial exchange. The set-

tlement proposed, to be sure, was considerable of a compromise for the teamsters, but it was agreed upon. The teamsters are the order dismissing the health bureau employes. The mayor will make an investigagatting tired of Shea's doings." The question of financing the strike has tion of the bureau before putting his order become more and more a burden. To pay into effect.

Marshals De Campos and Weyler, winning victory after victory under the most disadvantageous conditions, and though he was a very sick man. power.

After Cuba obtained its independence there is no doubt that Gomez could have been elected president, but he refused to accept the nomination and declined a pension. Gomez was of great service to the American authorities in bringing about a settlement of the demands of the disbanded

Cuban soldiery who were clamoring for ar-

Death Due to Gangrene.

rears of pay.

In May last General Gomez underwent at Santiago an operation as the result of the spread of gangrene in an abcess in his hand. For a time his life was despaired of and his family was summoned to Santiago, but the general recovered sufficiently to be moved to Havana June 7 on a special train. Until the morning of June 16 he showed signs of improvement and hopes were cntertained for his recovery. From that time on the general failed until the end came. General Gomez's last public appearance was at Havana March 23 last, on the occasion of the visit of the American squadron be used is at hand, there are dead and to that port. He was the first speaker at the luncheon given at the National to the American officers and eulogized the United

States, adding that the Cubans would not forget their obligations to the great republic There is some uncertainty as to the year and month of his birth, some references

placing it at November 18, 1836, and others at August 25, 1826.

NATIONAL BANK FOR STANTON Comptroller of Currency Approves **Conversion** of **Present**

Institution.

WASHINGTON, June 17 .- (Special Telegram.)-The comptroller of the currency today approved the conversion of the Citizens bank of Stanton, Neb., into the Stanton National bank, with \$50,000 capital. Rural carriers appointed: Nebraska-Brunswick, routes 1 and 2, Arthur W. Gunthrope, carrier; Engbert Nagel, substitute.

Oxford, route 1, William C. Kneeshaw, carrier; George R. Kneeshaw, substitute. Iowa -Adair, route 2, John Fisher, carrier; Amanda E. Fisher, substitute. Walnut, route 1. Marshall L. Tilton, carrier; Mrs. Lillie Tilton, substitute. Postmasters appointed: Iowa - Hanley,

Madison county, Laura E. Glasgow, vice P. F. James, resigned. Wichita, Guthrie county, Perry E. Moore, vice Isaac Mann, resigned. Wyoming-Marion, Uinta county, Benjamin C. Lamb, vice Emma N. Phillips, resigned.

The salary of the postmaster at Walnut, In., has been increased from \$1,300 to \$1,300.

DUNNE WOULD BUILD ROADS Chicago Mayor Will Ask for Authority to Lay 100 Miles of Track to

Be Operated by City.

CHICAGO, June 17 .- Major Dunne will, n Monday night, ask the city council to uthorize the commissioner of public works to advertise for bids to construct and fully equip 100 miles of street railway, to be

operated for and by the city of Chicago The democratic members of the local transportation companies have promised the mayor that they will support his rec-ommendation on the floor of the council chamber. The mayor desires that the construction of the municipal stret rail-ways shall be commenced just as soon as the validity of the certificates issued under the Muelier isw, from the sale from which the money to finance the street rail-ways is to come, have been determined by the state supreme court. It is also his ence with President Roosevelt today Attransportation companies have promised

continent, and that be ing so, France and every other continental power should recognize that in diplomacy to fill the vacancy in the grade of major also Germany has risen to the first place. general. and must be dealt with as the paramount



Government Wins Big Point in Its Investigation of the General Paper Company.

MILWAUKEE, June 17-The General

Paper company, sued by the government to determine whether it is a trust in re-Induces Him to Loan Surplus Cash on straint of trade, has lost its contention be fore the United States circuit court that it should not be compelled to produce its books to supply evidence in response to the prosecution's search for evidence. United States Circuit Judge Seaman rendered the decision.

Attorney James D. Flanders, representing the paper company, says he will carry the matter to the circuit court of appeals with out delay and the company probably will continue to resist the attempts of the government's attorizey pending 4 final adjudication of the matter.

The government is completely victoriou in its contention, except that the books which are to be produced under the court's order shall not pass out of the possession of the defendant. The decision will be all-important in future prosecutions of trusts, as well as in the case at hand. The objection of irrelevancy was raised so frequently that the examination ceased to make progress, save for information which the prosecution had succeeded in getting reality almost worthless. from other sources, and the court was finally asked to make the defense answer and produce books showing the profits made, the expenses of the corporation, the manner of its organization and the like.

GOVERNMENT CANAL IS OPENED of the city jail, for he was arrested by Officer Vanderford. He was charged with Water Runs in First of Lines Conobtaining money under false pretences.

structed by the Interior Department,

RENO, Nev., June 17 .- With the opening of the Truckee-Carson canal below Reno today, the first irrigation systems constructed by the government under the reclamation act, a new area was opened for Nevada and the entire west.

The main canal runs from Derby, fifteen miles east of Reno, on the Truckee river, to a point ten miles above Lecteville, on the Carson river, a distance of thirty-one miles.

The entire system, as projected, will not be completed for nine or ten years, and will cost about \$9,000,000. After the initial work is finished and the first section of land is placed under irrigation the remainder of the project will be carried out with the proceeds of the sale of government land adjacent to the ditches and the sale of water to the settlers who are ex-



Cherokee Lost in Population. Cherokee county, which has reported to moted to be brigadier general in the place the executive council complete census reof General Randall and retired and is

succeeded by Colonel Arthur Wagner of turns, shows a loss. Five years ago the census was 16,570 and this year the returns show 15,968, a loss of 612 for the RAHN'S SYMPATHY EXPENSIVE entire county.

Will Hold Legislative Seat. Representative Emory English, who was elected from this county, but has since gone to Mason City to edit the Times-Herald, was in the city today and stated that he would not resign his seat in the

It cost Adolph Rahn, 424 North Sixlegislature. He has sold his house in teenth street, \$3.50 last night to show a Valley Junction, but says he will retain his fraternal spirit toward B. F. Jones, 2223 legal residence here and will live here with his family this winter and until Farnam street, who represented himself as a member of his lodge and as being the legislature closes. in need of financial assistance. Jones was

Burlington's Census,

working in connection with a phony It was announced today that the census jewelry man when he ran across Rahn of Burlington was confplete and that this and appealed to his sympathles. He said was the first large city in the state for that he had just arrived from the east, which the census is officially completed. but was out of money, and that he had a The population of Burlington is shown to trunk at the depot with the greater part be 25,310, which is a gain of 2,109 over of his earthly possessions in it. He repthe federal census in 1900. Des Moines. resented that it would cost \$3 to secure county, in which it is located, shows 37,the trunk and 50 cents to have it hauled. 66, a gain of 1,377. Outside of the city Rahn's heart was touched and he gave the of Burlington there was a loss in popula man the amount he requested, first taking tion of 732.

as security a watch chain and charm Norwegians Petition Roosevelt. which Jones offered him and which were supposed to be valued at \$40, but were in A petition is being circulated among the Norwegians of Des Moines to be presented o President Roosevelt asking that Nor-After parting with his money Rahn had way be recognized as an independent reason to feel misgivings and with a

country. Petitions have already been cirview of giving expression to them he acculated in the northern part of the state. costed Jones again. Jones professed to have never seen him before, but his short Will Add New Portraits.

nemory did not serve to keep him out Charles Aldrich, curator of the historical building, is planning to add the portraits of the late Lieutenant Governor Matt Parrott of Waterloo, Rear Admiral Walker and Representative John D. Hunter of RAINFALL IN THE NORTH Webster City to the collection of portraits in the historical building.

Death Removes Last Hope.

Wisconsin Reports Railroad Tracks After walking with his wife and four children almost all the way from Bedford. Ind., to Des Moines, Charles Warren met kind-hearted Mose Greanleaf, supervisor LA CROSSE, Wis., June 17 .- Washouts of the poor, and Greanleaf promised the worse than any others ever experienced Warrens a ticket to their destination, this year have been caused by the heavy Pacific Junction, Ia. No sooner had the rains of yesterday and last night. Fifty promise been given and Greanleaf started stations on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. for the tickets than death intervened. Paul railroad from La Crosse to Wabasha. Mr. Greanleaf dropped dead from heart Minn., were deprived of railway service failure. The Humane society took up the as the result of the washout at Missoula case and secured the transportation for City. All trains on the Milwaukee road the family. are now running on the east side of the

Resents Insult to Wife.

Mississippi north of La Crosse. The North-Resenting an insult to his wife, John western has also had bad washouts near Hemmerslee, a white man, stabbed William Winona and all trains today were several Estil, a negro, tonight on South Jefferson hours late. All the rivers are again risstreet. Estil will die. After the fight

Hemmerslee and wife went to her mother's, ST. PAUL, June 17 .- Reports from the and when detectives attempted to arrest him he fought till beaten insensible. Mrs. Hemmerslee threw herself between the men to prevent the trakedy, but was washed out at Gilmore and no trains are pushed aside. The nature of the insult could not be learned tonight.

As announced by the state auditor to night, there are on deposit in the state county and some roads are and savings banks of Iowa at the close of nusiness May 29, nearly \$146,500,000, an increase of nearly \$8,000,000 in three months.

The total resources of these banks is over

Bellinger. Winona

pected to take up the land. W. W. Cotton of Portland Selected to Fill Place of Judge

WASHINGTON, June 17 .- After a confer-

surrounding country tell of the heaviest rainfall during the past twelve hours that has been known for years. The Great Western railway has 400 feet of track

unning there.

ing.

The Northwestern has a washout at

Dover. A number of bridges are out in blocked by landslides.

Washed Out and Minnesota is

Hard Hit.

