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Governor of Minnesota Writes Letter to Swedish-American Post.

THE HANDS OF PARTY

Will Accept Nomination if He is Regarded as Available.

Considers Endorsement of His Own State a Great Honor.

WILL SUPPORT THE NOMINEE

Leaders to Do the Same Should He Be Selected to Bear the Standard.

J. Turnblad, publisher of the Swedishgard to the nomination for the presidency. Today Mr. Turnblad received Governor

ST. PAUL, March 27.-Mr. Swan J. Turnblad, Minneapolis: My Dear Mr, Turnblad-Four letter of the 22d inst. in which you state that you have been subjected to many inquiries as to my plans and status in cor nection with the democratic nomination for president, I have for acknowledgement.

In reply thereto let me say that I do e private expression regarding my postat least say, in answer to your interroganomination I could contribute any service tional convention I am sure I would have no objection, but even if Minnesota were the only state to declare for me at that time I should still feel that the distinction was one of the greatest which could come

in the way of organization to bring about this end, and shall not be a candidate in the cense of seeking the nomination. 'If, however, those who have the welfare of the country and the democratic party at heart should feel that I am uncessary in this year of grace, I certuinly shall respond to any call which shull be made upon me. In this connec tion I destre it understood that in no sense am I to be a candidate for the purpose of defeating Mr. Bryan or any other man; that the only consideration which would induce me to allow the use of my name would be the feeling that I might be necessary to the cause. If the democratic party should see fit to nominate Mr. Bryan or anyone else the action would meet with my approval and the asmiree certainly would have my unqualified support, as I should expect his support if conditions were reversed.

have written you fully, that you may thoroughly understand the situation. In order that there may be no doubt, I would may in answer to your question that if a nomination came to me I certainly should not refuse it. Very truly yours, "JOHN A. JOHNBON."

Men Who Witnessed it Plend Guilty to Perjury in Schooley-Crawford Case.

man of Swedesboro, N. J., and Charles P. will which they witnessed and by which James L. Crawford, who was a prominent to District Attorney O'Brien, who at once took them into court. They will testify against Schooley next week.

Schooley was arrested some time ago charged with forging a will and his ball was surrendered today after Bahman and Reidel confessed. A detective has gone to Wyoming county, Pa., Schooley has been wintering, to rearrest

Young Girls at Ball Have Programs with New Quips as Keepsakes.

10-year-old girl had been a blt saucy to they had scolded her. He sympathized refused to conduct their classes. The I asked them to get her to give the time with her by writing on ne program:

Another little girl who had been rebuked for making faces, got this on her program: Do not do anything naughty when any

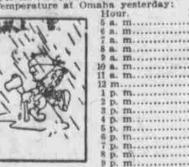
W. H. KENNAN ENDS HIS LIFE Pormer Adjutant General of Missouri Hangs Himself in an

Asylum. PARMINGTON, Mo., March M,-W. H. Kennan of Mexico, Mo., former adjutant general of Missouri, committed suicide here

State Hospital for the Insanc. tuched it to a water pipe near the calling Democratic league of Pennsylvania at Exwhite standing on a chair and then kicked position hall. Mr. Bryan will leave for the chair from under him. Mr. Kennan was formerly a member of the house representatives from Audrain county.

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> THE WEATERS. FOR OMAHA, COUNCIL BLUFFS AND VICINITY-Possibly rain or snow Saturday; st much change in temperature. FOR NEBRASKA—Saturday fair FOR IOWA-Rain or snow Saturday Temperature at Omaha yesterday:



Regulations for cattle quarantine Nebraska more favorable than expected whether it is their duty to stop work and northwest and the fire got away and by Governor Sheldon and the cattlemen, Page 1

Eastern railroad men make inquiries as to the effect of the sixteen-hour law. Page 1

Senator Penrose believed to have passed the crists of his disease. Page 1 W. J. Bryan makes speech in exposition hall at Pittsburg. Official denial in the Hill case is supposed to be reliable even in tife face of absolute proof to the contrary. Page 2 Governor Hughes finally yields and takes some testimony in the Gillette case.

Page 2 Missouri raffroad commissioner declares the recent railroad decision of the United states supreme court to be infamo

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where the shortage is over \$1,000,000. Page 1 Former Adjutant General Keenan Missouri hangs himself. L. O. Murray will be the new comptroller of the currency. Page 1

PORNIGH. Earth shock wrecks city of Chilapa. Page 1 Japanese plan a big funeral for D. W.

Stevens at the same time as the services in this country. Page 1 Generals Fock and Riess asked to resign their commissions in the Russian

man warship for Kingston. Page 1 NEBBASEA. Government secret agent secures evidence against prominent persons of Waitholl for disposal of liquor without right

on the Omaha reservation. Page 3 D. C. Patterson applies for water right on the Platte, with water project in mind. Page 1 Cotner university man wins first place in prohibition oratorical contest at Grand

Woman at Mullen thrashes a lawyer for alleged irregularities in his actions. Page 1

able man. LOCAL.

Northwestern enginemen are saving housands of dollars every week by coof saving on coal consumed in the en-

been married a year. Notes of Omaha society MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS. Arrived.

BY WIRELESS Cape Race-Celtic 1,010 miles east of Sandy Hook at 4 p. m.; will probably dock at 10 s. m. Sunday.

UEENSTOWN Cymric . UEENSTOWN Lusitania

STRIKING TEACHERS WIN OUT

Kansas City School Board Sustains Position They Took Over Salary Warrants.

KANSAS CITY, March 27.-School was resumed today at the Bryant public school in Wyandotte county, west of Kansas City, as the police of Omaha know," said Chief Kan., where on Tuesday last the entire me of the older maids at the ball and staff of women teachers walked out and adjusted the differences, sustaining the them." teachers in their position.

BRYAN REACHES PITTSBURG Nebraskan Continues Tour in East, Speaking Tonight at Expo-

sition Hall.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 27 .- William fennings Bryan arrived here today from Washington and is registered at the Fort Pitt hotel. This afternoon Mr. Bryan held a reception in the hotel partor. Tonight he will address the followers of the Bryan

Wheeling, W. Va., tomorrow morning and

Parkersburg, W. Va.

Sixteen-Hour Act Causes Trouble on Eastern Lines.

MEN ASK WHAT THEY SHOULD DO

Information is Desired Whether Trainmen Must Stop Operation of Engines When Near Terminals.

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 27.-Railroad rainmen are in a quandary about the federal sixteen-hour law and have appealed to the State Railroad commissaion. The state commission has no power in the matter, but has taken up the question with the Interstate Commerce commission. A delegation of freight trainmen emthat no crew shall be kept at work more than sixteen hours continuously, and that miles northeast of Ainsworth. after such work each member shall have at least eight hours rest. They say it is difficult to observe such a rule on the railroad.

At a recent wreck at Rossmoyne, on the Reading railway, the wrecking crew was snow this winter at the present time, the at work eighteen hours; it was impossible grass is sufficiently dry as to burn very to relieve the men. The train men say rapidly. A fire was started a short disfurther that often the sixteen-hour limit tance south of Kimball by a farmer who expires when they are only a few miles was attempting to burn a strawstack. The from a terminal point. They want to know wind was blowing very strong from the tie up traffic under such circumstances started a blaze in the grass, which was

Worked to Limit-Big Supply of Conl.

strike of the 35,000 coal miners of Missouri, ficient breaks as to turn the course of the Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas fire until it burned into a large acreage on April 1, according to a statement made of ground which had previously been here today by Charles S. Keith, one of burned a week ago. A school house stood the leading operators in this part of the in the pathway of the fire and the chilthe operators' association would agree to avoid the possibility of danger, but the

Unusual condition of Farmers' Deposit part of the southwest are prepared to disastrous fire on the same day and eight stand a long siege. He declared that they families were burned out of house and National bank at Pittsburg is disclosed, have big supplies of coal on hand, suffi- home, although all escaped with their lives, clent to last at least ten months. The getting away with what things could be railways also are amply provided with fuel, carried in wagons. The damage will ex-

Page 1 be asserted. Asked the probable outcome of the meeting next Tuesday of the Coal Operators' on the property destroyed. Thousands of association, he said the action that would tons of hay was destroyed, which will work be taken at that time would be problem- a hardship on many farmers for spring atical. It is likely, however, he said, that feed. the association would extend authority to the executive committee to meet the miners SENATOR PASSES THE CRISIS in a conference and try to agree on the terms of a contract.

DANVILLE, Ill., March 27,-An au-Page 1 thoritative statement was issued here to-Refugees leave Port au Prince on a Ger- day to the effect that there will be no shutdown April 1 of the mines of Illinois

with Money and Come Back Penniless.

written a letter to the Swedish-American nection with a bill introduced in the asination for president if the Denver con- ment for the collection of such information, vention regards him as the most avail- both industrial and agricultural, as would the disease. Page 1 be of benefit to the immigrants.

According to the statement, immigrants to City Engineer Rosewater says he is the number of 1,078,463 took up their resi-Page 9 large portion of them came from southern paratively restful night who has been made to earl, is shocked is claimed that during 1907 they sent to their dition during the last twenty-four hours, that the Kansas City papers ridicule him. native homes savings estimated at \$300,000, according to a bulletin issued today. Page 9 000, which, had they been informed of conecent decision in the "meat cases," which and been invested here. Through this illegal banks are being operated in greater New York, a large proportion of them in operation with the officials in the matter direct violation of the state banking laws. "These banks stimulate such transactions Page 18 of money through false pretenses, largely," few months, carrying with them sums variously estimated at from \$150,000,000 to \$250 .-000,000. It is contended that many of them are now returning to this country penniless, to become public charges.

Woman at Sioux City Insists Andrew Kennison Committed Murder in Omaka.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., March 27 .- (Special Telegram.)-Andrew Kennison, charged by Kennon. The murder, she said, was com- St. Louis. mitted in a saloon on Webster street, Omaha, but she did not know the name of GENERAL, GREELY RETIRES

"There was never such a murder so far Donahue. "The Sloux City police have advised me of what this woman has said and

Mrs. George Yanning of Millersburg Burns to Death by Reason

of Mistake. OSKALOOSA, Ia., March 27.-Mistaking over her aprop to extinguish flames that Yanning of Millersburg was burned to death last night. She was instantly enveloped in a sheet of flame. Members of the hours following the acuident.

PRAIRIE FIRE NEAR MULLEN

Goat Ranch in Hooker County Cleaned of Grass, Stock Barely Escaping.

MULLEN, Neb., March 17.—(Sp. 36.5) Burlington passenger tracting, raged north over try toward the try toward the loss will be en tlers have move. the last year. The 800 had a narrow esc

-not help goats would have me burned to gone out from town within a few feet of buildings, while the goats were held on a small patch of plowed land.

AINSWORTH, Neb., March 27 .- (Special. -Yesterday the wind revived the fire in a smoldering straw stack and set fire to the prairie. It ran to the Ole Olson farm and burned everything he had except a windmill, ployed by the Philadelphia & Reading as he was away from home. It burned a company laid their case before the commis-sion. They believed the law provides The fire did considerable damage for other farmers. The fire was located about seven MITCHELL, S. D., March 27 .- (Special.)

-The prairie fire season has started in this section of the state, with three devastating fires within a radius of fifty miles. While there has been more or less or take the train to the end of the run. swept off to the south. A report received from there states that a number of houses. OPERATORS READY FOR SIEGE and barns were burned in the pathway of the elements, but no lives were lost. Five Southwestern Mines Have Been miles northwest of this city another fire was started in the same way Wednesday, but it did little damage other than to burn over an unoccupied section. A hundred KANSAS CITY, March 27 .- Southwestern men hurfled to the scene of the fire and mine owners are well prepared to stand a with plows they succeeded in plowing sufcountry. He expressed the opinion that dren were liberated in plenty of time to Kansas City striking teachers win their a conference to try and reach terms of men with the plows were able to get ahead of the fire and plow a break around it. Mr. Keith said that the operators of this In northeast Aurora county there was a tend into several thousands of dollars and in the main there is little or no insurance

Family of Mr. Penrose Believes He Now Has Chance to Recover.

PHILADELPHIA, March 27. - United District No. 12, employing nearly 5,000 States Senator Penrose, who is dangerously men pending a settlement of the question ill at his house in this city, is believed to of a wage schedule for the next two years. have passed the crisis in his illness. The The operators and miners will, it is said, physicians and members of the family were together on a schedule by that time | today more hopeful of the senator's recovery. It was announced by a member of PROBLEMS OF IMMIGRATION the family that the senator had taken a New York Finds Foreigners Leave that he rested more comfortably. Today he is fully conscious.

Senator Penrose's condition yesterday was very critical, so grave in fact that ALBANY, N. Y., March 27.-Information the physicians feared the worst. He sufconcerning immigration into the state for fered intensely and had to be relieved with the last few years has been given out from oplates, which kept him in an unconscious Governor Johnson of Minnesota has the state department of agriculture, in con- condition most of the day. The crysipelateous condition of the nationt caused great Post stating that he will accept the nom- sembly yesterday proposing a state depart- alarm, as the physicians the day before belleved they had arrested the progress o

At 12:30 p. m. the physicians issued th following bulletin:

The senator's condition remains critical willing to fight and anxious to go into dence in New York state, for the time being attending physicians do not regard it as the present at least, during the last three years. A St Lawrence Changler of Kansas City, Europe, where illiteracy is prevalent. It ther improvement in Governor Guild's con-BOSTON, March 27.-There has been fur-

will have a tendency to give South Omaha more live stock. Page 11 Week book are being are bein and New Man is Se-

lected.

WASHINGTON, March 27.-William B. Ridgely, comptroller of the currency, has Young wife sues husband's parents for continues the statement. "They are not handed his resignation to President Rooseestranging her spouse after they have subject to any national or state regulation." veit and will become president of the Na-Fage 5 It is claimed in the statement that 55.000 tional Bank of Commerce of Kansas City. Page 5 former immigrants were induced to emi- He will be succeeded as comptroller by grate from this country during the last Lawrence O. Murray, present assistant sec retary of commerce and labor and former

deputy comptroller of the currency. Controller Bidgely stated today that all of the conditions imposed by the con-

The bank will start with \$2,000,000 of capital and \$200,000 surplus, all clean, liquid and unimpaired, and will have deposits of between \$12,000,000 and \$13,-000,000, over 50 per cent of which will be on hand in actual cash.

George T. Cutts, now the receiver of his wife with having murdered a man in the bank, will be vice president and Ed-Omaha about a year ago, is still being held ward Ridgely cashier. The directors will by the police. Mrs. Kennison told Chief include some of the best-known capitalof Police Dineen today that her husband ists and business men of the west, inat that time was known as Kennedy or cluding ex-Governor David R. Francis of

Arctic Explorer, Who is Now in the Orient, Reaches Age of Sixty-Four.

WASHINGTON, March 27.-Major General A. W. Greely of Arctic fame, having trouble grew out of the fact that the teach- and name of the murdered man and some reached the age of 64 years today, was ers were obliged to go to the residence of more details. I think the man and his transferred to the retired list in accordrants signed. The school board last night and these charges have grown out of the orient on leave of absence. Brigadier General Charles B. Hall, commandant of the General Staff callege at Fort Leaven-USED GASOLINE FOR WATER worth, Kan., has been appointed a major general, vice Greely, retired, and Colonel John B. Kerr, commanding the Twelfth cavalry, Fort Ogiethorpe, Ca., has been apmoted.

a cup of gasoline for water and pouring it F. LOUIS SOLDAN DROPS DEAD had caught in the garment, Mrs. George Superintendent of City Schools of St. Louis Suddenly Expires

on Streets. today, while accompanied by his wife,

Hundreds of Lives Believed Lost in Disaster at Chilapa, Mexico.

ALLEN RUINS TAKE FIRE

ord of Extensive Seismic Disturbace Taken at Washington-Tremors Are Unusually Distinct.

MEXICO CITY, March 37.-The town of Chilapa, in the state of Guerrero, was a short time. completely destroyed by an earthquake last fire and the whole city is burning. The were lost. Chilapa was a city of 15,000 inhabitants.

WASHINGTON, March 27 .- Two great earthquakes were recorded at the weather and false entries in the teller's statement bureau last evening. The first shock was much greater than the second and began with great distinctness at 6:08:22 p. m. The second began with equal distinctness at 10:45:22 p. m.

The duration of the first preliminary remors in the first shock was exactly the same in all four records and amounted to five minutes and three seconds. The distance in each case would be about 2,400 miles. This distance agrees so closely with the quake recorded March 25 as to suggest that all three of these earthquakes originated in nearly the same locality.

The earthquake which is reported to have destroyed the Mexican town of Chilapa undoubtedly is the same disturbance that shook the Island of St. Thomas vesterday afternoon, which was recorded at Washington last evening and which caused considerable alarm in Mexico City last night. At Washington two shocks were recorded by the instruments of the weather bureau. They were approximately at a distance of 2,400 miles. The first took place at 6:00 p. m. and the second at 10:54 p. m. In addition to this there was recorded on the afternnoon of March & at Washington evidences of a strong shock believed to be in the same locality as those of yesterday. The shocks in Mexico City last night cracked walls all over the city. The theater crowds rushed to the streets and for a short time there was considerable apprehension. No great damage was done. The distrubance at St. Thomas is described as a very sharp earth shock, but it did no damage. The town of Chilapa is something over 2,000 miles from Washington and 115 miles south of Mexico City. It is forty miles from a railroad. The state of Guerrero is in the earthquake belt. April 15, 1907, it experienced a quake which did considerable damage. At this time Chilcancingo and Chilapa were partially destroyed and the death list exceeded 160. The shock of 1907 did damage to a number of smaller towns in the state of Guerrero.

FOCK AND REISS TO RESIGN Russian Army Committee Asks Imprisoned Generals to Give Up Their Commissions.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 27.-The committee whose duty it is to pass upon the Rudiger and other officers of high rank, has invited Generals Fock and Reiss to return for the better late in the night and sign their commissions. These two officers were charged with complicity in the sur render of Port Arthur to the Japanese General Reiss complied with the request but General Fock declined pending an investigation of the charges brought in connection with his recent duel with General

Smirnoff. General Stoessel, who is serving his sen tence in the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul, is engaged in writing his memoirs.

JAPANESE PLAN BIG FUNERAL Services Will Be Held in Tokio at Same Time as Here for

TOKIO, March 27 .- The foreign office is arranging a program for funeral services date, the defendant could not be held to for Dunham W. Stevens in this city simul- be guilty of the crime of larceny." taneous with the obsequies in America ance at the services than at any former Omaha is said to be the gainer by the ditions of this country, would have remained L. O. MURRAY IS COMPTROLLER funeral in Japan. The entire imperial, diplomatic and foreign contingents, it is expected, will be present, together with thousands of Japanese. All the Coreans in Japan, including the crown prince, will at tend. Bishop Harris will probably return from Seoul to deliver the eulogy.

SZECHENYIS ARE IN PALERMO American Countess to Be Formally /Introduced Into Magyar Society After May.

VIENNA, March 27 .- Count Laszlo Sze chenyi has written to his friends in Hungary from Palermo, where he and the troller's office for the reorganization of countess are now staying, that he will not the Bank of Commerce were being com- arrive in Hungary before May. The count WIFE'S CHARGE ON HUSBAND plied with. The bank will reopen ess will be introduced officially in aristoson. The count and countess will then proceed to the Szechenyi castle at Vermeyoe, in the Zemplin district.

REFUGEES LEAVE ON WARSHIP German Cruiser Departs from Port

An Prince with Haytien

Revolutionists.

PORT AU PRINCE, March 21-The German cruiser Bremen left here teday for Kingston, Jamaica, carrying all the revolutionary refugees who had taken asylum can be at the French and German legations. They number in all seventy-five men.

AMERICAN MEAT IN HOLLAND Reduction of Present Import Dutler to Be Made in Pursuance with Agreement.

today.

THE HAGUE, Murch 27.-The second chamber of the Netherlands Parliament are to enter Holland at a reduction of the are confiscatory. The case will be argued cattle men certain rights as to pasturage present import duties.

pointed a brigadier general, vice Hall, pro- GOVERNOR FINALLY YIELDS TAFT TO BE AT GRANT'S TOMB timony in Chester Gil-

lette Case.

ALBANY, N. Y., March M.-It became knows here today that Governor Hughes will take testimony in the executive cham-ST. LOUIS, March 27.-F. Louis Soldan, ber tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock in confamily succeeded in smothering the fire aged 55 years, superintendent of the public nection with the application of a local at- dent and Secretary Taft today and invited with rags and carpet, but not until the schools of St. Louis and one of the fore- torney representing the Glilette family for the secretary of war to deliver the Memowoman had been fatally burned and had most educators in the country, dropped a respite for Chester Gillette, it being rial day oration May 30 at Grant's tomb. Sunday evening delivers an address at breathed the flames. Death ensued a few dead of heart disease on the street here claimed that new and material evidence has New York. Secretary Taft has accepted the been found.

EARTH SHOCK WRECKS CITY MANY SHORTAGES ARE FOUND SIELDON IS PLEASED

Employes of Pittsburg Bank and Prominent Men May Be Implicated.

PITTSBURG, March 27 .- A third charge against Henry Rieber, paying teller, and John Young, auditor of the Farmers' Deposit National bank, was made today by Bank Examiner W. L. Folkes. The former employes, who are in jail, are charged with misapplying funds of the bank amounting to \$1,105,000.

According to persistent rumors, informations against many business men in this city and other cities are to be made within

The previous amounts named were \$85,000. night. Following the shock the ruins took Rieber and Young are held in \$5,000 bail. The examination and audit of the books populace is terror-stricken. It is not of the bank has been practically comknown, even approximately, how many lives pleted, and it is believed that the informations today will cover the entire shortage within the statutes. Containing two counts, embessiement and misapplication book, the information charges the fraud extended over a period of three years prior to March 10, 1908. Funds of the bank it is alleged were diverted as late as March of this year.

In cases of embegglement the statute of limitations applies after three years and for this reason information cannot go back further than to March 10, 1906.

Reiber and Young for a number of years have had the entire control of the cash of the Farmers' Deposit National bank. They were accustomed to make reports of the amount of cash on hand to the bookkeeper and their report for years has always been wrong to the extent of the shortage. For the last few months this has been over

The men have made a confession to the government authorities and an examination made by Examiner Folds shows the amount they say they appropriated corresponds almost exactly with the shortage in the bank at present. The government authorities are staggered

at the amount involved and it is stated in no case has so much been taken from a bank in the same manner.

NEGROES' MEETING PREVENTED Sheriff Denies Use of Court House in

Sheriff Denies Use of Court House in View of Inflammatory Editorial.

MONTGOMERY, Aia. March 27.—Because of inflammatory matter in a local negro paper, Sheriff Horace Hood today withdraw permission for a meeting of negroes in the court house tonight, at which protest was to be made on the attitude of the administration at Washington on the race question. This meeting had been called by Bishop Alstork and a number of others in what has been taken to be an anti-Taft movement in the state.

Sheriff Hood, notifying the editor of the paper, says:

In view of your editorial which is calculated to arouse racial prejudice, creating a condition that bodes no good, but much harm to both races, especially the negro, who must be the greatest sufferer in any conflict aroused by foolieh and unwise leaders and agitators, I withdraw my consent for a political meeting to be held in the country court house.

Sheriff Denies two indicated across the state and effectually prevent cattle from thoving from the quarantine in the quarantine line above indicated across the state and effectually prevent cattle from thoving from the quarantine in the towning from the quarantine in the state and effectually prevent cattle from thoving from the quarantine to the tone-quarantine dincated across the state and effectually prevent cattle from thoving from the quarantine to the tone-quarantine decretal and except in accordance with the provisions of the state except in accordance with the provisions of the state of the state of feeding or stocking purposes except on certificates issued by an employe of the bureau of file and exposed cattle and premises until they have been properly disinfected and exposed cattle and premises in an unquarismitined district shall be enforced by officials of the state and effectually prevoit cattle from thoving from the quarantine to the tone of the state and effectually prevoit cattle from

In view of your editorial which is cal-culated to arouse racial prejudice, creat-ing a condition that bodes no good, but much harm to both races, especially the negro, who must be the greatest sufferer in any conflict aroused by foolish and unwise leaders and agitators, I withdraw my consent for a political meeting to be need in the country court house.

Charge of Larceny Would Not Hold Against New York Banker Because of Statute Limitation.

NEW YORK, March 27.-Daniel Leroy Dresser, former president of the Trust Company of the Republic, who recently was arrested on a charge of larceny, today was declared not guilty and discharged by Magistrate Barlow when he was arraigned in police court.

Dresser was arrested on March 16. complaint of William S. Andrews, a New York lawyer, who charged that Dresser withheld \$4,000 in a bond transaction duting back to December 12, 1902. Magistrate Barlow, in discharging Dresser from custody, said: "The statute of limitation intervenes in

There will undoubtedly be a larger attend- PATTERSON FOR WATER RIGHT

of Company to Platte

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, March 27 .- (Special Telegram.) -D. C. Patterson, trustee for the Fremont and Omaha Power company, has made two filings with the state board of irrigation for water from the Platte river to and essentials needed to make the concesprotect the rights of the proposed power sion on behalf of the federal government plant to furnish power for the city of effective. Omaha. One of his projects is similar to the old Seymour Park canal Water Power company of Omaha, the proposed cost of which is \$3,500,000, and the other is similar up a strong talk for practical demonstra-

KNOTT SPEAKS OUT HIS MIND Secretary Wilson will be enthusiastically Missouri Railroad Commissioner Declares Recent Railroad Deciston Infamous.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 27,-John A. Knott, chairman of the Missouri State Board of Railway and Warehouse commis- be done with corn. Governor Shelden sioners, said today concerning the recent United States supreme court decision in the

railroad rate cases; I think the decision in the Minnesota and North Carolina railroad rate cases is an infamous one. There is no use for states to pass laws regulating corporations if they the governor and Mr. McPherson, president nullified in that way by federal

Inited States gunboat Paducah arrived Judge Pollock of United States Circuit Court Prevents Enforcement

of Kansas Tariff.

TOPEKA, Kan., March 27.-Judge Pollock found him entirely friendly to a leasing in the United States circuit court here to- law, but the secretary very frankly stated day issued an order temporarily enjoining that nothing could be done until congress the State Board of Railroad Commissioners | took action; that he had examined closely and Attorney General Jackson from putting the range country of Nebraska and realtoday approved a convention with the into effect the new schedule of freight raics | iged how important it was that some law United States under which American meats April 1. The railroads assert that the rates should be enacted which would give the here on April 14.

New York's Executive Will Take Tes. Secretary of War Invited to Deliver Address There on Memorial

Day.

WASHINGTON, March 27 .- A committee from U. S. Grant post. Grand Army of the Republic of Brooklyn called on the presi-Invitation.

Quarantine Rules for Nebraska Cattle More Favorable Than Expected.

STATE TO ENFORCE REGULATION

Free Movement of Cattle East of the Quarantine Line.

PLANS TO CONTROL DISEASE

Infected Herds in Free District if They Are Found to Be Isolated,

FEATURES FOR THE CORN SHOW

Governor Urges Practical Demonstration of the Making of Denatured Alcohol-Appropriation in Needed.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, March 27 .- (Special Telegram.)-Governor Sheldon, who came to Washington with a representative delegation of live stock growers and shippers for the purpose of securing an abatement or lifting of the quarantine against scables, as defined by the bureau of animal industry of the Agricultural department, will leave the national capital better satisfied over the results attained than he hoped

for when he left Nebraska. A final conference was held by Governor Sheldon and those associated with him in securing the modification of existing quarantine regulations with the secretary of agriculture and as a result of this final meeting Secretary Wilson has outlined to the governor the agreements reached. On May 1, 1908, federal quarantine will be removed from the countles of Red Willow, Frontier, Gosper, Phelps, Buffalo, Sherman, Valley, Greeley, Boone, Antelope, Knox and all counties lying east of those

mentioned. The following other agreements were

entered into: 1. That the state will establish and main-

ST PETERSBUAG, March 27.—The committee whose duty it is to pass upon the qualification of army officers, composed of Grand Duke Nicholas, Minister of War DANIEL L. DRESSER RELEASED

May consent for a political meeting to be leading such quarantine.

5. That cattle which are affected with scables shall not be permitted to be moved except under special permission to the most available dipping vat for the purpose most available dipping vat for the purpose of dipping, and in no instance shall they be permitted to move from a quarantined to a non-quarantined area of the state.

6. That employes of the bureau of animal industry of this department located in the state of Nebraska shall be duly commissioned and authorized to serve without exceeding the property of the state of the

pense to the state as assistant state veteri-

narians. More Favorable Than Expected. Governor Sheldon, speaking generally of this agreement, said that it was more than he could have hoped for and much better than the proposition submitted to the secretary of agriculture and bureau of animal industry by himself on behalf of the stockmen and shippers of Nebraska. The agreement permits stock to be shipped to South Omaha provided it is clean. That where cattle are found to be infected local quarantine will be established as would be natural in all such cases. The agreement the case, and, therefore, according to the entered into, or which is today promulgated by the secretary of agriculture and effective on May 1, has been persistently urged by the stockgrowers of Nebraska and the western states doing business at South Omaha for the last five years, and Omaha Man Seeks to Protect Rights they have finally gotten what they have been asking for and what they were entitled to because of these same concessions made to other markets, namely Kansas

City, St. Joseph and Chicago. Immediately after the governor's return to Nebraska he will issue a proclamation outlining the new quarantine regulations

Features for Corn Show. Incidental to his conference with Secretary Wilson today Governor Sheldon put to the plans of the Fremont Canal and tions, like the making of denstured alcohol, Power company, the work to cost \$3,950,000. for instance, at the coming corp convention to be held in Omaha next December. in favor of the project, but stated that it would require some action on the part of congress in the way of an appropriation to make such a display. The secretary stated he knew the men and he knew the subject to be demonstrated and only asked for sufficient money to show the people what could quietly remarkes to the secretary that he would endeavor to get the Nebraska dele gation in congress interested in the proj-

of the Live Stock exchange, to President Roosevelt, the latter, after a discussion of ENJOINS NEW FREIGHT RATES the live stock problems and range country, suggested that they call upon Secretary Garfield with a view to obtaining his post tion on the several leasing bills now pending before committees of the senate and house. They saw Secretary Garfield and and at the same time protect the home-

> steaders. "We want the land opened up for use," said Governor Sheldon, "and a lease law, generous in its provisions, I believe, is greatly favored by our people

Wyoming, however, seems to be the stumbling block in the passage of such a law, Congressman Mendell, chairman of the public lands committee of the house, being openly antagonistic to such a meas-

What is Wanted of Railroads. T. B. McPherson, president of both the (Continued on Second Page.)

JOHNSON IS WILLING SUMMARY OF THE BEE MEN ASK ABOUT NEW LAW

Would Expect All Other Party

ST. PAUL, March 27 .- At the suggestion of Mr. Ed A. Stevens, secretary of the democratic state committee, a letter was written to Governor Johnson by Mr. Swan American Post of Minneapolis, on March 23 asking him to state his position in re-

Johnson's reply. It fellows:

not believe that any American citizen should be an active, open candidate for the nomination to the presidency. Any American would appreciate the high honor which could come to him in being selected as standard bearer of his party. While I recognize that the press has much to say about me in connection with this high office, I have hitherto avoided any public tion. Matters have progressed so far, however, that it seems to me that I should tion that if the democratic party of the nation believes me to be more available than any other man, and feels that by my to the party and so the nation I should be happy to be the recipient of the honor which it would thus confer. I am not unmindful, either, of the honor which has, been paid me by the people of Minnesota, and if the democratic party of the state desires to present my name to the next na-

I have done nothing and will do nothing

WILL SAID TO BE A FORGERY

SCRANTON: Pa., March 27.-Startling developments came in the Schooley-Crawford will contest today, when Albert W. Bah-Reidel of Landisville, N. J., pleaded guilty to perjury. They declared the Schooley George B. Schooley of Philadelphia sought to inherit the \$1,000,000 estate of his cousin coal operator here, was a forgery. The men came here and made a full confession

TWAIN WRITES TWO EPIGRAMS

NEW YORK, March 27.-The new Mark wain epigrame have arrived in New York. were brought here on the steamer rmudian from Bermuda, where the orist is visiting. At a dance recently in Hamilton he was the pet partner of all the little girls. One

Considering the proportion of things, it ers were obliged to go to the residence of more details. I think the man and his transferred to the retired list in according to the county treasurer to have their pay warald bird of paradise.

today by hanging in his quarters in the He had tied a towel about his neck, at-

Saturday, March 28, 1908.