

EIGHT CENTERS ON GOVERNOR

Iowa Republican Factions Line Up on Clear Issue.

GARST ENDORSES SENATORS

Campaign of Carroll, Who is Non-committal, is in Hands of Men Opposed to Course of Cummins and Dooliver.

DES MOINES, April 24.—(Special.)—It is now certain that the Iowa campaign will center upon the fight for Governor.

Two years ago the only thing considered was the senatorial nomination as between Allison and Cummins and all organization was with a view to this question. Now the attitude of the senators on the railroad rate bill, the postal savings bank bill and similar measures should be approved or condemned.

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30,000 capital. Governor S. B. Vandant of Minnesota, now head of the Grand Army of the Republic, is one of the incorporators.

Went Union Depot. Linberg, a station on the southwestern division of the Milwaukee road, has asked the State Railroad commission for an order to compel the Milwaukee and Burlington railroads to erect and maintain a union depot.

Fire Does Great Damage in a Louisiana Town

Five Thousand People Homeless in Lake Charles and Losses Reach \$4,000,000.

LAKE CHARLES, La., April 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Five thousand persons are homeless, several are missing, scores injured and property damage to the extent of \$4,000,000 has resulted here from a fire, which, starting in an old opera house, near the center of the town, wiped out the city business blocks and then burned a path through the residence portion of the city late today.

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FIRE DAMAGES ELKS' HOME

Flames and Water Cause Loss of Several Thousands.

HIGH WIND CAUSES WORRY

Gale Fans Blaze and Apprehension is Intense—Crossed Wires Start Trouble—Insurance Will Cover Loss.

The crossing of high and low voltage electric wires caused by the heavy wind, which in the time of blowing a veritable gale, was responsible for a fire in the handsome club house of Council Bluffs lodge of Elks on First avenue, adjoining the Grand hotel, Saturday afternoon.

The crossing of the electric wires permitted the high voltage to enter the building over the low voltage wire, with the result that the strong current burned a hole in a gas pipe in the small room or closet back of the organ loft containing the lodge paraphernalia.

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"Mikes" Suits Hangs Fire

Motion for Continuance Under Adversity by Judge Wheeler—Pumpkin Seed Suit.

Motions for continuance of four civil suits brought by Mahray "mikes" against local parties to recover the amounts of which they claimed to have been bounced by the "big store" swindling syndicate were argued and submitted to Judge Wheeler in the district court yesterday afternoon.

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HETTY GREEN SHIFTS BURDEN

Mrs. Sylvia Wilkes to Try Money Making Game for Time.

WORLD'S RICHEST WOMAN TALKS

Pleased with Aptitude of Daughter, Who Will Be Trained to Look After Her Extensive Business.

NEW YORK, April 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. Hetty Green, the world's richest woman and the most picturesque figure in American financial circles has begun to shift her burdens upon the shoulders of her daughter Mrs. Sylvia Wilkes.

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Cost of Living To Be Watched

By Upper House

High Prices Will Be Further Investigated Although Appropriation May Be Lacking.

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South Pole Trip Off for Present

Joint Expedition of Arctic Club and Geographic Society Halted by Lack of Funds.

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