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### HAS AGAIN INTERVENED

ing of glass. The casket was opened and Mulligan, fully restored to consciousness, sat up and inquired where John Mitchell. he was. He had been in a trance for three days.

when the driver of the nearse heard

groans from within, followed by smash-

Hammond Gives Himself Up.

was found by the police two weeks

later. Since the discovery of the

crime and Hammond's subsequent

light, circulars containing a descrip-

tion of him have been scattered

throughout the country, but in his

confession Hammond says he has been

in Albany since early Friday night, at

the saloon kept by his brother-in-law,

John Mangini, on State street in the

center of the city a few hundred yards

Coal Strike Situation.

This week promises developments

in the threatened coal strike. The

scales committee of the anthracite

mine workers has ratified the schedule

The demands of the miners in brief

are believed to be a full recognition

of the union, a general eight-hour

work day, an advance in wages to be

brought about by a readjustment of

the present scale and a reconstruction

of the rules governing the conciliation

board. Both sides appear to hold

Says There Will Be No Strike.

In a statement Vice President

T. L. Lewis of the United Mine Work-

ers of America declared that there

will be no strike of the mine workers

on April 1, saying the operators will

restore the reduction accepted by the

miners two years ago, and perhaps

A Big Tent For Bernhardt.

have purchased in Kansas City,

Mo., a new, fully equipped circus

tent, which will be used in those cities

of Texas, and probably of California,

in which the first-class theaters have

been denied the actress by the the

The tent is 220 feet long and 130

feet wide and will seat 4,750 people.

The seats are canvas chairs arranged

in sections as in a theater, numbered

and reserved, and with three-foot

An ample stage is provided and a

space 60 by 50 feet, with 30 foot cell-

The canvas theater will be lighted by

electricity furnished by local com-

panies. Trained circus men will han-

Highest Building Yet.

will have a skyscraper nearly 39

feet taller than the Washington monu-

ment, which rises 555 feet from the

ground. The Singer building in Lib-

erty street will be enlarged and from

Its center will rise a 40-story tower

to a height of 593 feet. It will be 65

feet square for 36 stories. The four

succeeding stories will form a dome,

crowned with cupola and flagstaff.

Steel will form the skeleton of the

Death of Ex-Speaker Henderson.

David B. Henderson, formerly speak

er of the national house of representa-

tives, died Sunday afternoon at Mercy

hospital in Dubuque, Ia., of paresis,

which attacked him nine months ago.

All of his family except a son in Cal

ifornia were at the bedside, but Col-

onel Henderson was unable to recog-

nize anyone except his wife since a

week ago, except on Friday when he

Funeral of Justice John F. Parkhurst.

ducted by Rev. Charles N. Frost at

the Presbyterian church in Bath, N.

Y., for the late Supreme Court Justice

J. F. Parkhurst. All business places in

Bath were closed during the funeral

and the flag at the Soldiers' home was

displayed at half-mast. The interment

Bandits Have Collected \$2,000 Ransom.

The bandits who kidnaped Colonel

Hannigan, the Deming, N. M., ranch-

man, from a stage near Silver City,

N. M., are alleged to have collected

\$2,000 ransom money to date, \$1,000

from the colonel and \$1,000 from his

son, yet they still hold him. Officers

fear to attack them in their retreat in

Mogollon mountain, lest they kill the

Drydock Dewey at Las Palmas.

The United States drydock Dewey

has arrived at Las Palmas, Canary

Islands. The Dewey reports heavy

weather in the vicinity of the Island of

Bermuda resulting in strains. It is

the intention that the grydock shall

remain here a fortnight for overhaul

Vanderbilt Detained For Injuring Boy

Pentedera, a town of 13,000 inhabi-

tants, on the road from Florence to

Pisa, Italy, having had an automobile

accident in the street by which a boy

was injured. The boy is not seriously

Gloomy Feeling Over Morocco.

matic circles regarding the outlook at

Algeciras. The hope of a favorable

A gloomy feeling prevails in diplo-

W. K. Vanderbilt was detained at

ing and repairing.

was in Grove cemetery.

Simple funeral services were con-

partly regained his mental faculties.

Lower Broadway in New York

ing, is set apart for dressing room

atrical trust.

alsles

The managers for Mme. Bernhardt

firmly to their respective positions.

from police headquarters.

CONVENTION CALLED MARCH 15

John Cross Hammond walked into police headquarters at Albany on Saturday afternoon, disclosed his iden-Long Conference Between John Mit tity to the officers in charge, and two hours later confessed to District Attorney Addington and Chief of Police Hyatt that he had murdered his wife, and Hard Coal Men. Elizabeth Wilbur-Cramp Hammond, on Nov. 12, and had placed her body in a trunk in their home on South Ferry street, where, partly decomposed, it

New York, Feb. 27. - President Roosevelt has again intervened as a peacemaker between the coal minera and operators and as the result of a letter addressed by him to John Mitch ell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, a national con vention of the miners will be held March 15 to try to reach an agreement with the soft coal operators in the hope of averting the threatened strike of April 1 in the bituminous coal fields.

The president's letter and the an nouncement that the convention would be called were made public last night by Mr. Mitchell after a long confer ence with Francis L. Robbins, president of the Pittsburg Coal company and chairman of the bituminous opera tors. Present at this conference were W. C. Perry of the Southwestern Coal association and B. F. Bush, represent ing the soft coal interests allied with

the Gould railroads. The president's letter is dated Wash

ington, Feb. 24, and says: successive conventions.

"A strike such as is threatened on general welfare of the country. I urge you to make a further effort to | trict. avoid such a calamity

chairmen of the trade agreement com mittee of the National Civic Federa tion and it seems to me that this imposes additional duty upon you both and gives an additional reason why each of you should join in making a further effort.

ators that the national convention should be called.

in the bituminous fields April 1.

pearances, and arrangements have been made for a joint conference Wed nesday between the sub-committees ties in hand.

be summoned and he believes that if there is to be peace the two weeks be tween the date fixed for the miners' as sembly and April 1, when the present agreement with the operators expires is sufficient time to bring about the de sired result. Mr. Mitchell would not indicate what

agreed that the convention should be

New York, Feb. 27. - The eight miles of the Greenwood Lake division of the Erie railroad between Boardville and Greenwood lake was closed to traffic again yesterday by another landslide which completely filled Hen derson's cut just east of Hewitt's sta tion, where there was a similar slide on Sunday. Something like 600 tons of earth and stone filled the cut. Wreck ers were put to work and expected to clear the cut in 24 hours. Passengers for Hewitt and Sterling Forest were transferred to and from trains which van only to and from Boardville and taken to their destination in carriages

Company Withdraws From Missouri Superintendent of Insurance Vandiver dent George D. Eldridge of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company of New York stating that the company will not file with the Missouri insurance department a statement of its business for 1905 and would withdraw from the state. Superintendent Vandiver said that the reception of this notification would relieve him from the issuance of an order of ouster which he had in preparation.

preme court held that witnesses were destroyed.

### STUDENTS' REMAINS FOUND Fate of Three Youths at Kenyon College Made Certain.

Gambier, O., Feb. 27.-The charred bodies of Cadets Winfield Scott Kunkle of Ashtabula, O.; J. E. Henderson of Ridge Farm, Ill., and James J. Fuller of Warren, O., were found in the ruins of Delano Hall.

The bodies of Fuller and Henderson lay close together. They had been room mates. It is believed that they were suffocated to death in bed. Tho lifeless forms were also close to the beds they had occupied and lay in the basement almost directly beneath their room. Kunkle's body had been carried to the west with the falling floors. Trouble was experienced in finding it. The fathers of the cadets hurried to Gambier Saturday night and were present when the finding of the their fate.

Cadets Harry Barnes and Lenox Baker, both residents of Cleveland, were land. Barnes, whose condition had been regarded as critical, spent a restful night and was much improved in the morning.

Cadet J. R. Stearns, whose feet were burned and who sustained injuries by the steamer Athenian, jumping from the burning building, went to his home in Cincinnati. Cadets Alexander W. Walton of Cincinnati and Milan L. Bartlett, each of whom was burned about the arms, left vesterday.

There is no satisfactory explanation as to what caused the fire. Some are of the opinion that oily rags may have caused spontaneous combustion. The floors of the building were ofled, and this, in part at least, accounts for the rapidity with which the building burned.

### COAL MINES BUSY.

### Eighth Anthracite District Breaks All Records For Output,

Wilkes-Barre, Feb. 27.-The report of Mine Inspector D. T. Davis of the Eighth anthracite district shows an increase in the output of coal over April 1 is a menace to the peace and 1904 and 1903, in which years the largest output was recorded in the dis-

The production in the Eighth di: trict last year reached the enormous total of 6,770,022 tons, of which about 1,000,000 tons was produced at the Woodward colliery operated by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company. The increase in production of 1905 over 1904 was 591,369 tons and over 1903 it was 435,060 tons.

Ten more lives were lost in 1905 than in 1904. The report also shows: Collieries in district, 17; mines, 35; until nearly 8 o'clock last night, when mines in operation, 35; employes, in-Mr. Mitchell announced that it was side, 9,238; employes, outside, 3,352; fatal accidents, inside, 38; outside, 10; non-fatal accidents, inside, 20; outside, 11; wives made widows, 38; children orphaned, 31; gaseous mines, 31; non-gaseous mines, 4.

# Black Hand Threatens Death.

that unless he paid \$3,000 in gold and silver coin before March 8 he would be the family ruined. The writer declares that 700 men from Trenton, N. Keesport, and that Dr. Black is one of which has been marked with a large McKeesport postoffice and was turned over to the police for investigation.

# France Wants Ohio Airshlp.

Dayton, O., Feb. 27. - The Wright brothers, who have invented the first successful flying machine, received their first payment-\$25,000-from the French government. The French government is trying to induce the Wrights to give it the exclusive privilege of ownership and manufacture throughout Europe, This machine differs from all others in that it has no balloon attachment, being kept up by screw propellers, which force the machine against the air as a kite is forced by means of a string. The price to be paid for the machine by France is \$100,000.

# Oil Calms the Sea.

Philadelphia, Feb. 27.-The Ameri-Wednesday.

South Bethlehem, Feb. 27. - The general office building and part of No. machine shop of the Bethlehem Steel company were destroyed by fire early resterday, entailing a loss of about \$200,000 to property and valuable records. The vaults of the drafting room in which were kept valuable designs for military equipment, crumbled in Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 27.—The su- the blaze and all their contents were

Glassworker Killed by Car. Findlay, O., Feb. 27.-Earl Snyder and Jay Fry, glassworkers from Fostoria, were struck by a trolley car on

# POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

and Desires to Keep Posted.

Force was employed to dissolve the Hungarian parliaments policemen ordering the deputies to leave the build-

bodies removed the last doubt as to collector of customs of the district of Buffalo Creek, N. Y.

moved on cots to hospitals in Cleve- ing at the evil of coal carrying railroads dealing in coal.

Some Japanese newspapers are ading to advices received at Victoria by

months to the United States to come to an agreement regarding a treaty by extending for that period the German commercial treaty rates.

### Thursday.

said in Pittsburg yesterday; "As far as I know now, there will be a miners' strike April 1."

Mrs. John Waters of Brooklyn throws her three children from a Fall River steamer into the Atlantic ocean

fairs to prevent a steal of the land of the five civilized tribes in Indian Territory.

spectacular elections ever held in Western Pennsylvania.

### Friday.

Commissioner Garfield on the stand in the meat packers' case continued to deny statements made by the packers. James Bryce, chief secretary for Ireland, declared in the house of commons that home rule had no terrors

Representative Hull declared China's warlike attitude was largely due to "injudicious utterances" of United States Minister Rockhill

venor of Ohio was defeated for renomination by Albert C. Douglass in the 11th congressional district. The report of the insurance investi-

gating committee of which Senator Armstrong of Rochester is chairman was presented to the legislature yes-

# Saturday.

Fifty American sailors, with officers from the cruiser squadron now at Naples, were received by the pope at the The arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Long-

worth at Havana was a scene of great enthusiasm, many prominent people going to welcome the bridal couple. Senator Knox introduced a rate regulation bill containing his scheme for review by the courts of the orders of the interstate commerce commission.

The German reichstag by a large majority passed the final reading of the bill providing for the extension of Germany's reciprocal tariff rates to the United States.

### Monday. Men are being enlisted in Manila

for service in China in view of a pos-Three boys are dead and 12 others are badly injured at Kenyon Military

academy in Gambier, O., as the result of a fierce fire in three dormitories. Heads of the leading banks of Cincinnati admitted paying big sums as gratuities to the county treasurer for

use of the public funds. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., after injuring a child with his automoble at Pontedera, Italy, was attacked and beaten by a mob. He was arrested but was set at liberty and proceeded to Flor-

John Hammond, the Albany man who disappeared from home in November, a little while before the discovery of the body of his murdered wife in a trunk, has given himself up to the Albany police.

# Tuesday.

Fashion, it was said by the Japanese consul at New York, is responsible for the small stature of the race. A dispatch from Buenaventura

states that the earthquakes and tidal wave on Feb. 21 did great damage in Colombia, 2,000 people being killed. funds of the New York Photo-Engray-

ers' union, of which he was treasurer, dropped dead at the moment of arrest, Eugene A. Georger, president of the defunct German bank of Buffalo, was placed on trial in supreme court at Al- \$6.00@6.15; mixed sheep, \$5.50@5.60. bion on an indictment for grand lar-

The suit of the World's Dispensary pigs, light, \$6.50@6.60. Medical association against the Curtis Publishing company for \$200,000 is being tried at Buffalo. An alleged libel foundation for the action

### PATRICK WITNESS ARRESTED.

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### Said to Have Perjured Himself In Saying He Had Never Been In Prison.

New York, Feb. 27.- The arrest of Joseph Jordan, one of the witnesses brought here from Texas to testify in behalf of Albert T. Patrick now in Sing Sing prison under sentence of death for the murder of W. M. Rice, marked the climax of the hearing before Recorder Goff on the motion for a pew trial. Jordan is charged with perjury, the complaint being signed by District Attorney Jerome.

Jordan testified last week that he overheard Charles F. Jones, Rice's valet, confess that Patrick was innocent of the crime for which he stands convicted. Jordan was closely questioned by Mr. Jerome at the time and particularly was asked if he had ever been confined in the Texas penitentiary. He declared he had never been in prison.

The arrest followed the appearance on the witness stand of William G. Murray, who was a guard at the penitentiary in Huntsville, Tex., from 1877 to 1882. Murray said Jordan was once a prisoner in his charge.

Counsel for Patrick objected to the arrest at this stage of the case, saying it would militate against the interests of their client. The recorder said he was reluctant to take the action requested by the district attorney in a case where he might hereafter act as a trial judge. He advised Mr. Jerome to apply to a police magistrate. Jordan was taken to police headquarters and will be arraigned today.

Miss Minnie Gailard, a Texas school teacher, was cross-examined and will be in court again Wednesday, when it is said Mayor Rice of Houston, Tex., will appear as a witness.

### Decision In Favor of Railroads.

Washington, Feb. 27. - The suits known as the 'Citrus fruit" cases, in which all the railroads of Southern California were interested, were decided favorably to the railroads by the supreme court of the United States, the opinion being by Justice Peckham. The cases involved the right of the railroad companies to designate the route for fruit shipped east after leaving their own lines. The decision was based on the general ground that the routing agreement violated no provision of the interstate commerce act and aided in preventing

# Maimed For Life by Hazers.

Omaha, Feb. 27.-Paralysis of the back and legs is the result of hazing received last September by Everett. W. Hatch, a student of Creighton Medical college. Hatch was a member of the class of '94, but after one year was forced to leave college. He reentered last fall and some of his former classmates, who decided to haze him, gave him such rough treatment that he will be crippled for life. Hatch says he will sue the trustees of the college for damages.

# New York Provision Market.

WHEAT - No. 2 red, 893ac f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 worthern Duluth, CORN-No. 2 corn, 48c f. o. b.

341/4 @35c; clipped white, 38 to 40 lbs., BUCKWHEAT FLOUR-\$2.10 spot. PORK - Mess, \$16.25@16.75; fam-

HAY-Shipping, 471/2 @521/2c; good

2814c; common to extra, 16@28c; state dairy, common to extra, 15@26c. CHEESE - State, full cream, small choice, 14% c

EGGS - State and Pennsylvania, 21@22c. POTATOES - State and western, per 180 lbs., \$1.65@1.80.

WHEAT-No. 1 northern, carloads, CORN - No. 2 corn, 46c f. o. b. affoat; No. 2 yellow, 461/2c.

OATS - No. 2 white, 3414c f. o. b. afloat; No. 3 white, 34c. FLOUR - Fancy blended patent,

ra tubs, 271/2@28c; state and Pennsylvania creamery, 27@271c; dairy, choice to fancy, 24@25c.

CHEESE-Fancy full cream, 1314@ 14c; good to choice, 13@13%c.

EGGS-Selected white, 1614c. POTATOES - Western, fancy, per bu., 55@58c; home grown, per bu, 50@

CATTLE-Choice export steers, \$5.40 @5.65; good to choice butcher steers, \$4.75@5.25; medium half-fat steers, \$4.25@4.50; fair to good heifers, \$4.00@4.60; good to choice heifers,

HOGS-Best Yorkers, \$6.45@6.50; medium and heavy hogs, \$6.50@6.55;

HAY-Choice timothy, \$12.50@13.00; about the plaintiff's preparations is the No. 1, \$11.50@12.00: No. 2, \$9.00@ 10.50; No. 1 rye straw, \$8.00@9.00

-AND-

# PROTESTED INNOCENCE.

Johann Hoch Died With Prayer For His Executioners.

hicago's Crime Record-State Republican Editors-Death of D. B. Henderson-Senate Passed Pure Food Bill-Building 594 Feet High-Big

Tent For Bernhardt. Johann Hoch, convicted uxoricide, onfessed bigamist and who, if but a raction of the stories of the crimes hat are told of him are true, was one If the greatest criminals this country wer has known, was hanged in the ounty jail at Chicago on Friday for soisoning his wife, Marie Welcker-

Joch. He faced death with a prayer on his ips for the officers of the law who ook his life; and save for the words 'Good bye" his last utterance was an assertion that he was innocent of the rime for which he paid the extreme

enalty of the law. The last scene occurred at 1:34 p. n., while his attorneys were making lesperate efforts for more time on arth for him. His death, the lawyers ay, has not ended the appeal that vas made in his behalf and they promse to carry the case to the supreme sourt of the United States. If it is here decided that Hoch at the time of ils execution still had the right of apseal proceedings of a criminal nature, he lawyers declare, will be instituted gainst all the public officers who had

### nything to do with the execution.

Rate Bill In the Senate. From the time that Senator Tillman resents his report on the railroad rate ill to the senate until the meastre shall have been finally disposed of y the senate the bill will actually, if ot technically, occupy the foremost slace on the calendar. From the befinning of the season the rate reguation question has received eager atention whenever the subject has been

Friends and opponents of the Heburn-Dolliver bill are united in the esire to have the matter taken up s promptly as possible. There will be luli, however, after the formal reort is made, because all who expect o participate in the debate feel the ecessity for sufficient time to prepare.

Senate Passes Pure Food Bill. After 15 years of more or less serius consideration of the subject, the enate passed a pure food bill by the ote of 63 to 4. The vote was taken fter a day devoted almost exclusively o debate of a desultory character on The bill makes it a misdemeanor to nanufacture or sell adulterated or nisbranded foods, drugs, medicines or

iquors in the District of Columbia.

he territories and the insular posses-

tions of the United States, and pro-

libits the shipment of such goods rom one state to another or to a forign country. It also prohibits the reeipt of such goods. Army Appropriation Bill.

hat it will pass Thursday. A compromise on the provision abolshing the grade of lieutenant general n the army has been practically igreed upon whereby General Corbin ind General MacArthur will be alowed to reach that rank before their

etirement. Chicago's Record of Crimes. With crime and violence on the ncrease in Chicago and desperdoes apparently lurking on every treet corner; with thugs brutally atacking defenseless women and easily naking their escape; with the defiant 'plugugly" plying his brass knuckles n broad daylight almost in the center if the city and retreating to safety. he people of Chicago have come to reilize fully that Chicago now is in the

sal annals. Since the first of the year and up to 7eb. 20 there have been reported to he police the following: The murder of five women, the mur fer of 10 men, brutal assault and 'holdup" of 38 women, assault and

nidst of an epidemic of lawlessness

which is the worst by far in munici-

right rlots and 17 fights resulting in asualties. State Republican Editors. The 13th annual meeting of the Re-

obbery of 40 men, 27 burglaries,

publican Editorial Association of the State of New York was held at the FANCY BOOT & SHOEMAKER, State of New York was held at the Shop in Walters building, Cor. Elm and Walnut streets, Is prepared to do all kinds of custom work from the finest to dille Leader presided and A. O. Buntille Leader presided and A. O. Buntell of the Dansville Advertiser acted is secretary. Officers were elected as follows: President, John P. Herrick of the Bol-

var Breeze; secretary-treasurer, A. ). Bunnell, Dansville Advertiser; vice presidents, Elias P. Vair, Waterloo News; A. T. Smith, Herkimer Citizen; I. H. Potts, Troy Times; James E. Klock, Kingston Freeman, and George E. Marcellus, Leroy Gazette; execuive committee for three years: Thom-18 P. Peters, Brooklyn Times; L. C. Button, Massena Observer; W. U. Greene, Fairport Mail; J. L. Taylor, Dobbs Ferry Register, and Hiram Tate, Warwick Advertiser.

# Comes to Life in Hearse.

James Mulligan of loga, Wis., narrowly escaped being buried alive one fay last week. The funeral procession was on its way to the church

President Roosevelt's Letter to

chell and Representatives of Soft Coal Interests-Possible Agreement Between the Anthracite Operators

"Sir-I note with very great con cern the failure in your late conven tion on the joint interstate agreement to come to a basis of settlement of the bituminous mining scale of wages You in this business have enjoyed a great industrial peace for many years thanks to the joint trade agreement that has resulted in the action of your

"You and Mr. Robbins are join!

"Very respectfully, "Theodore Roosevelt." The conference did not adjourn agreed by both himself and the oper

President Mitchell bimself has been quoted as saying that as far as he knew there certainly would be a strike The negotiations for an agreement between the hard coal workers and the anthracite operators have been progressing smoothly, to all outward ap-

having the settlement of the difficul-Mr. Mitchell believes that March 15 is the earliest date the convention can

new propositions will be placed be fore the miners, but significance is attached to his statement that the operators at yesterday's conference

Traffic Closed by Landslide.

# Compelled to Answer Questions.

compelled to answer questions in the Standard Oil hearing in St. Louis. The same point was involved when H. H. Rogers declined to answer questions at the hearing in New York. The St. Louis hearing was discontinaed a week ago, until the supreme court's decision on the point involved conclusion of the conference is fast | should be handed down. ceived severe injuries.

Summary of the Week's News of the World.

Cream of the News Culled From Long Dispatches and Put In Proper Shape For the Hurried Reader Who Is Too Busy to Read the Longer Reports

Wednesday.

The senate has confirmed the nomination of Frederick O. Murray to be

The supreme court of the United States has rendered a decision strik-

vocating the purchase of the Philippines from the United States, accord-Germany proposes to grant 16

John Mitchell is reported to have

and then commits suicide by drown-Senator LaFollette wins his fight la the senate committee on Indian af-

George W. Guthrie, Democrat, was elected the first mayor of Greater Pittsburg over Alexander M. Jenkinson, Republican, in one of the most

Pittsburg, Feb. 27.-Former Mayor Robert J. Black of McKeesport got a letter from the Black Hand declaring murdered, his house be blown up and J., are operating in and about Mcthe first victims to be marked. The letter directs the victim to place the money by a tree in Curry hollow, "Y." The letter was dropped in the

can line steamship Noordland arrived here from Liverpool and Queenstown four days late. The steamer encountered a succession of heavy gales and several times during the voyage had to lay to for hours. Oll was frequent-Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 27.-State ly used with good effect to calm the sea. The Noordland was due to sail has received a letter from Vice Presi | Monday for Liverpool, but it is not Ekely she will be able to leave before

# Fire In Steel Plant.

the Toledo line just as they were about to board a Fostoria car at night. Fry was instantly killed and Snyder reMARKET REPORT.

New York, Feb. 26.

afloat; No. 2 yellow, 48c. OATS-Mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs.,

Hy, per bbl., \$16.50@17.00. to choice, 75@80c. BUTTER - Creamery, extra, 28@

Buffalo Provision Market. Buffalo, Feb. 26. in store, 87c; No. 2 red, 86%c.

per bbl. \$5.00@5.75; winter family, patent, \$4.15@4.98. BUTTER -- Creamery western, ex-

East Buffalo Live Stock Market.

E. A. Shelly, accused of embezzling \$4.70@4.90; good butcher bulls, \$3.75 @4.25; choice to extra veals, \$7.75@ 8.25; fair to good, \$7.25@7.75, SHEEP AND LAMBS - Choice native lambs, \$7.35@7.50; yearlings, choice, \$6.35@6.50; bandy wethers,

# Buffalo Hay Market.