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day's disaster seen his personal congratulations to Premier Stolypin on his escape and the cabinet ministers and many members of the diplomatic corps including Mr. Eddy, American charge d'affaires, tendered expressions of sympathy.

A DEFENSE OF THE "GALLUS"

Subtle Problem in Sartorial Ethics Treated with Beffiting Dignity. Numerous public prints in the argumentative north are debating a subtle problem in sartorial ethics. "Gallus" is it. It is a fitting for a gentleman, in these post-reform days, to wear braces without a coat? In other words, is it proper for one of refined instincts and intellectual pretensions to expose his braces to the gaze of the crowd? By the word, of course, we allude to the harness, apparatus of tackle denominated by the vulgar, suspenders, and by the buccolic, gallus. As might be expected, the bilious northern critics place their ban upon the custom and join in proclaiming the apparatus itself a blighting and a loathing. In this position we see little philosophy. Sophism and snobbery are responsible for whatever odium or opprobrium enmeshes the gallus. In itself, subjectively, and as a machine or object of attire, per se, it is eminently innocuous and immaculate. It serves a useful and an honorable purpose. It is modest and retiring. It is not without a certain elusive beauty. For these reasons, and many others, we hold that it has proved its right to a place in our sartorial wardrobe. Like the hair restorer and tooth-pleck, it may offend those whose fastidiousness is over-delicate, but in the view of healthy, freeborn American citizens there can be no evil in it and no cause for hostile demonstrations in its frank display. William Waldorf Astor may palliate at thought of it, but to a self-respecting democrat, born and raised south of Mason and Dixon's line, it is inexpressibly dear. The "gallus" marks the freeman and the man of genuine independence and civilization. Your snob and your savage abhor it. In Mesopotamia the wild Lashibaoek wears a belt; in Yucatan the Indian wears a girdle and shark's tooth; in Senegambia the shameless cannibal sports a gummy sack; in Atlantic City, a few years back, the dudes used to wear sashes. But find a man who, when he throws on his coat to begin his daily toll, lays bare a pair of heavy, sky-blue galluses, and you'll find a man who pays his way in the world, lives his wife, rears his children in the fear of the Lord and votes the straight ticket. The "gallus" is useful; it is graceful, and properly adorned with hand-painted flowers and brass buckles, it is beautiful. To be ashamed of it, or to conceal it or to abandon it for a sash or belt is to fall in the face of fate--Baltimore Sun.

KENNEDY'S LABOR PLATFORM

Second Nebraska Congressman Replies to "Bill of Grievances" SECURES ENDORSEMENT OF GOMPERS President of American Federation Publishes Letters from Congressmen on Their Attitude on Labor Politics. (From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.--(Special Telegram.)--President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor in the September number of the American Federation publishes an interesting series of letters from congressmen in reply to labor's bill of grievances and in a snappy way comments on these replies. Out of this list Mr. Gompers singles out those who stand O. K. with labor, those who are "immune" and those who are marked for the "black cross." In the number of Federationist just out John L. Kennedy of the Second Nebraska district is "immune," his letter and his voice in congress on labor questions being entirely satisfactory to the president of the American Federation of Labor. In his reply to the so-called "bill of grievances," Mr. Kennedy says: "I favor the adoption and strict enforcement of an eight-hour law and its application to American labor inside and outside the government's service; the protection of self-supporting labor from the competition of convict labor; the granting of relief from undesirable immigration; the granting of equal rights to seamen; the passing of a law forbidding towing of more than one vessel without sufficient equipment and crew to manage them when out loose and adrift; the regulation of corporations engaged in interstate commerce so as to prevent all monopolies and discriminations; the correction of any and all abuses of the right of injunction; the right of government employees to petition for redress of grievances; the right of government employees to labor men of the country a fair opportunity to improve themselves financially, mentally, morally and physically." I supported the employers' liability bill which recently passed the house.

BATTLESHIPS IN BAD LUCK

Seven Vessels of Great Britain Put Out of Action by Accidents. CHATHAM, England, Aug. 25.--The 11th of the new first class battleship Africa of 13,500 tons, which has been going on previous to the vessel being placed on the active list of the navy, have been postponed owing to some minor defects. This is the latest misadventure in a run of extraordinary ill luck which has been attending the British navy during the last few months. Besides the Africa, no less than seven battleships have been placed out of action within a few months. It is pointed out by the Navy League that this record of misadventures emphasizes the necessity for the maintenance of an ample margin if Great Britain is to continue to command the sea.

HEAT FATAL AT CHICAGO

Three Deaths Reported Before Eleven O'Clock as Result of High Temperature. CHICAGO, Aug. 25.--The uncomfortable temperature of the early part of the week, which was lessened somewhat yesterday, returned again today, with the result that there were three deaths before 11 o'clock in the morning. The actual temperature was not so high as to cause great discomfort by itself, but it was accompanied by a high degree of humidity, which produced much suffering.

MINISTERS' WAGES LOWER

Connecticut Man Gets Statistics Regarding Salaries of Congressional Clergymen. HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 25.--A circular was sent recently by Rev. W. F. English of East Windsor, Conn., to about fifty Congressional college and seminary presidents and pastors who are thought to be conversant with the situation concerning the salaries of the ministers and the deductions from their salaries are made with special reference to the ministry of the Hartford Seminary Record for August. Dr. English says that, despite general prosperity and higher wages in all other callings, the salaries of Congressional ministers have been actually reduced 10 per cent and the number of ministers without charge is steadily increasing. In his article he says: The percentage of theological students to

DAWSON IS ALSO APPROVED

A. F. Dawson, Second Iowa district, also meets with the approval of the president of the American Federation of Labor, and answered the communication as follows: "I may say briefly that I favor the principle of an eight-hour work day; that I am a strict constructionist on Chinese immigration; am opposed to the principle of competition of convict labor with free labor. Coming from the interior of the country I am not familiar with the details of the plot against Mr. Jefferson, but I have no doubt as to the justice of the charges against him. I am not sure that I have mastered all the intricacies of the various anti-injunction bills which have been presented to congress, but I can see no reason why labor should not be treated with absolute equality before the law. What influence I have shall be used toward correcting any existing abuses and injustices." G. N. Haugen of the Fourth Iowa district was not as happy as his colleague in his reply to the bill of particulars of the executive council, and has received an editorial reference to his letter, which virtually amounts to a blacklisting. Mr. Haugen wrote: "It has given me pleasure at various times to vote for measures advocated by labor organizations and my best efforts will continue to secure fair, judicious and sound legislation, which will protect the rights and interests and contribute to the prosperity and happiness of all legitimate and worthy enterprises."

NEW HOLDING COMPANY

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 25.--The Southern Pacific railway is authorized to issue a bonded debt of \$100,000,000, but will probably be reduced to \$75,000,000. The amount of that amount during the next two or three years. This company was organized two years ago by a merger of the Southern Pacific Railroad of California, the Southern Railway of New Mexico, and the Southern Pacific of New Mexico. It includes all the Southern Pacific lines in Arizona, Nevada, New Mexico, California, Oregon, Washington and Central Pacific. It is a California corporation. These roads have in the aggregate \$72,000,000 of outstanding bonds bearing 4 and 5 per cent interest. It is proposed to retire some of the new securities, which bear 4 per cent interest.

GERMAN STRIKERS UNRULY

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KENNEDY IS NAMED AGAIN

Congressman from Second District Given Unanimous and Hearty Renomination. PREDICTS REPUBLICAN SUCCESS IN FALL Platform Adopted Endorses National Administration, Career of Mr. Kennedy and Renews Alliance to Party. Unanimously and within ten minutes after it was called to order, the Second district republican convention yesterday afternoon renominated Congressman John L. Kennedy for a second term. Mr. Kennedy had no opposition, but despite the lack of contest Washington had no difficulty well filled with delegates from Douglas, Washington and Sarpy counties who displayed plenty of enthusiasm, in particular with reference to the congressman. Mr. Kennedy made a speech thanking the convention for the honor and pointing out some of the virtues of recent republican national rule. A platform brought in by a committee consisting of A. W. Jeffers, A. R. Morrison, R. Bacon, Frank Whitmore, B. E. Wilcox, Beches Higby, Fred W. Floodman, Nathan Bernstein, Frank A. Puray and George L. Hurst, was unanimously adopted. Chairman Jeffers of the congressional committee called the convention to order and suggested E. Z. Russell of Blair for temporary chairman. Later the temporary organization was made permanent. E. S. Nickerson of Gretna served as secretary and W. M. Mickey an assistant secretary. The convention adjourned at 10:30 p. m. Mr. Kennedy's renomination was made on motion of M. L. Learned by acclamation. Kennedy Thanks Convention. Mr. Kennedy thanked the convention, saying that in these troublous times, victory without a struggle seemed almost too good to be true. He said that when he was nominated at the close of two years ago in the face of hearty opposition he esteemed the result a compliment, but that he considered the unopposed renomination a greater compliment. The contest of two years ago left a few sore spots, he said, but his opponents in the party had co-operated in his election, and he was glad that there were no sore spots remaining. He said the united condition of the party on the congressional matter made his election assured. "Why should the people of the United States want a change from republican principles and policy," he asked the congressman, in referring to national affairs. "I would like to have that question answered for I do not know. The democratic leaders are doing much talking, but they always did that. If language were legislation the democracy of this country would have written our statute books full of it long ago. "Against their words we put republican works. "What has the democracy done to restore the confidence of the American people in itself? I hear a great deal of talk about the 'people's leader,' but I don't see to me like the old ball game being inflated as it was twice before, and I tell you that before the November election it will be punctured so badly it can never reach the goal. "The session of congress just closed is probably the most remarkable in the history of the country in times of peace or times of war. Never in any congress since our session have so many measures been passed for the upbuilding of the commerce, industry and institutions of the nation. Before this congress met there was a question whether the corporations would control the government, or the government control the corporations. I felt no uncertainty of the outcome, for I had expressed and felt the conviction that the creature never can become greater than its creator. I know the government is strong enough to control all corporations no matter how powerful they may be. My confidence has not been held in vain. Wants All Protected. "Never before have I been associated with men so imbued with the spirit of fairness and the desire to do their full duty as I was in the last congress. I have no sympathy with the cry against corporations which is the power of the corporation is properly exerted and the wealth honestly obtained. I have not and will not champion any special industry, but believe in the protection of them all in their legitimate rights. "But in considering the republican administration that stands out above all others is that in the last year when laws were placed on the statute books and it was considered proper for the man in high places to meet them. He does not do it today; nor will he do it tomorrow. We cannot make men equally rich or equally great, but we can give them equal opportunities to pursue riches and greatness, and the greatest leveling influence that we have is Theodore Roosevelt. We never had a man in the White House who tried harder to do right by the people than he does. "This is an off year, but the work is only half done. We ought to make sure of this victory because in the next presidential campaign there will be no real danger of losing the election. We must teach our adversaries that we are watching. Let us stay by our guns." Congressional Committee. A resolution was introduced by W. L. Kierstead arranged in accordance with the Dodge law for the selection of a congressional committee. The three county chairmen are to form the nucleus of the committee, and with the nominee choose a chairman and such other members and officers as considered necessary. A resolution introduced by Richard Biss of Washington county endorsed the republican state ticket and commended the platform on which it stands. It developed that this resolution had been presented in the resolutions committee without receiving favorable consideration because of a desire to keep the congressional contest on national lines. The delegates insisted that it be read a second time before the motion was put, and just before the vote was taken Ed Moriarty called out in audible tones, "We want it read a second time." Judge Howard Kennedy leaped up against the back wall and William Kennedy occupied a seat near the center aisle. The Kennedy clan was out in full force, while Congressman John L. Kennedy was speaking from the platform. Judge Howard Kennedy leaped up against the back wall and William Kennedy occupied a seat near the center aisle. The Kennedy clan was out in full force, while Congressman John L. Kennedy was speaking from the platform. Judge Howard Kennedy leaped up against the back wall and William Kennedy occupied a seat near the center aisle. The Kennedy clan was out in full force, while Congressman John L. Kennedy was speaking from the platform.

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DEATH RECORD.

Centenarian Nebraska Pioneer. SCOTIA, Neb., Aug. 25.--(Special.)--Andrew J. Gillespie, probably the oldest man in Nebraska, died at his home in Scotia, aged 100 years. Mr. Gillespie was one of the first settlers of the North Loup valley and was beloved by the old pioneers in this part of the state. His funeral was largely attended, and he was buried at Coatsfield, not far from his first home-land, where he settled thirty-five years ago. First County's First White Child. LYONS, Neb., Aug. 25.--(Special.)--The sad news of the death of Mrs. C. A. Darling, wife of C. A. Darling, cashier of the First National bank of Lyons, has been received. The deceased, who was well known in this vicinity, passed away in Los Angeles, Cal., at the age of 64 years. The cause of death was an affection of the lungs. Mrs. Darling enjoyed the distinction of being the first white child born in Burt county. Early Tecumseh Settler. TECUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 25.--(Special.)--Jason L. Phillips, a pioneer settler of Tecumseh, died at his home in this city this morning after a prolonged sick spell. He leaves a widow and several grown children. The funeral arrangements are not yet made. "If you have anything to trade or advertise in the Ad Exchange column of The Bee Want Ad page."

GERMAN POLICY HOLDERS MEET

Man Who Visited New York Says There is No Danger in Policies. BERLIN, Aug. 25.--A meeting of the policy holders of the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York and of the New York Life Insurance company called under the auspices of the German branch of the International Policy Holders' committee, was held here today, and attended by about 200 persons. It was decided not to recommend German candidates for membership on each board, as the International committee recommended, owing to the inconvenience in attending meetings, but the meeting advised the German holders to content themselves with voting for the two German candidates resident in New York. Herr Wiegand, director of the North German Lloyd Steamship company, chairman of the committee, assured the policy holders that there was absolutely no ground for uneasiness. Director Dernburg, of the Darmstaedter bank, who recently visited New York, said the American life insurance companies were on a solid basis and that the German policy holders were not incurring any risks in continuing their policies. A representative of the Imperial Insurance office who was present, said that the New York and the Mutual had made satisfactory deposits in Germany to safeguard their German interests. During the course of the meeting it was announced that the New York Life Insurance company had 12,000 policy holders in Germany and that the Mutual had from 6,000 to 7,000.

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