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Former Illinois Central President Files Reply to Charges.

EXPECTS TO DEPOSE HARRIMAN

Will Remove Magnate from Board of 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 Directors if Possible.

FORMAL ARGUMENTS BEGIN

Attorney John J. Herrick Opens for

In Amdavit Story in Told How He Was Saved from Dismissal Several Years Ago-Insur-

ily of proxies to be voted at the annual meeting of the Illinois Central Railroad man as a director," declared Stuyveaunt Fish in an affidavit filed today before the Mr. Pish reiterated the statement that Mr. Fish, referented the statement that Port. Arrives. Mr. Harriman is sceling to control the NEW TORK..... Kherson Hinois Central in the interest of the NEW TORK.....

he saved Harahan from dismissal several

usefulness to the company. Mr. Fish sets forth that there was perfect harmony in the company until the winter of 1906-5, when Harriman and Peabody

the death of W. M. Grinnell. Harriman, says, attempted to secure the election

since 1877 it has been the custom of the the central government. of which they were members, or to corrations of which they were officers. Mr. Fish mests that Harriman and Peabody vere among those who took advantage of the custom of the company in loaning the funds. He declares that all of his lunns were recorded on the books of the comthe panic of 1903 the collateral depreciated; that the total amount \$30,000, has been paid and that the company will lose nothing.

Mr. Fish charges that the accusations of mismanagement made against him are un-Missouri Pacific reliroad, which is to some extent a competitor of the Illinois Central, but says that the charges that he desires domination over the affairs of the Illinois Central for the benefit of the Missouri Pacific are false and slanderous. In an affidavit made by Mr. Pish, the

following is included: following is included:

It is true that if I obtain a majority of the proxies I propose to put Harriman off the board of directors of the Illinois Central: I have piedged myself to do this, and I deem it my duty to do so, both in the interests of myself as the bolder of 12,422 shares of stock; in the interests of the patrons of the road, of the people of Illinois and of the United States, and to whom the removal of such an individual as Harriman, as is shown by the Interestate Commerce commission report No. 342. nmerce commission report No. 942, e a welcome sign of returning into the management of the great

Formal Arguments.

Attorney John J. Herrigk opened for Mr.

He declared that the statutes of Illinois do not probibit the acquirement or exchange of stock by connecting railroads that the holding of Illinois Central stock by the Union Pacific is not Illegal. he opposed the election of Deforest as a

Attorney Herrick continued his argument against the injunction throughout the aft-

OWNERS SAY THEY ARE AHEAD Strike Breakers Have Not Arrived,

but Trainland in Ex-

GOLDFIELD, Nev., Dec. 23.-That the umber of men working on the Consolidated and Muhawk properties today is greater than yesterday is claimed by the Mine Owners' association this morning. No strike breakers have yet arrived, though a train load is looked for later in the day.

FREEDOM UNBALANCES MIND Convict at Nashville, Tenn., Cuts His

There is no excitement.

Throat on the live of His Beleuse.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 12.-With but resisting will be razed and burned. twenty-four hours of his term to serve Convict Folk Mackey, in the penitentiary here committed suicide last night with a became unbalanced

Bowen Reld for Kills Murder. PIERRE, S. D., Dec. 13.-(Special Tele gram.)-At the close of the state case this the defense walved further examination the royal castle. The body is clothed in an some currency here, that Secretary Cortel-

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THE WEATHER. For Nebraska-Probably threatening Sat-



Concessions Held by British Company.

PEKING, Dec. 12.-The officials of Shansi province, where the Peking syndicate has sought the establishment of an executive its many concessions, have expressed their HOPKINSVILLE ON LOOKOUT emmittee to which discretionary powers willingness to buy out the syndicate for was to be delegated. He declares in the 2,500,000 taels, explaining at the same time affidavit that he incurred additional enmity that this amount is fifteen times more than when he refused to become a party to a the syndicate has ever invested in the report "whitewashing" the officials of the province. The syndicate values its concesations at 10,000,000 taels and contends that it should be compensated for the balance. The assertion is also made that Harriman | The claim of the Peking syndicate, a British corporation holding the largest conceswhen they agreed that a man independent sions China has ever granted, arises from of any faction was to be elected to the the efforts of the provisional authorities of directorate to fill the vacancy caused by Shansi to have these concessions rescinded. The pressure which is being exerted upon the Chinese government by the presence of of Henry W. Deforest, an attorney of Mr. a British fleet off Kwang Tung is bene-Harriman, who was also a director of the ficial to British interests, and at the same also has engaged guards. Mayor Harris Southern Pacific, which is dominated by time it is increasing the unpopularity of has sworn in all the men asked for by the provincial authorities of Shansi. These Mr. Fish declares in his amdavit that latter have come to expect nothing from

and directors of the railroad, or to firms JAP-CHINESE LAND DISPUTE Orientals Engage in Controversy Over Severeignty of Ches Tao Territory.

pany and that the collateral was good and Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, a vasion may be expected and the people are stage to Trinidad. Economy of coal consufficient. Referring to the loan of \$57,000 statement of its side of the Chen Tao boun- preparing to defend the city with their sumption is urged by Admiral Evans upon secured or not. I expect anything in the to the Trust Company of the Republic, Mr. dary dispute. These consist of a memo- lives. On account of the threatened labor every slip's crew. One of the most valu-Fish asserts that it was good, but that in random in which Corea admits the soy- troubles at the Hopkins county mines, the able pieces of information the transfer of the point. I don't want to arrest the poor service. question, a man signed by both China and Wednesday, returned home. Corea establishing the boundary between Corea and Manchuria at the Tumen river, an affluent of the Sungart.

ground for her invasion and policing of puted territory for a period of ten years. Japan has placed the burden of proof upon China.

KAISER GREETED IN HOLLAND Ovation Tendered Ruler on Visit to Quees Wilhelmins at Amsterdam.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 13.-Emperor William of Germany arrived here today on the imperial yacht Hohengollern from Port Victoria, England and was greeted by members of the royal family of the Netherlands escorted the emperor to a pavilion on shore, where Queen Wilhelmina waited him. The greetings were cordial, and the emperor kissed the queen's hand. Their majesties palace, where they subsequently appeared at a balcony and were given an ovation by the assembled throng.

POPE RECEIVES ARCHBISHOP California Religious Condition Reported as Satisfactory to

Hend of Church. private audience in his library, and the December 13. The judge replied: Catholic situation in the United States in general and in the diocese of San Fran- not permit me to fix an earlier time." cisco in particular, was discussed at length.

The archhishop made a satisfactory report pointing the Rey. Edward Hanna of gious conversion. Rochester condintor architatop of San Francisco also was discussed.

FRENCH MOVE ON TRIBESMEN Negotiations for Submission Pail and Force Will Be Used by the Army.

AULIDIA, Algeria, Dec. 13 .- As the nego tiations for the submission of the rebel-Hous Benis Nassen tribesmen are not coming to a head as rapidly as had been expected, the French troops under the command of General Liautey have received orders to begin a forward concentric move ment toward the mountain retreats of th vibegmen with the object of fercing the native leaders to yield. Villages submitting to the French will not be harmed, but those

DEAD KING LYING IN STATE show knife. His mind, it is believed, sud- Body of Sweden's Linte Buler at Royal CORTELYOU CALLS IT "LIE" Castle on Flower Cov-

s ered Bler. STOCKHOLM. Dec. 13.-The body of evening in the hearing of A. F. Brown on King Oscar of Sweden, who died Docember the charge of murder of Katherine Kills a, is today bying in state in the chapel of and Bowen was held without bail for the admiral's uniform. The catafalque has you is about to resign from the cabinot, meetings. He refused assistance of doc-

LAFOLLETTE WANTS STATE

Wiscensin Man Said to Have Eyes on Nebraska Delegation.

SUPPORTERS TO HIE WESTWARD Prominent Republicans of Syracuse

N. Y., Form Hughes League to Boost the New York

Deg. state convention SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 13.-A large number of prominent republicans last night Brown county prisoners is Edward ... filiated with the Hughes league of New tence of five years before him. York City. The local club, which includes organisation, will make a fight in the primaries for national delegates.

Cummina Men Active. DES MOINES, Dec. 13.-An effort will be Governor Cummins. They say, too, that burglary. there is no doubt but that the Iowa delegawill be for the purpose of holding the Iowa delegation in line for him for president if there is any opportunity for him securing the nomination, or so it can be thrown to some other progressive in case he cannot win. In any event they propose to keep it away from any reactionist.

Mayor Swenra In More Guards, but Trouble is Supposed to Be Over.

HENDERSON, Ky., Dec. 13 .- A note of warning against the further receipts of tobacco was found tacked on the door of the Imperial Tobacco factory today and some windows were broken out of one of the Gallagher company's houses. John H. Hodge, a Regie buyer, received a warning letter and has placed heavily armed guards at his houses in Henderson, Madisonville and Slaughtersville.

The Dibrell Glover factory, independent, also has engaged guards. Mayor Harris tobacco men. Growers of the stemming district have been strong in their denunciation of lawnessness and it is believed that all threats come from boys or meddlers. This is considered especially probable since

and evidence to show that the river which | Kentucky's new adjutant general, Major Japan claims is the boundary is in reality P. F. Hohnson of Lexington, would arrive Japan claims that the Coreans are not vestigate the situation. The question of Chinese subjects, and this fact is the sending additional troops here will depend the Chen Tao territory in Corea's name. time, Hopkinsville's most prominent citi-China claims that Corea agreed to and ac- zens, including bankers, merchants, ministers of the gospel, lawyers and men of turns at guarding the town.

Colored Man at Chicago Who Murdered School Teacher in Hanged.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.-Richard Walton, colored, was hanged here today for the mur-

"I very much regret that the law will During his confinement in the county tall Walton has repeatedly declared that he Declares Contest at Davenport regarding the clergy and religious insti- was anxious to be hanged as soon as posutions in California. The matter of ap- sible and has made a great show of reli-

COAL GAS IS FATAL TO TWO Cries of Infant Rouses House and Others of Family Saved

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Dec. 11 .- The cries of an infant saved the lives of eight persons here early today, but not before the baby's father and brother had been asphyxlated by coal gas. The dead are: NICHOLAS CONTRAVO, aged 26 years.

Contravo, his wife and the two children slept in one reem and six boarders occupied other parts of the house. The escaping coal gas wakened the baby, whose criesaroused one of the boarders. He broke to continue the hearing until a later hour down the door of the room occupied by the family and found the father and son dead. He then rescood the mother and baby and aroused the other boarders, who had also Leader of Gift of Tougue Movement

phatically He is Not to Reaign Position.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.-In answer to inquiries as to the report which has gained erm of circuit court in Stanley county to been made into a hower of heautiful flow- the secretary's sole comment was "that is tors and depended on the prayers of him- t o'clock this morning that the case was another lie."

LARGE NUMBER OF PRISONERS RAID ON MARTIN "ARCADE" Falls Pentientiary Holds

Greatest Number Ever In

Police After Inmates. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Dec. 18 .- (Special.)

-There are now in the Sloux Falls peniten Hary 198 prisoners, two women and 196 men. This is the largest number of state prisoners ever in the institution, and the largest number since the withdrawal of the government prisoners, who were sent to Fort Leavenworth a little more than a year

Brown county sent down a quartette of LINCOLN. Dec. 18 Friends of Senator Among them was William Moser, a 17-yearprisoners, who were received yesterday, Lafollette today began the fight for the old lad, who is under a life sentence for Nebraska delegation at the next republican murder. Moser's home was at Strawberry who secured an indorsement at the last disturbed when the judge for life. He even joked at sentence was pronounced. A.,

officers and arranging to extend the organi- on a Brown county school teacher found sation throughout the county. It was af- himself in the penitentiary with a sen-

The third of the Brown county quartette in its membership men who have been is Julius Hartman, alias Charles Rumple, prominent in the Onondaga republican who will do three years for forgery. He to pass a 31 forged check. When sentenced he created a sensation by declaring that he had been promised a sentence of made to get the delegation from lows for one year if he pleaded guilty. Both the Cummins for president and this will not judge and the state's attorney denied any necessitate the governor's withdrawal from knowledge of such an arrangement. The the race for United States senator. This final member of the quartette is Dick

Edward Kelley, who was sent to the tion will be conducted by his friends and pentientiary from Grant county, completed his term of imprisonment on Thursday. the last year he has shown signs of mental breakdown. He was taken in charge by the local officials as he was leaving the penitentiary, and on being taken before the local insanity board was declared insane and was sent to Yankton today for treatment.

FORMAL NOTIFICATION GIVEN Assistant Secretary Newherry Reports

to President Fleet is in

Readiness.

18.-President WASHINGTON, Dec. osevelt was formally notified today that House for that purpose.

which on Monday morning will precede the cided to take the step myself and close up departure of the vessels of war through the place forever-or as long as I can issue J. Walsh, resigned. Wyoming, Islay, Lara-mile county, Christins McDenald, vice Tom heaven," said Clarke. 1907 association crop.

With Company D. on duty and a large number of citizens guarding every road leading into the city, Hopkinaville passed another night without attack by night. The omicers have taken another night without attack by night without attack by night. The omicers have taken for in the ideas and are renewing ford made his visit, every crib on the areas allowed one additional letter carrier tion of three, and when the police arrived to begin service December 16.

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Something McDenald McDena consumed. A ten-knot speed is to be mainhave been issued that only steam enough to carry that speed economically shall be kept in the boilers. Any change of distance or interval in the fleet formation, the orders direct, shall be corrected "slowly

A grand ball at the Chamberlin hotel tonight is to be the last shore entertainment for the officers of the fleet. Tomorrow afternoon the foot ball teams of the Vermont and the Kansas meet to decide the fleet championship and on that evening Admiral Evans and the officers of the flagabip Connecticut will entertain on board that vessel, the reception to be followed by dancing on the decks.

IMMIGRATION BOARD MEETS der or Mrs. Louise Grant White, last Thorough Investigation to Be Made of Orientals in Western Cities.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.-The Immigra-Prince Henry boarded the Hohenzollern and local churches. She was an expert in her tion commission met today at the capitol carried in bundles. Excitement among the hear stand, that Bowles gave him the line and of the highest personal character, and decided to commence an inspection inhabitants created excitement on Ninth "shiners" in a fleres encounter in which, Intending to move from one apartment to of immigration conditions on the Pacific another, she had employed Walton to as coast. William R. Wheeler, member of sist to packing some of her furniture. At the commission from California, will at the police meant business and no favorites. Although Fauce's story made no serious then drove through crowded streets to the night. Walton, with the intention of steal- once proceed to a thorough review of the would be selected. ing some of the valuables which he had immigration conditions at the leading const noticed in her rooms, climbed through a cities. His report, which is expected to her escape before the officers arrived told a bartender in a Third ward saloon, took window and strangled Mrs. Grant while she cover minutely the Chinese and Japanese lay in bed. He gave some of the jewelry immigration status, will probably not be of whom she gave a minute description, not Bowles, gave the black eyes to Fauce. o a colored woman and through this he made to the commission for many weeks. was traced and finally arrested at Spring- It also was decided by the commission field, Ill. He made a free confession as to take up the immigration problem in soon as captured and when arraigned in the southern states. Senator Dillingham, court entered a plea of guilty. Judge chairman of the commission, will appoint Brentano, who passed sentence of death a committee for this purpose, of which ROMEL Dec. 12.-The pope today received upon the prisoner, was urged by Walton Senator Latimer of South Carolina and Archbishop Riordan of San Francisco in to make the date of execution earlier than Representative Burnett of Alabama will be

CAPTAIN KULP DENIES GUILT Not a Prize Fight, but

Boxing Match.

DES MOINES, Dec. 13.-Captain Kulp. empany B, Fifty-fourth Iowa National Guards, on trial before a military court charged with disobeying the orders of Adjutant General Thrift relative to a prize fight at Davenport on the night of November Il, today on the witness stand declared that he did not disobey the orders of his superior officer. "I was ordered to stop a prize fight," declared the witness. "I did as I was ordered to do. I did not stop a boxing exhibition, and I was not ordered to do so. I merely did what I thought it was my duty to do."

Lieutenant James G. Mason of Company B. Kulp's company, fainted on the witness stand today and it became necessary

HIS PRAYERS AVAILED NAUGHT at Stoux City Victim of Discase.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Dec. 12 - (Special Telegram.)-Harry Booker, superintendent of the Open Door mission. 312 Jennings street, died this morning of a complication of Bright's disease and pneumonia. He was one of the leaders in the "Gift of Tongues" movement and there have been numerous him. The charges were immoral conduct "trance visions" and revelations" at his in vertous phases. The trial was not begun solf and friends for recovery,

Police Magistrate Crawford Sends

Warrants Issued for Arrest of Owner, Agent and Tenants and Piaced in Hands of Police Promptly Served.

Police Magistrate Bryce Crawford yesterday took the steps needed to close the I failed to pay my respects to an old pai." neterious Martin "Arcade" on Ninth street. Mayor Jim, accompanied by Mr. Brown, Forcast till 7 p. m. Saturday.

For Omalia, Council Bluffs and Vicinity—
For Omalia, Council Bluffs and Vicinity—
Unsettled, with possibly rain or snow the senator's advisers at Madison to Clerk Ingly without any provocation, he wantonly and these were placed in the senator's advisers at Madison to Clerk Ingly without any provocation, he wantonly and these were placed in the shot and killed F. Markalkee, near Col
of the cribs and these were placed in the shot and killed F. Markalkee, near Colconvention. In a telephone message from Point, In. Last Fourth of July, seem- Under his direction City Prosecutor Daniel arrived at the president's office just before announced that representatives of Lafoliette umbla, in Brown county. When Moser hands of the police for service. Eight of dent," volunteered Omaha's mayor to the will come to Nebraska in a few days to was arraigned before Judge McCoy, he the women were put under arrest and will guardian of Mr. Roosevelt's private apartcourticle be arraigned in police court this morning. ments.

there will be greened to the per haunts.

The part of organized the Charles E. Hughes republicans the can league of Onondaga county, electing the time that he made a criminal assault found have evening. Prior to having the indeed carrying the centralization of power hue and Captain Mostyn the judge pro- cabinet and greet his friend of old days, ceeded. Many of the inmates of the cribs who has nothing to ask from him. I comtook alarm and fied, hastily packing their mand you to go to your master." comes from Des Moines, Ia. He attempted belongings and seeking shelter where they Reluctantly, the president's messenger did closed.

of Omaha for the inmates of disreputable he was to have them in these parts. houses, the section known as Martin's Arcade on Ninth street will remain closed," was learned today from close friends of Derby, who got a six months' sentence for said Judge Crawford in explanation of his action. "I have issued warrants for the the desire of the police court of Omaha that any woman who opens a house be ar-

"Warrants are out for M. F. Martin, owner of the houses composing the Arcade. has been in attendance upon the democratic and for Harris, an employe of Martin who collects the rents of the miserable women who occupy the cribs,

Stories of Revolting Nature. "During the last few weeks stories have the Atlantic battleship fleet assembled in come to me and to Mr. Daniel about the February. Hampton Roads, is in readiness to proceed Arcade that are so revolting that no same on its cruise to the Pacific coast. The man could refrain from closing up the Nebraska routes: Anselmo, route 1, Patnotification was made by Assistant Secre- whole section if he knew about the way rick F. Leonard carrier. Mike Leonard subtary Newberry, who called at the White the places are conducted. You cannot im-House for that purpose.

Agine the stories which have come to my carrier, Martin Christensen substitute; St. had been sent by Judge Cornish to examine OLD POINT COMFORT, Va., Dec. 13.— cars about Martin's Arcade. I have waited Libory, route 2, Conrad L. Evers carrier. The admirals of the four divisions and the long and patiently for some citizen to Henry H. Evers substitute; Walworth. captains of the sixteen ships in the Pacific make the move to close up the place, but route 1, Perry G. Metcalf carrier, Roy L. object was and the opinion of the doctors bound fleet are busy today in arranging none of the crusaders moved and after a Robles substitute.

Was unanimous to the effect that he had the last details of the presidential review. talk with City Prosecutor Daniel I de-Postmasters appointed: Towa-Church-tried to "binfi." Dr. Birkner asked him

mitted to the Tokio government through riders. Rumors, are rife, that another in- for the start of the cruise and its first taken to the station. Judge Crawford said: been admitted to practice before the In-"I don't care whether the women were terior department. ereignity, of China over the territory in Earlington company, which came here the ships to the Pacific is expected to derested. I only want them to know that if places owned by Martin they will be ar-

rested and given the limit, which they deserve if they violate the law and do not heed this warning." Mostyn was in the office.

Captain Dunn, as he came on duty at 6 who died in a little while. o'clock, he told me he would arrest any | William Fauce, the negro, testified before if it was my desire."

Plee When Friends Tell Them. street and men and women "fell over he said, the soldler was getting the better themselves" to disappear, as they realized of it until he lift him with a brick.

not altogether surprised, though completely disgusted.

Testimony in Walsh Trial Indicates They Were Transferred from Departments.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.-Reading of documentary evidence was constant in the Walsh trial today. The government contends that Walsh used large portions of the funds of the Chicago National bank, the Home Savings bank, and of the Equitable Trust company, and to substantlate this brought in the books of the three in stitutions and had entries from them read to the jury.

It was brought out that some of the bonds which had been sold to the Home Savings bank, had, according to the entries on the book, been merely transferred from the discount department of the Chicago National bank to the bond department and had not, in reality, been sold at all.

CHAPLAIN COLE EXONERATED Conference Committee Acquite Iows Preacher on Every Charge Preferred Against Him.

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Dec. 12.-(Special Telegram.)-Chaplain Jesse Cole of the Inwa Soldiers' home was fully exonerated of the charges made against him in the Methodist church trial at Hubbard early this morning. The committee of the conference, which acted as jury, after being out thirty minutes, returned a verdict ac quitting Cole on every charge made against until late last evening, and it was not until

MAYOR JIM AT WHITE HOUSE Pollows His Free and Easy Tactics When He Calls on the

President.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 - (Special Tele NOTORIOUS RESORT IS CLOSED gram.)-Mayor Jim Dahlman tells with great gusto how he circumvented an assistant secretary to the chief executive today and how he broke into the present of Mr Roosevelt by pure western nerve. Accompanied by E. E. Brown, who owns and edits an anti-Bryan paper in Lincoln, Mayor Dahlman decided to call upon the president this morning, because "the boys

out in Omaha would never forgive me l

place. After consultation with Chief Dona- when he sees my name he will leave the

might. Last night the "Arcade" was as he was commanded, and sure enough the president came out in a moment to welcome "As long as printed forms exist and war- Dahlman and Mr. Brown (not the mayor rants can be issued from the police court of Lincoln), and tell them how "delighted" "I'm glad you came," said the president.

"Mighty glad you came." "Say," said Mayor Jim, talking about his reception at the White House, "if I was arrest of every inmate of the houses at president I would run things differently. present and Captains Mostyn and Dunn of The fellow who had come the longest disthe police department are to co-operate tance would see me first, and I would make Kelley was not given his liberty. During with me under instructions of the chief to the fellow who just walked over the bridge serve all warrants issued. Besides that the walt. This red tape business about Washpolice officers have assured me that if it is ingion's departments makes me tired, and the desire of this court they will arrest I want to get back to the west, where any woman who opens one of the Martin things are done on the level and where rooms in the Arcade. It is my desire and they know the difference between a maverick and a thoroughbred."

Mayor Dahlman will go to New York toerrow and then home. Ex-Gevernor Osborne of Wyoming, who

national committee meeting, with Mrs. Osborne, left Washington today for the west. Mr. and Mrs. Osborne will sall December south seas, returning about the middle of Rural free defivery carriers appointed for

stitute; Boelus, route 1, Edward Eriksen men left for Judge Cornish's court, He carrier, Martin Christensen substitute; St. had been sent by Judge Cornish to examine

H. D. Winan of Rock Valley, Ia., has

velop, had to do with the amount of fuel to pay Martin toll. I don't want them ar- FAUCE HELD FOR MURDER fore 2:30 o'clock. The sentence had to be tained throughout the voyage and orders they continue the practice of going to the Colored Man Accused by Coroner's Jury of Killing Joseph Bowles,

Soldter. "We find that Joseph Bowles came t

intent. all the warrants issued promptly and was cuth and Davenport streets, early Thurs the only woman present at the execution. ready at any moment. When I talked with day morning with a club-brulsed head and

woman who entered a place on the arcade the jury that he killed Bowles, but did it cigar and playing his guitar when the death in self-defense. He exhibited two black eyes as tokens of an alleged fight between Wemen left the arcade in blocks of five him and Bowles. He had his eyes blackwhen it was "tipped off to them" by sus. ened when arrested by the Omaha and pected parties that the place was to be South Omaha police in the latter city a "pinched." Personal property was tied up few hours after his crime was discovered in pillow shams, sheets and the like and and he then said what he did on the wit-

impression, it could not be successfully con-One of the women who neglected to make tradicted or disproven until Tom Deright of the thoughtful visit of two young men, the witness stand and testified that he and succeeding so admirably as to leave no doubt in the minds of her auditors as to the latter was in the saleon. With this identity of the informers. The police were sole prop knocked from under him Fauce was held for the murder which the police down and, stammering slightly, said: have maintained all along was cold-blooded BANK BONDS NOT SOLD AT ALL a means of robbery. Soldiers from Fort Crook, comrades of

the dead man, identified the watch, chain fearing his neck might not break. The and knife found on Fauce when arrested guards shok their heads in answer to his as the property of Bowles. Fauce was taken back to the city jail

until his preliminary hearing. COAST CAN COMPANY SELLS Million-Dollar Deal by Which United

Company of West Has Been

Absorbed.

after the inquest and will be held there

SAN FRANCIFCO, Dec. 11,-One of the largest deals arranged here since the fire of April 18, 1905, was, it is said, consummated yesterday when the papers were signed by which the American Can com pany, the wealthy eastern concern, absorbed the United Can company of San Francisco, its largest rival on the Pacific nast. The consideration exceeded \$1,000,000, but the parties to the transaction refused to divulge the exact terms. By this purchase the American Can company becomes absolutely dominant on the Pacific coast. The United Can company has an extensive plant here and has enjoyed a large part of the California, Oregon, Washington and

Alaska trade. MRS, LONGWORTH IS STRONGER

on the Road to Rapid Recovery. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.-Surgeon General Rixey, one of the attendant physicians pon Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, after visit-

for appendicitis performed yesterday,

CLARKE PAYS PRICE

Forfeits His Life on the Gallows for the Murder of Edward Flury.

LAST RESOURCE IS EXHAUSTED

Alienist Sent to the Penitentiary to Examine Him as a Last Resort.

PRONOUNCES HIM ENTIRELY SANE

Comes from Cell to the Gallows Smoking a Cigar.

DECLARES THAT HE IS INNOCENT Rids All Goodbye and Asks Mother to

Pray for Him as His Last Words on Earth-No Untoward Incident at Execution.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 13.-(Special.)-Harrison Clarke was hanged at the state pentientiary yesterday afternoon. The drop fell at 2:00 o'clock and nine minutes later he was proounced dead by the physicians.

Clarke's composure did not desert him at any time. He smoked a cigar as he walked from the death cell to the large storeroom in the east end of the broom factory, in which the scaffold was erected. He smoked his cigar after he was on the scaffold and took a final-puff before throwing it away to allow his hands to be strapped behind him.

Clarke's fate was uncertain up to twenty minutes before the execution took place. Benton Bell of Omaha called at the penitentlary in the morning and then went up to the city to file an affidavit which he had signed, alleging that Clarke was insane, Warden Beemer had set 12:20 as the hour for the execution. Just nve minutes before then a telephone message was received from Judge Cornish of the district court stating that he had granted a hearing on the affidavit setting forth that Clarke was insane. He asked that the man who had sat in the death chamber with Clarks during the night should appear in court and testify. Those who had assembled for the execution waited in the chapel or reception rooms, while Clarks played his guttar in 28 from San Francisco for a trip to the his cell. The waiting crowd could hear the notes, weird and gruesome, from the fact that they were being played by a man who

Dr. J. M. Birkner, insanity commissioner, went to the cell. Clarke knew what their "They died last night and went to

The testimony of the death watch and Chaplain Johnson before Judge Cernish was also to the effect that Clarke was sane. Shortly after 2 o'clock Warden Beemer telephoned Judge Cornish that he must have a decision one way or the other beexecuted between the hours of 10 a. m. and 3 p. m. and half an hour must be allowed for preliminary arrangements.

At 2:20 o'clock a telephone message was ecceived from Judge Cornish saying he had decided not to interfere. This was Clarke's Judge Crawford said he went to the his death from the effect of blows in last hope. The warden notified Governor police station about 4 o'clock. Captain flieted by William Fauce with murderous Sheldon and then steps were taken quickly o for the execution. About seventy people "I told him that I proposed to arrest. This was the verdict of the coroner's july were admitted to the large room where the every woman occupying a crib in the ar- in the inquest into the death of the sharp- scaffold was erected. Among them were cade," said Judge Crawford, "To this Cap- shooter of Company K, Sixteenth United Joseph Flury, brother of Conductor Flury, tain Mostyn replied that he would serve States infantry found in the alley at Elev- and Mrs. Neff, his sister. Mrs. Neff was

The death sentence was read by Chief Clerk Fairfield at the cell of the condemned man. He had been smoking a party entered. He laid the guitar down and watched the chief clerk with scowling eyes while he read. When the reading was over he stepped jauntily out of his cell and walked between Guards Green and Mo-Corkle the 300 feet across the yard to the room where the scaffold was. He smoked a cigar which he handled somewhat nervously. He wore a black suit, black hat and patent leather shoes.

The party entered the rom and walked directly to the scaffold and up the steps. Rev. John Marshall, pastor of the Gospel Tabernacleff Lincoln, followed up the steps and asked Clarke if he might offer prayer. Clarke nooded his head, threw away his cigar and held his hat in his hand. Everybody stood uncovered while an elequent prayer was offered. When it was finished the guards began

strapping his feet and knees. Clarke looked "Can't I have something for my feet? and unprovoked and committed purely as I want a bag with something heavy to put on my feet." Evidently he wanted a weight fastened,

> request. At that moment Warden Beemer appeared at the door. Clarke shouted to Warden, can't I have something to put on my feet?" The warden made no answer and Clarke shouted again. The warden shook his head

cap had been drawn over his face and while the noose was being adjusted Clarke called Goodbye to Everybody. "Goodbye everybody. You're hanging an innocent man for a crime he never com-

and Clarke said no more. After the black

mitted." After a moment he added: Tell my mother to pray for me." Then the trap was sprung. The neck was broken and nine minutes later he was

pronounced dead. Instructions will be awaited from his mother regarding the disposition of the Clarke's manner had changed consider

ably from what it was Thursday. Then he

was folly and talked and joked with every-

body who came to his cell. Friday morning he had changed. He played his guitar nearly all the time and often rang, accompunying himself on the instrument. He slept well during the night an date a hearty breakfast. He was left in the cell Railies Nicely After Operation and is he has occupied during his imprisonment until Friday morning, when he was re-

moved to the death cell in tre hospital building, which stands in the middle of the yard. His wife visited him there during the

ing the patient this morning, stated that morning, but even to her he would say she had passed a good night and was in but little. Rev. W. T. Biggers, pastor of excellent condition following the operation the African Methodist church, went in to talk to him. Clarke calmly turned his

Harriman Party.

ance Money. CHICAGO, Dec. IL-"If I obtain a majorompany, I shall depose Edward H. Harrisuperior court. He also declared in the "to everybody in the country the removal of such an individual as Harri-man is shown to be would be a welcome sign of returning morality in the management of great corporations of the country."

Illinois Central in the interest of the Mr. Fish, in his affidavit, which is a reply to the one filed yesterday in the name of HAVRE LA Province.

Mr. Harriman and other directors of the PLYMOUTH ... Adviatis Illinois Central, declares that he has been a benefactor of J. T. Haraban, now president of the Illinois Central. He asserts that CHINESE MAKE OFFER TO BUY years ago when Harriman and George A. Provincial Officials Seek to Secure Peubody declared Harahan had outlived his Concessions Held by Brit-

Mutual Life Insurance company. Lonns Made Paid Back. and Peabody breke falth with Fish in 1906,

Denies He is a Traiter. true! He admits being a director of the

After the reading of the Fish affidavit, the formal arguments against making permanent the injunction obtained last October by Mr. Fish restraining the voting of stack field by the Union Pacific and the Railroad Becurities company were com-

He also asserted that Mr. Fish had produned no facts to substantiate his allegations that his removal from the presidence of the Tulnois Central had ensued because

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For lows-Probably rain or snow Satur- assist in turning the delegation from Taft, pleaded guilty and did not

Governor Willson has telephoned Major Bassett, in charge of the troops here, that in Hopkinsville today and personally inupon his recommendation. In the mean-

all trades and callings are taking their WALTON DIES FOR HIS CRIME

Mrs. Grant was a kindergarten instructor and had for many years managed schools of this character in connection with various

from Death.

JOSEPH CONTRAVO, aged 4 years.

Secretary of Treasury Declares Em-