

Domestic

The coroner's jury which investimines condemned the use of electric wires and open lights, and made other recommendations looking to the prevention of similar accidents.

Stuyvesant Fish, in an affidavit filed in the Superior Court, Chicago, declares that if he obtains a majority of the proxies at the Illinois Cen-tral election he will depose E. H. Harriman as a director.

Banks in New York have been swindled out of considerable money on fictitious cotton warehouse receipts purporting to be from Georgia.

Ely Weitzel, aged 34, of Norris-town, Pa., died is a physician's office just after he had been given an injection of antitoxin.

Bartow Worthy, a negro, was killed by County Policemen Robinson and Riley, in Pittsburg, Ga., while resisting arrest.

Isaac Jacobson and Abraham Levine were killed near Chicago when they stepped in front of an express train.

According to a statement made by the Pennsylvania Railroad, the operation of the two-cent-rate law has caused large decreases in the gross revenue and net earnings.

Plans to make Sunday closing a political issue in Cook County and other Illinois Districts are being laid by the United Societies for Local Self-government.

In a branch of the Little Osipee River, at North Shapleigh, Me., the body of Mrs. Andrew Jackson Smith, who disappeared from her home, was found

works of the Waterbury Company closed down in Buckle memory of a woman who had been in the company's employ 46 years.

Augustus Rose, a prominent witness in the Jefferson murder trial in Burlington, N. J., was shot by an unknown man.

Five hundreds American, Germans, Irish, Swedes and Russians will seek homes in the South Pacific Islands next month.

John W. Riddle, the American ambassador to Russia, sailed for his post at St. Petersburg on the steamer Amerika.

The Lebanon Valley Branch of the Reading Railroad was completely tied up for many hours by a freight wreck.

Mrs. Angelina Anselene was sentenced to 20 years in the penitentiary for the murder of Phillip Ferreo in Chicago.

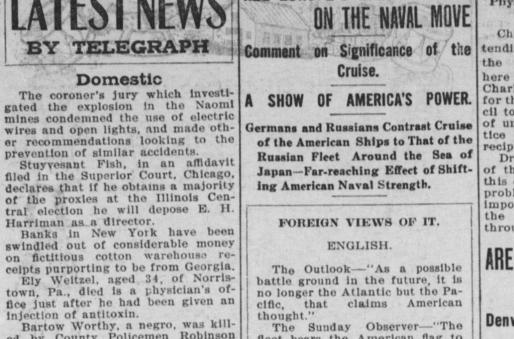
The funeral of Mrs. Louisa Taft, mother of Secretary Taft, took place from her home, in Cincinnati.

Three small children of Antonio their home, near Ignacio, Col.

Harrisburg for the murder of his it says: wife more than a year ago.

Chicago hotel.

The westbound transatlantic mail- purchase of the Philippines and the



fleet bears the American flag to the Pacific as a symbol of power. There is an element of potential peril in the voyage."

FRENCH.

Opinion divided, one view being that differences between Japan and United States will be amicably adjusted; the other that a clash sooner or later is inevitable.

GERMAN.

German admiralty regards it as the most unusual naval experience of modern times. Splendid practice for the fleet.

RUSSIAN.

The strength and preparedness of the Americans a strong contrast to that of Rojestvensky's squadron on its ill-starred cruise. The Novoe Vremya-"A bold Rooseveltian stroke" to restore the balance of power in the Pa-

London (By Cable). - The daily newspapers are publishing long ac-

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counts from their New York correspondents on the preparations for the cruise of Rear Admiral Evans' fleet. In the naval columns experts discuss the advisability of testing the resisting power of ships to the wear and tear of a long voyage. Naval officials agree that this, although expensive, is desirable, and also that the cruise of the American battleships will afford good training for the officers and men. The Outlook, a weekly publication,

Montoya were burned to death in on the other hand, returns to the she had secured a total of 32 votes Jacob Stehman was hanged in of the movement. In a long article man Woodson moved to make the

"The building up of the states on Three unidentified men were found the Pacific Slope, the annexation of the next Democratic National Convendead in a room filled with gas in a Hawaii, the growth of American tion. commerce in the Far East by the

Physicians Want Uniform Medical Laws In All Sections. Chicago (Special) .--- Physicians atthe American Medical Association here indorsed a plan broached by Dr Charles A. L. Reed, of Cincinnati, for the assembling of a national council to secure the passage in all states tice of medicine in order to create reciprocity in state licensing.

SEEK STATE AID.

Dr. Reed, in his report as chairman of the meeting, urged that not only this end, but the settlement of other problems of social and commercial importance depended primarily upon the enactment of standard laws throughout the Union.

ARE CAUGHT BY THE READY CASH Denver Gets Democratic National Convention.

PUBLICITY OF THE CONTRIBUTIONS.

Some of the Delegates Objected to Accepting More Than Was Needed for the Convention-Louisville the Only -July 7th Fixed as the Date.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

Place-Denver, Col. Time-July 7, 1908. Inducement-\$100,000 cash. Resolution to return balance of the money after convention expenses were paid voted down. Resolution urging publication of campaign expenses adopted.

Washington, D. C. (Special) .---The Democratic National Committee after sitting all day took two ballots to find out what city they wanted and then after having accepted Denver and set July 7 as the date for the convention, spent some time discussmoney offered by Denver or accept only enough to pay the actual expenses of the convention. The committee spent the morning listening to a presentation of the claims of the cities asking for the convention and then about 4.30 when four cities had asked for the convention this time, the first ballot was taken with the following result:

Denver, 20; Louisville, 18; Chicago, 5, and St. Paul, 1.

The committee ordered a second ballot, and Denver ran ahead until discussion of the political significance and Louisville but 15. Committeechoice of Denver unanimous. This was done and Denver was chosen for

The committee then proceeded to vote on the date carrying record was broken by the rise of Japan have reacted upon the vention. June 23 and 30 and July 7 and 14 were all suggested, but the sentiment was largely in favor of this work of scientific inquiry next year.



erick R. Romer, an undertaker, was found dead in his bed in the Park Hotel here. His skull was crushed PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT in with blows from a hammer and his face terribly bruised. Romer had been robbed of a diamond ring, a gold watch and chain and about \$150 in money.

There was no trace of the mur- He Says He Will Not Change His derer, nor was the weapon found with which Romer was killed. Two women who occupied a room near Romer's heard someone groaning during the night, but, as the sounds oon ceased, they paid no heed.

Entrance to Romer's room was effected by forcing a window opening on the fire escape, but apparently the murderer left through the hotel halls. Other City That Showed Any Support The water basin and towels in the room showed that the slayer had washed his hands and clothing after the murder.

On the blood-stained sheets was a half dozen open letters that the murderer had read. He had put them down on the bed clothes after the the blood had dried and there were not even faint marks on the paper.

in the room after he had accomplish- tion three years ago. In the stateed his crime.

ADDS TWO MILLIONS MORE.

Grand Total of Mr. Carnegie Benefactions Now \$160,250,000.

Washington, D. C. (Special) .- Andrew Carnegle has added the sum of \$2,000,000 to the \$10,000,000 endowment fund of the Carnegie Insti-Willard of the board of trustees of nation. the institution, to which had been invited a number of scientists and men prominent in public affairs. The dinner followed a business meeting held earlier in the day at the institution's offices, attended by John S. Billings, chairman; John L. Cadwalader, Cleveland H. Dodge, Wil-Ham N. Frew, Lyman J. Gage, Henry L. Higginson, Charles L. Hutchinson, Seth Low, S. Weir Mitchell, William W. Morrow, Henry S. Pritchard, Elihu Root, Charles D. Walcott, William H. Welch, Andrew D. White,

Carroll D. Wright and Robert S. Woodward, president of the Institu-The report of the trustees showed the form, and under no circumstances that much important scientific work

Mexicans Kill American.

Killed By Cow.

Express Wrecked.

Talked By Wireless 13 Miles.

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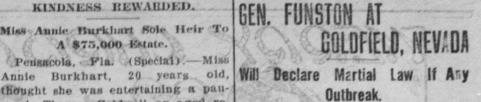
Eastport, L. I. (Special) .--- While

Denver, Colo. (Special) .--- William

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will I be a candidate or accept anothhad been done during the year, and er nomination.

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two years ago with a stock of gro- CONFERS WITH GOVERNOR SPARKS.

a miserable existence by peddling The Governor Assures the General That the Presence of the Troops Has Prevented Serious Trouble, and He Considers It Necessary That They Be Kept There Until All Trouble Is Over.

Goldfield, Nev. (Special)-Crowds gathered at the station to witness the arrival here of General Funston and Major George Thethel and Lieut. Hornsley Evans, the officers who accompanied him from San Francisco. IS NOT A CANDIDATE Governor Sparks told General Funston that, in his opinion, the presence of troops here had prevented serious trouble thus far and that he considered it imperatively necessary that the troops be kept here. He advised that there be no declaration of martial law at this time, THE FIELD IS OPEN TO OTHERS. but asserted the belief that such action may become necessary at any The President Recalls the Announce- time.

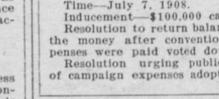
General Funston stated to the Govment He Made on the Night After His Election, to the Effect That He ernor that he would remain a cleared Would Not Be a Candidate for or up and there was no longer danger of trouble. The General says he is determined to take control of the Washington, D. C. (Special) .-- | camp under martial law upon the

President Roosevelt will not be a can- first outbreak of serious violence. Deputy sheriffs, constables and dedidate for a third term. All doubt tectives employed by the Mineowners' on this point was dispelled by the Association are patrolling the mines authoritative statement at the White and preventing union pickets or House that Mr. Roosevelt still ad- others from approaching nearer than This circumstance indicated that heres to the declaration of renuncia- the side lines. The regulars are the slayer had spent at least an hour tion made on the night of the elec- taking no part in guarding the mines. Officers of the Miners' Union Asment issued Wednesday night Presi- sociation assert that not more than dent Roosevelt says he has not chang- 20 men are at work on Combination ed, and shall not change, the decis- Hill and that most of these are union ion communicated to the American men who have been sent to procure work under the agreement required

It appears that the President had by the Mineowners' Association in been awaiting the call for the Re- order that the arrest of George Wingpublican National Convention to af- field and the officers of the associaford the proper opportunity for mak- tion may be effected under the proing his position clear and unmistak- visions of a statute placed on the able, thus leaving the field clear for statute books of Nevada on March Fairbanks, Taft, Cannon, Knox, For- 17, 1903, which provides that it shall ing whether they would take all the tution. Announcement of the fact aker and other declared or receptive be unlawful for any person, firm or was made at a dinner at the New candidates for the Republican nomi- corporation to make an agreement with any person for employment which requires that the person em-The President's statement follows: ployed shall sign an agreement to "On the night after election I made withdraw from any labor organiza-

tion which he may have joined. W. H. Bryant, attorney for the Mine Owners' Association, states that or done me by the American people he is aware of the intention of the thus expressing their confidence in what I have done and have tried union men to attempt the arrest of to do. I appreciate to the full the mine owners and officials of the aslemn responsibility this confidence sociation for violation of the state imposes upon me, and I shall do all law prohibiting an agreement rethat in my power lies not to forfeit quiring the joining of or withdrawal from a labor organization, but says On March 4 next I shall have served three and a half years, and that he is prepared to prove the law this three and a half years constitute unconstitutional and that it has been my first term. The wise custom tested and declared void in the cases which limits the president to two of members of the Industrial Workterms regards the substance and not ers of the World.

> BANK CASHIER A SUICIDE. No Known Reason For The Act Of R. P. Easton.



steamship Majestic.

tucky, and that Governor Taylor had that claims American thought." offered money and a pardon to anyone who would kill Goebel.

blind man.

New York City has placed a penalty of \$500 a minute on a power comminutes in getting pressure on fire plugs.

Walter J. Bartnett, director of the Trust Company, who was arand rested, has been released on 75,000 bail.

Three thousand dollars in twentykettle buried on a farm in Connecticut.

the closing of the California Safe De-posit and Trust Company. mistake if they presume too much on Japanese patience. It is unde-

general manager of the New York tential peril in the voyage." Central Railroad, was placed on trial charged with manslaughter in con-pection with the wreck of the Brewster express, in which 24 lives were lost

Governor Hughes has removed John F. Ahern, president of the at the dispatch of the Pacific fleet, Borough of Manhattan, from office on charges of neglect and miscon- he ignores the move for the time beduct.

Foreign

The Bulgarian Government has sent a note to Russia denying that residents of Sofla are participating in the attacks made by Bulgarian bands in Macedonia.

The Shah of Persia ordered the arrest of the Premier, and the ministry resigned. A mob fired upon the Parliament building in Teheran.

tion in Tokio over the arrival of the standard of efficiency. Crown Prince of Korea and Marquis Ito.

Toklo advices say that Baron Ta-

W. D. Stevens, the American diplomat who has just been appointed advisor to the Japanese ambassador at the whole available naval strength of Washington, has arrived at Tokyo en the United States to the uttermost route to America.

Count von Kanitz, the Agrarian leader in the Reichstag, while delivering a speech on the monetary situation, became suddenly ill.

chief named Garavanoff.

destinies of America with ever-in-Henry E. Youtsey testified in the creasing intensity. As a possible bat-Caleb Powers trial that Powers shot the ground in the future, it is no July 7 and resulted in the choice and killed Governor Goebel, of Ken- longer the Atlantic, but the Pacific, of that date.

On these grounds, and the fact that it would demonstrate the strate-

Oklahoma has elected two Demo- gic necessity of the Panama Canal, pratic United States senators-Robert and that it would serve as a warning L. Owen, who has Indian blood in to Congress that the present forces his veins, and Thomas P. Gore, a are not sufficient to protect the two coast lines, the cruise is held to be defensible, but still "it is impossible to separate it from the tension that pany in case of a delay of over three exists between the United States and Japan.

The Sunday Observer says that it is difficult to believe that the Pacific Huntley, four years old, were found suspended California Safe Deposit cruise of the American fleet is dictated by purely professional reasons.

server, "that the cruise is a political in a bath tub. reconnoissance of force, in view of

President S. Dalzell Brown and Vice and develop American interests. Its their bodies were found. ed under arrest in connection with the Americans have made a profound years ago.

on Japanese patience. It is unde-Alfred H. Smith, vice president and niable that there is an element of po-

Japanese foreign minister, to whom the full recognition of Japanese immigrants is a matter of life and death. He is not the man to be frightened says the Times, and, it adds, "if

ing, he will plod on until he succeeds with peaceful remonstrances or can see no issue but to fight.

The Daily Mail editorially describes the cruise as a movement the full significance of which will only be un-

derstood by posterity. The Daily Telegraph admits that curcumstances of the fleet's return. ally will be disclosed, but that it will be a great surprise if the Ameri-There was a brilliant demonstra- can Navy falls short of the highest scripts for the state.

"The policy that has dictated the cruise," says the paper, "may be wise or unwise, but it emphasizes to kahira is certain of being sent to an extraordinary degree the Presi-Washington as Japan's representa-tive. dent's firm conviction of the perma-nence of the good relations between the United States and Europe, otherwise he would never venture to send

> parts of the earth." \$100,000 Fire In Pittshurg.

Pittsburg, Pa. (Special) .--- Fire in

the downtown business district and Boris Sarahoff, a famous Bulgarian a loss from the flames, smoke and leader, was killed by a Maecdonian, as was also another revolutionary in the building 955 Liberty Avenue, owned and occupied by Graff & Co., Fire destroyed the house of Wil- stove manufacturers, and before it his two fittle girls. The Congo annexation treaty pro-vides for the annual payment of \$69. 000 to members of the family of King Leopold. Co., rope and cordage dealers; See-sightly injured. Co., rope and cordage dealers; See-supplies dealers; See-sightly injured. Co., rope and cordage dealers; See-supplies dealers; See-stat dealers, common shares. Co., rope and cordage dealers; See-supplies dealers; See-stat dealers, common shares. Co., rope and cordage dealers; See-supplies dealers; See-suplies dealers; See-supplies dealers; See-supplies dealers; S liam Hewitt, in Cobalt, Ont., and was controlled damaged the adjoin-

GRANDMOTHER KILLS TWO.

Children Stupefied By Gas And Drowned In Bath Tub.

Somerville, Mass. (Special) .--- Mrs. Emery Huntley walked into a police station here and announced that she his employ, according to a letter just received here. Boggs had been unhad killed her two grandchildren. able to get money to pay his men. and this led to his murder. Fiftgen The bodies of the children, Raymond men have been arrested for the mur-Shomo, six years old, and Caroline der. shortly afterward at Mrs. Huntley's They had been stupefied by home. "The plain fact is," says the Ob- illuminating gas and then drowned engaged in milking a cow on his

Mrs. Huntley is forty-five years of dollar gold pieces was found in a tea- the rise of Japan. The fleet bears the age. It is alleged that she has been farm in this village Nathaniel Howell, American flag to the Pacific as a sym- considered mentally weak for some bol of power and an expression of time past. The children had been President David P. Walker, Vice the national will that it will defend dead about an hour and a half when juries from which he died a few Their hours later. Mr. Howell visited the President W. T. Barnett, of the West-ern Pacific Railroad, have been plac-and an indiscretion. We fear that the death of her husband, a few the cow, when it turned upon him,

Killed Brother's Wife.

Cleburne, Tex. (Special)-The wife

The Sunday Times dwells upon the of Rev. W. E. Mason died from the personality of Count Hayashi, the bullet wound inflicted Sunday night by her husband's brother, Curtis Mason, of Dallas. Rev. W. E. Mason and his mother, who were shot at the same time, are considered to be out of danger. Curtis Mason, who did the shooting, was captured at Grandbury, Tex., and is in jail at Fort Worth.

Morgan Cannot Buy These.

Rome (By Cable). - It is stated that Mr. J. P. Morgan offered \$200,-000 for the original manuscripts of nobody can foresee the date or the ten compositions of Paganini, which were lately discovered in the archives pedo-boat destroyer flotilla to dem-It says that some weak points natur- of the municipal building of Perugia. The government has forbidden the less telephone with which they are sale, proposing to acquire the manu-

Childless, Pays Millions.

Fribourg, Switzerland (By Cable). -La Liberte says the Geneva treasury will receive \$4,000,000 from the estate of Baroness Adolphe de Rothchild, who died in the city of Geneva on November 18 last. Under the law, a quarter of the property of married persons dying childless goes in the Black Hawk war in 1832. He would attack the traking his seat, fulfilled his to the canton to the canton.

The Girard Trust, Philadelphia, has declared a regular semi-annual inch at \$220 each, 2,500 8-inch at dividend of 12_per cent.

upon their recommendation, a large "I have not changed and shall not sum, the exact figure being \$529,940, change the decision thus announced. was allotted for the prosecution of

WASHINGTON

Official Announcement.

'I am deeply sensible of the hon-

the following announcement:

A \$75,000 Estate.

Decision.

Accept Another Nomination.

people in 1904.

cut off with \$1 each.

Robertson Boggs, aged fifty, one of Commissioner General of Immigrathe foremost metallurgists of the tion Sargent submitted his annual recountry, was waylaid and stoned to port, showing that a new record in death near Topia, Mexico, December figures was made during the past fis-1, by a gang of Mexican miners in cal year.

The Senate committee is preparing a report on the frauds committed against the Kickapoos by a criminal combine of whites. The Chinese and Japanese immi-

gration question on the Pacific Coast will be inquired into by the Immi- and carried deposits of \$150,000. gration Commission.

Judge Van Orsdel has succeeded the late Judge Louis E. McComas as an associate judge in the District aged 82, was savagely attacked by Court of Appeals.

the animal and sustained internal in-Secretaary of the Navy Metcalf of Lieutenant Leroy Brooks, Jr., who married recently.

Secrtary of the Treasury Cortelyou knocking him to the ground with its declares that the rumor he is to resign from the Cabinet is "another

Officers of the National Guard As-sociation held a conference looking convicted for the fifth time, who was Columbus, O. (Special) .--- The first section of Pan Handle train No. to increased efficiency of the militia. 29, the Keystone express, was Gen. William C. Oates has succeedwrecked at Frazeysburg, forty-nine ed Colonel Elliott as commissioner

miles east of Columbus. It is said to mark Confederate graves. half a dozen passengers were injured. None fatally. The three rear the anti-third term resolution, intro- burglary a life sentence.

cars of the train left the rails, two duced a resolution in the House con-Pullmans turning over on their sides. gratulating the country upon the Either a defective truck under one declination of the President to run of the coaches or a broken piece of for another term.

Charles W. Galloway, superintendent of transportation of the Balti-Washington, D. C. (Special) .- On more and Ohio Railroad, testified in the way out of Norfolk on their the Terra Cotta wreck trial.

The Senate adopted a resolution cruise to the Pacific an opportunity calling on the administration for inwas given to the vessels of the torformation regarding the recent monetary relief measures. onstrate the usefulness of the wire-

Senator Frye, of Maine, was inducted into office as president pro Messages subsequently tem, of the Senate. verified were exchanged for a dis-

tance of more than 13 miles. All of sion gave a hearing on charges made who have been entombed for a week the 16 battleships about to sail will by lumbermen of the Northwest that in a drift at the 110 foot level of

on lumber.

A bill giving the Secretary of the What Big Shells Cost. Wabsington (Special).—The Navy steam colliers of American registry

Secretary Wilson recommends the stronger than sea water. Ordnance as follows: The First purchase by the government of Appalchian watersheds for the establish- alfalfa is 742,000 acres, an increase Sterling Steel Company, 3,000 12- ment of national forests.

The War Department hopes to \$70 each, 3,000 7-inch at \$50 each raise the quarantine against Cuban the largest Sunday School in Methodiscount rate remains unchanged for and 24,000 6-inch at \$26.50 each. ports before the end of the present dism, the membership being 4,131.

Kankakee, Ill. (Special) .- R. P. Easton, cashier of the State Bank of Herscher, a small town 18 miles from here, committed suicide in his bank by shooting himself in the head. Easton had been cashler of the bank since its organization and was one of its stockholders. He was marthe conditions of all state banks in Illinois was made Easton's bank made one of the best reports that was sent out from this section of the state. The report showed the institution to be in excellent condition. The bank is capitalied at \$25,000

Two Are Scalded Fatally.

Cleveland, Ohio (Special).-Ernest C. Schultz and F. W. Ryle were fatally scalded and twelve others severely burned in an engine room at the has refused to accept the resignation American Steel and Wire Company's plant. A flywheel burst and puntured a steam pipe. The engine room was filled with steam and wrecked with its contents.

Life Sentence For Burglar.

White Plains, N. Y. (Special) .-sentenced to Sing Sing for eighteen months, will be brought back to White Plains within a few days and resentenced to prison for life. A new Representative Clayton, author of law makes the fourth conviction for

Finds Kettle Full Of Gold.

New Milford, Conn. (Special) .-Three thousand dollars in \$20 gold pieces has been found by T. J. Jones on his farm in the Merriall district. while he was digging a trench. Mr. Jones was formerly a New York business man and about a year ago bought the farm from Edgar Peet. The gold was in a tea kettle, which, from its appearance, had been in the ground for many years.

Entombed Men Alive.

Reno, Nev. (Special) .- Three min-The Interstate Commerce Commis- ers, Brown, McDonald and Bailey, the Hill-Harriman roads had com- the Alpha shaft of the Giroux mine bined to exorbitantly raise the rates at Ely, are still alive and able to communicate with miners at the top senator Jeff Davis, of Arkansas, of the shaft. The imprisoned men Wednesday night. Busha took part who, when elected, declared that he have been given enough food and in the Black Hawk war in 1832. He would attack the trusts immediately water through a six inch water pipe

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The water of the natural brine springs of Droitwich is 12 times

This year the area in Kansas in of over 20 per cent, over 1906.

Meerut, India, is reported to have

FINANCIAL

John Busha, 114 years old, died

equipped.

horns.

have wireless telephones.

Department awarded contracts for was introduced by Senator Lodge.

Dies At Age Of 114.

Council Bluffs, Iowa (Special) .--