TAFT BARS RECALL BRANDT TO TRIAL.

Will Not Run on Platform Justice Gerard's Decision Schiff Care In New York. Disappointed Litigant Makes Inper and Court Fears Worst. Declaring For It.

READS ROOSEVELT'S SPEECH. GAN DIX PARDON HIM NOW?

Followers of President Do Not Fear Colonel's Personal Boom, but Shy at Some of His Radical Principles, Fearing They Will Find Place In Chicago Platform.

Washington, Feb. 22.-Colonel Roosevelt's speech at Columbus was read with intense interest at the White House and by Republicans generally in Washington. The president's polit ical advisers are more deeply concern ed over the effect of the radical Roose velt propaganda on the Republican 113 tional platform to be drafted at its Chicago convention than they are over the colonel's personal boom for the nomination. The Taft forces feel con fident they can renominate the pres

All of the ideas advanced by Colons Roosevelt on the initiative and refer endum, and especially on the recall of judicial decisions and judges that selves, are abhorrent to President Tr O At the White House no comment w made on the colonel's speech, but Mr Taft's deep concern over the possible ity of any of these new fangled no tions creeping into the Republican in tional platform is well known to ! advisers. So deeply does the preside feel on the question of the recall of ti Judiciary that he will decline to accera renomination for the presidency radi er than stand on a platform which cal rained such a plank

Now that Colonel Roosevelt's los awaited speech has been delivered, president's political advisers are condent that the coming campaign is t be one in which the lines between reicalism and conservatism are to be sharply drawn as they were in the f mous 1806 free silver campaign. President Taft is renominated Democrats, in the opinion of the part dent's political advisers, will name Woodrow Wilson or Cha-Clark on a platform containing all a the modern ideas advanced by Roosvelt in his spench in Columbus.

In that event the president and followers expect to see the business interests and the thinking people o the country rally to Taft's support they did to the support of McKinley is the two campaigns against Bryan

Some of Senator La Follette's arden admirers are going around declario that the colonel had not only kidning the La Foliette boom, but had maaway also with the Wisconsin state man's platform, built up through man years of laborious political toil. 'I am delighted with the speech

said Senator Moses R. Clapp, one of the most progressive and militant of the Republican insurgents. "It is a radical speech." *

Bristow, "but is just what we desire

and it will be popular with the pro-Even some of the radical Democrat had a good word for the colonel's ut

terances.

"It was a delightful surprise to me and, of course, I approve it," was the comment of Senator Chamberlain, a Democrat of Oregon.

T. R. PRAISES KOHLER.

Cleveland Police Chief Man After Ex-President's Own Heart.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 22.-Three thou sand people of Cleveland braved the slush and rain here to greet Roosevell on his return to New York from Columbus.

As the train pulled into the depot it was greeted with a roar of cheer which drowned out all other sounds it the big station. Roosevelt's car can shunted to the fence which marks of the concourse, and in response to the longed theering the former presider stepped to the platform. The sight the mer the colonel's eyes was one of the wildest enthusiasm. The cheers for "Teddy" and the applause made a deat eating din, in which one could not d tinguish words. Chief Kohler was the

The colonel later told the chief that he would have been sorry to have left Cleveland without seeing him. He said the chief was a man after his own heart, with plenty of nerve.

HOPES FOR RACING BILL

Assemblyman Cuvillier Believes Lower

House Will Pass His Bill. Albany, N. Y., Feb. 22.-Assembly man Cuvillier, who last week reintroduced the Gittins bill designed to re-Heve directors of race tracks and county fair associations from liability for gambling taking place on their premises without their knowledge, has introduced a bill which would define bookmaking without writing as "the laying or publishing of odds to all com-

ws or to the public. Mr. Cuvillier believes he can muster enough votes among Democrats and Republicans to pass the bill in the lower house.

Woman Educator Dead.

Belfast, Feb. 22.-Mrs. Margaret Byers, doctor of laws and principal of Victoria college, Belfast, since 1859, is feed here. She was the first Ulster woman to receive an honorary degree from the university.

Creates New Question.

For Schiff Valet Is Now In Position of Man Who Was Never In Prison, Says District Attorney Whitman-May Be Released In Custody of His Counsel.

New York, Feb. 22.-Supreme Court Justice Gerard has sustained the writ of habeas corpus in the case of Folke E. Brandt and ordered a new trial for Brandt on the ground that Judge Rosalsky erred in accepting Brandt's plea of guilty of burgiary in the first degree when the man's statement to the court showed that he did not intend to plead guilty to that crime.

Out of courtesy to Governor Dix, Justice Gerard waited until he learned that Attorney General Carmedy's arguments had failed to move the governor and that there would be delay whichever way the governor decided.

However, the decision of Justice Gerard will not be today, since it is a legal holiday. Therefore since the order remanding Brandt for a new trial and establishing his status as a man ladicted, but not actually convicted, is not yet on record, provided that the governor concludes before Friday to free Brandt, he can do so without any question arising as to his constitutional right to pardon a man who is not legally a convict. The constitution says that the governor can pardon or commute a sentence "after conviction."

Brandt, who is now in the Tombs, may be released on ball today. An application will be made then to Justice Gerard asking that the justice fix bail for Brandt and order his release. When the young Swede was arraigned back in March, 1907, on Mortimer L. Schiff's complaint that he had committed burglary and assault. Charles S. Whitman, then a magistrate, held him in bonds of \$5,000, \$2,500 on each charge. It is indicated that District Attorney Whitman will not press for heavy bail now. He may accept a small figure or consent that Brandt be released in custody of his own counsel. The district attorney does not seem to think that Brandt will hurry back to Sweden to go into business; he needs Brandt in the conspiracy inquiry.

Immediately after Justice Gerard acted the question arose as to what effect the decision had on the governor's power to pardon and on the pardon inquiry started by Judge Hand on Tuesday. District Attorney Whitman said that it seemed clear to him that executive elemency cannot be exercised after the supreme court order is filed. Justice Gerard, Mr. Whitman said, indisputably knocks out the conviction and puts Brandt back in the courts for trial on the two indictments against him, burglary in the first de gree and felonious assault. According to the district attorney, Brandt stands now as if, there had never been any court proceedings against him save the arraignment in police court and the action of the grand jury.

SANTO DOMINGO REVOLT.

Impossibility of Forwarding Mails Through Frontier Points.

Cape Haitien, Haiti, Feb. 22.-The Santo Domingo revolution is extending every day, especially in the vicinity of the frontier, where communication between Dajabon and Monte Christi is suspended. A Santo Domingan coast defense vessel left this port for Fort Liberte, carrying the mail for Dajabon, which it was hoped to reach over Haitian territory. The mail was landed and sent on, but was soon brought back again and taken on board the warship once more after it was found impossible to forward it to its destination.

Enrique Jimenes, the special delegate of the Santo Domingan government in the province of Monte Christi. was also unable to travel by road. He therefore crossed into Haiti and embarked at Fort Liberte for the port of Monte Christi.

FIRE IN HOOSAC TUNNEL.

Wreckage Burns Following Wreck

Which Four Were Killed. North Adams, Mass., Feb. 22.-Many hours are expected to clapse before the Hoosac tunnel will be cleared of the debris piled up in the rear end collision, in which four trainmen were killed. The smash involved an eastbound Boston and Maine express train and a string of freight cars.

The electrical engine of the passenger train was demolished and a number of freight cars were plied up in wreckage.

TALE OF THE WEATHER.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

| | Temp. | Weather. |
|-----------------|-------|----------|
| New York | . 50 | Rain |
| Albany | . 24 | Sleeting |
| Atlantic City . | . 46 | Cloudy |
| Boston | . 34 | Rain |
| Buffalo | . 24 | Snow |
| Chicago | | Snow |
| St. Louis | . 26 | Snow |
| New Orleans . | . 48 | Clear |
| Washington | . 50 | Cloudy |

JUSTICE GERARD.

Frees Brandt In Notorious



MOTORBOAT RULES OUT.

Changes Are Made In Style of Life Preservers to Be Used.

Washington, Feb. 22.-The motorbont regulations for the coming senson have been issued by Acting Secretary Benjamin S. Cable of the department of commerce and labor through Commisdoner Chamberlain of the bureau of

The rules for life preservers are slightly changed. Where passengers are taken for hire life preservers stamped by the steamboat inspector must be carried.

In other cases life preservers of buoyant cushlous capable of sustaininaffoat for twenty-four hours a down ward pull of twenty populs will be accepted. No life preservers or cush ions filled with granulated cork or oth er loose granulated material and m pneumatic life preservers or cushions are approved.

The department records indicate the there are about 150,000 motorboats in the United States. Last season 1.657 violations of the motorboat law were reported by collectors of customs. Motorboat clubs, the motorboat periodica and the daily press have aided greatly In enforcing the law the past two sen sons, and the requirement that every motorboat shall carry two copies of the pilot rules has created a general school in the elements of navigation attended by doubtless as many as 300.

COLOMBIANS HAVE NOT HEARD

Minister Ospina's Note About Knox's Visit Kept From Public.

Bogota, Colombia, Feb. 22.-The a tion of General Pedro Nel Ospina, Co lombian minister to the United States in notifying the state department at Washington that the visit to Colombia of Secretary Knox would be inoppor tune owing to the fact that Colombia' claim in connection with Panama had not yet been arbitrated, has not become known to the general public. The Co lombian government has the matter un der consideration, but the newspapers are either entirely ignorant of the occurrence or else comment has been suppressed by the authorities. A strong sentiment for an honorable

settlement of the Panama affair has been gaining ground all over the coun try without regard to the differenceviews of the political parties.

WHAT IS COLOMBIA'S CLAIM!

Senator Hitchcock Wants Facts In Ca nal Zone Acquisition.

Washington, Feb. 22 .- A concurren resolution introduced by Senator Hitch cock of Nebraska directs the commit tee on foreign relations to ascertain and report the facts relative to the claim of Colombia against the United States growing out of the acquisition of the canal zone. He also desired all the correspondence referring to the of fer of Colombia to submit the matter to arbitration.

At the request of Senator Lodge of Massachusetts the resolution was referred to the committee on foreign relations.

VICTIM OF RECALL WINS.

Gill of Seattle Gets Largest Number of Votes at Primary.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 22.-Hiram C Gill, elected mayor two years ago and removed at the recall in less than a year, finished at the head of the poil in the nomination primary for city offi cers. It is estimated that he polled 25, 000 votes and that his nearest competitor, Thomas A. Parish, business men's candidate, polled 12,000 fewer votes. The election will be held on March 5

Princeten Men to Dine.

New York. Feb 22.-One thousand graduates of Princeton will greet President John G. Hibben at a dinner tomorrow night at the Waldorf-Astoria Besides Dr. Hibben, the speakers will be President Finley of City college, Job E. Hedges and Dr. Francis S. Patton.

ACCUSES PITNEY.

Grave Charge.

CASE TO SUPREME COURT.

Michael McManus, Formerly a Philadelphia Contractor, Says New Justice Signed Dead Man's Name to Orders Revoking Foreclosure. Will Ask Impeachment,

Philadelphia, Feb. 22.- Grave charges are made here against Chancellor Mahion Pitney of New Jersey, who has been nominated by President Taft to the United States supreme court. As the accuser is a disappointed liti-

gant, the charges should be taken with distinct reservation of judgment. The litigant, Michael McManus, was formerly a prominent contractor of Phila delphia, being now retired. Mr. McManus charges that Chancel-

lor Pitney in 1910 signed the name of a dead man, the late Vice Chancellor Grey, to a revocation of an order issued by Grey himself staying foreclosure on certain properties owned by McManus. He also charges that the Chancellor entered his revocation as part of the records of 1904.

Mr. McManus declares notice of the Grey decision was withheld from bim and his attorneys and that therefore it was unjust of Chancellor Pitney to rule against him because of his failure Army Officers Pleased at Progress in to take advantage of the Grey ruling within the prescribed thirty days.

As the case will go to the United States supreme court, Mr. McManus says he does not want it to come before Justice Pitney. He said he would ask the department of justice in Washington to bring impeachment proceedings and would also file a protest with exhaustive examination of the pur-President Taft.

MAN HELD UP AND BEATEN.

Fugitives Are Stopped by Policemen's Bullets.

Philadelphia, Feb. 22.-William Hennessy of this city was so severely beatbery, that he had to be taken to the Pennsylvania hospital.

His cries attracted the attention of the assailants fled. The policemen gave chase and fired several shots after the fugitives, bringing them to a standstill.

They proved to be two colored men, who gave the names of Linwood Taylor and George Fletcher, living here. They were locked up, after which they were arraigned for a hearing in the central police station and held under \$1,000 bail for court.

NEGRO ATTACKS GIRL

Fugitive.

Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 22.-Miss Nellie Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis B. Reed of this city, as she was going to her home on North Indiana avenue passed a negro. The man turned to follow her. He struck her upon the shoulders, snatched her purse and took to his heels.

Miss Reed was knocked down, but she quickly arose and, drawing a hatpin, started in pursuit of her assailant crying "Stop thief!" as she ran. The man was too swift for her and for a number of men who joined in the pursuit. But he threw aside the purse. which was recovered.

BARRED FOR "TURKEY TROT."

Rutgers Students Are Posted as Ex cluded From Future Dances,

New Brunswick, N. J., Feb. 22. Rutgers students who did the "turkey trot," "bunny hug," and like dances at the junior prom Friday night are uneasy because of a notice which appeared on the bulletin board to the effect that "the following men are prohibited from attending any future dances be cause of undesirable conduct at the junior promenade."

One of the junior prom patronesses said that the dance she saw was not objectionable, and she really enjoyed the "turkey trot," if that was what it

LINEMAN FALLS 35 FEET.

Elmer Yeager, Who Tumbled From Pole, In Serious Condition.

Pottstown, Pa., Feb. 22.-Elmer Yenger, a telephone lineman, is in the German hospital here, suffering from a fractured leg and badly cut scalp as a result of a fall from a thirty-five foot pole in Souderton, Pa. Yeager is an employee of the Key-

stone Telephone company and was brought to the hospital by Dr. M. B. Ouerholtzer, Souderton. His condition

WEDS THIRD TIME AT SEVENTY

Eli Barfot, Frankford, Makes Widow His Bride.

Frankford, Pa., Feb. 22.—Ell Barfot, seventy years old, a real estate dealer of Frankford, was married for the third time in five years. Together with his bride, who was Mrs. Margaret McIntyre, a widow, sixty-five years old, he started on a wedding trip.

Barfot's first wife died five years ago.

Barfot's first wife died five years ago. Frankford, Pa., Feb. 22.-Eli Barfot,

Barfot's first wife died five years ago. His second wife died two years ago.

KING FREDERICK.

Ruler of Denmark Suffers Re-



ick suffered a severe relapse The greatest anxiety is expressed by members of the court.

THROUGH CANAL NEXT YEAR Panama.

New York, Feb. 22.-A ship through the Panama canal from the Atlanti the Pacific before the end of 1913 the prospect held out by Major W. I. Kenley and Colonel W. J. Hann, U. A., who returned from the canal : on the Prinz August Wilhelm after and locations of the proposed fortific tions. The two officers are to submit report to the secretary of war.

Both are enthusiastic over the prog ress of the work on the canal. Major Kenley bases his prophesy that a vessel will be able to proceed from ocean to ocean through the canal before the end of next year on observation of the en by two men, with the object of rob- conditions and on reports from the engineers in charge.

completed. There will be three forts on the Pacific side and one on the Atlantic side, with fortifications at stratetwo policemen, upon whose approach on the Pacific side and one on the Atgical points along the line of the canal These fortifications will be equipped with guns fitted to shoot three miles into the air for use against aeroplanes.

POPE FORBIDS A DUEL.

Count Pecci, Head of Papai Guard,

Has Trouble With a Prince. Rome, Feb. 22.-Count Pecci, nephew of the late Pope Leo XIII., who is commander of the papal guard, has chal-Her Cry of "Stop Thief" Scares the lenged Prince Altieri to fight a duel. Cardinal Merry del Val, the papa retary of state, has written a letter to Count Pecci forbidding the duel and exhorting him not to cause a deep sor-

row to the pontiff. The trouble arose over an altercation at cards. Count Pecci lost heavily and finally got into a heated discussion with the prince. The count finally insuited the prince, who then slapped his face.

The arrangements for the duel have been suspended owing to the papal ald. prohibition, but Count Pecci insists on fighting to the last. He claims that his honor has been compromised, and unless he is allowed to fight he will resign his command of the papal guards. Friends of both parties are hopeful. however, of being able to bring about a reconciliation.

Market Reports.

New York, Feb. 22 BUTTLER-Firm: receipts, 4.532 parkages; creamery, specials, per lb. 18c. extras, 254c.; firsts, Tida25c.; seconds, Na Tc.; thirds, Iba154c.; held, firsts, TiaT15c.; seconds, 26a264c.; thirds, Ec.; state dairy, tubs, finest, 28c.; good to prime, Malle ommon to fair, Malle ; process, specials common to fair, Dame: process, specials, Bijarie; etc.; extras, Dc.; firsts, Bacible; seconds, Ma24ic; factory, current make, firsts, Ec.; seconds, Mc; thirds, Hallier, packing stock, current make, No 2 234s, No 3 21a2c.

CHEESE - Firm; receipts. We boxen state, whole milk, held, specials, white per lb., 17%c; colored, 17%c; average fan-ey, white, 17%c; colored, 17%c; winter ey, white, 17½c.; colored, 17½c.; made, average fancy, white, 15%c ored, 15½c.; undergrades, 14½aléc.; d fall and earlier, best, 17%c.; state skims, winter made, specials, white, 14%a14%c.; colored, 14%a14%c.; choice, 13%a13%c.; undergrades, nominal, 17%a18c. EGGS-Excited; receipts, 12.63 cases.

fresh gathered, extras, per dox, \$7a35c firsts, 36c.; seconds, 25c; dirties, 20a31c checks, 27a29c.; state, Pennsylvania and acarby, hennery whites, fancy large 25 40c.; fair to good, Ma38c.; hennery brown Masse.; gathered brown and mixed colors,

HAT AND STRAW-Steady; timothy per 100 lbs., \$1al.35; shipping, 95e.; clover, mixed, \$1al.20; clover, 95c.a\$1.20; long rye straw, 90a95c.; oat and wheat, \$8as.c.; small bales, \$2a5c. less.

Live Stock Markets, Pittsburgh, Feb. 12.

CATTLE-Receipts fair, market slow good to choice, \$7.25a7.50; good. \$7a7.25 medium, \$5.40a6.75; tidy (1.000 pounds). \$50 e.50; fair, \$5.10a5.85; common common to fat bulls, \$2.75a5.65; common. \$3.50a4.50 fat cows, \$2 16a5; helfers, \$3.50a6; fresh ows, \$15a55. HOGS -- Receipts, ten loads; market

steady; prime, \$6.50; prime mixed, \$6.50a

at.85; yeal calves, \$6a9; heavy and this salves 22.50ml 50

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Notice

Traverse Jurors summone for fourth week of March Tern The fortification plans have been of Court 1912, will report fo

PPLICATION FOR LICENSE

A FOR THE YEAR 1912.
The following named persons hav filed their petitions for a license an the same will be presented to Cour of Quarter Sessions on Monde March 14, 1912. HOTELS.

Buckingham - Michael France Canaan-Jas. Gildea, Paul Vaver

Clinton-H. T. O'Neill. Dreher-H. B. Smith, O. Dyberry-Asa Kimble, Matthew

Hawley-Christian Lehman, Ma tin Reafler, August H. Frank, Ge Kohlman, Angela Hughes, Frank . Denison, F. J. Crockenberg, Lafayett

Honesdale-Frank N. Lord, Jr Lennon & Coyne, Jesse T. Barlow C. W. Elmendorf, Charles McArdl Paul E. McGranaghan, Chas. McDo

Lake-Flora M. Schadt. Lehigh-C. W. Garagan, Manchester-Wm. F. G. Emric

Wm. A. Bleck, Frank & Martin D. Breun Mt. Pleasant-I. W. Bunnell, Wr. Preston-Anthony Yeager, P.

Madigan, W. J. Healey. Salem—H. F. Nicholson, Ralp Foote. South Canaan-John Bentham. Starrucca-John Woodmansee.

Texas—Thomas Gill, Frederic Krantz, James Mundy, F. W. Bu nell, charles H. Murphy, Georg Meyers, John C. Smith, Frank T. Bi hop, Emmet A. Hurley, Frank Man Waymart-Walter J. Mitchell.

RESTAURANTS. Canaan-James J. Burnett. Clinton-John Opeka. Hawley-Gus. Deitzer, J. Adam ouis Geisler.

Christopher Honesdale-Henry Beurkett, John H. Heuman Taeubner, L. Herm Fred O. Gelbert, F. W. Michels, Ber Loris, Jr., A. R. Taenbner Weniger, T. D. O'Connell, Meyers, W. B. Roadkn Silsby, John Theobald. W. B. Roadknight, Chas. Texas-Chris. J. Hook, Jaco

BOTTLERS. Honesdale-John Roegner. Palmyra—Luke P. Richardson. Texas—Fell Brewing a Compan William Neimeyer.

WHOLESALE. Clinton-Geo. W. Stiles, Jos. He

Hawley-Patrick H. Kearney. Honesdale—Michael Galvin, Pa McGranaghan, Paul Fives.

The Pennsylvania Centr Brewing Co. W. J. Barnes, Clerk.

Feb. 20, 1912. PPRAISEMENTS .- Notice is g A en that appraisement of \$3 to the widows of the following na ed decedents have been filed in t Orphans' Court of Wayne county, a will be presented for approval Monday, March 11, 1912-viz:

Blanche E. Smith, Scott: Person Myrtle Swingle, South Canaa

Adelaide Burcher, Damascus: Pe sonal.

W. J. BARNES, Clerk. Honesdale, Feb. 16, 1912.