

ed to the comptroller of the currency and be not thereafter allowed to be in any way impaired under the same penand be not thereafter allowed to be in any way impaired under the same pen-alties and conditions as now prescribed is improved to be in any way impaired under the same pen-their present 10 per cent of the \$1,-con.ooo.ooo of trade washed by the shores for impairment of capital stock. These mendments would tend to remove the incentive to excess loans and also pro-vide a larger loaning power to "We transport this matchless product of the Pacific.' Put of the United States and said: "We transport this matchless product of farm and fuctory, forest and mine-from the Interior to the sea at one-third what similar services cost anywhere else beneath the skies. We carry it from point to point along the coast in better vessels: In quicker time and at charger rates than others. But at our the banks. Similar provisions in state laws doubtless would be increased. A much more serious abuse lies in the not infrequent act of man-aging officers of banks making disunts to themselves out of the banks' ads. It is an observable fact that in cheaper rates than others. But at our coast line we are brought to an abrupt halt. Here we are no longer independsreat number of bank failures there have been found among their assets the worthless notes of high officers of the bank for the large toans frequently without any security at all, or with "straw" security which proved to be He concluded as follows: He concluded as follows: "Our foreign commerce is four times as large as 40 years ago, but we carry in our own ships only one-third as many gross tons as 40 years ago. We have protected and encouraged every interest but our merchant marine, and every protected interest has flourished. We have every facility for international mercane expert international merabsolutely worthless. This is a most flagrant and reprehensible violation of to say nothing of business ethics. It is the easence of personal dishonesty It is a wanton disregard for the fun-damental conceptions that such officers We have every facility for international commerce except international mer-chants, international bankers and an international merchant marine. Shall we not have these? I am not urging ship subsidies. I am speaking of Fe-sults, not of methods. If we will but take advantage of our opportunities we international devices of form and are the chosen guardians of a trust fund. It opens wide the door to pre-varication and fraud and it is a traves-ty upon legitimate banking. We should urge Congress to deal rigorously with these abuses by pronouncing them as folonies, with extreme pains and pen-alties; and we should urge this asso-clation and the state bankers' associafactory under every sky and into every port, and make our financial centers tion to take this matter before their rethe clearing houses of at least a frac-tion of the world's trade," Secy. Shaw was forced to acknowl-edge a rousing reception at the conspective state legislatures so as to comprotection where there is wanting cial integrity and a proper sense of orlety. On the ever-present ques-of the country's currency system, this association spoke at San Francis-co two years ago. We all agree that "quality and not quantity" comes first. Largely through the influence of our association "quality" has been forever appured. No current in the world rests clusion of his remarks. CLUE TO A BURGLARY THAT

comment since the premiers ac-panying his majesty indicates pestions of state will be coust Spanish royal family.

in Germany. However, the king's visit to Germany was arranged long ago, and is generally believed to be connect-ed with the matrimonial projects of the Smarkh royal and the missing \$100,-of officers engaged on the robbery, it is said nothing of importance has been

to further developments today in the mysterious disappearance of Edward G. Cunliffe, employed by the Adams Exlearned. learned. It is also known that Cualifie, the suspected man, signed for the money package containing the \$160,000 and that the package never reached the money rewarding office of the Adams Express company, located at the Union station, this city. It is also known that there was about \$1,000 for the Wood

Panama, Oct. 11 .- Mai.-Gen. Geo. W.

on a more firm and solid foundation to-day than does ours. On the question of quantity' your voice will be no less ent and eventually decisive. "Financiers differ as to the proper methods of assuring at all times a currency ample but not redundant elasbut not capable of ulterior manip-tion. "Asset currency" and "emergency currency' are terms not yet cap-able of exact definitude, it has been suid that "fools often rush in where angels fear to tread." In considering this question let us not emulate the former nor arrogate to ourselves the wisdom of the latter, but as conservapatriotic, business men may solve the question aright, and having once made up our minds, have the courage to enforce our convictions."

SECY. BRANCH'S REPORT.

Interest was manifested in the an-nual report of Secy. James R. Branch, which showed that the membership and the association have increased as follows;

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Interest on \$10,000 government bonds of 1925; annual dues, 900. Making the total income; annual dues, \$125,950.

During the past year 1,038 members

were losp through failure, liquidation consolidation and withdrawal. One thousand, one hundred and fifty-two members joined, more than ever before in the history of the organization. The members' aggregated capital, surplus and deposits, now amounts to \$11,460,-515,557

Secy. Branch praised the work of the protective committee. During the past year detective agency employed by the association captured 62 professional bank criminals, 35 of whom have been convicted and sentenced to prison. The committee on uniform law, the hood suffrage,

OCCURRED FIFTY YEARS ACO

Oakland, Cal., Oct. 11 .- What is believed to be the clue to a postoffice burgiary which occurred 52 years ago in Alameda county was discovered today when workmen were engaged in demolishing an old building at East Twelfth street and Twelfth avenue, East Oakland. In 1853 the building in question was occupied by the Clinton pestoffice and an express office. In December of that year burglars robbed both offices, taking several thousands of dollars in gold slugs.

icle Sam's mail sack was rified its contents disappeared. The Uncle and its contents disappeared. The thief was never apprehended nor was the mail recovered. Today a moldy bundle of letters and papers was found when a wall of the old building was torn down. There was a draft for \$100, addressed to Francis Stead, from \$100, addressed to Francis Stead, from the New Orleans banking house of Horace Bean & Company. It is dated Sept. 30, 1553 and was never paid. The draft was drawn on Jacob Little & Company, New York. Other letters, which are only in part decipherable, making inquiries about the California gold fields were in the bundle.

bundle

CZECHS AND GERMANS

In Prague Unite in Demonstration For Universal Suffrage.

Prague, Bohemia,Oct. 11 .- The Czechs and Germans united yesterday in and Germans united yesterday in a demonstration in favor of universal suffrage. Peaceful crowds estimated to number from 50,000 to 60,000 persons assembled in the neighborhood of the dist building and sent a deputation to the land marshal, Prince von Lobokothe rand marshal, Prince von Loopko-witz, and the governor, Count von Coudenhové, to present the officials with their reviews on the suffrage ques-tion. This movement is expected to spread until all Austria demands man-

BROKE HIS NECK. But the Man Walked a Mile to His Tent.

Cincinnati, Oct. 11 .- After falling into a gravel pit near Lawrenceburg, in-diana, yesterday, and breaking his neck, an Italian laborer, assisted by a friend, walked nearly a mile to his tent, holding his head in his hands. The injuries will prove fatal.

Cooler Weather in New Orleans.

New Orleans, Oct. 11 .-- With a fall of 15 degrees, bringing the temperature down to 61 degrees, New Orleans today had its first taste of fall. Very much older weather was experienced in orthern portions of the state, while normern portions of the state, while advices to the weather bureau brought reports of frost as far down as Fort Smith, Ark. The effect of the fail in temperature will be to still further thin out the masquitos and tend to increase the improvement in the fever situation.

Premier Katsura Dines Harriman

Tokio, Oct. 11.-Premier Katsura gave a dinner today iu honor of E. H. Har-Miss Alice Roosevelt was present at the garden party which Count Inouye, secretary of the home office, gave yes-terday at his residence in honor of Mr.

Harriman. Japanese Capture Steamers.

Nagasaki. Oct. 11,-The Norwegian steamer Arnfrid and the German steamers Kowloon. Hans Wugner and M. Struve, have been captured by the Jap-anese at various times recently while on their way to Vladivostok.

Struck a Floating Mine.

Tokio, Oct. 11, 7 a. m.-A report has een received at Moji that the British steamer Leho struck a floating mine, 50 miles east of the Shangtung light house on Sept. 30. Of the crew and passengers, 15 are reported missing, among them two foreign engineers.

Yi Yong Ik on a Secret Mission. Victoria, B. C., Oct. 11-Yi Yong Ik,

the former Korean minister, who ea-caped to Shanghai in a junk, is stated by Shanghai papers to be on a secret mission to Europe. On arrival at Shanghal he addressed a long telegram mission to the Chinese empress. The minister belleved to be a Russian agent, and apanese officials sought to apprehend him before he could leave Korea.

To Investigate Riparian Rights.

Chicago, Oct. 11.-Rigid investigation into the rights of the city along the river and the lake shore is to be made a committee of five citizens appoint-yesterday by Commissioner of Pub-Works Patterson.

It has been estimated by the com-missioner that stub ends of streets all along the river have been occupied without permission of the city for years and that the property thus held for and that the property thus held for private purposes would amount in value to at least \$1,000,000, and might reach as high a figure as \$5,000,000. The en-croachments on the lake shore use of definition independence of a solid state. similar importance, and a preliminary report will be submitted to the city council asking an appropriation for a complete survey of the river, harbor and lake shore. | thereabouts.

here was about \$1,600 In the Wood treet office of the company, Monday, which cannot be found. Some of the others say Cunliffe is in hiding in this city while others are of the opinion that he is many miles

Incinnati, Oct. 11 .- The First Natal bank of this city today receive telegraph from Pittsburg the \$100 which was to have been bri express but disappeared in Pitts-ig. The express company directed payment to the bank immediately hidden that it had been actually n'iz. their possession at the time of Its

Prof. Laughlin to Lecture

Chicago, Oct. 11 .-- Following the reatly established custom of exchangprofessors between the University Chicago and leading universities of ermany, Prof. J. Laurence Laughila the political economy department of deago will sail for Berlin shortly to

Chicago will sail for Berlin shortly to deliver a series of lectures on impor-tant economic problems. The lectures will be in English and will fouch on questions not only closely associated with conditions in the Unit-ed States but also in Germany and oth-er European countries. It is announced that Prof. Oscier, Oucker, of the Unitthat Prof. Oscar Oucker of the Uni-versity of Berlin will give lectures on German history at the University of Chicago in the near future,

Englishman Ordered Deported.

San Francisco, Oot. 11.-Alexander F. Hinton, a cabin passenger on the liner Coptic from Yokohama, has been ordered deported. Hinton is an Eng-lishman and a consumptive.

Histon's appearance attracted the at-feption of the federal quarantine offi-chis at this port and when an investi-gation demonstrated that he was a vio-tim of tuberculous the steemship company was notified not to allow the siel; man to land. Hinton will be returned to Yokohama on the Copile.

Fied From Worry.

Chicago, Oct. 11 .- A dispatch to the

Chicago, Oct. IC-A displach to the Tribune from Los Angeles, Cal., says: Dr. J. W. Ordway, a wealthy farmer and banker st Onawa, Ia., died yester-day as the result of warry over frequent attempts to rob him. During the last eight years he had been held up 12 times. times.

Registration in New York.

New York, Oct. 11 .- When the city registration books were cloved early this morning 141,509 voters had been registered for the day. On Monday 205,500 registered. The figures of yes-terday and Monday give a total registration for the two days of 347,269.

Remnants of Russian Squadron.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. IL-A Nagasaki paper says the remanants of the Rus-sinn squadron which escaped to neusimp squardon word escaped to neu-tral ports will go to Nagasaki to winter. The British China squadron under Ad-miral Noel, the American Philippine squadron under Admiral Train, and a portion of the Japanese fleet were to assemble off Yokohama on Oct. 10 or thereabouts.

000. Notwithstanding the large force sulting engineers, in an interview yesof officers sugaged on the robbery, it tersay, said he had noticed that much is said nothing of importance has been progress had been made in canal affairs. He found the situation very satisfactory and thought the sankary measures enforced were bound to make both the canal zone and the terminal cities as healthy as it is possible for cities in the tropics to be. The general was gratified at meeting his num-erous old Panama friends again.

The American engineers refused to make any statements, claiming that they had not had time to digest in formation obtained here. It is report-ed, however, that the discussion at the last session of the board showed that a majority, including the European en-Maj.-Gen. Geo. W. Davis, chairman of the board of consulting engineers, nformed the Associated Press that the sessions of the board would continue

or the steamer Havina and also at Nashington, and that it would be at east a month before report could be cosented.

Edouard M. Quellenae of the Suel Edouard M. Quellenae of the Suez canal staff, Adolph Guerrard, the French delegate, and J. W. Welcker, the Dutch delegate, informed the As-sociated Preus that they could see no problem which the engineering energy and the treasury of the United States could not solve. M. Guerrard said he investit the mean different reaching thought the most difficult problem would be the control of the Chagres river and in connection with the Cu-lebra cut but he admitted that every good work was now in progress. As a Frenchman he said, he lamented that France had abandoned the canal, but he felt proud that the greatest work of the century had found its initiative in uch brains.

Here Welcker was very optimistic as to the future of Panama, and said that e thought that a city bigger than suenos Ayres would spring up here, which would be the metropolis of Cenal and South America.

DECORATION OF TOWNS.

Mayor Dunne Favors White In-

Chicago, Oct. 11.-Mayor Dunne yes-terday declared himself in favor of white paint instead of red in the dec-oration of towns, particularly with reference to Chicago. The occasion was the opening of the convention of the National Paint Ol & Variash company, "I trust," said the mayor, "that if you must paint the lown it will be with white paint, and not with red, as Chi-cago is in need of all influences toward cleantiness. However, if a gertain Chicago, Oct. 11-Mayor Dunne yescleantiness. Hovever, if a gerialy mount of red paint is used. I place the Chicago police at your service and will personally see that any of your mem-bers are well cared for."

the memory. In quark the associa-tion placed facif on record as endors-ing the actions of President Roosevelt as expressed in his last massage.

VERY VALUABLE GIFTS.

said Francisco, OCL 11, -Soveral very valuable gifts were received by the board of regents for the state univer-sity at its monthly meeting today. Mrs. Hearst a donation alone amount-ing to nearly half a million dollars. archaeological and anthropological ma- 1 of both of them.

Mr. Calt was born in Davenport, Jowa, inl 1860. He was graduated in Jowa, ini 1860. He was graduated in civil engineering from the lowa state cullege in 1882. In 1883 he organized and became president of the New York Dredging company which engaged in various harbor improvements for the United States government, for private parties along the Atlantic and guil coasts, including a seven mile ship ca-nal at Sabine Pass, Texas. He organ. United states governments for Divergence of the United states government, for private parties along the Atlantic and guilt coasts, including a seven mile ship ca-nal at Sabine Pass, Texas. He organ. ized later the Atlantic, Gulf and Paci-fic company, an association of engineers and contractors of which he was presi dent. The company has a \$3,000,000 con-tract for harbor work in the Philippin Islands and \$2,000,000 worth of coast

consent to bequeath his body to

work. Mr. Catt was married to Mrs. Carrie Lane Chapman of Seatile in 1890. They have no children. It is generally believed, however, that the moving will continue over into Thursday. It is admitted by Mr, Ram-sey's attorneys that his greatest strength lay in his bond proxies and in-asmuch as he failed to elect himself a director this morning, he has no chance in the stockholders' caucus. Yesterday when objecting to the vot-ing of the stockholder's caucus, Judge Doyle, counsel for Mr. Ramsey, served notice on the caucus that if the stock was voted against his protest, the election would be contested. After the election Judge Doyle saidf "Mr. Ramsey has, so far as I know, at present no immediate intention of contesting the election. He may de-cide to start something later, however,"

CHAS. MAHLE ARRESTED.

Charged With 15 Robberies and Complicity in One Murder.

Chicago, Oct., 11,-Charles Mahle charged with 15 robberies and compli

charged with 15 robberies and comple-city in one murder, was arrested near Hohart, Ind., jast uight, after a fun-ning revolver light, during which he was serverely injured by deputy sher-iffs. Makie for the jast two weeks had been assisting the police and deputies in their efforts to solve the mysiory surpounding the crimes for which he was arrested at last. It was in this way that he averted suspicion from himself. That he could be implicated in the crimes was not suspected until

himself. That he could be implicated in the crimes was not suspected until Mahle offered to seil a watch in a sa-loon at Hobart. His engenness to seil the watch at any price aroused the sus-picion of a deputy, who followed him from the place. The deputy learned lat-er that the watch corresponded to the description of one stolen from William Haistend. a farmer. When Mahle found that he was sus-pected he took to flight, but was fol-One Woman and Two Men Ara

Portland, Or., Oct. 11,—Advices to the Telegram from Roseburg, Or., state that in a fight between Greeks and the superintendent of a railroad gang and some of his friends, the wife of the su-perintendent was killed and two of the pected he took to flight, but was fol-lowed by a number of farmers and deputies. Several shots were fired on ttacking Greek laborers. Particulars oth sides and the fugitive at last hid meager.

JAMES' INSTALLATION.

Elaborate Preparations Have Been Made for It.

FIGHT WITH GREEKS.

Killed.

bondholders' caucus was commenced. It promised to continue even longer than the examination of yesterday for the reason that there is 62,000,000 of stock against \$33,000,000 of bonds and it is even more widely held. Many questions relative to provide that will come up in considerating the stock were settled yesterday in handling the bond provides and this may shorten the impeting somewhat.

It is generally believed, however, that

Chicago, Oct. 11 .- Elaborate prepara. Chicago, Oct. 11.—Elaborate prepara-tions have been made for the exercises attending the installation of Edmund Janes James as 'president of the Uni-versity of Illinois at Urbana. The ex-ercises will begin next Sunday and continue during five days. Some of the most noted scholars and educators in the country will take important part in the country will take important part in he program arranged for each of the

There will be conferences on religious and educational subjects to which eminent scholars will contribute papers.

CAMPAIGN ASSESSMENTS.

Mayor Dunne Says There Shall Be None on Chicago Employes.

Chicago, Oct. 11 .- "No assessment of Chicago, Oct. II.— No assessment of oity for campaign purposes." Is the dio-tum of Mayor Dunne. He made plain that he did not intend to endorse the custom of employes in the classified service being compelled to contribute to the campaign fund, yesterday, after sending a check for \$000 to the county committee.

"That check." said the mayor, "was my personal contribution to the cam-paign. There will be no assessment of paign. There will be no assessment of classified employes for campaign pur-poses. If any of the employes contrib-ute voluntarily nothing can be done, as they would not be amenable to the civit service bureau. But there will be no computation about their contributions, and a voluntary subscription is not a solicited subscription."

same flat building in Eighteenth street each of whom belloved that she was the only wife, Robert Benecker was arrested has night and arraigned in court today on a complaint made by two of the women. He is 25 years old five days. two of the women. He is 25 years old, and a painter. The woman who claims to be his first wife, Norma, 19 years old, and Emily, 20 years old, who says she is the sec-and Mrs. Benecker, told the police that a third wife was at Lowell, Mass., and that the two, while still ignorant of each other's relations to Benecker, were per-suaded by him that the Lowell girl was his sister. They said they had both supplied money with which he recently sent her back to Lowell. The woman who says she is the first wife. Norma Benecker, told the police that after her husband left her and went to house-keeping with a second wife in Eigh-teenth street, she herself moved to the same house without knowing that Ben-ecker was maintaining another wife there. Emily, who claims to be this other wife, corroborated this story and said further that she and Norma had been acquainted with each other before their marriage.

He was found a short time later, hots were fired, and he was wounded before being captured. ARRESTED FOR BIGAMY. Robert Beneker Charged With Baying Three Wives. New York, Oct. 11 .- Accused of hav

ing had three wives living, two in the

John H. Peters of New York replied

to the mayor. Steps were taken to establish a fire assurations association for the benefit of the members. The question of railroad

Many Are Made to University of California.

Francisco, Oct. 11 .- Several very to nearly half a million dollars, the past seven years she has been ceiling from all parts of the world, covered that Benedler was the husband

a haystack. stead of Red for Chicago.