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Tucker.

its members fair and reasonable rail-road rates, established upon such a basis as will place Salt Lake City on a parity with competition wherever lo-

on upon Lorenzo Bean at the Orpheum roominghouse some weeks ago, was set for tomorrow morning. Three minor cases were ordered dismissed upon motion of Asst. County Atty, Myers. GOSS RESIGNS TO MARRY.

FRENCH BISHOPS.

State Faculties.

value the maintenance of the protocols seriously celebrated in 1894 and which

Gen. Garlington, the inspector, spent

the consideration that the Osige peo-ple should receive, as their part of the oil value after the expiration of the 10-year lease. It was well known to you at that time what the sub-lesses were paying for small tracts in the Os-age mation and adjoining lands in the Cherokee nation as the Cherokee leases

Cherokee nation, as the Cherokee leases passed through the interior department and their approval and the royalties and bonuses received by the land owners were a matter of record and ap-proval in the interior department rec-ords. It is scarcely possible, that with these records before you, you failed to notice that \$10 per acre cash bonus and one-sixth royalty was much below the average compensation to the land owner. Indeed, in many instances, cash bonuses of from \$50 to even \$100 per acre were received by the land owners. "A few cases found in the interior de-partment records are as follows: "The Lannon family,700 acres, Chero-

kee nation, immediately joining the Os-age nation, interior department lease, made in 1903, cash bonus \$40,000, royalty one-eighth. We have eight or 10 simi-lar leases where general public infor-mation shows cash bonuses substantiat-ly as large as the above, and royalties dinate officers in charge of the Indian office at Muskogee, on orders from the interior department this morning refused to permit examination of the rec-ords to confirm same accurately, but they are subject to your investigation, and you will find, no doubt, that the Lannon lease was only an average

'And numerous other leases adjoining the Osage nation give you the oppor-tunity to know that a bare one-eighth royalty, without any cash bonus to the Osages, was a gross outrage on that nation nation

OSAGES FILED REQUEST.

"Congress no sooner gave you the au-thority to fix the amount of compensa-tion than the Osages filed a written re-quest with you for an opportunity to be heard and produce evidence, which they could easily have produced, showing you that a cash bonus of \$7,000,000 and one-sixth royalty would be indeed a moderate compensation for them. "You neglected to give the Osages any opportunity whatever to be heard. The fact that 680,000 acres of rich oil land was the stake that the Standard Off company was playing for, and the land owners denied the right to be heard. is something that will require a more lucid explanation that Mr. Pierce has seen fit to give. "Congress no sooner gave you the au-

more lucid explanation that Mr. Pierce has seen fit to give, "Any practical business man is ready to recognize that 680,000 acres in one tract of land is of far greater propor-tionate value than the small tracts of a few hundred acres each, and there-fore, the greater surprise that you should have fixed a royalty, without any cash bonus, much lower than the individual land owners were securing on small tracts. There was no such on small tracts. There was no such improvident leases being made in that whole combined field.

"Mr. Pierce suggests in his letter the that as a matter of fact it was to me that as a matter of fact it was not known at the time that the Stand-ard Oll company was the real party in interest. I submit to you that the very fact that Messrs. Guffey, Barns-dale and Senator Depew, well known Standard Oll representatives with oth-ers of the same odor, making a per-sonal appeal to you for this low royalty to the land owners, should have been Simple evidence that the Standard Oll company was the real beneficiary.

DEPEW'S PART.

"It was the same Senator Depew who Induced you to grant the Prairie Oil &

case and preparing a report, but no action, so far as known, was taken by the war department on it.

EUGENE V. DEBS IS SERIOUSLY ILL

Newark, N. J., Oct. 13.-Eugene V. Debs, the Socialist candidate for presi-Debs, the Socialist candidate for presi-dent, who was taken ill while making a campaign tour on his "Red Special," was so ill this morning that he could not meet a delegation of Socialists who called to express sympathy. His phy-sleians say he is suffering from a se-vere cold. It is expected the train will leave here this afternoon.

SLIGHT ACCIDENT TO JUDGE TAFT'S TRAIN

Sterling, O., Oct. 13 .- Gov. Hamis joined the Taft special before it left Akron this morning to participate in the meetings until Grafton is reached the meetings until Gration is reached at noon. So great was the crowd at Barbertown, the first stop of the day, that Mr. Taft had to make two speeches, one to a part of his audience, after which the train was moved up and he talked to those who could not see or hear him make his first ad-dress

dress. Wadsworth produced another big au-Wadsworth produced another big au-dience which cheered for both Taft and Harris. At both places as well as here, Mr. Taft talked of the tariff and of la-bor conditions. He spoke of the beau-tiful October morning and of the de-light it gave him to campaign under all the favorable circumstances which

The front truck of Mr. Taft's car on the special train went off the track just as the train came to a stop here at 10:20 o'clock. The siding was a new one and the rails spread. No damage was caused, although the delay may disarrange the speaking schedule for the day.

enough to pay the famous \$29,000,000

on the bage and the famous \$29,000,000 fine.
"I shall insist upon the cancellation of this lease in the interest of these citizens of our state, or that Congress take action to deckare this improvident and unjust lease void, and compensation that other owners are receiving.
Marvelous as it may seem, the difference between the royalty you fixed for this new lease, and the average amount received in the balance of the oil field, by land owners controlling their own property, is fully equivalent to a net loss of \$10,000 to each and every member of the Osage mation, and whether this gross injustice to our people was accomplished by your lack of consideration, or in any other ways, the authorities of the state of Oklahoma will not rest until this lease has been cancelled and justice done our people. Respectfully.

with the matter and said some other Haskell must have been meant. Gov. Haskell declined this morning

NO CLOUDS ON THE BULGARIAN HORIZON

Sofia, Oct. 13.—"There is no cloud on the Bulgarian horizon," sums of the official view in Sofia of the official view in Sofia of the official events that

have transpired since the proclamation of Bulgarian independence by Prince Ferdinand, Oct. 5. The government is convinced that the chancelories of Europe will swing to a more faverable view of Bulgaria's action as soon as the danger of a general conflagration is over. The troops now under arms, including the reserves recently called out, reach a total of 120,000 men. They will be kept to the colors for another month, bending a settlement of the $\bullet x$ -

isting situation. The guards on the frontier have been given stringent in-structions to keep well within the ter-ritorial limits of the new kingdom and to avoid clashing with the Turks.

presented themselves in his home state. His voice was again in excellent condition.

crimination by carriers in any form, to encourage unity of action among shippers with reference to traffic prob-

Gov. Haskell declined this morning thippers with reference to traine prob-to make public the names of his attor-neys who are to bring the suit against Mr. Hearst, or to make any definite statement regarding the intended suit. He might, he said, be able later in the day to announce definitely just what the next step in the matter would be. The directors are divided into three classes to serve one two and three

Classes, to serve one, two and three years, respectively. The following di-rectors have been named: One Year-C. A. Quigley, B. F. Red-man and J. G. McDonald.

man and J. G. McDonald. Two Years-C. N. Strevell, J. R. Val-endne and Lester D. Freed. Three Years-Samuel Weitz, Stephen H. Love and W. S. McCornick.

Membership privileges are also divid-ed into three classes, the class being determined by the amount of business transacted by the prospective members The classes and amount of membership

fees are as follows: First Class-Concerns doing a busi-ness of \$200,000 or over, membership ad-Are Forbidden to Attend Lectures of mission fee \$200.

Second Class-Concerns doing busi-ness of \$125,000 or over, fee \$125. Third Class-Concerns doing business

ness of \$125,000 or over, fee \$125. Third Class-Concerns doing business less than \$125,000 per year, fee \$75. Any banker, producer, merchant or manu-facturer is eligible for membership. The bureau designs to cover the states of

PLANKS FOR "AMERICAN" PLATFORM

The so-called "American" platforms contain a great deal of falsehood, nonsense, and deception. But the following "principles" are part of the program, though not formally inserted in the platform, and should be considered by all voters:

1. The Chairman of the "American" party mass state convention in the Salt Lake theater Monday evening. Sept. 28. declared a war of extermination to be waged against the Mormon Church officials in the fall campaign. "To carry the county and judicial district for the 'American' party and thus start the machinery of the courts in motion to accomplish THE IMPRISONMENT or EXILE of the band of twenty-six, this is the program of the 'Americans' as announced at the state convention."—Salt Lake Herald, Sept. 29.

A vote for the ticket supported by the Tribune is a vote for a program that includes the imprisonment and exile of every prominent Church leader. "Crucify! Crucify!" is the key note of the Tribune campaign.

2. Another declaration of principles involves the raising of the taxes on all farm property in the county. This was intimated in the Tribune during the bond campaign, as follows:

"Queer, it is not, that since the [smelter case] decision the farm lands have decreased in value for the purpose of taxation? In other words, the lands are not so valuable as they were, and farming upon smelter smoke was more productive from the dollar and cent standpoint of the farmer than the tilling of the soil. While there has been a large increase in the value of property for taxable purposes in Salt Lake City, there has been a decrease in the property outside, and the farm lands are not worth as much as they were a year ago. I SAY IT IS QUEER, but remember it is a fact."

A vote for the ticket supported by the Tribune means a vote for the increase in taxes, principally for the benefit of the politicians who are in it for "the spoils." . . .

following is Tribune doctrine:

"Apropos of the new and petty war recently started by the municipal government on the women of the town, the liquor dealers and the gambling fraternity, one of the 'enemy' said to us the other day: 'ft may be a hard thing to say, and perhaps harder still to maintain, but I believe that billiard halls, saloons, and houses of ill-fame are more powerful reforming agencies here in Utah than churches and schools, or even than the Tribune."

Freedom is the first requisitee of manhood, and if it can be won without excesses, so much the better. If it can't, never mind the excesses; win the freedom."-Tribune, March 6, 1881.

A vote for the Tribune ticket is a vote for the establishment of the agencies of liberty mentioned in the editorial extracts reproduced.

Respectable "Americans" might, for the good of the party and the city, and in the interest of peace, revolt against the organ of hatred, indecency, and brutality. It is no credit to the party.

of the company to the provisions of a first lien and refunding mortgage with the Equitable company as trus-tee. The meeting also saw the first lien and refunding mortgage four per cent bonds increased to \$200,000,000. Half this amount is to be set aside for payment upon first mortgage and land grant 4 per cent bonds, maturing in 1947 and \$50,000,000 will be used for issues as needed. The purchase of the South Omaha & Western Railroad company of Nebraska was also authorized. The main offices of the company are 120 Broadway, New York. The annual meeting is held the second Tuesday in October. The corporation being effected with the Equitable company as trus-In the wake of the successful produc-tion of "A Modern Pocohantos" at the Orpheum this week come several an-nouncements. The most interesting, per-haps, is a wedding which is set for Thursday when Stage Manager Joseph F. Goss and Miss Clio Woolley, both of this city, are to be united. At the end of the week Mr. Goss resigns his posi-tion and with his bride accompanies the act to Denver in the capacity of manager, and will travel over the Or-pheum and Keith & Proctor circuits with the Indian playlet, Mr. Goss will be succeeded at the Orpheum by Steph-en Newman.

meeting is held the second Tuesday in October. The corporation being effected under the laws of Utah makes this city the proper meeting place. The Union Pacific Rallroad company was incor-porated July 1, 1897, to acquire the main line and branches of the former Union Pacific Railway company, under plan of reorganization of October, 1895.

The company owns: Miles.

Main line, Council Bluffs Leavenworth, Kansas & Western 65.33

Total owned 5,127.82 his road is operated separtely. The company controls: Oregon Short Line Rail-gation company1,143.67 Total controlled 5,664.29

Grand total, either owned or

controlled 10,792.11

POSTMASTERS APPOINTED.

(Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., Oct. 13 .- Postmas ters appointed: Idaho-Arco, Blaine, Co. Otto B. Fleischer vice C. J. Schafer,

Wyoming-Brooks, Uinta Co., Walter L. Spicer vice May N. Spicer, resigned.

HARDWARE STORE ROBBED.

Thieves Break Window and Carry Off Six Valuable Revolvers.

Some time last night the King Hardware store on Main between First and Second South streets was broken into by clever thieves who made off with six valuable revolvers. Now lookout

six valuable revolvers. Now lookout for holdups. The robbery had evidently been care-fully planned. Sneaking back of the elevator shaft where a window connects with the store, the robbers waited until all was quiet and then broke the glass, thus giving them an entrance to the store. Apparently they were not after anything but revolvers and took six and some ammunition. It is belleved that while one man stole the weapons another stood outside and watched so he could give the alarm if a policeman appeared upon the scene. The robbery was not discovered until the store was opened this morning and the police were at once notified. Detec-tives are working on the case.

form the basis of ou as the obligations of our relatio incurred Netherlands and faithfully lived up to and that it does not wish to compro-mise its existence by prolonging the intolerable state of affairs which it has

reated by the decree of May 14." President Uastro was away at Va-lencia when this note was presented by Baron Von Zeckendorf, the German minister, and he told Dr. Paul, his forand not not be acknowledge receipt and to await the second note from Hol-land, which it was known was secon wa arrive. The second note was received last week, but it has not as vet been answered, although it is generally un-derstood here that Venezuela will not give in to any of Holland's demands.

VENEZUELA'S STAND.

VENEZUELA'S STAND. Venezuela will take the stand that until a satisfactory apology and in-demnation is forthcoming from the Netherlands government for the insult-ing letter of the late Minister De Reus and for the stoning of the Venezuelan consuls in Curacas, Holland, has no right at all to make any demands of this country, especially in the nature of those made in the Dutch note, which interfere with the right enjoyed by free interfere with the right enjoyed by free nations to make their own commercial laws. It is generally admitted in Caracas that if the Venezuelan gov-Caracas that if the Venezuelan gov-ernment wishes to have the transship-ment of merchandise for Maracaibo done in Venezuelan ports it has a per-fect right to do so, although Caracas may be the sufferer.

The note asks for the immediate revothe not be trans-shipment decree, it has reported that the second note fixes the date of Nov. 1 as the time when this must be done, thus giving the note the nature of an ultimatum. Nobody who knows Gen. Castro believes that this time will have any other effect that still further to insense Venezuela's executive against Curacao, and nobody would be surprised if his answer was note rigorous and determined than the Netherlands government expects or will

That Venezuela is being prepared to resist invasion and that the many big defense coast towns have been made ready for an emergency is common knowledge down here.

BALLOON ST. LOUIS LOST IN THE NORTH SEA

Berlin, Oct. 13 -- A wireless message received today from Arnold, the conductor of the St. Louis balloon in the Gordon Bennett cup race, says:

"Lost everything in the North sea last night.

Another dispatch received here says that the St. Louis sank in the North sea, and that its occupants were rescued by a schooner.

It is believed here that fog prevented Mr. Arnold and Mr. Hewitt, who ac-companied him, from seeing the water and that they were blown out to set without knowledge where they were go-

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naven. These airships left Berlin yesterda" in the endurance contest, fourth class. Half a dozen others have come down close to the sea.