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SUMMARY OF THE BEE ARMY TO DIG THE CANAL SENATE RAISES CONSENT AGE EVENLY DIVIDED ON MUNGER TREASON 'AT PORT ARTHUR TWO-CENT FARE BILL REMOVAL OF FISH South Dakota Bill is Given Reconsidfuch Charge is Preferred Against Wednesday, February 27. Three Military Engineers to Take Direct eration and Passed-Anti-Treat-Stocasel and Others by Two Senators and Two Congressmen Said Harriman Makes Charge Against Former ing Denounced as Frenk. Senate Finally Copoludes to Pass Joint Smirnoff. Charge of Big Ditch. to Favor His Appointment. Illipois Central President. Committee Measure. THE WED F #1 847 PIERRE, S. D., Feb. E.- (Special Tele-ST. PETERSBURG. Feb. 28-A copy of \$218 MON STEVENS SENDS IN HIS RESIGNATION gram.)-In the senate today Graves secured SHAW TALKS OF HIS POLITICAL FUTURE To alat the secret report on the defense of Port -Ē SAY3 HE MISUSED COMPANY'S FUNDS 2 Arthur, which is the basis of the indict-OPPOSITION ON EMERGENCY CLAUSE reconsideration of the bill raising the age ment on which Lieutenant General Storeof consent to eighteen years, which was de-1007 All Bids for Doing Work by 3 9 4 8 Still Considers Denison, Is., His Bome feated yesterday, and the bill passed. The sel Lieptenant General Fock, who com-This is Given as Reason fer His Enforced Clarke and Burns Battle Valiantly, but Contract Are Rejected and and Indicates He is in a Receptive manded the Fourth East Siberian divisame action was secured on the senate 10 11 3 14 15 16 Retirement. Commission Will Be mion at Port Arthur, and Major General bill changing incorporation laws, which Mood Regarding Official Lose Esilroads' Game. Reiss, chief of staff of General Stoensel, 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 Reorganized. THEMPO. Preferment. are standing trialforthei rilves before the The senate started with a long calender EXPLANATION OF ROCKEFELLER DEAL 24 25 26 27 28 supreme court-martial, has been obtained APPROPRIATION BILLS ARE COMING IN NOW and rushed through a number of, both senby the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Feb. 26-By an order ad- ate and house bills, none of them of gen-(From a Staff Correspondent.) It is of the greatest interest as explain dressed to Chairman Shonts of the Isth- eral interest. A bill was introduced to in-WASHINGTON, Feb. E .- (Special Teleaid to Be Tactical Move to Betain Con-THE WEATHER. ing the decision to try these three officers crease the supreme court to five members. Ealary Bill is Presented and Current mian Canal commission today. President gram.)-The Nebraska delegation will meet FORECAST FOR NEBRASKA-Snow Vednesday and Thursday, rising temperatrol of the Boad. Roosevelt, as far as lay in his power under but does not go into effect until the elecand nolle prosequi th eother defenders of tomorrow in Senator Millard's committee Expense Will Be Boon. Port Arthur. Fednescay and the second secon tion of 1908. The Price 24-cent passenget existing laws, transferred to the engineerroom for the purpose of recommending a ing branch of the army the responsibility rate bill came in with majority and mi-The report, which was written by Lieu-UNION PACIFIC AFFAIRS TAKEN UP candidate for additional federal judge in for the further construction of the Panama nority reports, and as the house has taken tenant General Smirnoff, the official com-TERMINAL TAXATION PLANK EXPLAINED Nebraska. The situation, in a nutshell, is canal. He also formally recorded the bundorment for the present at least of Bratrud attempted to overturn an admandant of the fortress, is sensational in that Senators Burkett and Millard and the extreme and catagorically accuses Government Attempts to Show that 1 1. 15. Representatives Kinkaid and Pollard will Stoessel of cowardice and incapacity and Promise Made to the People by the the project of having the canal work done verse report on his bill to create a state 220 ... Great Prosperity of Line is Dae vote for Munger. The rest of the delegafinally of the deliberate, treasonable hasboard of deposits, to select the banks which by contract on the percentage system. Republican Party and it Must Another feature was the announcement of shall receive deposits of state funds, but to Unfair Bates Charged tion, while not favorable to Munger, are tening of the surrender to save his own Be Redeemed by Legisat sea tonight and have not agreed upon life and in defiance of the decision of two Its Patrons. 30 a.m. 31 a.m. 17 m. failed in the effort and the bill is dead. the resignation of John F. Stevens as enany one candidate, and unless a combinasuccessive councils of war. The report is lature. Smith of Miner attempted to turn down gineer-in-charge of the canal construction. tion is effected Munger may be able to biased in the extreme, breathes the most 8 p. m. 9 p. m. Mr. Shoats is in New York, where he will the committee on his uniform fextbook bill, secure one, and possibly two, of the membut fell down in the effort. Bratrud tried NEW YORK, Feb. 26-An assertion by bitter personal enmity and shows that the tomorrow preside at a meeting of the di-LEGISLATIVE. bers on the second hallot in addition to high officers of the Port Arthur garrison R. H. Harviman that Sturvement Fish was (From a Staff Correspondent.) again to reverse the committee on his bill The secare at Lincoln recommends for rectors of the Panama Railroad company. those mentioned. Burkett has been ex- in the darkest days of the siege were LINCOLN, Feb. 21 .- (Special)-After deposed from the presidency of the Illinois passage the joint committee z-cent fare of which he is president, and will, it is exproviding for selection of textbooks at diftremely active during the day in favor of almost at each others' throats. The in-Central because of miscondust as to the ferent dates in different counties, but after an unsuccessful fight by Clarke of Adams bill, with a slight amendment, and carry. pected, formally resign that office. his candidate and the chances appear to be dictment is summed up in conclusion by and Burns of Lancaster to strike out the funds of the company was 1, leading feait was denounced as an American Book ing the emergency clause. This latter The president intends that there shall be in Munger's favor. General Smirpoff as follows: turp of the interstate Commerce commiscompany bill he met with another defeat. emergency clause, H. R. 267, the joint A series of unpardonable blunders out-side the fortness, due to the ignorance and lack of military capacity and martial prowess of Generals Stoessel and Fock, brought about the investment of the fortness several months earlier than necesan entire reorganization of the commission, was warmly opposed by the railroad con-Pollard on Ship Subaidy. Page 1 with three army officers of the engineer Wooley next tackled an adverse commitcommittee 2-cent fare bill, was recomtingent, but was carried. Representative Pollard not only made an Mr. Harriman was the only witness of tee report on his bill to divide taxation becorps its leading members, who are to have mended for passage in committee of the Mr. Harriman was the out of his Age of consent bill, original and the events brought out by his is given reconsideration by South Dako's tween mortgages and mortgaged property, instructive speech today on the ship subwhole of the senate this afternoon. One charge of the engineering features of the but ran against the same stone wall which sidy bill, but he did more. He interested testimony make the hearing a memorable amendment was made to it, but the change canal work. The chairman and engineersenate, and passed. Page 1 for undeserved glory moved Stoessel to interfere in the defense, with unfortunate results. Finally, at the last period of the the assistance of Generals Fock and Reiss, and committed treason in surrendering sud-denly and prematurely. I regard our de-feat at Mukden as a direct result of this the house and at the close of his address. one. Other features of Mr. Harriman's has stopped others, and had to retire. Senate amende house fish and game bill in-thief of the commission will be Major Anti-treating took probably its last round which extended over forty-five minutes, he testimony follow: G. W. Goethals, and his associates will be to permit any method of taking fish in with the other "anti" company at this ses- was congratulated most heartily by the A continued refusal to answer questions Major D. Du B. Gaillard and Major William overflow pools. Also to allow fifteen days' sion by going down to defeat for lack of supporters of the bill. relating to individual stock transactions. L. Sibert, to rank in the order named. quall shooting in November and making one vote in the senate today. Dudley Shaw Talks of His Prospects. Explanations of the transfer of 700,000 These officers are all comparatively young. closed season on all game from April 10 wanted to amend it to exempt democrats at Leslie M. Shaw, secretary of the treasury. shares of Southern Pacific stock to William ambitious and energetic. to September 15. Page 3 all'times and everbody on St Patrick's day. goes to New York to become president of G. Rockefeller during the attempt of Commission to be Reorganized. Bill introduced in house at Lincoln This was lost on a tie vote. Vessey spoke the Carnegie Trust company. He has been James R. Keane to secure control of the treason house last week. Senator Joseph C. Blackburn of Kentucky, A dispatch received here today announced uppropriating \$1,250 for a monument over for the bill in the interest of temperance, touched with the "bug" of power, and road and delayed announcement of the The fight against the emergency clause who retires from the United States senate the grave of General John M. Thayer. and Dudley denounced it as a freak. While needs much more than he did when he that serious disorders have broken out in dividends in Union and Scothern Pacific. was futile and an amendment by Clarks on March 4, is to be made a member of the Page 2 strong efforts have been made to carry it. was a plain country banker in Denison, In. the Biski district of the province of Tomsk. Attempts by the government to show that to strike out the clause was defeated by reorganisation commission. The nominations Nebraska house limits debate in comthe one vote which has been lacking for He has tasted the sweets of influence. He Siberia. Troops, with field field guns have of the present commissioners now pending over a week failed to come to the rescue has been in close contact with the great been sent to the scene from Barnaul. the Union Pacific charges unfair rates, a large majority. Clarke offered the mittee of the whole to one speech per stifles competition in the vast territory before the senate include Messrs. Shonts, amendment after he had protested against and it went down. per member on any one bill. Page 2 captains of finance, and not being slow in traversed by its fines and that its divi-Stevens, Haines, Herrod, Gorgas and Jacktaking up the hill at the present time. The only bill of importance passed by the recognizing their potential force he has COCK FIGHTING MAY CONTINUE He said he thought the senate should FEBRASKA. dends of 10 per cent and its expenditure of son Smith, Their affirmation is desired in house was the senate bill creating a state for the time being decided to cast his lot Railroads refuse to make a rate for \$240,000,000 on betterments came from an wait a reasonable time to see what action order to remove all doubt as to the legalboard of osteopaths, which passed. Nebraska Teachers' association meeting ity of ospiain acts they have performed in with the "money lenders of Wall street" The governor sent in the name of Charles when he leaves the treasury department on Governor Magoon May Be Compelled unfair toll on its patrons. the bouse would take on the senate bill. until they know the result of rate legis-An academic discussion of railway reguconnection with the making of contracts. Hopkins of Aberdeen as inspector of ho- March 4. When asked what effect his ac-He then offered his motion to strike out to Follow Philippine Plan Fage 3 The retirement of Messrs. Shonts and Stevlation lation by high sutherities on either side, the emergency clause and Burns seconded tels, under the provisions of the bill creof Taft. Paul Schmidt, aged 21, loses both hands ens will leave but two vacancies, so that ating that office. that ran from a ples for legalized comceptance of the presidency of the Carnegie the motion. in a corn shredder near Fails City. Trust company would have upon his politibinations of railroads under government there will be two more retirements neces-Clarke Pleads for Delay. cal future Secretary Shaw said: Page 3 sary to make way for the three army offi- STONE FOR NEW STATE CAPITOL supervision to a suggestion that the gov-WASHINGTON, Feb. 26-It is expected "To pass the bill with the emergency "A man by taking thought may make that Governor Magoon will refer to Sec-DOMESTIC. cers and Senator Bisckburn. The presiernment control railway stock issues. clause would be unfair," suid Senator himself a justice of the peace, but no mun retary Taft the question that has been C. H. Harriman testifies that Stuyves- dent is determined that the work on the Plane Will Permit Granite with Soft A charge and an admission that the mis-Clarke, in defense of his motion. "It does ant Fish was removed from presidency of canal shall proceed puntinuously, and the Bilinois Central because of misuse of com- temporary. "dislocation" caused by the resin my time by taking thought has made raised by the Cuban people of the proconduct of the railroads created the pop-Stones for Carvings. himself president of the United States. priety of rescinding the order made by not matter much to the state of Nebraska ular anger that moves determinedly for PIERRE S. D., Feb. 26-(Special Teleand those who have given the subject the General Leonard Wood when he was milli. whether this clause is on or not, and it pany's funds. Fage 1 ignation of higher officials will not be altheir regulation. gram.)-In considering plans for the new most serious consideration have usually tary governor of Cuba prohibiting cock does matter a great deal to the railroads. Cross-examination of Mrs. Evelyn Thaw lowed to interfere with progress. A charge that no other country in the If it goes through with the emergency state capitol today the commission so far died in disappointment. , Admittedly, some fighting in the island. ends and attempt is made to introduce The president is unaware of the specific world is so hostile to large transportation modified the plans as to allow the straight of the successful ones have sought the Secretary Taft had such an experience clause, the railroads will not have time copy of statement said to have been signed reasons which have been influential in prowork to be of granite with softer stone place, but none was nominated because he as Governor Magoon is now undergoing to consider the matter and they will prob-An assertion that the purchase of South- by her. Page 5 moting Mr. Stevens' resignation. It surfor the carvings. Bids will be advertised sought it. Neither Lincoln, Grant, Linyes, when the former was governor of the ably go into court to enjoin it. If we do Chicago federal subtreasury chortage prised him very much, for as late as the ern Pacific by the Union Pacific had given for to be opened in this city June 4 for the Garfield, Blaine, McKinley, Roosevelt nor Philippines, and, although he was able to not put it in force right away they may the southwest ten years advantage in de- may be due to error in bookkeeping. middle of December Mr. Stevens made no completed building. A number of different Bryan was nominated because of the state prevent cock fighting in Manila, so deeply have time to consider it and may decide Fage 1 mention of his wish to retire. It has been velopment, that the failure of the Union classes of stone are open for bids, the list he represented, and some of them secured seated was the love of this sport that he not to fight it." Sloux Falls coal dealer sues St. Paul known, however, that Mr. Stevens has granite. Black Hills sandstone, Kettle the prize notwithstanding their location, was obliged to refrain from interfering. This remark caused Aldrich to inquire if Pacific to secure the Northern Pacific left railroad for \$5,000 damages, alleging road been stung very much by criticism almed the northwest ten years behind where it Cleveland, Harrison, Parker and possibly with this ancient institution outside of the he had any inside information from the would have been if control had been eb-be would not build spur to his yards because at him in connection with canal work. be would not enter local coal dealers' some of which came out during hearings river sandstone. Marquette raindrop sandone or two defeated candidates have been capital. Hence every holiday saw a pfl- railroads, a remark which Clarke resented stone and Bedford limestone. Stone in the aided by location, though Mr. Cleveland grimage of the citizens into the suburban and denied. Wiltse of Cedar declared Fage 1 before committees of congress. combination. All this ended in a remarkable some state is to be given a 5 per cent preference Clarke was getting cold feet, as he had was once nominated in the face of an towns to eajoy the sport. where the government and the man stood confronted. The day's events gave a styld and intimate realization of the problems of swellen wealth and ratiway regulation. It is ing the deposit of customs receipts in national banks and providing for more great engineering enterprise in this counright over that from outside the state. opposing delegation from his own state. It is said that Governor Magoon may voted for the same bill a few days ago All but two of the men whose names I decide to follow Secretary Taft's example and now wanted to butcher it. He favored the emergency clause and immediate ad-

Page 5 try at an anual salary more than double

made notable contribution to the financial bills of smaller denominations.

The probability is that the administra-

to be done at the isthmus under contract

under the general direction of the army

cipal Die in Flames

the floor, with a child beside her.

Negligence in Connection with

Operating His Mine.

MONTREAL Feb. E-Principal Maxwell

Delegates Delayed by Flood. MITCHESH, S. D., Feb. 36-(Special Tel- have mentioned were nominated because in this matter. MITCHISH, S. D., Feb. 36-(Special Tel- have mentioned were and for what they special the country of what they were and for what they SHORTAGE MAY BE AN ERROR

Denison Still His Home.

as fortuitous circumstances work his ele

"For a time my place of business will be

New York City. My domicile probably will

he in some convenient suburb, preferably

Connecticut, but my home will be Danison,

In. There will I vote, there will I spend

the remnant of my days if I live past re-

"I have ever been a creature of circum

stances. The path I have followed from the

I have had little to do with its meander-

gested themselves unhidden. The place I

extent as formerly may be wanting.

tion, declaring it would make the railroads so into court at once

Metory-light and dark-of the time. Mr. Harriman's examination was confucted by Frank B. Keilogg of St. Phul, Minn. special counsel for the government. Attack on Mr. Fish.

sion hearing.

interests.

tained.

The statement of the witness as to Stuymorning session. Mr. Kellogg, in reference to the Illinois Central, spoke twice of the "squabble" between the witness and Mr.

"One minute," exclaimed Mr. Harriman, "I will tell you how the presidency of the Illinois Central was changed if you want to know.

Kellogg remarked that it was en-Mr. tirely immaterial, but Mr. Harriman was aroused and went ahead. "I wish to prove to you that it had noth- public.

ing to do with the Union Pacific, that change in the management or change of permit cock fighting in Cuba. the president," said Mr. Harriman in explaining the reason for relating the story. That the change in the president of the Illinois Central occurred after the acquisi-

tion of the Illinois Central stock by the Union Pacific was merely a coincidence. There has been no change in the manage- the council. ment of the Hillnois Central. If the Union Pacific had not disposed of a certain amount of its holdings of securities and had money to invest in like securities, it never would have acquired the Illinois Central."

In 188, he said, he was approached by arveral influential directors of the Illinois Central who asked him as to the advisability of representing President Fish's acts court, but desires to see decree before to the beard with a view to having the being certain. board request his resignation.

Mr. Harriman said he took steps to smooth over the difficulty. It appeared, he uld, that President Fish had used his melal position to further his own interests. but he (Mr. Harriman) prevented any action at that time

beequipily Mr. Fish repeated acts of tors of its own volition relieved him of office.

Funds with Trust Company.

Mr. Kellogg then startetd to resume his examination when Mr. Knapp of the commission leaned over and addressed Mr. are closed. Harriman in a low tone. His question was apparently related to the Fish incident. and Mr. Harriman spun his chair around facing the bench and said:

"Yes, in 1931, when Mr. Fish deposited over \$506,000 of Illinois Central funds with the Trust Company of the Republic. We, the directors I mean-immediately directed the secretary to withdraw this money and It was done."

Mr. Harriman then said that later in the sume year Mr. Fish deposited with the Trust Company of America large amounts of Illinois Control funds, thus using this "to pad the trust company's stateand i

Mr. Harriman said he personally loaned Pish \$1,200,000 to help him out so that he suthstanding the board's action." continued Mr. Harriman, "In 1966 Mr. Fish again began to deposit money of the Binois Centrill with certain trust companies 'in order to pad statements," "

"In addition to that," Mr. Marriman com tinued, "he loaned to himself a large amount of money without the knowledge. belleve, of the directors, and it was based partment, and George Raleigh, chief of de-

with the request that I join with them to City. take the matter before the board of directers with the intention of having Mr. Fish Fish, loaned him \$1,780,000 to take up had it remain with him for two years. He paid it back gradually until the so-

Alenatiousd on Fifth Paged

Chief Engineer Stevens of Panama that he now receives from the governcharge of three army engineers. All bids ganization of the forces on the isthmus gates to the annual convention of the for doing the work by contract are re- is excellent. Mr. Stevens is said to be-Sected.

vesant Fish came in the middle of the C. Munger for federal judge, but oppon- For several weeks, it has been rumored divided on question of recommending T. in any way jeopardizing its success. ents have not centered on anyone. Page 1 the plan of letting the canal work out by

Secretary Shaw, in interview regarding contract, but us explained by a member his political future, states that he still of the cabinet today Mr. Stevens really considers Denison. In, his home and in- proposed to the prosident the adoption of dicates he is in a receptive mood regard. this method of constructing the canal. ing nomination for presidency. Page 1 tion may determine to give out the work FOREIGN.

Charges upon which General Stoessel is to be tried for alleged treason is made

engineers. After Major Goethals and his Page 1 army associates have been at the isthmus General Magoon may be compelled to sufficient time to become fully acquainted Page 1 with the work to be done, they will sub-School at Montreal burns and about mit a report on the situation to the presitwenty children are killed by sufficiention. dent. Page 1

LOCAL

ter by contract than under the present Mayor appoints Charles F. Crowley gas inspector and nomination is confirmed by Antone J. Hollmotz, young man at are now rejected or others of similar Florence charged with murder in the standing then may be invoked. first degree for death of his infant who was unwelcomed by himself and wife.

Fage 5 General Manderson says Burlington Rail- Montreal School Huse Burns road company will probably pay taxes Sixteen Kindergartners and Prinunder decision of United States supreme Page 7

Omaha Bar association takes steps to oppose appointment of T. C. Munger of and sixteen children perished in a fire this Lincoln as United States district judge. afternoon in the Hochelags school of the Page 3 Protestant School cimmission. The fire

Mr. and Mrs. Antone J. Holimots of was first noticed by workmen employed Florence charged with killing infant born nearby. day before death. Page 2 The hanging of W. W. Fisher in effigy of getting the children out of the building She has been arrested many times on opened before me only step at a time, and game character and the board of direc- in South Omaha proves boomerang to began. The kindergarten department was opponents of merger of cities. Page 7

Judge Bedick decides he has no diction in Bassett divorce case and Washington decree stands. Page 7 Eight children with smallpox creates retreated to the rooms whence they had jewelry house. excitement at Florence and public schools Page 7

BUSSE NAMED FOR MAYOR Postmaster is Unanimous Choice at

Windy City Republican

Primarics.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.-As a result of the The deaths were caused by asphyxiation. republican primaries held here today. Fred There were no fire escapes in the building A. Busse, postmaster of Chicago, will be the unanimous choice of the party for JOSEPH LEITER IS ON TRIAL mayor at the spring election. The nominsting convention will be held as soon as | Coal Magnate Charged with Criminal Mr. Busse, who was injured in a railroad wreck in Pennsylvania, returns to Chicago.

hd take up various obligations. "Not- SALT LAKE OFFICIALS TAKEN Chief of Police and Chief of Detec-

tives Accused of Fleering Tourists. SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 26-George Pranklin county.

Sheets, chief of the Balt Lake police de-

King Receives White ROME, Feb. M .-- King Victor Em today received in private audience the obligations to the Illineis Central and American amhasmdor, Henry White, who France the explosion.

try in the southern part of the state had stood, and the two exce canal resigns and work will be placed in ment. His friends contend that the or- caused a delay in the arrival of the dela- promises.

South Dakota Swine Breeders' amotiation titude of an ideal American citizen when Fage 1 Heve that he can now terminate his con- which convened this evening with only a he said he had never sought a place of Nebraska delegation said to be evenly nection with this great enterprise without small attendance. A number of delegates honor or preferment and had never de arrived on the evening trains. The stock clined one. The honors that have come for the combination sale has been delayed to me have been unsought. When the here that Mr. Stevens was dissatisfied with on account of the floods and about half alternative of seeking a nomination for of the animals are here. The rest are governor of my state or running away expected tomorrow. The program for this from the sentiment was presented 1 evening was set over until tomorrow after- simply took the affirmative of the issue. DOOD.



Man Held in Denver for Murder and Woman in Colorado Springs

Wanted. world's work. DENVER, Feb. 26-Benjamin C. Wright, solicitor for the International Correspond- who gets a divorce from his wife as soon

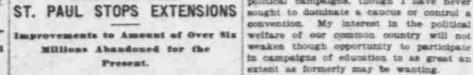
ence school of Seranton, Pa., is held a prisoner in the city jall here on a charge vation and I have never admired one who If they feel the work can be done betof murder, having conferred to Chief of divorces himself from his little home system the question again will be consid- Police Michael Delaney last night in the town as soon as his horizon expands. ered by the president and the services of presence of witnesses that he poisoned his Denison, in., has been my home for sixty Page 4 the same high class contractors whose hids wife, Cora, and his daughter, Genevieve, who were found dead yesterday in their domiciled in Des Molnes and while holding home in this city. Infatuation for Stella my present position and domiciled in Wash Good, for whom the police claim to have ington I have always registered from Dent-CHILDREN PERISH IN FIRE learned Wright had neglected his family, son, Is., and I have written the word Iowa is supposed to have been the motive for in full with bold and affectionate hand. the crime. According to the statement of hospital physicians Wright himself had taken no poison and was shamming yes-

teriny when he seemed to be unconscious. The contents of his stomach were examined and no poison was found. Wright did not disclose last night the nature of the poison given his wife and threment, and there will I be buried. child, but it is known they died in agony. Stella Good left the city yesterday for Colorado Springs, and the authorities of farm on this side of the Green mountains The teachers were notified and the work that city have been asked to arrest her. to the secretaryship of the treasury, has

charges of theft. CHICAGO, Feb. 26 - Wright and his wife ings. I have simply performed the tasks located on the second floor and it was here that the loss of life occurred. The chil- are natives of Benton Harbor, Mich. For that circumstances have assigned. dren started out, but found the lower hall some time they resided in this city. Wright clients have come unasked and other lines full of smoke and refused to descend. They was for a time a traveling salesman for a of business which I have pursued have sug-

COLORADO SPRINGS. Colo., Feb. 2 .- have accepted was not sought, though it The fire by this time was making its way Stella Good, wanted by the Denver au- is very desirable and to me preferable to upwards and the smoke was growing so thorities in connection with the Wright a well established business which might dense that even the experienced firemen murder, was arrested here today at a mean a larger harvest, but it would be could not stand it. Captain Carson tried to boarding house, where she was stopping from another man's planting. get Miss Maxwell to go down the ladder, with her mother. She denied that she had "I recognize that retirement to private but abe refused and rushed back into the any knowledge of Wright's intention to life is usually acquiesced in without proback part of the building in search of the murder his family. Both Stells Good and test, and should no one now object it will her mother were taken to Denver in the neither annoy nor lead to political estrangechildren. Later she was found lying on

custody of a deputy sheriff. The mother ment. During all the years of my manhood will be held as a witness. I have taken a more or less active part in



CHICAGO, Feb. 26-Owing to raflway leg- when a financial institution can be made to ST. LOUIS, Ma., Feb. M .- A special from islation and the difficulty of raising money, assume even respectable proportions in the Duquain, III., says: Prosecution of the case as well as the increased cost of labor and city of New York without alliances with against Joseph Leiter, wealthy coal opera- materials, the Milwaukee railroad has tem- existing active business interests. The Cartor, on the charge of original negligence perarily abandoned improvements and ex. negle Trust company will have no clients in the operation of his colliery at Ziegler, tensions, for which the management ex- but its customers, no interests to serve but

The legal proceedings instituted today date back to April, 196, when a gas explosion tonight, "that the St. Paul is not going to pelled to write the word 'defeat,' and it might from effects of the grip. The body cause the Junkin act two years ago gave those matters that the directors, who tectives, were arrested today charged with occurred in the collery, killing outright do any work this year that is not neces will be for my part to determine whether will be brought to Seward today and the the legal department \$50,000 to carry out had become conversant with the facts, ap- complicity in a conspiracy to fleece tougists nearly sixty miners. Relatives of the de- sary. We are doing what every other pru- I am again invited from the congenial fields proached me after my return from Europe and travelers panning through Sait Lake ceased miners brought suit shortly after dent railroad company is doing in view of of personal endeavor to the perplexities of day. Mr. Cox came to this county in 1866 tion this year only \$1,000 in excess of that the accident, but for various reasons trial the tendency of the times. We would stop public service."

of the case had been delayed until the the building of the Pacific coast extension Express Companies to Be Investigated present term of court. The suits are said were it not for the fact that the work The Interstate Commerce commission has an uncle of Judge T. L. Norvai. to aggregate \$400.000.

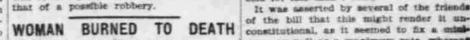
presented his letters of recall previous to tors Taylor of Peoria and Little of Herrin, sees a squall coming he will trim hi stalls. foreign commerce committee of the house his departure for Paris, where he succeeds and E. D. John of Carbondale, who in- And it seems to me there are plenty of are understood to favor the resolution and Bubert S. McCormick as ambassador to stituted search for the hodies soon after squalls on every side for the railroads just a salarar."

"General Grant expressed the correct at. Federal Officials at Chicago Inclined

to Doubt Theft of Government Funds.

ance of \$172,000 from the subtreasury in thing. this city today declared that they were

Whatever Shaw presidential semiment now exists has sprung up spontaneously result of a theft, but of a clerical error. Captain Porter of the secret service, who same way my name will never be menhas charge of the case, said today that he tioned in the national convention. In the believed the matter would be straightened meantime I will not decline appropriate tasks or refuse to do my share of the other officials connected with the sub-



Fire Originating in Novelty Store in Los Angeles Endangers Lives of Many Persons.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 26 .- Fire that originated in the basement of the Fair novelty store in the five story brick German building at 22 South Spring street, shortly after 1 o'clock today, galned great headway before it was extinguished, causing the death of one woman, seriously endangered

the lives of several other persons caused property loss of many thousands of dollars. Mrs. Emma Stewart of ME Pasadena avenue, an employe of the German aries bill this morning, carrying an approcompany, with offices on the fourth floor. printion of \$50,180, and it has about ready

TWO-CENT FARE IN MINNESOTA

building was valued at \$200,000.

Now Be Sent to Conference.

today passed a 2-cent fare and an anti- state superintendent, which received an inpass bill, making a flat 2 cent fare for pas- crease from \$10,000 to \$15,000. Two years senger fares throughout the state. The ago Mr. McBrien got an enormous approand committees of the two houses will new certification law, which work is now now confer on the matter.

DEATH RECORD

Mrs. P. M. King.

political campaigns, though I have never Mrs. P. M. King, aged W. died about 7 a m. Tuesday at her home, 200 North Twen, received \$15,600. The orthopedic hospital is convention. My interest in the political ty-seventh avenue, after an extended sickwelfare of our common country will not ness from tuberculosis. She is survived by weaken though opportunity to participate her husband, who was formerly in the in campaigns of education to as great an "I have been told that the time is past taken Wednesday morning to North Bend, the old family home of Mrs. King, and it. has not been decided if funeral services will be held in Omaha.

W. W. Cox

was begun soday in the circuit court of pected to spend between \$6,000,000 and \$8,000,- those of its clients, and continued health, gram.)-W. W. Cox, a pioneers of Seward officers. While apparently the appropriaplus the necessary time will alone demon-

Colonel John E. Ewing.

the country.

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"While they are enjoining this bill," be said. "we can be doing something else."

Sackett, who was the author of the sepate bill, came out strongly in favor of passing the house bill at once. He said the senate should pass the bill regardless CHICAGO, Feb. 2 .- The government of- of who is to get the credit, as it was ficials who are working on the disappear- the legislation that was the important

Gould saw visions of railroads refusing unable to trace the theft to any one per- to sell lickets to passengers at all if the son and they have formed the strong bill passed with the emergency clause. He opinion that the disappearance is not the said they would not have time to adjust themselves to the new rate.

Minimum Rate Knocked Out.

After the motion had been buried the out by night. He would not say that he senate took up a question raised by Ashton had ahandoned the theory of a theft, but of Hall, King and others. The bill as it came from the house contained this treasury declared that the idea of an error provise, "Provided that no ticket shall be "I have ever held in contempt the man was receiving far more consideration than sold for less than 5 cents."

It was asserted by several of the friends of the bill that this might render it unmum as well as a maximum rate, whereas the title designated only a maximum rate After considerable discussion an amendment by Aldrich striking out the entire phrase and inserting the words, "Provided no railroad shall be required to sell any ticket for less than 5 cents" was adopted. The bill was then recommended for passage

without further opposition. The bill will probably come up for final passage before the senate tomorrow and will then go back to the house for concurrence in the senate amendment.

Appropriation Bill is Coming.

The finance committee introduced the saldied an hour after being carried out. The for introduction the general appropriation bill providing money for the current expenses of the state for the biennium. This bill carries an appropriation of \$1,799,450, compared to an appropriation of \$1,900,690, Senate Passes Measure and it Will but the decrease is due to the removal from the general bill the appropriation for the State university, which is provided for in separate measures. As a general proposition nearly every one got a boost, the ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. M .- The senate most notable being in the office of the use inst week passed a 2-cent fare bill priation in order to put into operation the practically finished, but he has managed demonstrate to the committee he needs 16.000 more to run on for the next two years. The experimental station at North Platte will receive \$25,000 and the farmers' institute \$5.000. Two years ago the latter

tary of state receives double the appropriation he received two years ago in order to employ of Thomas Kilpatrick & Co., and install a fire-proof vault in his office. The four young children. The body will be appropriation for the office of the governor is cut down from \$5,190 to \$1,200. This decrease is due to the removal from the bill of the appropriation for the maintenance of the executive mansion, which was included in the bill two years ago. Considerable of the increase is due to a BEWARD, Neb., Feb. 26-(Special Tels- provision for railroad fare for the state

ocurty, died at the home of his ann at tion for the attorney general is increased Scott's Bluff. Neb., at 13 o'clock Monday from \$7,000 to \$27,000, this is not true, befuneral will probably take place on Thurs- its provisions, which makes this appropriaand was the author of Cox's History of two years ago. The general appropriation Seward. He was 74 years of age. He was bill shows \$10,000 was appropriated last

year for the historical society, but as a matter of fuct there was a separate bill CHICAGO, Feb. E.-Colonel John E. carrying an appropriation of \$1.500, which in testify are Mr. Letter, State Mine Inspac- alarmist, but when the prodent mariner nies. The majority of the interstate and Ewing, president of the Pinancier, a New reality made the appropriation for this so-York publication, died at Mercy hospital cirty \$12,500 and the increase asked for this here of pneumonia. Mr. Ewing was well year only \$2,500 instead of \$5,000, as it would known among influential men throughout appear comparing the two appropriation bills. Any number of miscellaneous anora-

"It is true," deciared President Earling strate whether ultimately I will be com-

has proceeded to a point where it could made favorable report on Mr. Kennedy's Among the principal withesees who will not very well be stopped. I am not an resolution, to investigate express compa-

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