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Wind is Dying Down and Situation is Much Improved.

TWO VILLAGES STILL IN DANGER Woman and Two Men Reported

Burned to Death in Antrim County-Seach tor Bodies at Au Sable.

BULLETIN:

DETROIT, Mich., July 13.-A Detroit News special from East Tawas says that Porcupine mine with eight others, but all forest fires between that town an Ausable, driven by a north wind, have this afternoon given, rise to great anxiety over the safety of East Tawas.

DETROIT, Mich., July 13 .- The forest fire situation throughout northern Michiday with the wind dropping below ten miles Le Grand, however, in Cheboygan county, communication cut off.

Hillman, in Alpena county, is also said to be threatened today. A report from Grand Rapids tells of the death of a woman and two wood choppers in Antrim county, and it seems inevitable that the death list will continue to increase as returns are received from isolated districts. At Au Bable and Oscoda, which were

men were met at the Union station by a large crowd of Cheyenne people and wel- of Agriculture. omed home. The Fourth field artillery and the Eleventh infantry are expected Dr. W. D. Bigelow, assistant chief of the home today

DIE IN FLAMES

PROBE FOR NEW

(Continued from Page One.) of the extent of the damage and the num-

ber of deaths. P. Levinson of Montreal came out today. He was caught by flames at Standard escaped by running three miles through found 250 people gathered on the banks and the rate of \$1,600 per year under an ex. pervisors and any other board which has burning forest to Edwards lake, where they in the water.

Levinson crossed the West Dome property and saw the body of William King, a than would be paid for at the rate of \$20 the city and county finances are spent to well known mining man, lying beside the per day of seven and one-half hours when the very best advantage. gan appears to be generally improved to- shaft. A woman and children, all who engaged in laboratory work, and \$50 per could, took refuge in the shaft, but the day when engaged in court. The evidence society are in the making. The proposal an hour in most sections. The village of fire burned the timbering and all were clearly shows that these gentle- is to check up the financial reports and all suffocated, including Manager Weiss, his men resorted to a scheme to create proceedings of the school board, city council is reported surrounded by flames, with wife and child, Assayer Burke and wife an appearance of compliance with the law and supervisors and see that those enand three other women with children.

> STEEL COMBINE in personnel." (Continued from First Page,)

Bancroft, Nebraska, Dec. 27, 1910. W. C. Wilson, President

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> Very truly yours, BERNARD FARLEY.



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procure the appointment of Dr. Rusby at

not to comply with it.

"Such an agreement certainly merits unishment and because of the facts set forth. I recommend the approval by you of the recommendations of the committee

Awaits Reply of Dr. Wiley. "He never did that I recall," said Mr. President /Taft, it was learned later to-

Urge Formation of Local Body to Watch City Officials. WOULD SCAN CITY EXPENDITURES become public, although the investigation Demand gation in Iowa Capital of Alleged Combine to Keep Up Price

the fact that Dr. Kebler and Dr. Bigelow entered into a scheme to which Dr. Wiley lent his countenance and assistance, to council, school board, County Board of Su-

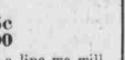
press agreement with him that he was to the spending of the public money, is being do no more work under this appointment urged by local men who do not believe that Plans for the organization of such a

while at the same time distinctly agreeing trusted with the people's money are getting value received for every dollar spent

of Feodstuffs.

Price Probe to Start. Demands for a sweeping grand jury investigation of the alleged combine of commission merchants and retail grocers in Des Moines for the purpose of keeping up the price of foodstuffs have been made of Thomas Guthrie, county attorney, by

many Des Moines people. They ask tha



laboratory investigations and \$50 per day for attendance in court. Attorney General Wickersham held that the law permitted the payment of only \$9 a day, this sum later being increased to

\$11 a day. Other Officials Involved. Along with the suggestion that Dr. Wiley. because of these alleged irregularities in the employment of Dr. Rusby be permitted an opportunity to resign, the committee or personnel and the attorney general have mmended the dismissal of Dr. Rusby and the reduction of Dr. L. F. Kebler, chief of the division of drugs in the Department

Expert Be Permitted to Resign.

CHARGE OF PADDING PAY ROLL

Removal of Dr. Rashy and Dr. W. D.

Bigelow and Reduction of Dr. L.

F. Kebler of Division of

Drugs Also Suggested.

WASHINGTON, July 13 .- Dr. Harvey W.

Wiley, pure food expert and chief of the

bureau of chemistry of the Department of Agriculture and one of the most widely

known officials in the government service,

has been condemned by the committee or personnel of the Department of Agriculture

with a recommendation to President Taft

Attorney General Wickersham, in an opinion on the case submitted to the presi-

dent, recommends approval of the commit-

It is charged against Dr. Wiley that he

permitted an arrangement to be made with

Dr. H. H. Rusby, a recognized phar-

macologist of Columbia university, New

York, for compensation in excess of that

allowed by law. "It is certain that the ar-

rangement was to put Dr. Rusby on the pay roll of the department at \$1,600 a year

as an employe of the bureau of chemistry,

an agreement being made with him that

he should be called upon to perform only

such service as this salary would compen-

sate for at the rate of \$20 per day for

that "he be permitted to resign."

tee's action.

The committee further recommends that bureau of chemistry, also be given an op-

portunity to resign. President Taft has not indicated what action he will take. The matter has just

began last March. Mr. Wickersham's Statement. Attorney General Wickersham's summary

of the situation follows: "The evidence submitted by the com nittee on personnel clearly demonstrates

DES MOINES, July 13 .- (Special Telegram.)-The organization of a local association to act as a watchdog over the city

wiped out by fire, a patrol of the Lake Huron beach has been organized to search Purdy. for the bodies of victims, who may have parte. the flames

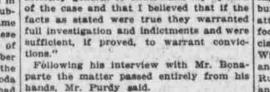
Stood in Lake for Hours. Women and children stood in the lake in some instances three and four hours, submerging themselves when the heat became Intense for endurance. Many of these people report that they saw a number of persons on the docks when the lumber piles began to crumble and fall into the water, but among the Au Sable and Oscoda refugees none have been found who had been on the docks. The more conservative, however, believe that all were saved. The number of burned bodies found at Oscoda and Au Sable remained today the same an yesterday-three. Reports received today from the region

between Alpena and Cheboygan indicate that the town of Millersburg was almost entirely destroyed during Tuesday night, and that half of Tower is gone.

#### Timber Fire in Maine.

BOUTH WATERLOO, Me., July 13 -- A timber loss estimated at more than \$100,000 was caused by the fire which spread to the woods last night after wiping out more than thirty buildings in this village, with a loss of nearly the same amount.

Ninth Cavalry at Fort Russel. CHEYENNE, Wyo., July 13 .- (Special.)-The Ninth United States cavalry, occupy-ing four trains, arrived at Fort Russell at noon today. The returning officers and performed to give this city a \$25,000 library. The Ninth United States cavalry, occupy-

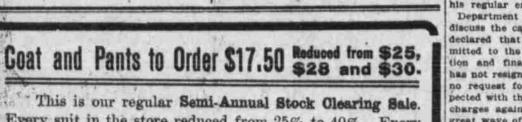


"Was it after you had expressed yourself, on this case," asked Representative Raker, "that you received an appointment to the federal bench- and that the appointment was not confirmed by the senate?" Yes.

"Do you think that your expression of fearlessness in enforcing the law had anything to do with your failure of confirmation ?

"I do not know antyhing about that." "Well, Mr. Raker responded, "I will leave the matter there and let the public judge whother your fearless attitude for prosecution of violators of the anti-trust law influenced the members of the United States senate to withhold confirmation of your appointment to a federal judgeship."

Carnegie Library Refused.

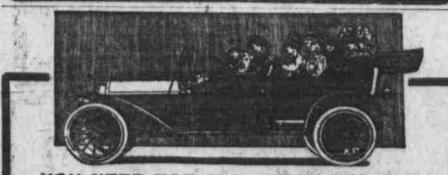


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iny, has forwarded all of the papers in Mr. Purdy was examined closely regard- the cast to Dr. Wiley and will take no drowned when driven into the water by ing his report to Attorney General Bona- action until he receives a personal statement from him. It is known the president

"I'm sure," he said, "that I gave the has the highest regard for the pure food attorney general to understand my opinion expert and for his administration of the of the case and that I believed that if the bureau of chemistry. Dr. Wiley has been facts as stated were true they warranted attacked almost constantly since the pure full investigation and indictments and were food law went into effect. It has been claimed by the interests affected that Dr. Wiley's rulings have been unduly harsh

and unjust. Dr. Wiley has regarded Dr. parte the matter passed entirely from his Rusby as one of his most valuable assistants in the difficult task of enforcing the

pure food and drug act. Dr. Rusby received all the papers in the case several days ago and his reply, made public in New York last night had not reached Washington early today. In his reply, however, he is quoted as saying that he did not seek nor desire the work in

the Department of Agriculture. Dr. Rusby says there has been no hearing on the charges, but justice demands that there should be one. He charges that there was a one-sided presentation of the case to the attorney general, to constitute the basis of opinion

#### Dr. Rusby is Indignant.

Dr. Rusby said that he had no means of knowing that the arrangement made with him was irregular in any way. He said he seemed to be regarded by the department as a conscript and resented the idea that

he could be dismissed in disgrace for reluctantly doing work which interfered with his regular employment. Department officials were reluctant to

discuss the case in any form today. They declared that the matter had been submitted to the president for his consideration and final determination. Dr. Wiley ing an excellent yield. Corn is comhas not resigned and so far there has been no request for his resignation. It is ex- good rain a bounteous corn crop will be pected with the publication of the technical charges against him that there will be a great wave of protest against his proposed ilsmissal. And while the Washington friends of Dr. Wiley disclaim any part in making public the executive documents in the case, they appear to be glad that some one outside Washington took steps to secure publication of the matter at this time. President Taft before acting on the case, it is said, will grant a hearing to an involved and will be guided only by his own udgment

Dr. Wiley is Not Seared. "I wouldn't advise anyone to wait

around my office to see me put out; there is no telling how long that will be," said Dr. Wiley today, when asked for a statement

ter? All I know is that a copy of the charges was served on me about a week ago and I will make reply to them through Secretary Wilson to the president. Until the latter sees fit to make that statement public, I will have nothing further to say in the matter."

# BAILEY WOOL AMENDMENT

WASHINGTON, July 12.-The Balley woolen amendment to the Canadian reciprocity providing a reduction on all wool duties to 20 per cent ad valorem was decord vote.

and laymen at Dow City Thursday afternoon and evening to take part in the service of ordaining Rev. W. A. Creasón,

the county legal forces start a probe to learn if Des Moines is being "held up" by th ecommission merchants. Mr. Guthrie said today that he is consid-

ering the advisability of calling the grand jury into special session for this purpose

# NEBRASKA GETS ITS BANNER RAIN

## (Continued from First Page.)

tion Saturday night, and another rain of an inch and a half last evening insures at least two-thirds of a corn crop. Wheat is Barney Berscheid of Mitchell, S. D. turning out from eight to thirty bushels per acre, of a better quality than last year HASTINGS, Neb., July 12-(Special.)-A

renerous rain fell over central Nebraska MITCHELL, S. D. July 11 .- (Special.)last night and made practically sure the Barney Berscheid had a close call from yield of a normal corn crop. In this city death today when he attempted to pour the precipitation measured 1:25 inches. some water in the cooling receptacle of a which is the heaviest downpour recorded gasoline engine of which he has charge. here since winter. The engine was running and the large cog Corn in this section is a little backward

owing to the drouth of the early summer. but very little of it is fired. The fields are remarkably clean and the frequent rains and mild temperature of the last ten days have given the crop a growth which is expected to return, at least in Adams county, a yield of twenty-five bushflesh on his arm and side was lacerated. els per acre.

ROSALLE, Neb., July 11.-(Special.)-A G. Fisher, implement dealer at Rosalie, threshed out eight acres of winter wheat

Dietrich J. Schemerus, NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., July 18-(Speyesterday which made over twenty-five bushels to the acre. This is the first wheat cial.)-Dietrich J. Schomerus, one of the threshed here. Other crops are looking oldest residents of this city, died at his fine in this locality, oats and barley makhome here yesterday. He was born in Hanover, Germany, May 28, 1821, and came mencing to tassel out and with another to Nebraska City in 1859 and drove teams

across the plains until 1861, when he joined Insured. the Indian fighters and became a member EDGAR, Neb., July 12.-(Special.)-A of the Second Nebraska cavalry. He saw heavy rain fell here last night. The preconsiderable service on the frontier and cipitation amounted to a little more than was at the battle of Whitestone hill. He one inch and has broken the long drouth remained with the company until the fall in this section. of 1863, when he was honorably discharged BEAVER CITY, Neb., July 12 .- (Special and joined Company I, Forty-first Mis-Telegram.)-A rain amounting to three souri infantry and did garrison duty until

inches fell here last night and was general the close of the civil war, when he returned throughout the Beaver valley. here and engaged in mercantile business with John H. Menke. He was married LATE RAIN IS & GREAT HELP

twice and is survived by his widow. His funeral will be Friday afternoon and under Visitor Says it is of Untold Worth to the direction of William Baumer post, No.

24. Grand Army of the Republic, being one the Growing Crops. of the charter members of that post. "The rain we had at Grand Island last light was a wonder," said W. Frank of

that place on Thursday morning. "With a "Do I look frightened about this mat- the corn crop will be a bumper one." Mr. Frank, who is in the city on business, states that the rain was a heavy one from North Platte to Columbus and he believes to prevent serious loss to the farmers throughout the state. The crop near Grand

Island was almost despaired of a few days ago, but the lighter rains earlier in the week and Wednesday night's rain are ex-

pected to put the corn in excellent condi-IS DEFEATED IN THE SENATE tion and remove all traces of the drouth.

#### Heavy Rains in Kansas. TOPEKA, Kan., July il.-Western Kansas received its first soaking rain of the season last night. Between Alemena and

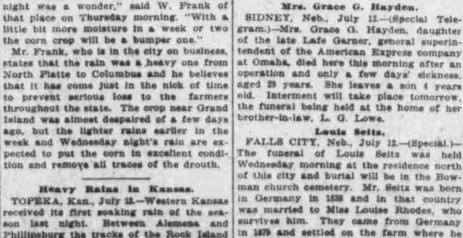
feated in the senate today without roll call. Phillipaburg the tracks of the Rock Island Senator Bailey said he considered it a wore washed away and trains delayed sev- diad. Of twelve children born to them only two survive-Herman of Oklahoma waste of time to delay the senale with a eral hours. There were also heavy rains between Wellington and Caldwell and Her-

rington, Kan., and Dalhart, Tex. The pro-Minister Installed at Dew City, DENISON, In., July 21-(Special.)--There was a gathering of Baptist ministers no rain.

Elks Parade at Atlantic City.

service of ordaining Rev. W. A. Creason. pastor of that church. Rev. Creason is a native of North Carolina and a graduate of the Bagilat seminary at Louisville, Ky.





Mahaska, Kan.

and Miss Louisa at home. Sherman Shaw. FAIRBURY, Neb., July 13.-(Special.)-Sherman Shaw, a Jefferson county farmer living about eleven miles south of Fairbury, died at an early hour Wednesday, His death was due to dropsy. The funeral was held Thursday and the body taken to

The Key to the Situation-Bee Want Ada

wheels in connection with a cement mixer caught his clothing and wrapped it up in the gearing. He was carried to the top of the mixer, and the engine was stopped just in time to save his life. His clothes were torn from his body and he was severely bruised about the face, and the

DEATH RECORD

Has Very Close Call from

Death.