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FEW MORE NEW LAWS SUMMARY OF THE BEE VIOLENCE IN CHESTERSTRIKE Friday, April 17, 1907. Two Men Shot While Attempting to Leaders of Gongress Balk at Presi-**Operate** Cars. 1908 APRIL 1908 dent's Legislative Program. STA MON THE WED THE FRE SAT COMPANY CENSURED FOR ACTION MANY MEASURES TURNED DOWN --- -- + 1 2 3 562891011 City Anthorities Condemn Effort to Injunction and Traffic Pool Bills Resume Traffic Without Permis-12 13 14 15 16 17 18 sion-Men Not Seriously Among Those Doomed. 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 Injured. CURRENCY BILL TO PASS 26 27 28 29 30 -= -= CHESTER, Pa., April 16 .- The most serigus disturbance which has marked the THE WEATHER. strike of the motormen and conductors of Child Labor Bill and Preliminary the Chester Traction company occurred early today, during which two employes of

Tariff Bill Also to Pass.

BRYAN TALKS OF THE SITUATION Nehrankan Thinks Excentive Right

in Some Instances and Wrong in Others-He Also Says of Congre

WASHINGTON congress have n serveral laws why enacted at this act through A recapiture the session ends cors have failed to pass ma 3 portant measures reco. 2.8 president. They are as Restricting the power of the

in the issuance of injunction dia WH 80 88 to establish a system of federal licenses interstate corporations; to enable the railroads to form traffic associations so as to secure greater stability of rates and returns; to remove some of the restrictions from combinations of labors to prohibit the railroads from blacklisting union employes: empowering the Interstate Comcommission to control future issues of stocks and bonds of railroad property; to permit the attorney general to name one of the receivers appointed for insolvent sailroads; to remove the duty on wood pulp; to provide for the construction of four batticships instead of two; to establish postal savings hanks.

These are the measures which the leaders have agreed to put through, if possible: Making more elastic currency; granting

compensation to government employes injured while in the government service; prehibiting child labor in the District of Columbia; authorizing the ways and means committee of the house and the finance committee of the senate to give hearings preliminary to a revision of the tariff; appropriating a sum sufficient to enable the Inland Waterways commission to continue the work on which it started last S'ént.

HOU'SE PASSES THE NAVAL BILL

Provision Limiting Submarine Boats in Holland Type Stricken Out. WASHINGTON, April 16 .- The long exist-

ing controversy as to whether the United States navy should have submarine torpedo hoats of the Holland type, as recommended by the committee on naval affairs, textile mills and factories here, say wool was actiled in the house of representatives Hol'and type was stricken out. The effect

FOR OMAHA, COUNCH, BLUFFS AND ACINITY-Fair Friday, rising temperature. FOR NEBRASKA-Partly cloudy Friday. FOR IOWA-Partly cloudy Friday, rising inperature. Temperature at Omaha yesterday: Deg

DOMESTIC. tter Day Saints vote down proposa,

16276 State police are ordered to Chester to in charge, was struck by a bullet and he uell the strike. Two men are shot. Page 1

Leaders of congress serve notice upon the president what measures they will pass and what they will not pass - Page 1 Minnesota republicans endorse Secretary Page 1 Taft for the presidency.

Report Secretary Taft will resign from he cabinet July 1 regardless of the progress of his political aspirations at that time and that Assistant Secretary of War Bacon will be his successor. Page 1 Bryan is much surprised at the Mr. action of the Michigan state committee in failing to endorse him. He will not lincuss the New York situation. Fage 1 revolver shots were fired and one builet Ferdinand Schumacher, the "oatmeal

king," is deadjat his home in Akron, O. Sunday trials have hard sledding in the Kansas City court. fles on stand why he took journey to Cuba Gold shipments are headed toward "E

Members of American Bankers' Asso- tion company for attempting to resume clation commission call upon President service without his permission. The mayor Roosevelt while in Washington, ing the Aldrich bill.

FORBIGN.

New sect called Dreamers found to violate the laws of the land in Manitoba

Members of the new English take their seals of office. LOCAL.

Live stock markets.

TORK

Arrived

.Renia D' Italia.

Into Alberta Canyon-

CALGARY, Alberta, April 16,-One of the

worst snowslides in the history of the

Minister to Victim and Cap-

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 16,-During serv-

ices at the Hope church, between Hayes

Into United States, Bound

for Copenhagen.

NEW YORK, April 16.-While outbound

for Havana today the steamer Monterey

collided with the Scandinavian line steame

templation by the White

Star Line.

ture Slayer.

carrying them down the mountainside.

bodies were recovered.

Few Recovered.

Sailed

Lusitania Teutonic. Noordam

Request for Militia Made. Establishment in Omaha of big wool President Rigg of the Chester Traction market will lead to establishment of company requested Mayor Johnson to ask that a detail of 100 state policemen be sent men, providing power is cheap enough, inday when after a lengthy and lively de- and President F. A. Nash of the electric here., Mayor Johnson refused because he nate the arotice finiting the scretary of light and power comtany says power is said he feared the presence of the state the many to purchase only boats of the as cheap here as anywhere. I Page 1 police might cause another outbreak. Etoping pair from Lincoln are bagged Thereupon Mr. Rigg telephoned to Governor y Omaha detectives on advice from siri's Stuart at Harri and requested that a fire hand in the selection of submarine father and taken back to the paternal regiment of the state national guard be or-Fage 5 dered out. The result of the telephone talk Severia Colombo is sentenced to life im- is not known. President Rigg said today later that no prisonment for murder of Joseph Fiorenza In East Omnha last January. Page 7 further attempt will be made to operate Installation of Barclay automatic printthe cars until protection is obtained. ers by Western Union Telegraph company Governor Stuart this afternoon ordered three companies of state police to proceed on many of its trunk lines will tend to relieve the situation caused by lack of to this city to maintain the peace. sufficient operators.

GRAND JURY FINISHES WORK MILLS FOLLOW WOOL MARKET NO LIMIT PLACED ON WEALTH NORTH STAR FOR TAFT Several Additional Indictments Returned Agniant Men in South Dakota. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., April 16.-(Special.) The United States grand fury, which cor ened in Sloux Falls Tuesday of last week. NO POWER TROUBLE, SAYS NASH has made its final report to Judge Carland, after which it was discharged for the term. In making its final report the grand jury returned indictments in the cases of the

following persons: Enoch Monteau, larceny of horses and colts from Julia Richards on the Pine Ridge reservation; Clarence Colvin, William Ad-

ams, William George and Robert George, theft of stock from Rosebud reservation; Joseph Hoff, introducing liquor into the Cheyenne River Indian reservation; White the company were shot, but not seriously injured. The company attempted to operate reservation a car and William Borgmann, who acted as motorman, was shot in the foot during

an attack on the trolley by a large crowd of strike sympathizers. Earlier in the day Holmes and Emma Fields, alias Mrs. W. S. cost." Fields. The latter was charged with having William Griesemer, a claim agent of the company, was shot in the leg while leading taken from the postoffice at Lilly, Day wool growers association, it looks like fac- stewardships being such as to develop to a squad of forty men who had been imported to take the places of the strikers Disorder was spasmodic during the night. accused was charged with having embez-

but the serious outbreak began with the sled the same. attack on the imported men shortly before Clarence Colvin, William Adams, William a. m. An attempt to lead the men from George and Robert George, against whom the hotel at which they were quartered to indictments were returned, are alleged to the car barn by way of back streets was have been members of the old "Jack" Sully discovered by the strikers and their sympagang of horse and cattle "rustlers," and thizers and in a hand-to-hand fight the during the last year or two have caused first property to be owned by mem- imported workers were routed and driven the authorities of the Missouri river section factory which will successfully compete Page 1 to shelter in the barn. Griesemer, who was of South Dakots considerable trouble. Clara J. Knittel, a Russian-American girl

was helped into the barn. 16 years of age, whose home is in Hutch-Strikers Swarm About Car. The company at once decided to start Carland and entered a plea of guilty to an out a car and at 5 o'clock it ran from the indictment charging her with having raised sioner J. M. Guild, who, with a special combarn with Borgmann as motorman and a money order, which had been purchased another imported man as conductor. The by her father at the Freeman postoffice, car had not gone far when it was attacked. from \$1 to \$5. Judge Carland imposed a Men swarmed aboard from all sides. The fine of \$55, and this the girl paid and the trolley pole was pulled from the wire, the case against her was dismissed. controller was taken from Borgmann and

SUNDAY CASE JURY DISMISSED Judge Porterfield Immediately Begins

Trial of Another Defendant on Same Charge.

case to be tried here, stood ten for acquiting out ten hours they reported inability rates to Omaha are made all wool will be to agree and were discharged late last night. This result in the first of the 2,000 cases

growing out of the indictments brought on east. following Jurige William H. Wallace's campaign for law enforcement, will doubtless have an important bearing on those yet

the refusal of the employes to accept a to be tried. In Judge Porterfield's court, to which a dozen cases had been transferred by Judge Wallace, eight other indicted theatrical men will be tried immediately. Three had previously been dismissed for lack of evidence.

The case of Martin Lehman, manager of the Orpheum theater, charged with permitting his theater to run on Sunday was nating lines, but the lines which originate South begun when court opened today. A jury grain and wool may also secure the haul was immediately secured and the taking of cast, as in the case of the Northwestern evidence was begun.

But two witnesses were examined when the Burlington secures every year more the defense moved that the case be dis- grain for transportation to the east than missed for lack of evidence. Judge Por- it originates in the territory west of the known as "dreamers" for burning John the terfield so ordered and the case ended Missouri river. abruptly. The witnesses had testified that

Factories Will Come to Omaha, Now that Railroads Act.

That Will Not Stand in the Way, He Asserts, of Any Enterprise Coming .Into This City.

Wool men say textile mills and factories will follow the wool market to Omaha if joint indictment containing two counts, they can secure power as cheap in Omaha as they secure it in the manufacturing towns and cifles of New England. F. A. Nash, of the Omaha Electric Light Eagle, introducing liquor into the Rosebud and Power company, says; "No factory has ever been kept out of Omaha because of department; that such resolutions are not "No bills" were returned in the cases of the cost of power, and no factory need in harmony with the law of Christ or the Joe Valandry. Thomas Gordon, R. E. hesitate to locate here because of power books of the church. The bishoprie's report

stated that the law of the church provides . To the Commercial club of Omaha and for the apportionment of stewardships, such county, a letter sent from Chicago and di- tories will open here, and make the goods the fullest extent possible the talents of rected to Mrs. M. E. Fisk of Lilly. The near the fields supplying the raw material, each individual to produce for the good of letter contained a check for \$6.30 and the and in the very center of the territory society. where their products are consumed.

In the face of the water power situation and the probability that a power plant will be built on the Loup rive er by private enterprise, it is apparent to the Commercial club that Omaha will not only have cheaper power than at present, but more of it. Mr. Nash's statement, however, is taken with any rates made in the east,

Besides the probability that factories will be opened in Omaha, the location of ofinson county, was avraigned before Judge fices of a large number of wool commission firms is assured, according to Commismittee of the club, secured the adjustment of rates which has made the wool wareuse possible

Rutes Highly Satisfactory.

satisfactory to the wool growers as well quorum of elders, and Earl D. Balley of as to the Commercial club," said a member of the committee.

dent of the first quorum of elders. The or-"But as the years go on there will be a dinations were performed amidst greatest demand for local rates on wool to Omaha, solemnity, and the saints seemed to attach with proportional rates out of Omaha to a great deal of sacredness to this matter. the east. This will make a much more KANSAS CITY. Mo., April 16 .- Notwith- active market, as such rates have for the was taken up and the dullest of routine standing Judge Porterfield in his instruc- grain dealers, but the time is not ripe to work was gone through with, adopting it tions had said plainly the Sunday law had expect such rates at present. The rail- paragraph by paragraph, with such amendheen violated, the jury in the first theatrical roads which bring the wool into Omaha ments as were proposed. The document will take out an equal amount under the was not finished, but will be taken up total and two for conviction. After remain- present arrangement, but when the local morrow.

Preaching in the auditorium tonight was consigned to Omaha, sold to whoever pays by Elder William Davis of Michigan. At the price on the competitive market and the same hour a meeting was held in the used in factories in Omaha or forwarded basement of the church, which was attended by the active missionaries of the

"The 'pirate' lines would have an oppor- | church, and the subject of advertising their tunity to secure the wool traffic to the work was discussed. It was in the nature east if the local rates were made. These of an experience meeting.

lines which are called 'pirates' are the It is expected by many of the delegates roads which do not originate wool or grain, that tomorrow's session will close the conbut which come to the Missouri river and ference, though some of the officials are compete for the traffic to the east. The inclined to think it will take until Saturday 'pirates' at Omaha are the Great Western. to close conference business. Milwaukee & St. Paul, Illinois Central and

Wabash. They secure a large amount of DREAMERS VIOLATE THE LAW the grain brought to Omaha by the origi-

and Burlington especially. I understand the trial of the ni

Two Votes From Minnesota. ial Telegram. - At the afternoon busines easion of the Conference of the Reorgan and Latter Day Saints today a number of INSTRUCTIONS ARE reports in the nature of routine busines were listened to. Among others was a re-Delegates Are to Support Him Until port from the general bishoptic, to whom He is Selected by Convention. had been referred the resolutions on tem poral equality, attempting to fix a standand of wealth, said standard of wealth to TARIFF REVISION IS FAVORED be the same as is virtually maintained by the missionaries, who have for their family an allowance of \$17 per month for a wife New Schedules Frepared by Repuband \$6 for each child. The biabopric re lican Congress Are Wanted. ported adversely to the adoption of these resolutions, claiming that they would prove a barrier and not a help to the financial

Committee Reports Adversely on

Property Limitation of

Members.

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., April 16 .- (Spe-

quorum of twelve: Bltrch Whiting of Be-

midil, Minn.; L. G. Holloway of Lamoni;

Johnson Hay of Oklahoma, J. E. Wilder-

muth of Wisconsin, J. T. Hackett of Wis-

consin, John C. Farnfield of Ohio, James

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT ENDORSED

Secretary of War Will Get Twenty-

SPECIFIC

Efforts to Establish Sound Financial System and Regulate Corporations Are Especially Commended.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 18-The Minnesoth Following the reading of this report a republican state convention today elected number of young men were ordained to four delegates at large to the national convarious offices in the church. The followvention at Chloago and instructed them to ng were ordained to high priests, the orvote for the nomination of Secretary of War dination being performed by members of Tast until he is "selected by the conventhe quorum of twelve spostles: Harry E. tion." French of Columbus, O.; Sidney Pitt, sr.,

The action of the convention today inof Mondamin, Ia.; J. A. Becker of Deloit, sures that twenty-two votes of Minnesota O ; Myron E. Fisher of Boston, Mass.; in the national convention will be cast for John D. Suttill of Providence, R. I. The the secretary of war, as all the eighteen following were ordained to the quorum of district delegates are under Taft instrucseventy by the same members of the tions,

in addition to naming delegates-at-large, the convention today named four alternatesat-large, nominated eleven presidential electors, adopted a platform endorsing the administration of President Roosevelt, E. Kelley of Lamoni, Ia., and Reese Jen-"esecially his efforts for the establishment kins of Ohio. F. G. Hedrick of Kansas of a sound financial system, the enforce-The storage-in-transit rates are highly was ordained to be president of the first ment of the laws and proper regulation of corporations," and declared for a revision Tulsa, Okl., as first counselor to the presi- of the tariff by a republicancongress.

The convention also instructed the Minnesota delegation to offer to the national convention the historic table that was used by the chairmen of the national conventions The matter of procedure in church courts in 1802, 1896, 1990 and 1904. This table was made in 1892 by students in the Minneapolis High school.

The delegates-at-large are:

Frank B. Kellogg of St. Paul, Walter W Heffelfinger of Minneapolia, State Senator Frank E. Putnam of Blue Earth and E. H. Hawkins of Biwabik

Dr. A. B. Cole, chairman of the state central committee, called the convention to order and on behalf of the committee requested Samuel P. Snider to act as temporary chairman.

State for Tariff Revision.

Temporary Chairman Samuel P. Snider said:

In the campaign in which we are about In the campaign in which we are about to enter this tariff principle is to be assalied upon the one hand and defended and maintained upon the other. In a recent speech by the present democratic governor of this state, now an active demo-cratic candidate for the presidency, he openly declared that our tariff system is as iniquitous as was the farming out of taxes in France prior to the French revolu-tion.

tion. While maintaining the tariff principle in its integrity, the republican party of Min-nexota is firmly committed to the propasi-tion that a revision of the present schedules shall now be made. Another issue, the importance of which is recognized by both political parties, is

control of

traffic

offles

had all are

MEDICINE HAT, Manitoba, April 16 .- At

Page 1 on the track and Borgmann and the con-The police roped off the streets adjacent the building. Mayor Johnson came to the

the crowd began to beat him and the con-

ductor. Bricks, pieces of lead pipe and

other missiles were thrown and every win-

dow in the car was broken. A number of

Fage 1. tee of the city council to consider the situa-The strike began on Monday, owing to reduction in wages. The company also

struck Borgmann in the foot. A strong detachment of police rushed up and after Page 1 considerable effort succeeded in driving the crowd back. The car was left standing

to the car barn.

Head of Submarine Boat company testi- ductor were hurried into the barn. Page 1 to the barn and are now on guard about Page 1 scene and strongly condemned the trac-

oppos- then called a meeting of the police commit-

Page 1 operates lines between Philadelphia and cabinet Chester and Chester and Wilmington, Dela. Page 1 Traffic on these roads is also suspended.

tionan.

The members hazgled over almost every line of the three pages of the bill remaining to be disposed of when the house met, but the principal action was that with regold to the submarines.

A humorous speech by Mr. Williams, in which he had several friendly clashes with Mr. Hobsen (Als.) over warships and baltoons, commanded the attention of the house for some time.

Grain markets. Mr. Tawney vehemently opposed adoption Stocks and bonds. without careful investigation of an amend-MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS. ment by Mr. Padgett (Tenn.) appropriating \$5,563,500 for repairs to eighteen vessels. among which are the following: The San NEW YORK NEW YORK LIVERFOOL SOUTHAMPTON. CHERBOURG GENOA Francisco, \$699,250; Baltimore, \$653,300; Alabama, \$667,500; filineis, \$067,500; Iowa, \$557,500; Kearsarge, \$673,500; Kentucky, 673,500; Bennington, \$136,750. The money is to be paid BREMEN out of the appropriation of \$8,000,000 for QUEENSTOWN ... Saxo construction and repair of vessels. The amendment was adopted without division.

Following a speech by Mr. Bartlett (Ga.) condemning the president's special message asking for four battleships and making a plea for a policy of peace, consideration of the bill was concluded and it was passed under a suspension of the rules, the idea being to forestall the democrats in the matter of unnecessary roll calls. The vote resuited: Yeas, 264; nays, 12.

To the surprise of everyons Mr. Williams did not insist on a roll call on a motion to take a recess and accordingly at 5:52 p. m. the house receased until 11:39 tomorrow, when the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill will be taken up.

BRYAN GIVES VIEW OF DECISION

Thinks Congress Should Have Relieved Laboring Men.

JACKBON, Mich., April 18 .- William J. Bryan, after reading the dispatch from Washington relative to the probable action by congress on a number of measures which the president has particularly urged.

I think the president and congress are right on some of these questions and wrong on others. For instance. I think that con-gress was wrong in not relieving the labor-ing men from the operation of some laboron others. For instance, I think that con-sress was wrong in not relieving the labor-ing men from the operation of government by injunction and the anti-trust law. I think the president was wrong in tying the abor proposition to the proposition in re-sard to the trusts. His plan relating to the trusts was, I think in favor of the trusts rather than against them. The two propositions ought to be considered sep-arately and each upon its own merits. I think congress is wrong in opposing the measure to prevent the watering of stock and that the president is right in endeavor-ing to prevent child labor in the Dutrict of Columbia. I am glad that congress and the president agreed about the improve-tient of the inland waterways and the quantity of compensation to employee in-jured in public service. This does not cover the whole ground, but it is what I mean when I say congress and the president are right in some things and wrong in others. murderer.

GREAT NORTHWEST CATHEDRAL

Cantract Let for Million-Dollar Edifine in Helena for Church and School.

HELENA, Mont., April 16 .- The , Right Her. John P. Carroll, bishop of Helena, today announced that the contracts for the onstruction of the new \$1,000,009 cathedral and the Catholic High school have been

awarded. Work will begin on the high LIVERPOOL, April 16.-The new 1,000-foot chool building today and its completion steamship, the construction of which is to will be in time for the fall term. The conbe commenced later in the year, for the struction of the cathedral will commence White Star line, will be named the Olympic. May 15, and will be finished in two years. It is possible that two leviathans of this the latter to be known as the Cathedral of size will be built and their speed probably the Sacred Heart, and will be the most will be twenty knots an hour. The vessels valid. The three officers receive pensions

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Page E COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL. RUSSIANS INVADING PERSIA Page 9

Page 9 **Troops Cross Frontier to Punish Kurds** Page 9 Who Attacked Town of

Beleusvar.

TIFLES, Transcaucasia, April 16.-Rus sian troops have invaded Persian territory Majestic. K. Wilhelm II. Kurdish raiders. This step was taken in FORTY JAPS PERISH IN SLIDE when a detachment of Russian troops from Two Cars Filled With Laborers Swept

garrison in large numbers. Orders were issued for the garrison, which Canadian Pacific railroad occurred this is supported by artillery, to enter Persian

week near Alberta canyon, in the Cascade mountains, sweeping away two boarding sians in force then crossed the frontier cars filled with Japanese laborers and The number that perished is not known about 4,000.

as all telegraph wires were carried down with the alide, but it is believed that at at Tifice, the Russians are still continuing that he had read the newspaper reports of least forty Japanese were in it. Only five their advance.

MURDER IN FRONT OF CHURCH protection. Cossacks have been sent into personalities. the districts to preserve order. The whole

Members of Congregation Hear Cries. of the frontier is in a state of alarm. COLOMBIA ON VERGE OF WAR

> Official Trusts Have Ruined Business and People Are Much Dis-

contented in Republic. and Willock stations, near here, last night, PANAMA, April 16 .- Asvices received here a Hungarian miner shot and killed a comoday from Bogota, the capital of Colombia panion in front of the edifice. The dying are that President Reyes has left the city man's cries attracted the congregation for the Atlantic coast ostensibly to enwhich rushed from the church sreatly deavor to remody the, present economic alarmed. The horrified church-goers mincrisis in that region. There was great dis istered to the wictim and captured the satisfaction in Colombia against what has seen termed there the "official trusts"

which have ruined private enterprises, and STEAMERS IN A COLLISION a revolution was imminent. Monterey, Bound for Havana, Crashes PREMIER'S BROTHER JAILED

Alexander Stolypin Sentenced for Week and to Pay Pine of

Fifty Dollars. ST. PETERSBURG, April 16.-Alexander

inited States, outward bound for Copen Stolypin, the well-known publicist and agen Both steamers were damaged, the brother of the Russian premier, has been United States is aground on the west edge sentenced to one week's imprisonment and of the main channel about two miles south to pay a fine of \$50 for libelling Paul Buof Westbank light. The Monterey with latzel, the noted reactionary leader. The railings smashed and a dent in its bow, is libel was contained in an article published being towed back to port by three tugs. in the Novoe Vremya replying to attacks made up the premier in the reactionary HUGE STEAMERS IN PROSPECT

organ, Znamya.

Two-Thousand-Foot Vessels in Con-THREE GENERALS LEAVE ARMY

Russian Officers Who Were Implicated In Recent Duel in Private Life.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 16.-The resons" of Generals Fock. Smirnoff and Reiss is gazetted today in the Russky inform

they saw Lehman at the theater on the managing the house. After the discharge of Lehman, a third

case was called, that of a ticket seller, charged with selling tickets on Sunday.

BRYAN SURPRISED AT ACTION cast." Refusal of Michigan Committee to Endorse Him Causes Him Some

Concern.

LANSING, Mich., April 16 .- William Jenin the vicinity of Lenkoran, a port on the nings Bryan, who spoke here last night, Caspian ses, for the purpose of punishing and was the central figure of a great democratic celebration did not learn until 2 consequence of the renewal of the attack o'clock this morning that the democratic upon the Russian garrison at Beleusvar, a state central committee had yesterday af. frontier post. The trouble began April 12, ternon refused to endorse his candidacy for the presidential nomination. When Belousvar met a band of Kurdish brigands told of the comittee's refusal he was visibly and lost several men in the subsequent surprised and declared that it would have fighting. The brigands also suffered. They been well within the province of the committee to have taken such action. prepared to attack Beleusvar in force in In revenge for their treatment by the Rus- this connection he pointed but that the

sian soldiers, and they descended on the Minnesota state central committee had endorsed Governor Johnson JACKSON, Mich., April 16 .- W. J. Bryan territory and punish the Kurds. The Rus- large crowd when he arrived here today. When approached for an expression in

and destroyed several villages. They also regard to the action of the New York dem-scattered the Kurds, who numbered in all ocratic state convention he refused abso-guite satisfactorily. General Manager scratic state convention he refused absoquite lutely to discuss the matter of make any Goodale of the Boston & Montana com-According to the latest reports received statement in regard to it. He admitted pany is authority for the statement that the the convention carefully, but stood fast on no injury. The people of Beleusvar have telegraphed his determination not to discuss the same,

OATMEAL KING PASSES AWAY Man Who Started Breakfast Food

Business in America Dies at Akron, O.

AKRON, O., April 16-Ferdinand Schumacher, known as the "oatmeal king of America." from having founded the breakfast food business in this country, died unexpectedly at his home here last night. He was & years old March 30 last. He retired from business some years ago afte having disposed of his large interests. He came to America from Hanover, Germany in 1850, and settled on a farm near Cleveland, but later embarked in the grocery trade, and in 1856 began the manufacture

of catmeal in this city on a small scale The business grew until several large mills were erected and later were destroyed by fire

Schumacher was also prominent as being an original prohibitionist. He gave large sums for educational and charitable purposes

BACON MAY SUCCEED TAFT

Friends of Assistant Secretary State Receive Information of Change July First.

BOSTON, Mass., April 16.-The intimate ersonal friends of Assistant Secretary of State Bacon, formerly of Boston, have received information which leads them to be lieve that Mr. Bacon will become secretary of war about July 1 next, succeeding Sec

tirement from the army for "private rea- retary Taft, who is understood to be desirous of retiring from the cabinet at that time. The determination of Secretary Taft outcome of the national convention.

Roads for the Wool.

"The Union Pacific will be the wool ling Sunday in question, but were unable to for Omaina, as far as we can see now. state positively whether or not he was But the Burlington from the Black Hills and the Northwestern from the hills country and Montana, will bring in an immense amount of wool. Of course, the Union Pacific ends at Omaha, but its connecting lines will secure the wool shipments to the

> That the Commercial club is doing effective work for a greater Omaha is shown in the fact that this year it has encouraged and fostered not only the wool warehouse proposition, but the railroad shops at Seymour park, or Raiston; the cracker factory and a large cracker and confectionery sales agency. For all of these enterprises the Commercial club has been enabled to do something either in the matter of rates or location.

LITTLE DAMAGE TO SMELTER

Montana Floods Have Caused Serious **Trouble Near Great Falls** Work of Repair.

GREAT FALLS, Mont., April 16 .- The flood waters from Lake Hauser dam have was given an enthusiastic welcome by a reached and are passing here without inflicting any great damage, the dynamitedeepened channel of the river, having satisfactorily. General Manager large smelting plant will suffer absolutely

to be a democrat you have got to be a loyal The situation at Craig is one of great democrat. If you can't be a loyal demoto St. Petershurg appealing for immediate saying he did not care to indulge in any seriousness. The flood has resulted in the crat out you go."

part us."

tinuo.

trial.

"Is there any break between you and practical destruction of the town and its 100 or more inhabitants have formed a Charles F. Murphy?" "No, no break. A cannon ball couldn't temporary refuge on one of the hillsides.

With the exception of the school house, practically every business house has been destroyed. It is impossible to estimate the loss of ranchmen, many of whose herds, buildings and haystacks were washed away. Already the work of repairing the dam has begun. General, Manager Gerry estimates

that the structure can be repaired in six months at a cost of \$200,000.

POSTAL BANK BILL FAVORED Measure Drafted by Senator Carter Reported from Committee

WASHINGTON, April 16 .- The senate ommittee on postoffices and post roads today voted to report favorably the postal savings bank bill drafted by a subcommit tee of which Senator Carter was chairman An amendment was adopted changing the name of the proposed institutions to postal

alsed against the bill by bankers.

WASHINGTON, April 16 .- The house today struck out of the naval bill the provision for eight submarine torpedo boats. The submarine provision later was that defendants secured from \$75,000 to \$160

members of regulation Lehr's home, south of here the testimony revealed that members of the order had to obey the instructions of the leader, who has inspired republican sentim the breadth of the land and the confidence and respect of ordered his followers to destroy Lehr's home and slay his family at midnight bethe confidence and respect of all parties. It is no longer a matter of prophecy to declare that his successor will be his grand cause Lehr refused to join the congregation and was heretic. Michael Prost's testimony was the most sensational. He said coadiutor, our present secretary of William H. Taft. he had been a dreamer, but severed his Attitude of Delegates, connection with the organization when the The first demonstration of enthusiasm

Dakota Man Head of New

that Interprets

Visions.

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members began talking of burning and killduring the speech of Mr. Suider took place ing. He stated that Jacob Merkles and when he declared that the republican party Bavid Haufman of Java, S. D., were the was committed to the doctrine that a reheads of the order. Merkles was the "Sun" vision of the tariff should now be made. and Haufman the "Moon." At the Satur- Again the delegates applauded when he said day meetings dreams were told by members that the republican party was united in and interpreted by young Merkles. The the spirit of the pollcy that public service dreamer had to carry out the purpose of corporations should be controlled, and also his dream as instructed. to the policy that such corporations should

not be wronged. M'CARREN GOT TOO "FLOSSY" The delegates also showed their approval of his declaration for the supremacy of

nors of the state democratic committee ap-

night, declared that action in the case of

enator McCarren was entirely justified.

This is wrong and the democrats of Brook-

lyn wanted him removed. I want to have

these fellows understand that if you want

RAILROAD TRAFFIC IMPROVES

Volume of Business Offered Through

Steady Increase.

NEW YORK, April 16 .- A. J. Davidson

president of the St. Louis & San Fran-

elsco Railroad company, who is in the city

and improvement, he thought, would con-

GRAIN OPERATORS CONVICTED

Minnenpolis Men Found Guilty of Se-

curing Large Sums Through

MINNEAPOLIS, April 16-Herbert P.

The federal authorities are of the opinion

Their Operations.

Southwest Reported

Chairman Conners Says Democrats the nation over the states. Have Been Giving State Sen-John A. Dalzell of Morton was elected ator Spanking.

temporary secretary and then the delegates voted to dispense with the committees on NEW YORK, April 16 .- Chairman Concredentials and rules, as there were no contest for senis. State Senator Ripley peared at the headquarters in the Hotel Brower of St. Cloud was unanimously Victoria this afternoon and when questioned chosen permanent chairman and Mr. Dalabout the action of the convention last gell was made permanent secretary.

On being introduced to the convention Senator Brower said:

"Pat McCarren is not as dangerous outside of the organization as he is inside," said he. "He has traded time and time again with the republicans and has sold out democrats.

man and that william H. Teft tary of war. William H. Teft There is one concrete proposition that the people of this state stand for. Minnesota asks at the hands of a republican congress a reasonable revision of the tariff. If we cannot get it at the hands of the friends of the tariff I fear for what we can expect from its enemies.

The committee on resolutions, with M. D. Munn of St. Paul as chairman, was then appointed and withdrew to draft the platform.

While the convention was waiting for the platform addresses were made by the men. who had been elected delegates-at-large. Congressman J. Adam Bede made a brief

speech Text of the Platform.

The platform was then read and adopted y a rising vote. It says:

We heartily commend the splendid admin-istration of President Roosevelt and espe-cially his efforts for the establishment of a sound financial system, the enforcement of the laws and proper regulation of corpor-ations; for free competition in buniness, for the protestion of property right, for the stability of government and the main-tenance of the highest standard of business integrity and evic duty.

We carneatly recommend the improve-ment of the Mississippi river and the ex-tension and development of the canals, to the end that these great natural highways may be adequate for the commerce of the nation

We reaffirm the principles of protection American labor and industries, but we dieve the time has come when there hould be a revision of the tariff schedules

should be a revision of the tariff schedules by a republican congress. Hon William H. Taft is the choice of a large majority of the republicans of Min-nesota and of the United States for the re-publican nomination for president; he is a man of great learning and ability, wide ex-perience as a statesman and best qualified to carry on the work inaugurated by Pres-ident Roosevelt. We therefore instruct our delegates in the national convention to use all honorable means to accure his nomina-tion for president of the United States and to vote for him as such nominges until se-lected by the convention.

Robinson, J. L. Layne and F. E. Holliday were found guilty yesterday on an indictment charging conspiracy. The defendants The convention then adjourned

operated what purported to be a grain COLORED MEN NOT AGAINST TAFT brokekage business in an office in the Guaranty Loan building, in the year 1905.

Work of Agitators and Political Encmics Proves Failure.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, April 16 -(Special.)-In the canvass which is now in progress for the selection of delegates to the republican

of the bill, the objects of which are to furnish convenient? depositories for the small savings of people remote from ade quate banking facilities. SUBMARINES STRICKEN OUT Provision for Eight Boats of This Class Taken from Naval B411.

to retire is said to be quite definite and is restored in the naval bill, but without au- 000 through their exploits. John Hogan magnificent church edifice, it is claimed, are destined for the Southampton-Now York and are entitled to wear the army uni- understood not to be dependent upon the thority to the secretary of the navy to forfeited his ball and did not appear for select only the Holland type.

after a trip through the southwest, said in an interview that he had never seen the country through which he traveled in the Senate. looking better.' He found the farmers optimistic and preparing in many cases to plant a larger acreage than a year ago. He reported the condition of winter wheat excellent in thes ections he visited. There had unquestionably been an improvement in the volume of traffic offered to the railroads in the last sixty days

depositories, which meets the objections amendment does not alter the purposed