

FIFTY-FIRST YEAR

# CONSOLIDATION OF S. P.-U. P. OFFICES.

Local Agency of Southern Pacific to Be Closed Down September 1, Under "Community of Interests."

The local agency of the Southern Pacific will be closed down on September 1, after which date all Southern Pacific business will be attended to by the Union Pacific.

Despite the fact that the present Union Pacific block, on west Second South, has recently secured, handsomely fitted, a considerable expense and a considerable amount of time to lease the offices, J. R. Gray, the general agent of the company, is now looking for a new tenement.

Just what is going to become of General Agent Gray, and Traveling Freight and Passenger Agents R. K. Minson and A. H. Wilde, has not at this time been decided. It is said, however, that they will be taken care of. As J. R. Gray is a nephew of J. C. Stubbs, who is responsible for the shakeup throughout the country, it is a foregone conclusion that there is something good in store for him. It is understood that the Gray has already been offered a position under the Harriman interests in the East which he has taken into consideration, but at the same time he has signified his desire to stay in Salt Lake, if possible. Regarding the future, however, the local officials affected by the order are not inclined to say.

There is another evidence of the general working of the "community of interests" policy. Not only is Salt Lake affected by it, but a general consolidation of western roads as regards passenger and freight business is being pushed over by W. W. Elliott and two aides, and also the Los Angeles agency of the Northern Pacific, leaving the Great Northern to handle the business for the Hill-Morgan interests in Southern California.

has nearly been perfected and now it is said that the same policy will be in effect regarding the Burlington and the Northern Pacific where offices of the two companies are situated in the same city.

September 1 bids fair to be long remembered in railroad circles as the date when Harriman's headman, J. C. Stubbs, inaugurated an epoch of decapitation and incidentally reached out after the scalp of a number of the employees of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific. Following out the policy of economy whereby the working expenses of the two roads may be materially cut down, it is expected that the separate corps of freight and passenger men in the various agencies of the two roads will be materially trimmed. This order will go into effect both East and West. In Southern Pacific territory the interests of the Union Pacific will be looked after by the former road, while throughout the country contiguous to the great "Overland" Union Pacific officials will attend to all business destined for the consolidated roads.

It is stated that in Los Angeles, where the Southern Pacific and Union Pacific have for years maintained a separate staff of passenger and freight men, now that both companies are under one management, the corps of Union Pacific husslers, consisting of Geo. Lang and two assistants, expect to be dropped.

A similar consolidation is expected in San Francisco, where the Union Pacific auxiliary lines have already been wiped out, and it is believed to be part of the new program to do away with the Los Angeles Burlington agency presided over by W. W. Elliott and two aides, and also the Los Angeles agency of the Northern Pacific, leaving the Great Northern to handle the business for the Hill-Morgan interests in Southern California.

# MADMAN'S TERRIBLE VENGEANCE.

Madness Causes Rasmus Anderson to Shoot Emily Campbell and Then Blow the Top Of His Own Head Off.

[Special to the "News."]  
Harrison, August 2.—Miss Emily Campbell, one of the prettiest girls in the city, is lying at her home with one eye wounded in her body, while her rejected lover, Rasmus Anderson, lying in his coffin with the top of his head shot away. There is another victim, P. C. Christensen, a mail carrier, who will have to have one of his arms amputated because of a bullet received in the arm.

The whole tragic situation is the work of the man who is in the coffin. When he placed the muzzle of his gun to his mouth and fired thought that he had hurled into eternity the soul of the girl he hated because she did not return his passion.

It is the story of a wild love, a mad delirium and a diabolical plot against the life of an innocent girl. Miss Campbell had been visiting with friends in Salt Lake for some time. She had been engaged to her fiancé, and because her finer nature was repelled by some of the qualities that Anderson exhibited, Anderson was a brute. He could shoot and boast about it. He gloried in telling of his exploits that made the hair on the heads of the village boys rise. To say that he was a disturbing element in the community where he lived is telling it with charity. When he was rejected by the girl, he had been supplanted by another man. It was an affront upon his pride and an outrage to his good nature. He was antagonized by the girl, the first time in his life, and that he, a man, no one had had the temerity to do to him before and live not even a peaceful day.

She had refused to be his and he was determined that she must die. Under the influence of these feelings Anderson sent a telegram to the young lady in Salt Lake, telling her that her mother was dying, and signed her father's name to the message. The girl suspected nothing. She prepared for the journey in haste and boarded the Rio Grande train for the south. When she arrived at Chester she ascended the seat of the mail wagon, driven by P. C. Christensen, and they started out for Mayfield. There was something that told the girl that there was something wrong. Her mother was dying and she was going to see her. She was dying and she was going to see her. She was dying and she was going to see her.

When Anderson thought he had finished his deadly work he turned to the tree, where he had tied his animal. But the horse became so alarmed by the firing he broke loose and ran away. Then the assassin knew that he was long determined men would be on his heels, and the hangman's noose blurred his vision. In the frenzy of the awful moment he placed the muzzle of his gun to his mouth and fired. The next moment he fell to the ground almost decapitated.

Miss Campbell was taken on to Mayfield, where Dr. Andrews is attending her. He says that she will live and become strong again. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Campbell, a highly respected couple. Anderson was 27 years of age and might have been a popular and useful citizen.

# LOWEST BID FOR PAVING, \$140,280

The board of public works opened bids this morning for the paving of Second South and Third South from State to West Temple. The lowest bidder was the Alcatraz Asphalt and Paving company of San Francisco—\$140,280. The other bidders were the N. P. Glann Construction company of Chicago, \$183,100, and the City Street Improvement company, \$157,970.

The award will probably be made at a meeting of the board to be held Monday morning.

# IT CAUSED A GREAT SENSATION.

Gold-Blooded Boer Atrocities Have Horrified Great Britain—Stern Policy of Punishment is Demanded of General Kitchener.

New York, Aug. 2.—The cold-blooded Boer atrocities reported by Gen. Kitchener have caused a feeling of horror throughout the country, says the Tribune London correspondent. This morning's newspapers call for strong measures to meet this development of the war. Men who resort to deliberate murder forfeit their belligerent rights. The weakness of the British position

# A TRUST OF ALL TRUSTS.

Interest of Two Great New England Combines Are Joined.

OTHERS TO BE ABSORBED.

New Board of Directors Contains Representatives of Three Wall Street Combinations.

New York, Aug. 2.—Interests identified with the Morton Trust company of this city, have completed arrangements in Providence, R. I., by which the Industrial Trust company, of that city, the second largest trust institution in New England, has passed into the hands of a financial syndicate that will operate it as an ally of the Morton Trust Co., says the Herald.

A controlling interest in the stock of the Industrial Trust company has been bought and delivered to the syndicate. The new factors were given a representation in the board of directors. There are three of Wall street's most important combinations represented in the new board and it is understood that a policy of further absorption of trust companies in New England will be aggressively pursued.

At the meeting there were elected Levi P. Morton, Thomas F. Ryan and G. F. Baker, representing the Morton Trust company; James Stillman, representing the National City Bank, and Richard A. McCurdy representing the Mutual Life Insurance Co.

# KIMBERLY'S EXCUSE.

Correspondence in which He Was Relieved from Inquiry.

Washington, Aug. 2.—The navy department did not announce today the successor of Admiral Kimberly on the Schley court of inquiry. The following correspondence with Admiral Kimberly relative to the latter's declination, was made public today.

# KIMBERLY'S LETTER.

"West Newton, Mass., July 29.—Sir:—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of precept of a court of inquiry, which is to convene on the 12th of Sept., in which I am named as a member. I regret to have to request that I may be detached from said duty owing to disability from a weak heart, and its attending complications, being under medical treatment for the same.

Much to my mortification this is the first department order that I am unable to honor during a naval life of fifty-five years. I am, very respectfully, "Your obedient servant," "L. A. KIMBERLY," "Rear Admiral, U. S. N.," "John D. Long, Secretary of the Navy, Washington, D. C."

# KIND REPLY.

"Navy Department, Washington, D. C., Aug. 2.—Sir:—The department is in receipt of your letter of the 28th, expressing regret on your part on being obliged to ask that you may be detached from the duty of serving on the court of inquiry convened the 12th of Sept. next. The department has with regret that you are suffering from heart trouble and its attending complication for which you are under medical treatment. Such being the case, the department is reluctantly compelled to grant your request.

"Your letter continues: 'Much to my mortification this is the first department order that I am unable to honor during a naval life of fifty-five years. Let me hasten to assure you that there is no cause for mortification at this incident. On the contrary, it affords an opportunity of which the department gladly avails itself to congratulate you for a record so loyal to the service. Moreover, this record amply justifies the wisdom of the secretary of the navy in assigning to you the grave and conspicuous duty of serving upon the court.'

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Cloudburst Precipitates Torrent of Water Through Mining Camp.

DID CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE

Water Five Feet Deep on Main Street—Tremendous Stream Divided, Otherwise Town Would Be Destroyed.

[Special to the "News."]  
Bingham, Aug. 1.—This place has just passed through one of the thrilling experiences of its history. Yesterday afternoon the citizens thought they were all going to be drowned. A cloudburst above the town sent a raging torrent down the canyons, and if the whole flood had been concentrated in Bingham canyon the result would have been a Johnstown on a smaller scale. As it was the creek overflowed its banks and the rain fell in torrents until the rushing tide filled the principal streets of Bingham. It was five feet deep on Main street, and one man, W. H. Myers, came nearly being swept away. If he had his chances to save himself would have been few.

It is estimated that the loss resulting from the flood was about \$2,000, some of the heavier losses being A. Klipenstein, whose house was damaged to the extent of \$1,000, and J. C. Groves, who lost his stock damaged to the extent of \$200; the restaurant, belonging to Mrs. Gavin was damaged about \$25 worth; and \$50 damage was done to the telephone building.

The telephone was used in warning the people in the canyon below until the operators were compelled to leave the building on account of the water.

# MANTI IS INUNDAED.

Torrent of Water Sweeps Through the Streets, Leaving Wreckage.

[Special to the "News."]  
Manti, Utah, Aug. 2.—Manti presents a deplorable picture at this time. Yesterday afternoon a cloudburst in the canyon was followed by the overflow of Manti creek and the spreading of the flood throughout the principal part of the city. Hundreds of cords of logs and masses of debris of all kinds were swept into the streets. The flood took away fences, flooded gardens, lawns, entered houses, flooded cellars and basements, doing great damage to some sections of the city. The water has gone down, but the streets are left full of mud and wreckage.

# CAPT. PALMER TO GO TO HUACUCA.

[Special to the "News."]  
Washington, D. C., Aug. 2.—Capt. Guy G. Palmer, Thirtieth infantry, at Salt Lake City, will, upon expiration of sick leave, report to the commanding general of the department of the Colorado for duty at Fort Huachuca.

# OFFICER BROWN INJURED.

Falls From His Bicycle and is Painfully Hurt.

[Special to the "News."]  
Ogden, Aug. 2.—This morning officer Charles C. Brown met with a painful accident on lower Twenty-fifth street. He was riding on the pavement, which had been rendered slippery by reason of the rain, when in turning his wheel it slipped from under him. He was hurt about the right side and received bruises in other parts of the body. Dr. Condon attended him.

# THIEVES RAID A BARN.

Last evening some thieves entered the barn of George Parker on Wall avenue and stole a number of carpenter tools, including saws, planes, etc.

# JUDGMENT SUIT ENTERED.

Suit has been entered in the district court by Charles E. Kellogg company against Isadore Meyer to recover judgment on a \$38 note issued in July, 1895, with 10 per cent interest.

# CORUNDUM MINING.

Geological Survey Issues a Report Upon it in the United States.

Washington, Aug. 2.—The geological survey has issued a report on the occurrence and distribution of corundum in the United States. It shows considerable activity in corundum mining in the last few years. Several localities have been brought to light, particularly in Ontario, Canada, where the corundum occurs in a syenite and in North Carolina, and Georgia, in a gneiss or a quartz chert. Except in Montana the corundum localities in the United States are limited to the Appalachian region, and its mining has been confined to northeastern Georgia and southwestern North Carolina, except for the emery mines at Chester, Mass. Let me hasten to assure you that there is no cause for mortification at this incident. On the contrary, it affords an opportunity of which the department gladly avails itself to congratulate you for a record so loyal to the service. Moreover, this record amply justifies the wisdom of the secretary of the navy in assigning to you the grave and conspicuous duty of serving upon the court.

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# MURDERED HIS SON-IN-LAW.

Henry Nudson Found Him Beating His Daughter.

SHOT LEFT LUNG TO PIECES.

Daughter Beings Her Husband—Tragedy Occurred in Dead Man's Gulch, Montana.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 2.—Ira Turner was shot and killed last evening in a woodchopper's cabin in Dead Man's gulch, eight miles from Missoula, by Henry Nudson, his father-in-law, Nudson and his family came west from their former home in Norfolk, Neb., a year ago. Nudson and his son-in-law had taken up timber claims in Dead Man's gulch. Nudson says that after having returned from town to the Shams he found Turner beating his wife. He went to his own cabin, a short distance away and got his shotgun. Through an open window he blazed away, the charge striking Turner's left lung and killing him almost instantly. Nudson then gave himself up. The girl takes her husband's part.

# St. Paul After Montana.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Plans are being made by the Milwaukee & St. Paul to get Nudson and his son-in-law, who are in livestock business from the ranges to the principal markets. Assistant Freight Agent Calkins, who has charge of the livestock business of the road, Captain M. Nickelson, special livestock agent, and two Chicago livestock men have gone to Everts, S. D., on the Missouri river, the western terminus of the Milwaukee & St. Paul system in South Dakota, to investigate the livestock business in that section and the activities of the company will be based on their reports.

# Stradonitz Is Elected.

Berlin, Aug. 2.—Prof. Reinhard Kekule Von Stradonitz has been elected rector of the Berlin university.

# Will Arrive Next Friday.

New York, Aug. 2.—Yachting experts think that Sir Thomas Lipton's cup challenger, Shamrock II, may reach New York harbor on Friday, August 3. She has covered the 1,300 miles from the Clyde to St. Michaels Island, Azores, in five days, or at the average speed of 260 miles a day, beating the record of the Shamrock I to the Azores by one day.

# At Colorado Springs.

Colorado Springs, Aug. 2.—The principal feature of the Colorado quarter-centennial celebration in this city today was an address by Theodore Roosevelt, Vice President of the United States, on "The Growth of the West During the Last Quarter of a Century." On his arrival this morning, Col. Roosevelt was welcomed by Gov. Orman and staff, war veterans, school children and many others. At 10 o'clock he was escorted to North Park, where he spoke in the open air to an assembly of 10,000 people, who gave him an enthusiastic reception and frequently interrupted his remarks with applause.

# The Unlucky Ones.

El Reno, O. T., Aug. 2.—After the last of the 13,000 names were drawn from wheels last night the great boxes containing the 150,000 names of unlucky applicants were taken to the school house. There the work of drawing was continued but no record other than numbering the envelopes and notifying the owner of name therein is being made. It is thought no less than 20,000 names a day will be drawn from now on. The last name drawn today was El Reno district by C. A. Halbrook of Portland, Mich., and by Harvey F. McLaughlin of Arkansas City, Kansas, in the last section of the drawing. The scene was taken unmarked by any demonstration. The streets today are lined with prairie schooners, laden with household goods, and all are headed south. The town, which last Monday accommodated about 10,000 visitors, is nearly deserted today. Last night and this morning's trains have carried away hundreds who remained for the close of the drawing. The commissioners who will have charge of selling town sites will leave today and tomorrow for their districts. The sales will begin on August 6th.

# Railway Collision.

Odesa, Mo., Aug. 2.—Two Chicago & Alton freight trains collided head-on at Grain Valley today. Engineer Jacques was killed and Engineer Walsh and Fireman Pullman, all of Slater, Mo., were injured badly. Both engines are wrecked.

# To Confiscate Bad Milk.

Chicago, Aug. 2.—Adulterated milk and cream are to be confiscated in future at the receiving depots of all railroads. The discovery of formalin at the receiving depots will result in the seizure of the cans and the dumping of their contents into the nearest gutter. In order to stop the entrance of drugged milk and cream into Chicago, Commissioner of Health Reilly has adopted the plan of testing the milk as it is unloaded from trains and before it is distributed to dealers.

# "Shinny" Tournament.

Long Branch, N. J., Aug. 2.—Sixty-four golf players, amateur and professional, took part in the opening round of a "Shinny" tournament which was begun today on the links of the Hollywood Golf club.

Out of the first forty players this morning the best scores turned in were those of Findlay S. Douglas, the former amateur champion, and Bernard Nicols, a professional of Boston, each of whom went around in forty. Next to them, George Lowe of Dyker Meadow, Jack Park of Essex county, Alexander Campbell and Gilbert E. Nicols, both of Boston, all professional players, who turned in cards of forty-one strokes.

Willie Anderson and Willie Smith, the present and former open champions, together with John Hobens of Glen Ridge, N. J., were the next best with forty-two each.

# Tennis Tournament.

New Castle, N. H., Aug. 2.—The players in the Wentworth tennis tournament met for the final in singles this forenoon. Hobart was defeated by Irving Wright in the first match, and Hobart won by virtue of greater strength and experience.

Singles, semi-finals—C. Hobart beat Wright, 6-4, 6-4.

# GREATEST STRUGGLE IS ABOUT TO BEGIN

United States Steel Corporation and Amalgamated Association Cannot Agree Upon Terms of Settlement of Strike.

Pittsburg, Aug. 2.—The situation in the Amalgamated Steel strike this morning is anything but favorable to an amicable adjustment of the dispute between the association and the United States Steel corporation. As far as can be learned President Shaffer of the Amalgamated association has not received any reply from the New York officials of the company regarding a further conference except the telegram which, it is said, was received last night declining a further discussion of the questions at issue between the labor leaders and the company. This telegram gave the substance of a letter which had been mailed and which was expected to arrive in the first mail this morning.

# ONLY TWO COURSES.

The refusal of the steel company officials to enter into another conference, if adhered to, leaves only two ways open to the Amalgamated association. One is to order the striking workmen back to work under the best terms obtainable and the other is to proceed with the strike in the hope of involving all the union men employed in the constituent concerns of the United States Steel corporation. The first course certainly holds little promise for the workmen since the strike has abrogated all the union scales in force before the trouble started, leaving them entirely at the mercy of the manufacturers. The second course means a struggle to the death for the association, as the announcement has been made on good authority that the mills will be started next week with non-union men if the strikers do not resume work.

# TO USE ALL EFFORT.

The executive board went into session at 10 o'clock and James N. Schreyer of the labor bureau of the Republic Iron & Steel company, and Joseph Bishop, secretary of the Ohio board of arbitration, were present. It is reported that the final effort of the Amalgamated association before proceeding with the strike will be to bring every influence to bear towards arranging for another conference with the company officials.

# WILL NOT RETREAT.

A rumor was current that the Amalgamated association, at its executive board meeting today, would withdraw from a position which was thought to be untenable and would sign an agreement with the combination. Prominent association men denied this, and declared that unless peace could be secured with honor to the association the strike would be continued. Nothing could be secured from President Shaffer or the other officials of the association as to this, as they say that whatever they have for the public will be given in the form of a statement.

# WILL BE REASONABLE.

It is said that before a general strike is ordered the officers of the United States Steel corporation will be fully informed of the situation of the Amalgamated officers if more favorable terms are not promptly presented for the consideration of the board. A reasonable time will then be given before the extreme measures are resorted to by the association. It seems almost certain that if the request of the Amalgamated association for another conference is refused the strike will be extended to all the plants controlled by the big steel corporation, where the Carnegie steel company has a foothold, and that it will be the bitterest struggle between capital and labor ever seen in this country. In the big plants of the Federal Steel company, the National Steel company and the National Tube company all the organized men will be called out and every effort made to close the mills.

It was reported that J. E. Schwab left last night for New York, but he was in the city this morning. President C. M. Schwab of the United States Steel corporation, was reported from New York to have left that city last night for Pittsburg, but a positive statement was given out from the office of the Carnegie Steel company that President Schwab was not in this city. The conference adjourned at noon and issued the following:

# "NOTHING TO GIVE OUT."

"There is nothing to give out. We will re-open at 2 o'clock." It is absolutely impossible to get any of the conferees to give an expression of what has or what will be done.

# SOME DISCOURAGED.

The strikers at Clark's mills in this city are very much discouraged at the turn affairs have taken with regard to the settlement of the trouble and several of the most enthusiastic strikers have intimated their intention of returning to the plant at the earliest moment on the most favorable terms possible. The strikers at Painter's mill and the

Lindsay and McClutcheon plan, are all enthusiastic and say they will stay out until the leaders notify them to return to work.

At Wellsville, Ohio, the feeling is growing that there will not be an early settlement.

# STRIKERS ARE VIGILANT.

The strikers are not relaxing one iota of their vigilance. Every avenue of entrance to the town is being closely guarded.

A McKeesport dispatch says: "The presence of three supposed strike breakers was the cause of considerable excitement here last evening. The first of the supposed strike breakers was discovered about 4 o'clock in the afternoon and gave his name as Edward Meyer. He frankly announced his intention of going to work in the Deweese-Wood mill and was told just as frankly by the patrol which was questioning him that such a move would result in some accident occurring to him. He was put on a street car and taken to Pittsburg by way of strikers. Two more men were found in the evening and after considerable questioning were requested to leave town. They promised to leave and then gave their guards the slip. Patrols made a search for them during the night but did not locate them. The strikers threaten to handle them without gloves when they are found."

Fifteen striking structural iron workers attacked a number of non-union men loading iron at Wilkinsburg, Pa., this morning and Charles Force, one of the workmen, was seriously injured. The workmen, reinforced by a number of policemen and about 100 citizens, attacked the strikers who retreated and disappeared in Fern Hollow. Search is still being made for the men and should they be captured there will be trouble."

# Using Negro Labor.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 2.—The big steel combine is utilizing negro labor to supplant its white workers in the Newburg mills here. Already a couple of hundred colored men have come to the city from Pittsburg. Homestead and adjacent iron centers in Pennsylvania. They are domiciled in a large dwelling house at the mill. The negroes from Alabama and Tennessee, according to the colored agent of the steel corporation, see in this strike a glorious opportunity to improve their condition and are flocking north in large numbers.

# Resumed Conference.

Pittsburg, Aug. 2.—President Shaffer, Secretary Williams and all the vice-presidents returned from lunch at 2 o'clock and a few minutes later the conference resumed.

# Still Have Hope.

Pittsburg, Aug. 2.—A Wellsville dispatch just received says: Assistant Secretary M. E. Tighe at the national office of the Amalgamated association called up organizer Harry Griffiths, who remains in charge here in the continued absence of vice-president John Chappell, by long distance telephone, and notified him that the national officials still hoped to avert the breaking off of the present negotiations with the combine. Tighe denied the reports that negotiations had been already severed. He urged Griffiths to keep his men well in hand and to prevent any possible chance of an outbreak.

# MINERS IN SYMPATHY.

Will Not Predict Action if Trusts Resort to Injunction Method.

Columbia, Ohio, Aug. 2.—President H. W. Haskins, Vice President Dennis Sullivan, Secretary Savage of the Ohio mine workers organization, held a lengthy session today. The meeting was called to discuss the mining trouble over the state. When asked if the steel strike had been discussed the following interview was had:

"The miners of Ohio have been and are now ready to assist all classes of organized labor. We have an agreement with Ohio operators which expires April 1, 1902, but if the so-called trusts or large corporations are going to use the injunction for the purpose of defeating other labor organizations in their contention for justice and a fair share of the results of these large industries we are not able to predict what policy the miners will pursue."

"It is safe to say that we will be found willing and ready at all times to take such action as will conserve the best interests of the steel workers and not only them but other labor organizations."

"We have confidence in the far-reaching ability of President Shaffer, Secretary Williams and the executive board, and if the members of the Amalgamated association of steel workers now on strike pay particular attention to the advice of these officials we believe and are confident that the strike will end in a victory for members of the craft."

# Assault Lynched.

Smithville, Tenn., Aug. 2.—Charles Davis on trial for criminal assault on Miss Katie Hines, was taken from the court room by a mob of the friends and relatives of the girl and lynched. The immediate cause of the lynching was the introduction of witnesses in an alleged effort to defame the girl's character. Davis made an effort to jump from the second story window, but was captured before he escaped. Excitement runs high, about 1,500 men being

# CULLOM ALSO.

Canton, Aug. 2.—Senator Cullom of Illinois spent the day with the President. His object in coming here, he said, was to confer with the President on two or three matters, none of which was of general public interest.

"I expect to talk over the legislative