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First National Peace Congress Will Begin in New York Today.

ANDREW CARNEGIE WILL PRESIDE

Attend as Delegates.

W. T. Stead, Frof. Munsterburg and Faron

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BUSY WEEK IN FOREIGN LANDS

Premiers of British Colonies Will Meet in London-Japan Will Complete Evacuation of Manchuria.

NEW YORK, April 14.- The most important event of the week will be the first national arbitration and peace congress of America, which will hold its sessions in New York City on Monday, Tuesday and James H. Eckels, former comptroller of made, Wednesday. Delegates include representatives of the United States of States federal and state judger of States represents. tives of the United States " "he Hague, in Chicago of heart trouble. members of state legislatur many large cities, representation religious, patriotic and ph. organizations; editors, business n labor leaders.

Andrew Carnegie, president of the gross, will preside. Secretary of Sta. Mayor McClellan will speak on Monday. International views of the peace movement will be expressed Monday evening by Baron D'Estournelles de Constant of France, Baron Descampes of Belgium. Prof. Hugo Munsterburg of Germany, Sir Robert Cranston and W. T. Stead of Great Labor Oscar Straus.

The commercial, industrial and agricultural aspects of the peace movement will be considered at a meeting Tuesday afternoon, at which there will be addresses by Secretary Straus, James W. Van Cleave of St. Louis and others. On Wednesday afternoon the legislative and judicial aspects of the peace movement will be considered and addresses will be delivered by William J. Bryan, John Sharp Williams and others. About 1,500 delegates have accepted invitations to attend the various sessions. About 200 delegates are expected to attend the meeting of the National Publicity Bill organization in New York Tuesday. W. J. Bryan, Samuel Gompers and others are expected to speak.

Carter Handleap at Aqueduct The horse racing season at the New York tracks will be opened on Monday at Aqueduct track. The Carter \$10,000 handicap will be the feature of the first day.

The Metropolitan golf season will open at Garden City on Thursday with a three Premiers of nearly all the British colonies

have arrived in London to attend the fourth colonial conference which will assemble April 16. Among the chief questions to be discussed are a project providing for a permanent council, preferential trade between the colonies and Great Britain, emigration and imperial defense schemes.

Evacuation of Manchuria. The evacuation of Manchuria by the Rus sian and Japanese troops and the restoration of Manchuria to China, as provided for by the treaty of Portsmouth, will be completed April 15. King Edward will meet King Victor Em-

manuel of Italy April 18 at Gaeta, near Naples. Pope Plus has decided to hold a con-

sistory April 15, when several cardinals are to be created.

On April 15 changes in the local government of the Panma canal zone, which will abolish all the municipal governments now in existence and result in the harmonizing of the various parts of the zone. will become effective.

MONTANA STAGE HELD UP Lone Bandit Said to Have Gotten \$28,000 Intended to Pay Miners at Zortman.

BUTTE, Mont., April 14.-A Miner disrobbery, other than it occurred just north preceding him. of Zortman and the stage was entering the Little Rockies with the consignment at the Zortman mines.

hours start of a posse, mounted upon the fastest horses to be had, which left Malta immediately on receipt of word of the FIVE DAYS WITHOUT WATER holdup. The location is in a particularly lonely spot in the mountains, affording every opportunity for the shelter and escape of the bandit. One man commanding the trail there could almost hold a half dozen men at bay for hours. Some members of "Kid" Curry's gang of train robbers and horse thieves is suspected of the holdup. Bix years ago the Curry gang held up a Great Northern train in the of the pals of Curry still live in northern

SIESMIC SHOCK IN MEXICO Capital City is in Darkness for a Time, but No Material Damage

is Done.

MEXICO, April 16 -- An earthquake lasting four and a half minutes stratled this city tonight. The earth rocked in a long. swinging motion, terrifying the inhabitants, but doing no damage as far as can be learned in this city. Clocks stopped at it:34 (Mexican time) and the perceptible motion of the earth ceased at 11:38%. Telegraph wires were put out of commission and for a short time the city was in darkseas owing to the failure of the electric

lights. The apphalt on one of the principal busiseas streets of the city was cracked open for a distance of ten yards. People fied from their houses into the streets.

Serious Floods in Tarkey. villages are submerged and there has been that Thaw had been on trial. &

way traffic renders relief difficult.

Monday, April 18, 1907. APRIL 1907 1907 THE WED THU SAY 6 2 3 4 9 10 11 12 13 Dr. Emil G. Hirsch of Chicago Makes 8 Men Prominent in All Walks of Life Will 14 15 16 17 18 19 SPEECHES BY DISTINGUISHED FOREIGNERS 28 29 30 \$ 9 9

> FORECAST FOR NEBRASKA—Showers and cooler Monday; Tuesday, fair.
> FORECAST FOR IOWA—Showers Monday; Tuesday, fair, colder in west, showers Temperatures at Omaha yesterday:

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DOMESTIC. First session of the National Peace contoday. Page 1

the currency, died suddenly at his home | Archbishop John M. Farley, who was to 1 States President Roosevelt sends a special tained in Washington and his prepared admessage to the school children upon the dress was read by Manager M. J. Lavelie lessons of Arber day. Dr. Emil G. Hirsch makes an address

gress today.

lam J. Bryan and John M. Thurston gathering of veterans at Washhan Lincoln. Page 1 LOCAL.

Judges Kennedy and Sutton discuss problems of childhood at the First Metho-Page 8 will be held. dist church. Rev. Howard Agnew Johnson of New British and Secretary of Commerce and York preached at the First Presbyterian church on "Work of Presbyterian Missionaries in Foreign Fields." Page 8 Plough," said:

FOREIGN.

by Lowe Avenue Presbyterian church.

France and the Vatican at the Consistory Iniquitous intrusion. today. Page 2 in London this week to discuss relations with mother country and each other.

Page 1 I can expects to complete the evacuation of Manchuria this week. Page 1

SPORTS. Omaha base ball team loses its first game of the season to the Wichita team of the Western association. Chicago Americans win from St. Louis, 6 to 1. Page 2

COUNCIL BLUFFS AND IOWA. Council Bluffs council committee and hydraulic expert will begin work today

SECRETARY TAFT AT SAN JUAN Head of War Department Reviews Troops from Balcony of the

SAN JUAN, P. R., April 14 .- Secretary of War Taft and his party arrived at noon today on the government yacht Mayflower. Governor Beekman Winthrop and Secretary Regis Post went aboard to greet the as one speaker said, "in recognition and secretary. The yacht was taken to the naval station landing where it was met by the naval officers here.

Palace.

Secretary Taft was escorted by a battalion of marines to the city entrance. where Lieutenant Colonel Bailey of the Porto Rican regiment and staff awaited him. Under escort of the regiment the secretary, who was in a carriage with Governor Winthrop, was driven to the palace, der when their own country was involved. patch from Great Fulls says: The stage where from the balcony he reviewed the running between Halta and Zortman was troops. After the review an informal re- Spain and said: held up last night by a lone bandit, accord- ception was held and prominent citizens ing to a telephone message received late called on the secretary. Mr. Taft is the tonight, and a sum estimated at about sixth cabinet officer to visit the island pentance, which should manifest itself in \$28,000 is said to have been secured. The since it was occupied by the Americans, acts." message gave no details of the daring Messrs. Alger, Payne, Moody and Metcalf

of money to pay the wages of the miners gathering of thousands and soon the streets The robber apparently has five or six with eager spectators. Secretary Taft's reception by the Porto Ricans was cordial.

Awful Sufferings of Crew of British Bark Wrecked in the West Indies.

Segurancia, from Santiago, Cuba, and Nas- tion a practical one. nest up a delta, securing \$43,000. Many Trinidad. The Trinidad, a British bark of The Hague Count Tornielli, ambassador sau, were six seamen of the British bark | Italy has chosen as its representatives at 634 tona, left Santa Cruz on March 25 for to France; Deputy Pompily, an under sec-New York, with a carge of cedar and ma- retary of state for foreign affairs, and the hogany. On April 1 it ran into a hurricane, duke of Cavello, minister at The Hague, losts its masts and rudder and became un- all as plenipotentiaries, and General Robimanageable. The store room and cabin last and Admiral Callandri as technical were flooded, all provisions were ruined and delegates. It is not likely to have a law for five days the crew had nothing to est delogate, both Count Tornielli and Signor and no water to drink. They became com- Pompily being experts in law. pletely exhausted and almost crazy from

their sufferings. On the fifth day they were picked up and taken to Nassau by a small spenging Passenger Train Plunges Into an schooner. Mate Quese said that when resqued they were chewing bits of lead to keep from drinking salt water.

THAW SPENDS QUIET SUNDAY

Another Report that Attorney D. M. Delmas Has Withdrawn from Case.

NEW YORK, April 14.-Harry Thaw spent a quiet Sunday in the Tombs today. Early in the afternoon his wife called to see Serious Floods in Tarkey. In the Warden Flynn told him that she New Orleans.

CONSTANTINOPLE. April 14.—Continu- him, but Warden Flynn told him that she New Orleans.

FIREMAN MICHAEL KASS of New Orleans. ous heavy rains have caused the rivers to would have to abide by the usual prison overflow, seriously flooding Macedonia and rules, consequently she was not permitted Asia Minor. The plains of Bruss, Ada- to see her husband as she had done on prebusar, Kutahaia, Aldan and almost all the wlous Sundays during the sleven weeks

heavy loss of life and destruction of cattle. It had been stated by one of the counsel property. Coming after the severe who acted for Thaw in therecent trial that winter and the ruination of crops, the D. M. Delmas will notheres fter have anymied acute distress among thing to do with the case, but that Mesers. and the interruption of rail- Peabody and O'Hellly would act for him in the futur

Choral Service in Carnegie Hall Attended by Five Thousand Persons.

BISHOP HENRY POTTER PRESIDES

an Address and a Paper Written by Archbishop Farley

is Read.

to get within the hall.

make his way through the throng to the to which they belong. platform. In his absence Bishop Henry C. It is understood here that the archbish-Potter presided.

It had been expected that a peace mes- ceived from Rome on this matter, re- is attending a finishing school for girls. gress will convene in New York City sage from President Roosevelt would be ferred them to Mgr. Falconio. read, but no mention of the message was

Page 1 of St. Patrick's cathedral.

The other speakers were Rabbi Emil G. at a choral service, held in Carnegie hall, Hirsch of Chicago and Bishop Potter. The as a prelute to meeting of National Peace former spoke from the words: "The Advent Fage 1 of the Plough."

In concluding Bishop Potter said: "Let us thank God for The Hague congress and taken under advisement the appointment if on anniversary of death of Abra- that an American has built the building of a Ruthenian bishop for America. The in which it is to meet and may it hasten Austrian embassy has urged this step for the triumph of universal peace." Tomorrow at 3 o'clock the first delibera-

> Speech of Dr. Hirsch. Dr. Emil G. Hirsch of Sinal congregation,

"Intensify the productive methods which New elders and deacons are installed coax from the earth the blessings stored PROTEST FROM THE PONTIFF Page 8 therein and hunger's dominion correspond-Pope Pius will discuss relations of together to prevent famine's capricious and

Premiers of British colonies will meet is the sign of triumphant democracy. With Page 2 dare reject the decree?

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formulating schedule of water rates to be incorporated in new water franchise.

sal Peace," said he was not prepared to appointment of a bishop, and has named cerns, among them the Hewitt Manusch franchise.

say that war could ever be removed from Stephen Stere Ertynsky, who is a member facturing company and the Union Traction Page 3 society, but that much might be done to of the Ruthenian order of Besilians order company, of which he was vice president; State Railway commission will visit mitigate is horrors and lessen its frecouncil Bluffs today to inspect grade company, of which he was vice president; with that held by the factor of the Ruthenian order of Besilians order
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archbishop said no horror, moral or Page 3 material, was lacking to war, and added: bishop, but whose requests have been de-"Its benefits, if any, are indirect and uncertain; its evils are immediate, inevitable and universal-vitiation of human character, waste of life and gain, arrest of human progress, injustice to the helpless and innocent, popular and permanent legacies of hate and all the flercest and most rulnous passions of the human breast."

Mass Meeting in Boston. BOSTON, Mass., April 14.-Over 5,000 people assembled in the Christian Science church tonight "to swell Boston's voice," support of the national peace and arbitration congress," which begins in New York tomorrow. Former Secretary of the Navy John D. Long, former Governor John L. Bates and William Lloyd Garrison made addresses, pleading for universal peace. William Lloyd Garrison did not spare the churches in his criticism and said the bearers of the name of Christians were ever

ready to uphold and justify legalized mur-Mr. Garrison denounced the war with "This guilty nation and our kindred in guilt across the Atlantic are ripe for re-

Former Governor Bates referred briefly to ex-Secretary Long as the bravest man The announcement that the Mayflower that ever issued orders to a fleet of warhad been sighted was the signal for the shipe, and to Mr. Garrison as the son of the man who did more to bring on the surrounding the naval station were filled civil war than anyone else in the country and who at the end was still shouting that

he would never retract. He declared universal peace is no longer a dream. Italian Delegates to The Hague. ROME, April 14.-From the exchange of official communications between them, it is apparent that Germany, Austria and Russia are unanimous concerning the ques-Hague conference and that they permit of sengers arriving here tonight on the steamer ticipate in it, not considerin gthe proposi-

THREE MEN KILLED IN WRECK

Open Switch Near Alexandria, Louisiana.

ALEXANDRIA, La., April 14.-Three men killed and one probably fatally injured is the result of what is believed to be the work of train wreckers at Cheneyville, thirty miles southeast of here on the Texas & Pacific ratiroad today, when a west bound passenger train plunged into an open awitch

ONE UNKNOWN MAN. The switch look was broken, the switch

The dead:

turned and the signal lantern thrown away. Dinner at White House. WASHINGTON, April It.-Attorney Gen-eral Bonaparte, Secretary Garfield, Post-master General Meyer, Justice Moody, Chief Forester Pinchot and Indian Com-nissioner Laupp were guests at an in-formal dinner given by President Romavalt at the White House tonions.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK SUMMARY OF THE BEE PRELUDE OF PEACE CONGRESS VATICAN AND UNITED STATES JAMES H. ECKELS IS DEAD CASS REFUSES TO TESTIFY LESSON OF ARBOR DAY Holy See Considers Number of Matters

Affecting the Church in America.

ROME, April 14.-The Vatican is coming to recognize the existence in the United PROMINENT IN BUSINESS States of an increasing Catholic element which continually voices a demand for the regulation of Catholic membership in the various fraternal organizations that are not strictly Catholic. Even organizations that are Catholic are not exempt from this demand, for such are accused of accepting as members laymen of every sect.

According to telegrams received by the NEW YORK, April 16.-A choral service, Vatican this matter was considered by the a fitting prelude to the first national ar- American archbishops recently in conferbitration and peace congress which is to ence at Washington. These messages debe opened tomorrow, was held at Carnegie clare further that Mgr. Falconio, the apos- disease. Mr. Eckels died while asieep in hall tonight. Probably 5,000 persons found tolle delegate in the United States, has deadmittance, while thousands were unable cided that Catholics belonging to the organizations in question who have been pay-Andrew Carnegie was to have presided ing insurance premiums for years may conat the meeting, but owing to a delayed tinue these payments in order not to lose ring continuously without receiving an antrain he failed to reach the hall until the their insurance, but that they shall not swer. Other members of the family were meeting was well under way and when take part in parades or be buried accordonce inside the place he was unable to ing to the rites of the fraternal societies it as his opinion that Mr. Eckels had been

The Vatican has refused heretofore to planned to return to Chicago within a few send to the various religious communities in the United States, speaking a language with by cable. It is understood they will Page 1 have been one of the speakers, was de- other than English, bishops of their own sail from France for New York tomorrow tion of the oriental rites it is inclined to point. For instance, the care of the United Judge K. M. Landis of the federal district Ruthenian Catholics in America, who, while acknowledging the headship of the pope. Gary of New York, Mr. and Mrs. George allow their secular clergy to marry. Thus the deceased, and others were to have been the congregation of the propaganda has his guests. many years, as most of the Ruthenians in the United States emigrate from Austria, tive session of the peace congress proper Hungary The Vatican fears, however, that the nomination of a foreign bishop may be considered by the American government as a hindrance to the Americaniza-Chicago, speaking on "The Advent of the tion of the many foreigners flocking every year to the shores of the United States.

therein and hunger's dominion correspondingly shrinks. None need starve if all work together to prevent famine's capricious and iniquitous intrusion.

"We hall the advent of the plough. It is the sign of triumphant democracy. With co-operation as with the polar star, friction will be minimized. If the courts are competent to maintain the social altruism between different contestants and ilitgants in one country shall we despair of international tribunals' efficiency in makings? If all nations? If all nations? If all nations were united would one single nation.

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ROME, April 18.—In his affectuous at tomorrow's consistory Pope Plus will devote an important passage to the conflict becompetent to maintain the social altruism between different contestants and ilitgants in one country shall we despair of international tribunals' efficiency in making for eyellowing the cause of the discovery of the death, was George M. Eckels a brother. Half an hour later he was called to his own telephone and notified of his brother's death.

A post-mortem examination was held and a statement issued giving the cause of the cause of death.

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That is all the first the cau equilibrium among the nations? If all na- through the controversy, especially the church. Rev. W. R. Nautman will contions were united would one single nation seizure of the papel nunciature and their duct the services. Interment will not take tions were united would one single nation seizure of the papal nunciature and their publication. The Vatican denies that it in- place at once, it having been decided to Construction company's stockholders, who, is almost as hopeless. A true forest is "Let nations dream of peace and peace tends to publish a white book in answer place the body in a vault until the return besides themselves, were Detweller and

do the fingers that pull the trigger."

Archbishop Farley, writing on "Univernian Catholics in the United States for the who for years have desired their own

Political Crisis in Belgium BRUSSELS, April 14.-King Leopold's unprecedented action in withdrawing by royal decree the government bill concerning the hours of labor in the mines, has aroused the greatest indignation in all parties. The situation is aggravated by the fact that the decree was countersigned by ministers who had officially resigned and therefore possessed no authority before Parliament. The government, under the law, is entitled to withdraw a bill presented in both houses until the senate adopts it, but in resignation and when it had been demonguilty of political sharp practices. The situation is grave and dissolution of Parliament appears inevitable.

New Time System in Russin. experimenting with the twenty-four-hour stead of two periods of twelve hours. The city. minister of railroads has directed that the summer time tables for the railroads to Moscow be printed in the new system.

Plot to Kill Governor. rorists, lying in walt in a house opposite the governor's palace, apparently with the intention of assassinating the governor, was discovered today by the police. In an interchange of shots a policeman was killed and two were wounded. Two terrorists were captured. The others escaped.

tion of limitation of armaments at The NEW POSTMASTER IN CHICAGO NEW YORK, April 14-Among the pas- a discussion of the question, but not par- Daniel A. Campbell Succeeds Fred A. Busse, Who Has Been Elected Mayor.

CHICAGO, April 14.-Daniel A. Campbell was installed as postmaster of Chicago this afternoon. Three hundred superintendents and clerks witnessed the ceremony. In a brief address Mayor Fred A. Busse, the retiring postmaster, formally turned the a man like James H. Eckels," office over to his successor. The funds in possession of the Chicago office when the KENTUCKY FEUDIST ARRESTED transfer was made were found to be \$1,336,588.51. Mr. Campbell will take active Clay Thomas, Who is Charged with charge temorrow.

A Full List of Laws

Passed by the Nebraska Legislature at its late session, has been published in

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Former Comptreller of Carrency Expires Euddenly of Heart Treuble.

LIFE

He Was Director in Number of Large Corporations - Funeral Will Be Held Tuesday Evening.

CHICAGO, April 14.-James H. Eckels, president of the Commercial National bank of this city, and formerly comptroller of the currency, died here today of heart

The fact that he was dead was discovered by the butler, who entered Mr. Eckels room after hearing a telephone within summoned. Dr. Frank S. Churchill gave dead for some hours.

Mrs. Eckels and her daughter, Phoebe ops, instead of answering the queries re- 18 years old, are in Paris, where the latter They have been abroad since last fall and weeks. They were at once communicated The death of Mr. Eckels came on the eve of a breakfast party which he had planned consider the matter from a different stand- for a number of his friends and relatives retain the old Greek Slavonio liturgy and M. Eckels, brother and sister-in-law of

Prominent in Business Life. Mr. Eckles was a steckholder and prominent in the management of several conrevive the claims of the Poles in America. New York, the Oakland National bank of BRYAN AND THURSTON TALK BRYAN AT CHARLOTTESVILLE Detroit and the First National bank of League, the Merchants' and the Commercial clubs of Chicago and of various clubs in the east. Mr. Eckles was one of the receivers of the Chicago Union Traction

company appointed several years ago. Mr. Eckles was born at Princeton, DL, November 22, 1856, and most of his life has been spent in Illinois. He received an early education in the schools of his native city, later taking up the study of law at Albany, N. Y., graduating from the Albany Law school in 1880. He practiced law at Ottawa, Ill., until appointed by President Cleveland in 1893. Mr. Eckles, during the agitation not announcing the decree until after its of the currency question, became prominent as an advocate of the gold standard. Al- Lincoln. strated it had only thirty-two supporters ways a democrat, he became affiliated in the government is considered as being 1896 with the gold standard democrats. He retained the office of comptroller of the currency until the end of President Cleveland's term, in 1897, when he became president of the Commercial National bank of this city. Mr. Eckles leaves only four near ST. PETERSBURG, April 14.-Russia is relatives. They are his wife and daughter, his brother, George M. Eckles, and a sister, time system, the hours being numbered Mrs. Jane E. Palmer of Princeton, Ill. outively from one to twenty-four, in- George M. Eckles is an attorney of this

Tribute from Mr. Cleveland, PRINCETON, N. J., April 14,-Former President Grover Cleveland was deeply ouched when he learned of the death of Mr. Eckels. He said: "I was closely re-MINSK, Russia, April 14.-A band of ter- lated to Mr. Eckels and his death comes to me with a peculiar shock. In important work I learned to know him intelligently and I learned to know and apprectate his rare qualities. Mr. Eckels Illustrated the traits that make the best American citizenship. Deeply interested in every question connected with the public welfare, he studied them with soberness. to the end that he might increase his usefulness. He was a public spirited man who saw duty all about him and whose influence was impressed on all his surroundings for good. There was nothing frivolous about Mr. Eckels. In every relation of life, as a citizen, as a business man and as a friend, he was earnest and whole hearted. Neither the immediate community in which he dwelt nor the country at large can well afford to lose

Murder of Jesse Abner, Pleads Self-Defense.

BEATTYVILLE, Ky., April 14.-Clas Thomas was arrested today for the murder of Jesse Abner Thursday night Thomas says Abner struck him with a rock and came near knocking him off his horse and that he drew his revolver and shot him. The killing is the result of the Hargis-Cockrell feud in which John Abner. a relative, is a central figure. The men are known to have quarreled here at the time John Abner was in jail charged with the assassination of Dr. Cox and Thomas had accused Abner with having been against the Hargises.

More Friction at Tangler, PARIS. April 14.—The correspondent at Tangier of the Temps says the Moroocan foreign board has awarded a contract for a public drainage system at Tangler and

President of Telephone Company Says He Might Incriminate Himself.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.-Respondent to a letter from Fremont Older, managing editor of the Bulletin, withdrawing charges VALUE OF FORESTS IS EMPHASIZED brought by him, the grand jury today voted no true bill against John P. Barrett, news editor of the Examiner, and formally dropped the investigation which followed the alleged confession of Eddie Grancy that at a cost of \$600 Barrett had hired him and James Coffroth to cause wholesale ballot IMPORTANCE OF CONSERVING SUPPLY box stuffing in the primaries of August,

Mr. Older in his letter to the grand jury stated that he withdrew his charges be cause their perusal at this time might hinder and hamper the Ruef-Schmitz and

corporation prosecutions. Asked whether today's action by the grand jury precluded that body from taking up the Barreit investigation at a later Neglect to Prepare for Duties date, Assistant District Attorney Heney said: "There is no law to that effect." The grand jury was in session one hou

today and no testimony was taken. Only two witnesses were in the antercom, A. B. Case, president of the Home Telephone company of Los Angeles, and Fred Hilbert, the latter of whom is under subposua in onnection with charges of petty grafting by Mayor Schmitz. Neither was called. Cass stated to Henry that If placed upon the stand he would, in obedience to the idvice of his counsel, George A. Knight, refuse to answer any questions on the ground that he might incriminate himself.

Mr. Hency said after adjournment:

Judge K. M. Landis of the federal district court, Mrs. Landis, Judge and Mrs. E. H. Gary of New York, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Eckels, brother and sister-in-law of the deceased, and others were to have been his guests.

Father Died Two Weeks Ago.

James E. Eckels of Princeton, father of James H. Eckels died two weeks ago. On the morning of the death of the elder, the son was a host of former President Cleveland. The former president and Mr. Eckels were at breakfast when news of the father's death was received at the Eckels' residence. Mr. Eckels was kept in Ignorance of the fact for several hours, until Mr. Cleveland had left the city.

It developed during the day that the person who was trying to communicate with Mr. Eckels over the telephone, the ringing of which lad to Manyaner of the fact of which lad to Manyaner of the first own of the fract for several hours, until Mr. Eckels over the telephone, the ringing of which lad to Manyaner of the fact of which lad to Manyaner of the fact of the court of the responsible of the fact of the court of the grand jury that they saw John Jones shoot a man to death, that evidence would not be returned and Jones would be returned and Jones would be returned himself in court.

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Philipps. But their testimony stopped be- as it were, a factory of wood, and at the fore a sworn statement as to how this same time a reservoir of water. When money had been disbursed. Desweller is you help to preserve our forests or to plant now under thirteen indictments charging new ones, you are acting the part of good him with bribing thirteen supervisors in citizens. The value of forestry deserves, the sum of \$500 each to award to the Home therefore, to be taught in the schools. If Telephone company a franchise competitive your Arbor day exercises help you to with that held by the Pacific States Tele- realize what benefits each one of you re-

The grand jury mijourned until Tuesday.

Veterans on Anniversary of

Lincoln's Death. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.-"For

Lincoln as a man, orator and statesman. "Lincolf's heart." he said, "linked him forever with the common people and today his life should be the greatest inspiration to every young man." He said the nation's greatest asset is its schools and colleges where the raw material is turned into the finished product of the best citizenship in the world.

"The Volunteer Soldier," was the subject of an address by former United States Senator John M. Thurston of Nebraska. Mr. Bryan also addressed the Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church early today.

William J. Bryan addressed nearly 2,000 persons here today under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association, and took for his subject "The Prince of Peace." Mr. Bryan concluded with praise for the colleges and churches that have declined to accept money from wealthy men "who have gained their riches by dishoness methods."

"One of our rich men," he said, "has reached a point where he sometimes has difficulty in finding people to take his money. And that I regard as the best evidence of the growth of a moral sentiment in this country. It means something when a great church pauses, hesitates, refuses to accept money until it knows how it was made. I believe the time will come when churches and colleges will refuse to go into partnership in the spending of money immorally made. The influence of that public opinion will be a powerful factor in the re- Ia. The occasion was also the twentystoring of righeousness. These institutions fifth anniversary, or silver jubileo, of should say to a man: You did not make your money honestly; we shall not share the cathedral has been built. The building the odium with you." "

HEAVY DAMAGE TO FRUIT Killing Frosts Are Reported In Western Missouri and East-

ern Kansas. KANSAS CITY, April 14.-There was a adding to the damage already done. All The weather tonight is cloudy and warmer, and further frost is not expected.

Welcome for Hing Edward. NAPLES, April 14-A squadron of torpedo boats left today for Gesta, to be present at the meeting of King Edward and King

Special Message of President Roosevelt to the Echool (hildren,

Next Generation Will Feel the Need of Trees Acutely.

Real Forest is a Factory of Wood and

Reservoir of Water.

VALUE OF IMPROVING OPPORTUNITY and Responsibility of Future

> Means Hopeless Old Age.

WASHINGTON, April 14 - President Roosevelt has addressed "To the School Children of the United States" a message on the significance of Arbor day. He advises them to celebrate the day thoughtfully. The message says:

"Arbor day is now observed in every state in our union, mainly in the schools. At various times you give a day or part of a day to special exercises, and perhaps to actual tree planting, in recognition of the importance of trees to us as a nation, and of what they yield in adornment, comfort and useful products.

"It is well that you should celebrate your Arbor day thoughtfully, for within your lifetime the nation's need of trees will beome serious. We of an older generation can get along with what we have, though with growing hardship, but in your ful manhood and womanhood you will want what nature once so bountifully supplied and man so thoughtlessly destroyed, and because of that you will reproach us for what we have wasted. For the nation, as for the man or woman and the boy or girl, the road to success is the right use of what we have and the improvement of present opportunity. If you neglect to prepare yourselves now for the duties and responsibilities that will fall on you later, if you do not learn the things which you will need to know when your school days are over, you will suffer the conse quences. So any nation which in its youth lives for only the day, reaps without sowing, and must expect the penalty of the prodigal, whose labor could with difficulty find him the bare means of life.

"A people without children would face

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Baltimore. He was a member of the Union Nebraskans Address Gathering of Nebraskan Speaks at Founders' Day Celebration at University of

Virginia.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., April 14more than a century our nation has been The chief event of Founders' day at the the greatest of world powers," declared University of Virginia was the address William J. Bryan tonight in an address on of William J. Bryan. Mr. Bryan was "Abraham Lincoln," at a meeting held greeted by a great audience in Cabell hall under the auspices of the Union Veteran and spoke for nearly two hours. He dislegion encampment to commemorate the cussed Thomas Jefferson and his political forty-second anniversary of the death of policy and incidentally put it in vivid conthe great emancipator. He reviewed the trast with Hamilton's. The vice in Hamilto the post of comptroller of the currency country's progress since the civil war and ton's plans, he said, was lack of sympadeclared the reunited country was only thy with the people. Jefferson for his a fulfillment of the dream of President day was a rich man, but his money did not color his views of government nor de-Mr. Bryan paid the highest tribute to stroy his sympathy with common people. Mr. Bryan avoided all personal allusions. He referred to the California school case. he said, only to show that the Jeffersonian way of settling it would have been to leave it to the people of California, After his address Mr. Bryan was entertained by the Delta Chi fraternity, after which he left for Washington.

> Interstate Commerce commission dis cussed the transportation problem. NEW YORK, April 18.-The National Publicity Bill organization, of which Perry Belmont is president, will meet here Tuesday. The meeting will be addressed by W. J. Bryan, Samuel Gompers and others. Over 300 representatives of various parts of the country have signified their intention to be present. Mr. Bryan will tell of the kind of publicity bill he thinks should be passed by congress,

In the afternoon Martin A. Knapp of the

NEW CATHEDRAL CONSECRATED Cardinal Gibbons and Archbishov Kenne Conduct Ceremonies ad

Charleston, S. O. CHARLESTON, S. C., April 14.-The new Cathedral of St. John the Baptist was consecrated today with elaborate and interesting ceremonies. Cardinal Gibbons participated. At the morning service the sermon was delivered by the Most Rev. John J. Kenne, D. D., archbishop of Dubuque, Bishop Northrop, under whose episcopate cost \$290,000.

NORTHWESTERN TO BE EXTENDED Line Between Gregory and Dallas to

Be Opened by June 1. BONESTEEL, S. D., April 14.-(Special.) -Frank Walters, general manager of the Northwestern west of the Missouri river, while in Bonesteel yests day stated to leadkilling frost again last night in the fruit ing business men of this place that train districts of Kansas and western Missouri, service would be established between Bonesteel and Dallas by June 1, if not sooner, reports agree that heavy loss has been This is the first authentic statement that caused-millions of dollars, according to has been received from high authority re-Secretary L. A. Goodman of the Missouri garding the extension of the road from Valley Horticultural association. Several Gregory to Dallas, Gregory being at present days must elapse before the full extent the terminus, while Dallas is four miles of the injury can be estimated accurately. farther west on the Tripp county line. Mr. Walters also stated that Bonestel would remain the division point on this branch.

Matador Mangled by Bull. EL PASO, Tex., April 14-In the bull fight at Guarez tonight. El Cuaco, one of a public drainage system at Tangier and at the meeting of King Edward and King the matadors, was badly mangled and probable gist. 000, although treating directly with a private firm in the matter of, a public utility is in violation of the Alesciras treats.

at the meeting of King Edward and King the matadors, was badly mangled and probably fatally injured by the last buil which he was attempting to kill, and five hormes were killed by the builts, the picadors all being more or less injured. More than 5,000 utility is in violation of the Alesciras treats.