STRIKE IS PROBABLE SUMMARY OF THE BET COCCO

Conference Between Trainmen and Managers Adjourns Without Action.

MORRISEY EXPECTS MEN TO QUIT WORK

He Says It is Up to Railroads to Prevent

Vote of Men to Enforce Demanus Was Almost Unanimous.

RAILROAD OFFICIALS ARE MORE HOPEFUL

Secretary of Association Says Employes Will Soon See That Offer of Companies is Pair and Will Accept It.

CHRCAGO, March 27,-The 45,000 trainmen officials lasted four hours, but was a fallure so far as bringing about a solution of the trouble is concerned.

The railroads offered the men increases of 7 per cent to passenger conductors and journment, saying the house is anxious to operations 10 per cent to the minor employes, including brakemen, firemen, baggagemen and ailled workers. The men had demanded an increase of 12 per cent and a nine-hour workday, and when the officials declared their offer was the best that could be made the conference ended, as the men by a two railroad bills, both originating in the referendum vote taken last week had declded not to accept anything short of their original demands.

Union Men in Conference. Immediately after the conference broke up the representatives of the men got together to consider the advisability of calling terms. Just what decision was reached is not known tonight, as the union men declined to discuss what had taken place at the meeting. They were a unit, however, in declaring a peaceable settlement of the of the institutions. controversy can only be reached by the general managers offering concessions. Another meeting of the union men has been scheduled for tomorrow morning and the general belief is tonight that a strike will be called within the next forty-eight hours unless the railroad officials request another conference to try and settle the matter without resorting to a fight.

Morrissey Expects Strike. P. M. Morrissey, chief of the trainmen's

We have been instructed by the men we represent to call a strike unless the offer of the ruads was satisfactory to us. The vote by which this attitude was reached carried the strike proposition by a tremendous majority. We are not satisfied and the men are not satisfied. We are not going to ask for any more conferences with the general managers. It is up to these resultemen now to prevent the men quirting work, and the only way they can do this is to accede to our demands.

A. B. Garretten chile of the conductors.

Fremont labor unions proposition in the contractors being permitted cheap foreign labor on pay to the proposition by a tremendous majority. We are not satisfied in the general managers in the men quirties work, and the only way they can do this is to accede to our demands.

Fremont labor unions proposition to contractors being permitted cheap foreign labor on pay to the proposition and general western railro is fail to ment on wage question and probable within two days. organization said:

A. B. Garrettson, chief of the conductors, declared that no further would be held with the general managers. General Managers Hopeful.

The railroad officials are not quite so pessimistic over the situation. When the men were declaring a strike was inevitable, Secretary Slason Thompson of the General Managers' association said:

We have not yet given up hope of exceable adjustment of the difficulty. W peaceable adjustment of the difficulty. We have conceded a great deal to the men already and it would seem to be but a matter of a short time until the union officials will see their way clear to accepting the general managers' proposition. I am of the opinion that the conference which resulted in nothing to day will be resumed again within the next two days and that some sort of an agreement will be reached.

KIRKMAN APPEALS HIS CASE Convicted Army Officer Asks Circuit

Court of Appeals for Writ of Habens Corpus. ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 27.-A petition for

a writ of habeas corpus was filed today in the United States circuit court of appeals on behalf of George W. Kirkman, formerly infantry, who now is serving a two-year | tinue. sentence in the ponitentiary at Fort Leavenworth. Kan. In this petition Kirkman alleges that his detention is unlawful. According to the petition Kirkman was

tried by court martial during June, 1906, on a charge of unbecoming conduct, convicted, dismissed from the service and sen-Ills original petition for a writ of habeas during 1907. was heard by United States District Judge Pollock of Kansas, who denied the petition. The action is against R. W. Mc-Claughry, warden of the penitentiary.

CHINESE MUST PAY DEBTS present law.

Six Companies and Imperial Government Co-Operate Against Men Who Would Repudints.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27 .- The Call says that the local six Chinese companies, with the endorsement of the Chinese con. aul general, have issued a notice calling a meeting at which the claims of American and Chinese firms against Chinese firms which repudiated their indebtedness after the big fire in April last are to be presented.

These claims are to be placed in the hands of the six companies at the instance of the Chinese government, and, where insurance has been collected by the debtors who have refused payment of the claims against them, the relatives of the debtor are to be captured in China, it is said, and land, arrives for his match at the Audi- his European trip. Crown Prince Chowfa thrown into prison, to be held until the torium Friday night with Farmer Burns, Maha Vajiravudh will act as regent during debtor has met his financial obligations.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERK OUT Hugh G. Shang Dismissed for Taking Part in Organization of the

Brotherhood. LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 27,-Hugh G. Shaug of this city has been dismissed from the railway mail service for ola part in the organization of the Brotherhood of Railway Mail Clerks. A. H. Stephens, superintendent of the rallway mail service of the Pacific coast, says: "The action of the department in the " aug case indicates that the department

will not tolerate the brotherhood. Mr. Stephens will leave April 3 for Wash. intendents of the rallway mail service.

for their part in the movement.

Thursday, March 28, 1907, MARCH 1907 THE WED THE STATE 8 9 5 6 10 11 12 13 14 15 18 19 20 21 22 23 17 NO FURTHER CONFERENCE WILL BE ASKED 2%1 25 26 27 28 29 30

FORECAST FOR NEBRASKA—Partly doudy Thursday and Friday. FORECAST FOR IOWA-Fair Thursday. Friday fair and warmer.

Temperature at Omaha yesterday:

LEGISLATIVE.

The house at Lincoln spent much time yesterday debating the matter of comof the western railroads seem nearer a munities voting bonds to aid railroads. It The conference today between the repre- faces the task of reducing the measures by March 30. sentatives of the men and the railroad more than a million and a quarter in order to bring them within the estimated income of the state for the blennium. The senate refuses to name a committee to confer with the house on a day for adget away and leave a lot of senate bills

unacted upon. Page 1 The senate today indefinitely postponed the bill to tax real estate mortgages and put the single tax theory of Governor Sheldon into practice. The house today passed house, one compelling roads to furnish quiring them to furnish scales and weigh and providing for a state weighmaster.

a strike in order to bring the railroads to at Lincoln are trying to secure an amendfrom 5 to 6 mills. This in order to hold development of the French plans. some extravagant appropriations in favor Page 1

> HEBRASEA. The trial of Kennison of Scott's Bluh for the killing of Sam D. Cox is proceeding, the judge having overruled a motion for a change of venue and a continuance.

Frank Brink, acquitted at Ponca of charge of murder of his sweetheart, may not go to insane asylum. His father suggests instead home treatment with competent private physician. Page 3 Fremont labor unions protest against contractors being permitted to employ cheap foreign labor on paving jobs.

Page 3 Trainmen and general managers on estern railror is fall to reach agreement on wage question and strike seams

Explosion of dynamite in a car at Atlanta, Ga., kills two and injures others. Page 1

Chicago federal grand jury calls for

list of persons holding railroad passes and express franks. Mrs. Sarah Emery of Ottumwa, aged 82, pours gasoline into pot, mistaking it for vinegar, and dies from burns she receives. Page 8

Judge Morgan J. O'Brien resigns as memer of Thaw lunacy commission and is sucers were sworn in and the inquiry will be-FOREIGH.

France sends two warships to Tangler Morooco requires a lesson. and punitive expedition starts from Al-France will not be opposed by Germany.

Dr. Jollos, editor of a Moscow liberal lewspaper, is assassinated. Page 1 King of Roumania promises reform in captain in the Twenty-fifth United States tax and agrarian laws. Disorders con- the European residents of Oudja, who re-

WASHINGTON. Salvador asks intervention of Mexico to stop war in Central America. Page 1 only of a small escort for the governor, president on railroad question. Page 1 resistance to the French column. The Permits have been issued for 1.388,000 Europeans of Gudja left all their personal horses and cattle and 4,806,000 sheep and property locked up in their houses. tenced to two years in the penitentiary. goats to graze on national forest reserves

LOCAL lington admits terminal tax law will give desire to stop the intolerable disorders in to small as well as large communities Morocco, and with that end in view it has more revenue from railroads than under

lus to such sentiment in recent park site deal. even through a session of the legislature. fire insurance rates are not high in Omaha and that complaints emanating from the Pacific coast cities of extortion-

ate rates for boodle cannot apply here. Page 7 Story of \$40,000 gold ore steal in Cripple Creek and disposition of ore in Omaha is generally discredited by authorities in

this city. Page 7 SPORTS. H. Beselin of Omaha wins fifth prize in

tournament of American bowling congress. Jimmy Parr, champion wrestler of Engwho won the last contest.

OVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS W YORK Sicilian ... DUYHAMPTON. MANCHESTER Abertan

"Father" Nicholas.

MISSION HILL S. D., March 27 .- (Spe-dents, in connection with the wreck of the Congregational pioneer missionary, who of the railroad last month. diedin Oregonrecently, will be buried beington to attend the convention of super. side his wife with fitting services Thurs- not guilty and were released on \$10,000 hail "high graders." were selsed at the local day afternoon. Rev. Abble Chapin, the each. The grand jury also handed up a office of the Wells Fargo Express company

France Sends Warships to Tangier and Troops to Oudja from Algeria.

ACTION IS APPROVED BY GERMANY

Kniser is Satisfied Punitive Expedition Has No Ulterior Motive-Conditions Regarder as Intolerable.

European opinion, being favorable to porarily excused. France's action, a solution of the difficul-Jeanne d'Arc, now at Tangler, as soon as with Ruef. he is convinced that the French attitude is inflexible and that France has the unanimous support of the powers.

French Advance from Algeria. A dispatch received from General Liautey, commander of the column of occupation, strike tonight than at any time since the was finally determined to recommend the today announced that a squadron of Spahis negotiations with the general managers bill for passage and allow each county to had been ordered to make a forced march for an increase in wages and a shorter do as it deems fit. The senate has the from Sidi-Bel-Abbes, Algeria, to Oudja. workday were started two months ago. house appropriation bills before it and The Spahis cannot reach Oudja before

> A battery of artillery and a battalion of Zouaves have left Tlemsen, Algeria, for Lalla Marnia on the Moroccan frontier. General Liautey has arrived at Sidi-Hel-Abbes and has taken charge of the military A news agency today announced that the

Germany Approves Course. BERLIN, March 27 .- The occupation of Oudja, Morocco, by the French troops is books. regarded at the Foreign office here as sidetracks to elevator owners, another re- being a proper and inevitable step, if it be Attorney Langdon was asked to make a confined simply to punitive measures for statement regarding the day's investigashipments in carload lots at division points. the murder of a French citizen, and is tion. He replied: without ulterior objects. It is assumed Fage 2 here officially that France will observe its days thus for before the grand jury-a Lobbyists representing state institutions agreements entered into at Algedras, both day respecting which it is necessary for the ment that will increase the amount of tax is one of alert observance. Any modifica- strictest slience. I shall simply say that

ation of the statement has been received.

The reopening of the Morocco question would be unpleasant to Germany and there ritory not strictly in accord with the interments showing suspicion of the French in- Dinan. tentions, so that the public mind is cer-

sympathetically. The French charge d'affairs, M. Decomte. Fage 1 ment respecting the military expedition to any statement now. Whether we shall plead Pennsylvania railroad officials offer re-ward for arreet of persons who are al-have replied that Germany hoped the occu-will become known tomorrow when the Page 1 troops would only be temporary.

Europeans in Danger. TANGIER, March 27 .- The French arnored cruiser Jeanne d'Arc and the cruiser La Lande have arrived here from Toulon. The commander of the Jeanne d'Arc will Page 1 hand a list of the French claims this afternoon to Mohammed el Torres, the representative of the sultan. -

The situation at Morocco City is becoming more serious, according to the reports received here. Hostile crowds are parading Daily Mail Says It Was Caused by the streets and Europeans do not dare to ceeded by David McClure. The commission go out of their houses without an escort. Prominent Moors express satisfaction at gin this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Page 4 the fact that France has decided to occupy Oudja. They declare that the sultan of

giers to Oudja to enforce collection of notified the Moorish authorities that they is accepted in reliable quarters. claims against Morocco. The action of will be held responsible for outrages on French citizens

Europeans Leave Oudja LALLA MARNIA, Algeria, March 27 .-The French military mission has returned here from Oudja. With it have come all Page 8 port that the town is calm and the people do not suspect the forthcoming occupation. The Moroccan garrison in Oudja consists Andrew Carnegie approves attitude of and there is very little probability of any

Spain Supports France. MADRID, March 27 .- The Spanish governent has issued an official note expressing Tax Commissioner Pollard of the Bur- its whole hearted concurrence in France's formally pointed out to the sultan the de-Fage 7 sirability of facilitating by every means South Omaha men see growing senti- in his power the early establishment of the ment for consolidation and strong stimu | international police force in Morocco.

Page 11 RUSSIAN EDITOR IS KILLED A. G. Besson, insurance inspector, says Former Member of Duma Assasianted as He Leaves Home in

Moscow.

editor of the Russki Viedomosti, was assassinated here today by a youth, who shot him with a revolver as he was leaving his titude toward the ratiroads. He is the best residence. The murderer escaped. house of the first Russian Parliament.

King of Siam on Visit. BANGKOK, Slam, March 27 .- The king of Siam, Chulalongkorn I, started today on Fage 4 the king's absence.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS INDICTED Manslaughter Charge Preferred Against New York Central Officers.

NEW YORK, March 27.-Indietments charging manslaughter in the second de- Thirty-Six Sacks Taken from Nevada gree were returned today against the New York Central railroad, Ira A. McCormick general superintendent of the company, and Alfred H. Smith, one of its vice presi-

eration in this state.

Frince Grand Jury Going Deeper Into Scandal Growing Out of Telephone Franchise Beal.

SAN FRANCISCO, March M.-The following witnesses were called before the grand jury and briefly examined today; Dr Ferdinand Butterfield, representing interests allied with the United States Independent Telephone company; E. O. Oppen heim of Los Angeles; William Meade, pres ident of the Central bank of Los Angeles, and Mr. Sloan of Los Angeles. Percy Morgan, president of the California Wine PARIS, March 27.-in official quarters Growers' association and formerly one of here it is recognized that the Moroccan the directors of the Pacific States Telesituation is serious, but the consensus of phone and Telegraph company, was tem- Telegram.)-Lobbyists who are here trying

\$300,000 said to have been sent here from by the people of the state about \$50,000 for the biennium. And even then the estimated receipts of the biennium will not obtaining a franchise for the Home Telephone company. It is stated that the money was sent to an Oakland bank to the credit of the telephone among the credit of the telephone company. It is stated that the money was sent to an Oakland bank to the credit of the telephone company. It is stated that the money was sent to an Oakland bank to the credit of the telephone company. It is stated that the money was sent to an Oakland bank to the credit of the telephone company. It is stated that the summer of appropriations carried in bills now pending.

The first company is a moved and the rail turned inward on tracks as the issuance of railroad bonds by cities and villages were recited by several of the members, the house in committee of a pair of gloves, while in the creek below a crowbar, nuts and fish plates were found. PHILADELPHIA, March Z.—The Penning Theorem 1 and the creek below a crowbar, nuts and fish plates were found. PHILADELPHIA, March Z.—The Penning Theorem 2 and townships may lessue railroad sylvania railroad and villages were recited by several of the members, the house in committee of a pair of gloves, while in the creek below a crowbar, nuts and fish plates were found. PHILADELPHIA, March Z.—The Penning Theorem 2 and townships may lessue railroad and villages were recited by several of the members, the house in committee of the members and villages were recited by several of the members and villages and vill the credit of the telephone company, then transferred to another bank to the credit of the Empire Construction company, an allied corporation. At today's hearing the Norfolk asylum lobby are in a combine to prosecution hoped to show by the books push this amendment through and got the headquarters of the French military misof the bank that the purpose of changing appropriations for these institutions. These the deposit was to cover up the subsequent lobbylists may unite to kill the bill prosion at Feg had been ufflaged. No confirmthe deposit was to cover up the subsequent payment of the money to the supervisors. A number of the officials of the two banks

At the conclusion of the session District

"This was one of the most important in letter and spirit. The German attitude officers of the prosecution to observe the getting behind a movement to force the levied for the general fund by the state tion of that attitude will depend on the this was one of the most satisfactory days

This was taken to mean that the witnesses called, or some of the more impor- to fight the \$50,000 appropriation for the is no disposition to take unnecessary of- tant of them, had given testimony tending fense at France's action, on which the most to corroborate the bribery and graft evifavorable interpretation is placed, yet it dence on which sixty-five indictments have is considered impossible that Germany been already reutraed against Abraham could accept without objection any action Ruef, nine against General Manager against the Moroccan government or ter- Louis Glass of the Pacific States Telephone company, thirteen against Abraham K. national judgments reached at Algeciras. Detweller, outside agent for the Home France, in the official view, will doubtiess Telephone company, ten against J. V. Halcarefully avoid going outside of the terms | sey, outside agent for the Pacific States of the Algedras convention; but already Telephone company; five against Mayor doors and though refusing to give out its the newspapers here are filled with state- Schmitz and one against Chief of Police action it is understood the committee re-

Judge Lawler in the superior court will tainly prepared to treat French acts un- call General Manager Glass to plend to the nine bribery indictments tomorrow morning. Mr. Glass was asked tonight to called at the foreign office here yesterday state what his intentions are. He referred and handed to Foreign Secretary Tachirsky the questioner to his attorney. The latter a communication from the French govern- said: "It would be unwise for ug to make have replied that Germany hoped the occu-pation of Moroccan territory by France's cases are called. This is all we are pre-troops would only be temporary. pared to say tonight."

he has profited by administration graft to Ill., at the earliest possible date, a conventhe extent of \$962,900. He declared that tion of representatives of the manufacturwhen given an opportunity in court he ing and mercantile interests of Illinois and would prove his innocence of all charges the middle west. After the conference the made against him.

LONDON VIEW OF STOCK PANIC

Bank Selling Union Pacifics Held as Collateral.

LONDON, March 27.-The financial expert of the Daily Mail has written a story The French consuls in the interior have of the recent financial crisis, which he says is accepted in reliable quarters.

"One of our big banks, the writer says, had lent a huge sum to one of the Amerians on as possible the keynote of his creative and constructive policy. The presican magnates, the security being manly Uunon Pacifics. The bank decided this loan should be repaid, but on meeting with refusal, it resolved to liquidate the security by selling the Union Pacific shares in its of every kind. by selling the Union Pacific shares in its of every kind. possession. An attempt to get rid of them in large blocks on the other side of the Atlantic by private negotiations falled and and consequently a very large quantity was put upon the market. Those knowing there cir- gagements cumstances formed the natural conclusion

> that the trouble would ensue and sold other "The roultant fall in proces and the allaround collapse caused many difficulties among Stoch exchange firms, including President and Advisors Discuss one of the highest standing. In this case, however, the account was taken over by a big Anglo-American house with the as sistance of all that is most powerful in finance."

CARNEGIE AT WHITE HOUSE Steelmaster Says President's Railroad

Policy is Conservative and Meets His Approval.

WASHINGTON, March 27 .- Andrew Carregie, who is in Washington for a few MOSCOW, Russia, March M.-Dr. Jolios, days, today expressed the following opinion on the railroad situation:

"I absolutely endorse the president's atfriend they have and they ought to realize Dr. Joilos was a member of the lower it. The railroads had better stand with him. If they do not accept his moderate measures they may be confronted by a man in the White House who will approach the question of the railroads from an entirely different standpoint. I regard the president's influence as to the railroads as

wholesome and conservative." Mr. Carnegie lunched with the president his afternoon. Others present were Vice President Fairbanks, Secretary Cortelyou, Assistant Secretary of State Bacon and Robert S. McCormick, former ambassador

STOLEN GOLD ORE IS SEIZED

Mines Recovered at Pueblo Express Office.

McCormick and Smith entered pleas of Sholite. Nev., and shipped into Pueblo by been divorced February 11 of this year. dressed to George B. Richardson,

SETTLE TRACING ALLEGED GRAFT FUND LOBBY COES AFTER CASH

State Institutions Tie Up to Raid the Treasury Through Legislature.

SCEEME TO INCREASE TAX IS PROPOSED

Effort Will Be Made to Secure an Additional Mill on the General Fund Levy in Favor of Extravagance.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) to secure enormous appropriations for train (thirty miles an hour) saved it from Former Governor Henry T. Gage, who state institutions are trying to push disaster. for sure that either the senate would cut an hour and forty-five minutes. Ruef is likewise uncommunicative on down the extravagant appropriations of the Railroad detectives promptly started an the subject and says that, although it is house or that Governor Sheldon would aptrue he is seeking additional counsel, he ply the knife. Should the scheme carry it made that the derailment was undoubtedly is not in a position to make any state- will mean an increase of 1% mills for general fund purposes, because for the last The grand jury resumed its session this year the state board levied only 4% mills afternoon and the inquiry will be directed instead of the maximum of 5. This will to an effort to trace the course of the increase the amount of taxes to be paid

Influences Back of Deal.

It is generally understood the normal viding for normal training in high schools This bill carries an appropriation of \$50,000. were ordered to appear to identify the latter measure, and his argument is that this \$50,000 invested for the good of so many high school students is of more importance than are the enormous and seemingly unnecessary appropriations for permanent improvements at the university and normal schools. The fight may result in McBrien and friends of the public schools university lobby to take the \$180,000 it is asking for out of the university 1 mill levy. To get the big appropriations asked for it is said the lobby will go so far even as benefit of those school districts which are now unable to hold a seven months school, even though their levy is the limit by law. Should this bill be killed and the bill abol ishing the I mill levy for the public schools go through, another factor may be injected into the fight over appropriations.

Senate Slices Budgets. In the mestatime the finance committee of the senate met tonight behind closed duced the house appropriation fully

PRESIDENT ASKED TO SPEAK Illinois Manufacturers Think Words from Him Will Prevent Con-

traction of Credits. specifically denying published charges that gent invitation to address at Springfield, committee gave out the following state-

dent that the present railroad and fin situation was creating a feeling of timidity and apprehension to such an extent that and apprehension to such an extent that it threatened an immediate curtailment of banking and business credit which had heretofore been extended to the business interests of the country at a time when the greatest possible demand for the extension of credit prevailed for the development of the increasing demands of the manufacturing and mercantile industries of the country. It was urged upon the presi-dent that very great good would come to all interests alike if he would signify his

The president thanked the committee for the president thanked the committee for its frank statement of the existing conditions as they appeared to the committee and promised that within a few days he would determine whether his present engagements would permit him to accept the committee's invitation, which he expressed himself as anxious to do if he possibly could.

CONFERENCE AT WHITE HOUSE

Scheme for Federal Regulation of Raliroads.

WASHINGTON, March 27 .- An extended conference was held at the White House tonight at which the railroad situation was discussed. Those present were Secretaries. Cortelyou and Garfield, Assistant Secretary of State Bacon, Chairman Knapp and Special Counsel F. B. Kellogg of the Interstate Commerce commission and all the

Schiff for remedying the railroad situation, ditional wells are to be sunk at once. If which has attracted a great dealof at- private concerns fall to produce sufficient tention, was not taken up at the con- oil, the company will then purchase oil ference. Mr. Kellogg, who has charge of lands and sink their own wells. the Harriman investigation, denied that this question was brought up at the conference. Marvin Hughitt, president of the Chicago ington tonight and will call at the White

House tomorrow. ALLEGED OMAHA WOMAN WEDS

Milwaukee Banker and Miss Nellie Barton Are Married in

Indiana.

LAPORTE, Ind., March 27 .- (Special Telegram.)-George W. Mecker, a Milwaukee day or two he will name his new board. banker, and Miss Nellis Evelyn Barton, Barton of Omaha, Neb., met at Michigan PUEBLO, Colo., March 27.-Thirty-stx City last evening and were married by cial.)-"Father" Nichols, the venerable Brewster express on the Harlem division sacks of gold ore, valued at \$10,000, said Rev. W. H. Cornell. The bride confessed to have been stolen from the mines at that this was her second marriage, having

> The Omaha directory does not give the the name above quoted.

TWO WRECKS ARE REPORTED Pennsylvania Railway Officials Blame

Wreckers-Two Engine Men Are Killed in Minnesots.

PITTSBURG, March 17.-Train No. 30 on the Pennsylvania railroad, known as the Keystone express eastbound, was derailed near Wilmerding, Pa., fourteen miles east

of here early today. The engine, two mail cars and a combination baggage and smoker left the tracks,

but no one was hurt. It is believed the train was intentionally derailed and that the deed was done by the SENATE BUSY WITH APPROPRIATION BILLS same parties who wrecked the Chicago limited train No. 23 at Stewart, Pa., last LINCOLN, Neb., March 27 .- (Special Friday morning. The same plan was carried out and only the slow speed of the

ties is regarded as being very simple and arrived in the city last night from Los through the legislature an amendment to The officials of Pittsburg were notified as not likely to produce complications. The Angeles and who is reported to be de- a bill by Keifer of Nuckolls to increase and a special quickly made up and run to sultan of Morocco is expected to yield sired by Abraham Ruef as associate coun. the levy for general fund purposes from the scene of the accident. The passengers promptly all the claims formulated by the sel, declined today to affirm or deny that 5 mills to 6 mills. The scheme was hatched on the derailed cars were transferred to commander of the French armored cruiser he was here for the purpose of conferring up here tonight when the lobbyists learned this train and sent east after a delay of

investigation anad the announcement was the work of train wreckers. Methods used In the wrecking of the Chicago limited were adopted. The spikes, bolts and fish plates from an entire length of rall had been removed and the rall turned inward on tracks the issuance of railroad bonds by cities

Pittsburg division. The company also offers a reward of against the measure, and one of the objec-\$2,500 for the arrest and conviction of the tions offered by Speaker Nettleton against persons responsible for the derailment of the bill was that the house had already the Chicago Limited at Stewart, Pa., last this session passed a bill providing townweek and \$500 reward for information lead- ships and villages could not vote rail-

persons, making a total of \$5,500. ST. PAUL, March 27 .- The Northern Paaffic passenger train for St. Paul, which left Duluth at 11:10 o'clock last night, was wrecked at Carlton, Minn., early today. The engineer and fireman were killed.

The dead are: THOMAS M. QUINLAN, engineer, WILLIAM MESEKOMER, fireman, both of St. Paul.

Two or three passengers, whose names have not been learned in St. Paul, are reported slightly injured. The cause of the wreck is said to have been the stoppage of a drain pipe and the overflow of water, which undermined the track, causing a spreading of the rails.

OFFICER ON STAND Lieutenant Lawrason Snys None of

Guns of Company Were Used in Brownsville Riot.

on the night of the affray at Brownsville investigation by the senate committee on points his testimeny corroborated that given | worked. by the men of his command and that given by the men of Companies C and D. He brought into his community to vote for was shown bullets taken from the walls the bonds and the promoters secured of houses in Brownsville, but could not say board for them at farm houses where whether they had been fired from the sociation called on the president today by Springfield rifles with which the Twenty-Mayor Schmitz today made a statement appointment and extended to him an ur- fifth infantry was equipped or whether they had been discharged from Krag-Jor-

gensen rifles or carbines. Lieutenant Lawrason told of being awakened by the firing and his efforts to get the company formed during the confusion. He said he had posted his men along the wall in the rear of the barracks at the order of Major Penrose. Lawrason was with his company along the garrison wall for about before.

decapper and the shells, more that 11,000, and the roads were built just the same.

RAILROAD NEEDS MORE OIL Northwestern Says Present Output of 18 to 55.

Not Sufficient and Additional

Wells Will Be Sunk.

LANDER, Wyo., March 27 .- (Special.)members of that commission except Messrs. The Northwestern railroad has notified peo-Prouty and Cockrell, who are out of the ple in this section that the company desires to purchase large quantities of fuel to indefinitely postpone the bill, but his After the conference adjourned it was oil for use in its locomotives, which are stated that the meeting was called to cut- to be equipped to burn oil in place of coal. line a scheme to be presented to the next The amount of oil required by the railcongress for the federal regulation of rail- road is greater than the output of the roads. The plan proposed by Jacob H. wells now flowing in this section, and ad-

POLICE BOARD MATTER RESTS & Northwestern railroad, arrived in Wash. Governor Still Waiting for Resignation of Another One of the

Present Board.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., March 27 .- (Special Tel. egram.)-Governor Sheldon did not name a port on the measure to the senate. A large new Board of Fire and Police commissioners for Omaha today. It is understood but the total of \$891,580 of the original bill last resignation and that within the next

who says she is a daughter of Mrs. Sarah ALLEGED NEBRASKA FORGER Daniel Westerman, Said to Be Wanted

at Creighton, Neb., is Arrested at Portland, Ore.

It is also said that C. L. Hobbs and present paster, will conduct the service. A presentment containing many recommends. by Deputy United States Marshal Frank name of Mrs. Sarah Barton and the record Telegram.)—Daniel Westerman, said to be Marcus L. Shaug, officers of the brother- public subscription quickly raised the neces- tions to the state railroad commissioners of Denver today. The ore was sent into of the district court for 1907 shows that no wanted by the Nebraska authorities, was has passed appropriation bills will reside hood in San Francisco, are to be dismissed sary sum required to bring the remains concerning restrictions on the railroad op- Pueblo a sack at a time and was a divorce has been granted any woman with arrested here today. He is charged with increased work for the senate committee forgery on a bank at Crefghton, Neb.

AID FOR RAILROADS

House Spends Time Debating Right of Communities to Vote Bonds.

MEASURE RECOMMENDED FOR PASSAGE

Local Option Feature Appeals to Members Who Vote in Affi mative.

Finance Committee Hard at Work on the Measures from House.

PRUNING MUST BE DONE

Total of Bills Passed by House Exceeds the Estimated Income by Million and Quarter and Cut

is Imperative.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 27 .- (Special.) -Although several chapters of the history of sylvania railroad announced this afternoon bonds by a two-thirds vote of the people that It will pay a reward of \$2,500 for the upon a petition for an election signed by arrest and conviction of the persons guilty 50 per cent of the voters. While the vote of attempting to wreck its trains on the to indefinitely postpone the bill was 18 for to 55 against, there was quite a fight ing to the arrest of the guilty person or road bonds, it had gone through the senate and had been signed by the governor. This bill repeals that measure and Speaker Nettleton was of the opinion that the house certainly should not stultify itself by passing this bill and thus show to the people its members did not have sense

enough to enact a law which would stand

even through a session of the legislature. Some Clay County Experience. In his talk Speaker Nettleton gave a little history of railroad bonds issued by precincts in Clay county, particularly Spring Ranch. Here he said the raftroads brought in men and colonized them, He stood at the voting booth, he said, and challenged their right to vote and each of them awore he had been in the precinct ten days, the county sixty days and the state six months. The next morning, he said, when he went to swear to a complaint against the men who had been responsible for the bond proposition passing he said he discovered the railroads WASHINGTON, March 27 .- Lieutenant had already taken them out of the comleorge Carson Lawrason, who was in com- munity. Fairfield, he said, had voted \$20,mand of Company B, Twenty-fifth infantry, 000 bonds for a railroad and had secured one mile of trackage. He characterized was on the stand nearly all of today in the the issuance of railroad bonds as a graft pure and simple, worked by promoters military affairs. On practically all material just the same as fake mining grafts are

Baker of York recited how men were they were supposed to work at shucking corn. The promoters made some promises to some of the men in town about sidetracks, and while he and thought they had the proposition defeated, when the vote was counted the imported railroad hirelings had carried the day, the bonds were issued and the sidetracks promised were never put down.

Just an Old Game. Farley of Hamilton said the bond voting two and a half hours when they were dis- mothod was an old one and in many inmissed by the command of Major Penrose, stances a town waked up after mortgaging who first gave instructions to Lawrason to its property to find it would have secured see that all of the company guns were the railroad anyhow. In a town where locked in the racks and that all of the guns he lived, he said, they had voted \$50,000 not in use were accounted for. Lawrason railroad bonds and found six months later saw the guns placed in the racks and the they would have gotten the road just racks locked, after which he had carefully the same. Jenison told how the promoters verified the count. All the guns, he said, worked the bond graft through. He was were inspected next morning. Lawrason of the opinion a railroad would build declared he satisfied himself that no guns whether bonds were issued or not. When of his company had been used the night the villages were voting bonds out in Harlan county, he said, Alma waked up and Lawrason said that at Fort Niobrara there refused to stand and deliver. The towns was something wrong with Company B's west of there got the hunch and refused

were put in a box and shipped to Fort | Logsdon was against the bill and moved Brown to be decapped there. He did not its indefinite postponement. Doran said know what had become of the box after his constituents had written him they were the arrival of the company at Brownsville, in favor of the bill. Cone spoke against it, but there was considerable property left Carlin was for the bill, but opposed to bond on the rear porch of the barracks. The in- issues. Grieg of Platte was for it, as was ference plainly shown by Senstor Foraker's | Harvey and Barnes and Hill and Hamer questions was that this box may have been and McMullen, while Snyder opposed it. accessible to Mexican boys or others and The argument for the bill was home rule that shells bearing marks that could be more than anything else. Each of the traced to Company B rifles may have been speakers believed the people of a comcarried into the town and afterward thrown munity should have a right to vote on the into the streets for the purpose of manu- bond proposition if they desired to do so, facturing evidence against the negro sold- Hamer quoted figures to show that Clay county had voted \$97,000 railroad bonds, while last year the railroad taxes in that county amounted to \$28,000. The motion to indefinitely postpone was lost by a vote

Indication of Future Action. The house gave an indication of what it will do with a maximum freight rate bill when it acted favorably upon the Quackenbush bill to put a maximum rate on oil shipped into the state. Tucker moved motion was lost by a vote of 13 to 36.

Quackenbush of Nemaha was called home today by the lliness of his son and he will likely not return this session. Inasmuch as Mr. Quackenbush has voted with the republicans on the platform measures and especially was he a useful member on the terminal tax bill, many of the republicans expressed deep regret that he had to leave and the entire house by a rising vote expressed sympathy for him and his. Governor Sheldon today signed the railway commission bill and the commi will be able to get down to work at once, as the bill carries the emergency cla

Paring House Appropriations. The senate finance, ways and means corn mittee today got in its first work on the house appropriation bills and made a renumber of the amendments were offered, he is waiting just a little longer for that was not changed much. The committee found it necessary to increase some of the appropriations made by the house as they were not enough to pay the salaries actually provided for by law, and while the total may be reduced a little the reduction will not be material. The salary charge is not very flexible, and the committee will look to some of the other bills for the reductions that will have to be made in order to make the expenditure for the next blen-PORTLAND, Ore., March 27.-(Special nium come somewhere near the income. The recklessness with which the house

and it is certain that the pruning imits