STEFANSSON PARTY FINDS NEW LAND

Explorer Who Was Given Up for Lost Sends Message to Ottawa, Dated August 31.

WILL CONTINUE OBSERVATIONS

NOME, Alaska, Sept. 17 .- The power schooner Ruby arrived from Herschel Island, on the Arctic coast, west of the mouth of the Mackensie river, yesterday afternoon, with news 40 cents. that Vilhjalmur Stefansson, the Canadian exploder, who with two companions, Storker Storkerson and Ole Alaska, March 22, 1914, over the frozen Polar ocean, to search for supposed new lands in the Beaufort Sea, is not only alive and well, but has DENIAL OF THREAT TO KILL Large Crowds and accomplished every purpose for which the hazardous journey was under- Woman in Connell Murder Case Gigs

Captain S. F. Cottle, master of the Ruby, says that Stefansson is now on Bank's Land, east of the Mackensie, cutfitting for continuance of explora- IMPEACHING STATE WITNESSES tions to the westward, to ascertain the full extent of new land he dis-

New Land Discovered,

of the continental shelf several degrees asked by the defense. west of Bank's Land and even determined its southern limits, but was unable to continue his explorations to the north and that he hitched it near the Porter big attraction of the week, making three

after leaving the supporting party on the ice north of Martin point, he and his hardy companions set their faces to the north, but after continuing their journey ninety days, they decided to return to land. They turned back and landed on the mainland at a point near which the power hoat Mary Sachs of the Stefansson expedition was wintering. Here the three men outfitted for another three months' trip. They again went upon the ice, going north and west and discovering the continental shelf.

Seven Months on Ice. Stefansson spent some time exploring his new find, but at length, owing to scarcity of provisions, was compelled to et out on the return journey to land. The men had been on the ice for nearly seven months. The return to shore was accomplished with great difficulty. The nen subsisted on the most meager rations, but kept moving day after day. The dogs were almost famished. Finally the party arrived at Bank's Land, thoroughly worn out. For seven months they had been on scanty rations, traveling almost continuously.

Stefansson and his companions made that he saw Porter near the little house, their way from Bank's Land, which is that he saw a puff of smoke come from uninhabited, to Baillie Island, which is the house and that he said, "My God visited by whalers. Captain Louis Lane, that man has killed Mr. Conneil." In an cruising on his power schooner, Polar Bear, found Stefansson and his comextracts from the coroner's record were read to the court and into the record. A rades making their way along the southwestern coast of Baillie Island. They excellent health and spirits and eager to reach the southern wing of the expedition, that they might obtain supplies and continue their explorations, Will Continue Exploration.

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 17 .- Announce ment was made in government quarters today that Vilhjalmar Stefansson, the Arctic explorer, had been heard from and was safe. Staffansson had not previously been heard from since April, 1914, and it Wabash railroad system will receive had generally been believed that he had several companions had been lost.

The message from Stefansson was to the naval department and was dated from Baillie Island, August II, via Nome, Alaska, Sept. 16, and stated that he was to continue his northern exploration. The nessage follows:

'As unavoidable delays threatened and the running cost of chartering Polar Bear was high, I purchased it and engaged it on terms similar to Karluk. Engaged Hoff, engineer of schooner Ruby, to take place of Blue of Alaska. Engaged five extra helpers for southern parts, who have ample outfit for one year and Polar Bear for two years. Plan continued northern explorations to hundred and forty-

five west and eighty-two farther north, if northerly course is secured." With Stefansson when he left Martin Point, late in March, 1914, were Ole Anderson and Storker Sterkerson, men said to be as strong and resourceful as Stefansson himself. They had rifles, a sledge that could be used as a boat, abundance

of food and other supplies.

Stefansson succeeded beyond all expec-tations in his explorations. He discovered new land southwest of St. Patrick's land. He is now on Banks Land outfitting for continuance of explorations to the westward to ascertain the full extent of the new land.

SOUTH DAKOTA BANKERS PROTEST DEPOSIT ORDER

PIERRE, S.-D., Sept. 17 .- (Special Telegram.)-More bankers are arriving to pro-test against the proposed order of the State Banking commission requiring the deposit of 50 per cent of the surplus of state banks in state banks at reserve centers in the state. The bankers in the city in the moralog had held a prelimmary meeting and A. B. Darling of Mitchell represented the views in decided opposition to the order, in a paper prepared for the occasion.

Among the bankers who spoke in opposition were Mears, Lloyd of Lake Preston, A. R. Brown of Canton, James Halley of Rapid City, C. S. Pratt of

The general tenor of their opposition is that credit is largely a matter of confi-dence and personal faith and to atempt to oreak off relations of years and establish a forced credit with new associates over night could not but help work hardship to bankers and the public.

FORMER DENISON MAN DEAD AT ABERDEEN. S. D.

ABEIGRDISEN, S. D., Sept. 17 .- (Special.)—Robert A. Romans, 61 years old, died at lifs home here after being in ili health for some time and his body will be taken to his old home at Denison, in., for burial. Mr. Romans came here five years ago and engaged in the banking business as president of the Dakota National bank, later retiring from the head of that institution because of ill health. Hefore coming here he was a prominent real estate dealer of Decision. There survive him his wife and eight children, of whom two sons, John B. and Robert, and two daughters reside in Aberdsen, the other children residing in lows and Nebraska.

Bee Want Ads Produce Results

Break in Hog Prices Ascribed to Confiscation of American Cargoes

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 17. Severe breaks | Co., and C. J. Faulkner, Jr., representing which occurred in the price of hogs to- Armour & Co., are to depart for the capiday were generally ascribed to the action of the British prize courts in ordering the confiscation of American provision cargoes. Traders appeared to take the view that the action of the British courts would tend to hamper greatly the United

States export trade in provisions Hog prices here late in the day were 25 cents a hundred-weight lower than yesterday's average Other western

Strong protest to Great Britain over the seizure of American meat cargoes is to urged upon the national administration early next week by representatives Anderson, set out from Martin Point, of Chicago packers, according to anouncements made here today. Henry Veeder, representing Swift &

Toward Dead Man.

had had conversations with J. C. Cravens,

effort to impeach Duran's testimony, long

number of character witnesses for Porter were also examined today.

Wabash Raises

the payroll by \$40,000 annually.

Fleet of Russian

Shell Ships Sunk

SEBASTOPOL, Russia (Via London),

Sept. 17.-Official announcement was made here today that Russian torpedo

boats had sunk near Sinope, a seaport of Asia Minor, on the Black Sea, an entire

fleet of sailing vessels, laden with muni-

tions of war. The crews of these vessels

GUN IN FATHER'S HANDS

IOWA CITY, Ia., Sept. 17 .- (Special Tel-

egram.)-Alice, the Il-year-old daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Barrows, residing

on a farm near Tipton, died at the Uni-

versity of lowa hospital today as a re-

sult of a would received in the acci-

YOUNG GIRL IS VICTIM OF

tal Sunday, prepared to take up with the State department not only the cases denly, being seized with a heart attack but also those involved in the thirty add cargoes still detained by British authori-

"The admnistration has already notified Great Britain that the United States will a pleasure trip to the east end of the In addition Mr. Conley owes the Atlantic found about 5 o'clock last evening in from the top today. not recognize decisions based upon the orders in council," said Mr. Veeder. "The cases decided yesterday were so based. Furthermore, the other pending cases hinge largely upon the same orders in

It was explained that the action of the packers will constitute no fresh application for government action, but merely a renewal of representations made pre-

Fast Time at State Fair at Huron, S. D. Back on Testimony as to Enmity

HURON, S. D., Sept 17.—(Special.)—
Thursday was undoubtedly the biggest day in the history of the South Dakota Telegram.)—An effort is being made by the defense in the Porter murder case to impeach Jose Duran, the Mexican who covered southwest of Prince Patrick the defense in the Porter murder case to of Monday and Tuesday, brought out

The roads were in condition for motorfirst found the body of Ralph Connell. Stefansson discovered a continuance This was developed today in the questions ing, and there were 1,500 cars parked on This also exceeds last the grounds.

Stefansson told Captain Cottle that nell's, and e then left to go back to Con- the evening of each day. He is by all Auto polo matches every afterbrought out by the attorneys for the de-fense.

Thursday's races were the best of the week, the track being in good condition

suit in which she was concerned was to take a new turn. "Cravens told me that Connell would have to be killed," she said, "Cravens also told me that in the case of Porter carrying concealed weapons the justice would have to be bribed and I would have to do the bribing."

On cross-examination, conducted by W. J. Connell, she denied that she had stated that "Connell would have to be killed and Porter was the only man with nerve enough to do it." She also denied that the connel would be said that the connel would have to be killed and Porter was the only man with nerve enough to do it." She also denied that the connel would be said that the connel would have to be killed and Porter was the only man with nerve enough to do it." She also denied that the connel would be said that the connel would have to be killed and Porter was the only man with nerve enough to do it." She also denied that the connel would be said the connel would be said. The connel would have to be killed and Porter was the only man with nerve enough to do it. She also denied that the connel would have to be killed and Porter was the only man with nerve enough to do it." She also denied that the connel would have to be killed and Porter was the only man with nerve enough to do it. She also denied that the connel would have to be killed and Porter was the only man with nerve enough to do it. She also denied that the connel would have to be killed and Porter was the only man with nerve enough to do it. She also denied that the connel would have to be killed. The connel would have to be killed and the connel would have to be killed and the connel would have to be killed. The connel would have to be killed and the connel would have to be killed

Schools of New York And Philadelphia Are Closed by Heat

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.-The public schools of New York and Philadelphia closed at noon today because of the extreme heat and it was announced that Pay of Operators the schools of Philadelphia would hold but one session daily until cooler weather

ST. DOUIS, Mo., Sept. 17.-All station agents and telegraphers throughout the ss degrees and the weather bureau preary increases of 9 per cent beginning with November 1, it was announced at the dicted that the hot weather will continue tomorrow, with no appreciable relief in executive offices of the road here last In addition, the working day of station agents will be reduced from twelve to ten hours and telegraphers will work York, New Jersey and Connecticut are eight hours per day. Overtime pay will be increased from 25 cents to 35 cents an hour. The new schedule will increase

Much suffering was caused in the crowded East Side districts of New York, where scores of prostrations were re-Four deaths, due to the heat, were re-

Germans Lose 20 Submarines Since

LONDON, Sept. 17.-The Germans have

When the war commenced, the paper decdares, Germany had eleven seagoing submarines and sixteen of a smaller type, while to June 1, ten new boats

dental discharge of a shotgun in the new have only fourteen seagoing underhands of her father, who was preparing water boats, two of which are in the

"Bud" Nelson, testified that he saw year's high record of 1,400.

Duran leading a horse along the road Art Smith, the famous aviator, is the nome. The horse, he testified, was Con- flights on Thursday and Friday, one in nell's body which lay beside the road, odds the most daring aviator ever seen The fact that Duran spoke English, here. although he understood nothing that had noon and evening are also good thrillers. been said at the time of killing was also The special vaudeville attractions and the Mrs. Anna Jackson, testified, that she entertainments.

and that Cravens said that the old water suit in which she was concerned was to

Porter was the only man with nerve enough to do it." She also denied that the she had said that Mrs. Ralph Conneil would some day be found dead on the bank of the canal.

The defense will make an effort to break Duran's testimeny and to refute his statement that he made on the stand, that he saw Porter near the little house,

prevails.

At New York the temperature reached sight. The thermometer registered 90 at Philadelphia at 1 o'clock today. The present period of excessive heat here is the longest for September in forty years. Weather conditions throughout New about the same.

ported today.

Beginning of War

lost twenty submarines since the begin-ning of the war, according to an editorial note in the Motorship and Motorboat. while the British losses have been only seven, including the E-7, the destruction of which was announced today.

had been added. The assertion is made that the Germans

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FORMER CASS WOMAN DIES SUDDENLY IN IDAHO

ord was received here last evening of he death at Idaho Falls, Idaho, of Mrs. Harriett A. Henderson, a long-time resident of this county up to a few years ago when she went west. She died very suddecided in British prize court yesterday, while preparing the noonday meal and dying instantly. Her two daughters, Mrs. Frances of Salt Lake City and Mrs. A L. Hayward of Idaho Falls, are visiting here, and they had yesterday come from

her home for many years.

ATLANTIC, Ia., Sept. 16.-(Special.)-Sheriff W. A. McKee has levied on the O, O. Conley shoe stock to satisfy an exitors, with claims totalling \$1,700, the claims being for goods bought for stock.

mty, only to receive the sad word of National bank \$1,500 on open account. their mother's sudden death. Mrs. Ed Mr. Conley's finacial difficulties arose The body will arrive here Saturday and a number of debts which his predeces-

E. M. SANFORD OF ATLANTIC FOUND DEAD IN HIS BED

ATLANTIC, Sept. 16. - (Special.) - The city for more than thirty years, was broken by a cave in of green concrete

and it was the opinion of the physicians Shannon of this city is a daughter. Do- when he purchased the stock of the Par-, that the man had been dead two or three ceased was well known in this county. Mer Shoe company and was forced to pay days. Deceased was 57 years old and leaves three children. His father is a interment will be in the cemetery at sors had left. This is the first failure or banker at Avoca and very wealthy. His Anits, near which place deceased made anything like a failure in Atlantic for a wife died about eight years ago. No funeral arrangements are as yet an-

> Workman Killed by Caveta. AMES, Is., Sept. 17 .- (Special Telegram,)-Albert L. Carpenter, a concrete workman, married, and working at the body of E. M. Sanford, a resident of this bottom of a new cistern, had his neck

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