Handsome New Suits Are Here

There is much to be said in favor of these pretty new silks. In fact, something new and choice each day to show you. all, make our selections early, and the result is we are the first to show you the

pretitest, brightest productions of each line. The season's best is here. finish with prefty figures of various sizes scattered here and there. A most charming fabric with just the right touch and finish for the new silk gown. Make it a point when down town shopping to stop and see these pretty new silks now displayed at the silk counter, \$1.00 a yard,

Y. M. C. A. Building, Cor. 16th and Douglas.

leges in the province to Russia, whereas, "spons of war," Japan's bill for the "cou-M. Wille contended that the obligation of the war." neutral powers. On the other hand the its rights to yield to its adversary. Japanese claim, not only that they did not resist the provision for simultaneous evacstrong stipulations regarding the preser-China.

A Japanese authority said to the Assolated Frees tonight:

The integrity of China is assured if the treaty of Washington is signed, as Japan has insisted that the point be set forth in language that can neither be evaded or misunderstood. Japan's policy on this subject, which has always been in line with the Hay doctrine, will find a more vigorous expression in the treaty of Washington. It is also declared on behalf of Japan

that she only asked that Manchuria remain for a certain period under Japanese Only enough time is desired to enable the armies of Japan to evacuate the province, and by the time this evacuation is accomplished it is expected China but from the first the envoys have eaten will have established the necessary sys- together at their noon meal. tem of courts and will be in a position to maintain order throughout the province.

Adhere to Polley of Secreey.

The Japanese are not swerving from their policy of secrecy regarding the negotiations. at the suggestion of Russia it is not for

To the suggestion that American public opinion might be alienated by the Japanese policy of silence in the face of the publicly expressed wish of the Russians for publicity, the reply is made:

we do not seek to obtain public sympathy by such methods. American friendship, if it becamere as we believe it is, will not be overturned by the fact that Japan, after a solemn compact entered into with Russian refugee. In pursuance of all international precedent, to make public the negoment shall have been arrived at. So far from losing friendship in this country we believe the Japanese plentpotentiaries will gain them by the stolid way in which we follow this course.

The special privileges enjoyed by Russia in Manchuria, the retrocession of which is provided for in article two, include many cessions, none of which are, however, said to have great importance, the principal me being the mining rights in the province of Hehrung Klang.

Both Sides Auxtous for Peace,

Among the delegates of the respective sides who remained at the hotel today it was insisted that each side was sincerely anxious to conclude a treaty of peace, and It is evident if there was a rupture, as the best informed believe there will be, each side will maneuver to place the responsibility on the other. The Japanese seem disposed to throw out the intimation that M. Witte is trying to wear out his adversaries and compel them to break off the negotiations. This intimation is indignantly repudiated by the Russians, who contend. as does their principal, that Russia is ready and willing to have the fullost publicity given to the proceedings, in order that the world may judge between them.

Relentless method is behind the Japanese system in the peace negotiations, as in their military and naval operations. When they formulated their conditions of peace the origin of the whole struggle between Russia and Japan was kept steadily in

The morning session of the peace con- follows;

cally Port Arthur and the Liao Tung leases, to satisty the desire for revenge which the Japanese nation felt on account of being despoted, as they haimed, of the fruits their victory over China in 1895. The question of the Chinese eastern railroad might come next. And then, before the

A Skin of Beauty is a Joy Forevor. DR. T. Felix Gouraud's Oriental

Autumn Silks for

No one designer or manufacturer can make a season's styles. We study them Going On. This pretty wilk has the new Autumn colors in changeable ground, fine chiffon

Watch for the Grand Clearing Sale of Beautiful Silk, Saturday Aug. 19 Remnants, waist lengths, lengths for misses' dresses as well as many full

cream silk, black silk. Novelty silk of all kinds that have sold for 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, all to go onsale at 50c a yard. NOTE-See display in our Sixteenth street window. We are going to move

THOMPSON BELDEN & GO

for evacuation and the surrender of spe- The only reason why the cession of Saktial privileges should be-mutual and that | talin might precede the bill for the cost of the evacuation of troops should take place the war is the fact that Japan has always concurrently. M. . Witte is said to have for that the island belonged to it by right contended that he was defending not only of descovery and conquest and that it had the interests of Russia, but of all the been compelled, when too weak to defoud

Absence of Formality. Preparation for luncheon was begun at uation by the troops of both countries, the naval stores building shortly before but claims the distinct credit for the moon, indicating that the session of the peace conference will continue in the aftvation of the territorial integrity of ernoon. There is an entire absence of formality in partaking of refreshments in the lunch room, which is across the hall from the general conference room. The plenipotentiaries have several times sat down together at the lunch table while the members of the Russian and Japanese suites have mingled freely on those occasions. Secretary Petree Joins the lunch party also, as does his assistants in the quarters which the United States govern-

ment is maintaining in the naval stores building It was the original intention that sep arate lunch rooms should be provided, one for the Japanese and one for the Russians,

Many Letters Received.

peace plenipotentiaries have been fairly deluged with mail from all parts of the United States and now letters are beginning to arrive from the other hemis-Within the last few days the strongest phere. Hundreds of letters reach them pressure has been brought to bear on each day. They are of every description-Baron Komura and Mr. Takabira to friendly tenders of advice regarding the modify their decision, but to no effect. The negotiations, requests for autographs and Japanese reply to all such arguments is photographs, words of welcome, of praise, that having entered into this agreement advertisements and invitations to various cities of the United States. The majority. so for as the negotiationh are concerned. only express the hopes of the world for Numerous are the letters from pasters of churches telling of prayers for peace. Then there are the usual crank letters. No threat of a serious nature has been received either by Baron Komura or

> While at the hotel, Baron Rosen is the only one of the plenipotentiaries who mingles freely with the hotel guests, alas soon as the newspapers come in and un-less there is some official business to attend attention. Baron Rosen is especially interested in the editorials.

No Battle During Negotiations. It seems to be taken for granted among the attaches of both the Japanese and Russian missions that there will be no general battle in Manchuria while the peace negotlations are on. Oyama is known to be prepared to strike the moment the negotiadons end and there may be more or less skirmishing and outpost engagements while admitted on each side that if either Ovama or Linevitch should deliberately bring on a general engagement which might cost 50,000 or 100,000 lives his country would be accused of bad faith in the negotiations here and trains. would inevitably lose prestige in the eyes of the world. In the larger sense, therefore, it can be said that an armistice already exists in Manchuria, Should the negotiations be vainly prolonged and it became evident that they were to be fruitless the advance of Oyama or Linevitch

might be the signal for the final rupture. Russia Expects Japan to Recese, ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 14.- The Associated Press is in a position to declare Corea, which was the real bone of that practically the only hope entertained contention; Corea, first the subject of an in high Russian official quarters for a agreement in 1896; Corea, which formed peace agreement at the conference at the basis of the request for the negotia- Portsmouth lies in the expectation that tions preceding the war, comes first. Sec- Japan will recede materially from her ond, it is safe to say, is the evacuation of terms as published. Official and public Manchuria, the continued occupation of sentiment regarding the possibilities of which by Russia, Japan claimed, threat- peace, outlined to the Associated Press ened the independence of Corea and the by an official who has constant and close relations with the highest authorities, is as

The morning session of the peace conference came to an end at 1:30 o'clock. At that time the session was adjourned and the plenipotentiaries and the members of their suttes repaired immediately to the junch room.

The following official statement was issued at 1:30 o'clock:

In the murning sitting of Appust 14 article 1 was disposed of and the plenipotentiaries proceeded with the discussion of article 2. The meeting adjourned at 1 o'clock, to be resumed at 3 o'clock.

In support of this claim it took a leaf out of the book of arguments used by Russia in 1855, when it was compelled by Russia, supported by France and Germany, to abandon the Liao Tung peninsula and the Shimonoseki treaty, on the very ground that the possession of Port Arthur and the Liao Tung threatened Corea's independence.

These are the two main objects designed to "protect the safety of Japan" for which Japan has fought. Then might come logically Port Arthur and the Liao Tung leases, to safeaty the desire for revenue which the

plied. Japan, as well as the world at large, has persistently under-estimated Russia's ittength in the field and her financial resources at home.

The more hopeful feeling which is noticeable here can be traced to the conviction that M. Witte, who is thoroughly cognizant of the views of the Russian government, would not continue negotiations at Portsmouth unless he had reason to believe that Japan would reduce its demands sufficiently to render them acceptable to Russia. The Russian envoys went to Portsmouth ready to make reasonable and honsia. The Russian envoys went to Ports-mouth ready to make reasonable and hon-orable concessions and if peace is to re-sult from the negotiations on American soil. Japan must also show an equal spirit of reasonableness and sincerity in her pro-testations for peace. Russia believes that the world will recognize that the fault, in the case of failure, will not rest with Russia.

FIRE RECORD.

University Buildings Damaged. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 14.—Logan half, n which are located the Wharton School Finance and the anatomical and surgical tepartments of the medical school of the University of Pennsylvania, was damaged by fire tonight to the extent of \$40,000. The great loss was entailed by the breaking of uscroscopes and other delicate instruments SERR. T. HOPGHS, Prop., 37 Great Joses Street, How York, used in the demonstration of histology.

SHAREUP IN REVENUE CIRCLE

Commissioner Yerkes Calls for Resignation of Four Special Agents.

ACCUSED OF NEGLECTING THEIR DUTY

Statement that the Men Who Are Detectives Have Not Been Seeing Things that Are

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.-The Star toernal revenue service, but just how far signations, and at least two of the four have come here for a personal conference with Commissiontr Yerkes of the Internal revenue bureau. These are Captain Charles H. Ingram, in charge of New England work, stationed at Boston, and C. H. Burg. who has had a section of the southwest nder his charge and has been located in Texas. The names of the other two agents ould not be learned today.

"Commissioner Yerkes would not discuss the matter. Those in a position to know say that Commissioner Yerkes had personally been watching the work of the revenue agents, who are really the secret nvestigating officials of the revenue bueau, and has concluded that some of them have not been doing their duty in detecting some of the things going on."

Foreign Crop Reports, The foreign crop report to the department of agriculture made public today announces that "in countries of largest spread of infection to the north. production the crops of the principal bread grains cannot be called abundant, but on a general survey of the field it seems probable that the harvest of 1905 will not on the whole be a bad one."

In Great Britain and 4reland the area inder wheat is estimated at 1.800,000 acres and the yield at \$3,000,000 bushels or 35 bushels to the acre, against an area last year of 1,400,000 acres and a yield of 39,000,000 ushels or less than 28 bushels per acre. The area under wheat in Manitoba and the Northwest territory is fully 10 per cent better than ever before. The area is placed at 4,000,000 acres and the crop at 70,000,000 or 80,000,000 and by some as high as 100,000,000 bushels.

In Argentina the area of winter grain ppears larger than last year. In Australia the outlook is more promis ing than in ten years.

Despite unfavorable weather reports the utlook in Germany last month seemed In Russia the crop prospects remained

hove, an average yield, down as good average crops.

In Hungary the prospect was consider- said: ably worse than in June, but the total grain crop promised to be larger than last year. growing regions in northern France, the grain was in most cases fully formed.

Must Use More Airbrakes. The Interstate Commerce commission is

conditions of equipment will permit.

ber of cars are equipped with air brakes, to, he sits there by the hour, carefully and property, caused by the "buckling" of Recent accidents involving loss of life scanning the papers and marking here freight trains—the rear cars crowding forand there a paragraph which attracts his ward upon those in front-when emergency applications of air have been made on trains partially air-braked, have demonstrated that such trains are not actually under the control of the engineer as required by law. As the impact which causes

buckling" is due to the presence of unbraked cars in the rear of the train, it appears to the commission that such accidents may be obviated by requiring a number of cars in trains greater than the 50 per cent low required by law, to have the troops are getting in position, but it is their brakes operated by the engineer. Increase in the minimum is authorized by law. It is added that the evident purpose of the law is to ultimately require the use of air brakes on all cars of all freight More Cases of Typhoid Fever.

Twenty-nine new cases of typhoid fever and two deaths from the disease were reported to the health office today. The outbreak has passed in severity that of 1963. when the greatest number of persons and the treatment for the disease at any one time was 224, and has spread rapidly. Health officials are bending every effort to fight the disease, including a house-tonouse inspection of back yards and cellars with a view to remedying unsanitary conditions. One bed of the new filteration plant will be opened, probably tomorrow, thus reducing to that extent the danger from typhoid fever and other disease germs which it is believed comes from drinking water which is unfiltered.

Governor Hoch in Washington, Governor Hoch of Kansas, his wife and daughter and most of the members of his staff, who are in the east to attend the launching of the battleship Kansas, spent the day in Washington and left here at 11 o'clock tonight for Buffalo on their way Governor Hoch stopped at Wash ington to see a son, Homer Hoch, who is itt with an attack of indigestion, but is now considerably improved.

INCREASE IN ASSESSMENT ROLL New Property and Corporations Furnish Most of it in South

State Board of Assessment and Equalization has completed its first session for this year and taken an adjournment until the 22nd of the month, when any complaints in regard to their action will be heard and considered. The total valuation of the state will be higher than for the past year, but the increase will not be a great one as the board did not this year attempt to use its arbitrary power in the way of increasing valuations on a general level The increase will be on new property, and increases in corporation assessments, on which class of property the board outlined new methods in several cases, notable in the mauer of express companies and telephones. The express companies have in the past been assessed evidently on arbitrary basis, and have been placed on mileage basis, putting them all on an equality. Telephone and telegraph valuations were increased radically on the ground that this class of property pays only a sessed value, and they should stand a strong assessment to come anywhere near on equality with other classes of property which have to stand local taxa-

The total increase in corporate assessnents, including all classes of property which come under that head, is practically \$187,692, this including raises on property which has been assessed in the past and The railpoads stand \$414.617 of this, \$20,000 of that coming in the asseasment for the first time of the "Colton" i

road in Minnehaha county. Telephones are called upon for \$273.615 of this increase: telegraphs, \$80,000; express companies, \$15,000. and the Pullman company \$5,000. The telephone returns for the year have placed 143 elephone companies on the tax list as

against 100, which were taxed last year. FIGHTING THE FEVER

(Continued from First Page.)

of the screening law, some of them against nen of large preminence and wealth. Relief Work Among Italians.

The relief work of the Italian societies is now in full awing. Interesting scenes right says: "There has been a big shake- are daily witnessed in the charity restauheart of the old French quarter and the t has gone is a matter of speculation. It restaurant is thronged at meal times with s stated, however, that four well known a motley crowd of men, women and chilvenue agents have been asked for their dren. Three meals are served daily, but arrangements are made to feed any who come whether it is during the regular meal time or not. It is estimated that the restaurant is now feeding 1,000 people a day Ordinarily, the Italian is thrifty and perfectly able to take care of himself and his family, but practically complete diversion of the fruit trade from New Orleans has thrown hundreds of the race out of work and they are compelled to depend upon charity for sustenance. The relief mmittee is also looking after the povertystricken Italians in the matter of clothing. rent and other necessaries. Illinois on Guard.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 14.-Secretary Egan of the State Board of Health left this fternoon for Cairo, where he will perconsily superintend the quarantine against vellow fever. He will remain at Cairo for ten days at least, as he considers September the most dangerous month for the

Oyama Shifting Forces GUNSHU, Aug. 14.-Field Marshal Oyama apparently is changing his dispositions and reducing his forces in Manchuria to augnent those in Corea, where his front exends through Tchabootoun, Tchantafou, Schaktetzy and Manchentz, constituting an uninterrupted series of powerful fortileations mounted with siege guns.

HARBIN, Aug. 14.-Among the soldlers edically treated here, 1,200 were found to be self mutilated on the first fingers of the right hand.

FIRST PROBLEM AT PANAMA Government Must Provide for Labor-

er's Before Starting Work on Canal.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.-The care of 20,000 employes to work upon the Panama canal was declared by Chairman Shonts of the Panama Canal commission, who arrived on generally satisfactory, the winter cereals the steamer Mexico today from Colon, to promising nearly, and the spring cereals be of first importance and to have precedence over the actual work of digging. In Austria it is not yet certain whether | Chairman Shonts was accompanied on his winter wheat and winter ree can be set return by Colonel Oswald H. Ernst, also of the canal commission. Chairman Shorts

"We went to Colon with Mr. Stevens, the chief engineer, to see what had been done large crowds each night during the demon-Although there was a large proportion of and what should be done. We found the odged wheat throughout the great wheat first thing of importance to be housing and supplying 20,000 men. When our government first took hold of the canal every effort was directed toward making the dirt fly. I think this was a necessity. The peoabout to take steps to require all railroads ple of the isthmus are not forehanded and, applauded. Miss Lenshaw has a voice of engaged in interstate commerce to increase with the large addition to the population the minimum percentage of air brakes used caused by the influx of the canal laborers. on freight trains to as great an extent as the supplies for Hving were exhausted. This caused the prices to rise and soon the Old Apple Tree." The commission has become impressed laboring class found that they could not with the danger attending the operation of earn enough to support themselves. To at each opening of the show. though he knows few of them. The ambas-freight trains on which an insufficient numstablished to feed the laborers. I made an arrangement with the president that unless prices became normal on the isthmus to continue this system of supplying

At Colon a large refrigerating plant is now being established from which all supplies will be issued promptly, so that shortly all American employes will be able to obtain the same fare as they would at home. COf course I found the freight congestion causing considerable trouble, but soon found that by applying those practical up-to-date railroad methods of the United States, that in thirty days the trouble would be eliminated. There is about 6,000 tons on hand now. This freight was ordered by the old commission, to be delivered at certain intervals. We, however, took the matter up and urged prompt shipment, with the result that it all got to the terminal point at once.

"As to double tracking the railroad, that cannot be done at present, even if necessary, but as the work of getting out the dirt progresses, we can easily keep up with the work with extra trackage. We have supplied refrigerating cars for the road. "There are about 10,000 employes on the

sthmus now, including the laborers." Mr. Shonts said that there was in reality no yellow fever scare to speak of at the isthmus and that the total number of cases in Panama during August up to the time of his sailing was only thirty.

PANAMA, Aug. 14.-W. E. Daucy, who has been the engineer in charge of the to Governor Mickey. Culebra division of the canal work, and an appointee of former Chief Engineer Wailace, has resigned. He left for New York today. The engineering operations on the canal are now suspended pending sanitary work. Many employes will return to the United States during the idle period.

Parker in New Firm.

BUFFALO, N. Y. Aug. 14—It is understood in legal circles that New York State Bupreme Court Justice Edward W. Hatch is about to resign from the bench to enter a law firm to be known as Parker, Sheehan & Hatch, the 9ther members of the firm being former Bidge Alton B. Parker and William F. Sheehan. It had been understood since Judge Parker's defeat for the psesidency that he would form a partnership with Mr. Sheehan, as they had tacitly made an arrangement of this kind contingent on Parker's defeat. The new firm, it is said, will begin operations September 1. Parker in New Firm.

Wisconsin Man Murdered. CHEYENNE WELLS, Colo., Aug. 14. libert Gunderson of Racine, Wis., we ound dead today near this place on ti

> BABY'S INSTINCT Shows He Knows What Food to Stick to.

Forwarding a photo of a splendidly handome and healthy young boy, a happy mother writes from an Ohio town "The enclosed picture shows my 4-yearold Grape Nuts boy.

"Since he was 2 years old he has eaten othing but Grape-Nuts. He demands and gets this food three times a day. This may seem rather unusual, but he does not care for anything else after he has eaten his Grape Nuts, which he uses with milk or

"He is never sick, has a beautiful complexion, and is considered a very handsome May the Postum Company prosper some food!" Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"The Road to Wellville, in every pkg.

PURE FOOD SHOW OPENS LP

Liberal Attendance Marks the First Night of the Exhibit.

BOTH ATTRACTIVE AND SATISFYING

If You Do Not Belleve the Wares Are Good You Can Test Them All and Satisfy Mind and Appetite.

Everything that we eat and some things that we drink, too, are being demonstrated up among the revenue agents of the in- rant which the societies have opened in the at the pure food show which started its ten-day exhibition at the Auditorium last night with a full assortment of various and sundry edibles and drinkables. That the people of Omaha are constantly clamoring for innovations in the way of new and goo things to eat was never more strikingly brought to light than it was at the opening "performance" of the show last night, when me 500 housewives and housemaids flocked to the big building to see some genuinely pure food dished out to those who asked it Everything in the fluid line, from aqua pura down to genuine mait, is on hand to be tasted for the asking, and as intermediate drinkables there are coffee, tea and some condensed milk, to say nothing of the assorted brands of chocolates. The many booths are presided over by

oung women who are always on hand to do any kind of demonstrating and assist in any way possible towards giving information as to the purity of their goods. The pure food show is being given by the

will be in session for ten days. The first demonstration takes place in the afternoon at 1:30 and again at 5:30. In the evening the doors open promptly at 7:30 and the lemonstrations continue until everyone is satisfied as to the quality of the goods which are up for inspection.

a booth where biscuits are baked and so great is the den and for the samples that keeps the two demonstrators busy hand-

out the food. The Paxton & Gallagher company have a very strikingly attractive booth, which is made up of a quantity of coffee, beans, orn and like vegetables. Heinz is on hand with a good layout of

The Distilled Water Ice company, which their artificial ice.

his pickles, etc.

which takes very well.

strations. Rounds' Ladies orchestra, from Detroit, Mich., furnishes the music for the occasion, and its work is thoroughly appreclated. The contralto solo by Miss Gussie Lenshaw was most enthusiastically more than usual capacity and is an artist of ability. She sang "Sweet Adeline," and for an encore gave "In the Shade of the The Rounds orchestra will render music

NAVAL OFFICER AT OLD HOME

with Dewey at Manila, Visits Tecumseh. TECUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 14.-(Special Tel-

of the United States navy, the young man tree. Gladys, who drove the horse, was who enjoys the distinction of having been thrown against the tree head first and was official position with Dewey on the flagship Olympia at the battle of Manila bay, arrived in Tecumseh tonight for a vis't unable to revive her and it is believed with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kay- her skull was fractured. anaugh. Lieutenant Kavanaugh was sent gressman W. J. Connell, and graduated from the four-year course in May, 1890. He | Army Officer Keeps Temper, Although was a leader in athletics while at the naval school and for a time was captain of the foot ball team. Since leaving the school he has performed much valuable service for the United States, including his adventure in Manila bay.

He was home on a furlough last fall, after which he was ordered to report to cross-examination. Though savagely asthe commandant of midshipmen at Annapolis and had charge of the athletics. For some time he has again been on the sea. Lieutenant Kavanaugh is a very interesting conversationalist and he has a great many admirers in Nebraska. Today was spent in Lincoln, and he called upon his friend. A. B. Allen, private secretary called who will testify before Mrs. Tag-

FRAUD IN ARMY CONTRACTS Inspector General Begins Investigation of Alleged Graft at Schuylkill Arsenal.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 14.-An investigation of clothing and other contracts at the being defrauded out of thousands of doilars through the furnishing of inferior inquiry has been confined to the contracts taken place. Among those examined by Major Strong HEAT-CRAZED MAN RUNS LOOSE

oday were Robert Charlton and E. F. Beckett, assistant inspector at the arsenal. Charlton testified that he never passed goods that were not up to the specifications. He said that he has been offered bribes several times by contractors but had refused them,
Inspector Beckett said that he had fre-

quently put his stamp of approval on orders of his superiors.

OFFICIALS FEARED ASSAULT Sent President Over Unusual Route After Hearing of Plot to Wreck Train.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.-That Eric railroad officials were alarmed for the safety of cream, and then he is through with his President Roosevelt on his way from Chaumeal. Even on Thanksgiving Day he re- tauqua to Jersey City on Saturday is fused turkey and all the good things that shown by the fact, made known yestermake up that great dinner, and ate his day, that the president's car did not come dish of Grape-Nuts and cream with the over the main line. Instead, the Chautauhest results and none of the evils that the qua special was broken in two at Suffern, other foolish members of the family ex- N. Y., and the presidential party was brought in by a roundabout way over the

two small branch roads. President Roosevelt is said to have ob jected to the unusual precautions taken. and long continue to furnish their whole- but acquiesced when positive orders from President Underwood of the Eric were shown him. These orders were issued as There's a reason. Read the little book, a result of a letter received by the Paterson police, which said there was a plot to

The Chautauqua special was stopped at Suffern early Saturday morning. There was a consultation over the telephone, folowed by a consultation of railroad men at which it was decided to send the president to Sparkill, a small town on the Hudson, three miles below Niack, by a little lingle track road, known as the Plermont branch, and thence into Jersey City on the Northern railroad, a branch having its terninus in Niack.

President Roosevelt was awakened and old of the change in the schedule, as the officials did not like to take the responst bility without his consent. The bresident after some discussion said that he was "in the hands of the Erie," and while he had no fear of his train being wrecked on the main line, he would do what the rallroad men thought best. Slow time was made over the Piermont

branch and Northern branch and extra men guarded every part of both roads.

LETTER FROM JOHN HYDE Former Chief Statistician Says He Must Consult Physician Before Returning Home,

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.-The promised etter from John Hyde, former statistician of the Department of Agriculture, in response to Secretary Wilson's cablegram urging him to return from England and estify in the proceedings before the special grand jury which is investigating charges against Edwin S. Holmes, the for mer associate statistician, arrived today The letter was as indefinite as Hyde's recent cablegram to Secretary Wilson and Nebraska Retail Merchants' association and | nothing is known as to his intentions beyond his promise to return as soon as possible.

In the absence of Secretary Wilsoon, who has gone to Chicago, the letter was turned over to District Attorney Beach, who authorized its publication. It is dated "South Port, Eng., August 5," and is as follows: Perhaps the most striking booth in the whole building is the Advo electric kitchen, which the McCord-Brady company has fitted up. Biscuits and bread and assorted cakes are baked in full view of all and samples of the toothsome foods are given out.

Biscuits While You Wait.

The Rumford Baking powder people have a booth where biscuits are baked and so Statistical insuitute was a mistake. Very Statistical institute was a mistake. Very respectfully, JOHN HYDE.

> WOULD COMPROMISE TAX SUIT Harriman Offers \$48,000 in Payment of Contested Claims Aggregating \$11,857,902.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.-The Examhas recently started in the southeast part | Iner says today that since the arrival of of the city, has a very good exhibition of President Harriman of the Southern Pacipure water as well as a large sample of company in this city, it has became known that he has offered the Kentucky authori-D. J. O'Brien has some of his candles ties \$48,000 to settle the tax dispute of the which he raffles off at 5 cents a throw, company in that state, and with Jefferson county, in which Louisville is situated and There are many more things which are in which the company maintains an office. horoughly interesting at the exhibition The claim of the state and county is for and which will likely continue to draw unpaid taxes amounting to \$11,857,902 for the years between 1900 and 1905 inclusive. Mr. Harriman claims that all taxes up t two years ago were paid to the then state auditor and that the present auditor, A. J.

Bijot is demanding taxes dating back into a previous regime. COUSINS OF PRESIDENT HURT Glady and Eugene Roosevelt Injured

in Runaway and Former

May Dic. SAYVILLE, L. I., Aug. 14.-Gladys Eugene Roosevelt, cousins of President hands soft, white, smooth and velvely. Roosevelt, were injured in a runaway here Lieutenant Kavanaugh, Who Served today, Gladys probably fatally. The girls are daughters of John E. Roosevelt, an

uncle of the president. Both are accustomed to handling spirited sweet, penetrating vegetable oils. horses, but during their daily drive today their horse, drawing a high cart, ran gram.)-Lieutenant Arthur G. Kavanaugh away and dashed the vehicle against a picked up unconscious. Physicians who worked over her for half an hour were

o Annapolis through the influence of Con- TAGGART IS CROSS-QUESTIONED Subjected to Cutting Charges

by Lawyer. WOOSTER, O., Aug. 14.-Major Taggart spent the morning on the witness stand under the heavy fire of ex-Judge Smyzer's sailed more than once by cutting charges, he kept his temper well. No new facts of importance were developed as a result of

the cross-examination today. Indications are that it will be two or three days before the plaintiff's case is finished. There are witnesses not yet gart's witnesses are called, and these may take until Thursday.

HANLEY HELD TO GRAND JURY St. Paul Man Accused of Using Mails to Defraud Purchasers of Stock in Ranch Company.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 14.-John C. Hanley was Schuylkill arsenal, one of the supply depots today held to the United States grand jury for the United States army, which was on the charge of using the United States begun last week by Major Frederick S. mails to defraud. The charge arises from Strong of the inspector general's depart- Hanley's connection with the Consolidated ment, was continued teday. There has Farm and Ranch company, a corporation been considerable trouble at the armenal with an authorized capital of \$300,000. Hanfor some time, and frequently charges ley is alleged to have sold stock in the have been made that the government was company by representing that it had purchased the Montana Co-operative Ranch company, but the receiver of the latter goods by certain contractors. So far the company testified that no such sale had

> William A. Linn of St. Joseph, Mo. Injures Four Persons Before He is Beaten Into Submission.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Aug. 14.-William A inn, a laborer crazed by the terrific heat and liquor, tonight attacked and fatally goods which he knew should have been stabbed Harry Jacobs, an aged mechanic marked inferior. He did this, he said, by An officer and two citizens attempted to apprehend him, but he escaped and later appeared at his home where he engaged in a bloody battle with his father, mother

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blow up the president's train near Ridge- and wife. The police were called and after being beaten into an unrecognizable mass of cuts and bruises. Linn was finally carried to a coll. During the fight to subdue Linn a crowd collected and thinking he was receiving brutal treatment were on the point of mobbing the officers when matters were explained.

> OSTEOPATHS MEET IN DENVER Ninth Annual Convention of American Association Welcomed by Mayor Spear,

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 1t. Several hunired of the most noted esteopaths of the untry are attending the plath annual suvention of the American Ostsopath nassociation, which opened here tonight. Among the distinguished visitors are Dr. Still, founder of the school of osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo., and Mr. Laughlin, dean of the faculty. Several noted authors of books on the science of ostropathy are also present and will deliver addresses at the cetings of the association. Tonight's sesdon was opened with an address by Dr. . P. McConnell of Chicago, president, who later responded to an address of welcome by Mayor Speer. An informal reception followed. The convention will last four days.

Negro's Victims Will Recover. BALLSTON, N. Y. Aug 14—Dr. Bernard Schulte, the New York elergyman, and his wife, both of whom were murderously as-saulted Saturday night in Mechanicsville by William Curtis, a negro, are improving. The physicians say that barring compli-cations both will recover.

Will Investigate Moon. CAMBRIDGE, Mass. Aug. 14 - An attempt will be made by Harvard astronomers tonight, during the partial eclipse of the moon, to determine by photography, wether there is snow on the moon and whether the moon has a satellite. Denver Bank May Pay Out.

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 14.—Henry leatty, assignce of the Western State bar filed a statement in the district court to-day placing the bank's assets at \$697,527 and its liabilities at \$661,805.

Typographical Union Meets, TORONTO, Aug. 14 - The International sprographical union opened its annual convention here today.

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