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FIFTY-THIRD YEAR

Brown Wins Case No. Three.

Dooly Block Charge Falls to the Ground Unproved-Central Block Case Now in Issue-What Miss O' Connell, Testified to in Her Deposition Taken at Hospital Last Night -Both Saw and Heard Brown and Bradley Woman.

The second case against ex-Senator 'I don't know." "What was the occasion of your going

hur Brown was taken up in Judge nto the room in June?" while court for preliminary hearing Objected to on the ground of being s morning beginning at 9 o'clock. The competent. The court sustained the ird case, known as the Dooly block objection.

use, was dismissed by Judge Diehl on Mr. Westervelt stated the purpos was to show that some of Mrs. Bradion of the prosecuting attorney. ley's clothes were found in the room, the matter on hearing this morning is and that also some of Mr. Brown's effects were there at the same time. Judge Dichl held that while the pur-pose was material the time was too ed to as the Central block case. te time alleged in the complaint imission of the crime, is Feb. emote and he would not change his evidence for both the state uling.

ad defense was all in at 11:30 and the On cross-examination, answering Attorney Sam King, Radke admitted ments will be heard this afternoon at the Central block ils duty ning at 3 o'clock. Judge Diehl merely to look after the building and ted that if counsel desired to argue had nothing to do with the rooms or matter this morning he would limit the occupants. to seven and a half minutes each. "Can you mention the names of any

this arrangement did not suit Atty. persons who occupied rooms in the building?" King and he so stated. The case then continued until this afternoon.

Witness mentioned the names of 11 persons. Mr. King then asked wit-ness if he remembered seeing any of ty Atty. Westervelt thinks he has ands a strong case against the former enator, but counsel for defense exhe tenants "coming down the hall" in used their opinion that the first case, February, 1902. ich was taken under advisement by ige Dichl until Tuesday morning, is

Radke said he could not remember. He said he spent more time in the allding some days than others "How do you remember that you

tarked by the unusual quietness which aw Mr. Brown there in January valled in the gilded palace of justice, there was practically no bitterness Februarv?' "Because it was cold." "It was cold in July, was it not?" strife between counsel. Judge

hi had no occasion to call any of the 'Yes.' teys down, there was no row be-counsel and witnesses and the "So you don't know when it was, do you?"

crowd of idlers which made up "No, sir. I saw him one morning but ors, behaved very well. Mrs. on't know just when. It was during in occupied her usual place near the trial of a mining case at Nephi." "Well, was it after the first trial or attorney and neither looked eright nor the left. The ex-senafter the second?

isually quiet. He appeared "I don't know, but I know it was a and nervous and walked about th 'ear ago ansiderably, but he did not "You didn't make a note of it, did

his hair, grit his teeth very much you? growl, sneer or ridicule Only

"No, sir." "Then you don't pretend to say you lid he make suggestions to saw him there at any particular time?" "I saw him, and I know it was about asel, and then they were brief.

year ago at about 9 o'clock." "Might it not have been 12 o'clock?" TAL PATIENT'S TESTIMONY ortant feature to this "It was between 9 and 10 o'clock." "You don't know why or when he position of Miss Annie nell, taken at St. Mark's hospital vening in the presence of Judge ent there or who he went to see?" 'No. sir. The substance of her testimony t during the latter part of Jan-

"Your business did not call you into the rooms?" 'No, sir."

"Who occupied the room in May?" "The room was vacant for several

THE DEFENSE.

The attorneys for the defense imme-

He testified that he had work-

diately went into executive session for

'Yes

prano volce?

mitate one?"

nany years?

cupied rooms with him?"

Yes.

Yes.

TRUTH AND LIBERTY

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1903. SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

"You have often heard him talking to himself about his cases?" "Yes, he would talk excitedly." "Where were you during January and February, 1902?" "I was in Nephi, engaged in the Grand Central case." "Was Mr. Brown with you?"

'He was,' "Were you there on Feb. 1?" "We were there. After the jury re-ported we had an argument about the erdict and the next day we left Ne

courtroom and the defendant laughed

Judge Henderson then repeated that Mr. Brown had a habit of talking to himself.

"During the 10 years I have been as-sociated with him this habit has be-come fixed and settled and has greatly

Answering Mr. Westervelt, Judge Henderson said that Mr. Brown was in Nephi during the week devoted to arguments in the case. With Judge Henderson's testimony in.

the defense closed its case, but the prosecution recalled the judge to ask if he remembered Brown was away from Nephi during the day Mr. Dickson made his argument.

Witness answered that he did not remember Mr. Brown being there. "So you are not positive Mr. Brown

was there at that time?" "No; I have no distinct recollection Mr. Brown being present during Judge Dickson's argument.

Judge Diehl stated if the attorneys desired to argue the case this morning he would limit them to seven and a half minutes each, but if not, he would give them this afternoon. The defense chose the latter and the case was continued until 3 o'clock this afternoon.



Will Resist any Effort of Mr. Hanson and Associates to Get Possession of Machinery.

Is the Only Available Plant in Country For Present Vear-Legal Fight Probable.

Butte, Mont., Feb. 20 .- A Blackfoot, Idaho, special to the Miner says the Idaho Sugar company today wired Dyer & Company of Cleveland, Ohio, that ed they would resist any effort of Mr. Hanson and his Utah associates to acquire possession of the beet sugar machinery, which Mr. Hanson contracted for and which the Utah company propose to locate near Maho Falls. The local corporation have employed the platform he was bleeding profusely best legal talent in the state. They from scalp wounds and was apparently allege that the plant was bought by Hanson, acting as trustee for them, and that he has no authority to assign or sell the same. As this is the only of the same car had a miraculous escape from death and was lucky. available plant in the country for this year, and as both concerns have agreed to put in factories this year, the fight

and

for possession of the machinery will be an interesting legal battle. The Idaho company is now backed by eastern capital, and as they have the contracts

A Bad Street Car Collision

Terrific Smashup on South Temple Near the Eagle Gate This Morning During the Dense Fog-Motorman Wal-

ter Farrow Near Death's Door-Several Hurt.

One of the worst streetcar accidents | Gate, the motorman slowed down and proceeded cautiously. He rang his bell that has happened in the history of the Consolidated Railway and Power comrepeatedly. All of a sudden I saw a pany occurred on East South Temple car loom up out of the fog ahead, and street near the intersection of Third it seemed to me to be going East at 8:30 this morning, Both cars miles an hour. I were badly wrecked, while Walter C. in between the motorhemmed and and the gate and there was noth Farrow, motorman, 281 N street, was so or it but for me to take our medi severely injured that he was taken to It all happened in a minute st saw the motorman throw off the Holy Cross hospital and late this afterower and screw down the brake; lught a glimpse of the other motortoon was reported as being very low. W. E. Bennett, city salesman for the an on the rapidly approaching camping, whent we hit. After that Diamond Coal company, who was standing on the front platform of the same ess I was pretty silly for a spe The two cars that were in the acci car, was also badly cut and bruised and were Nos. 42 and 97, running re after his wounds had been dressed he lively on the South Temple and was taken home in a hack. Miss Flor-Third Street lines. After the Vas at once apparent that the ac ence Pratt, employed in the county ident was a bad one. Had the east ound car been loaded with passen lerk's office, received a number of brulses and Miss Kate Milford of the nothing could have saved them The front vestibuled platforms of bott tars were wrecked. That of the lighte county recorder's office sustained a cut knee and several bruises on her side. at being completely knocked off, while Several of the passengers also received the floor was torn up and the car prac scratches and cuts from flying glass. tically carried off the trucks. The cause of the accident is attributed by those who were on the cars to the dense fog that prevailed and the recklessness of the motorman on the South Temple street car, who met the Third street car coming west on the single track. The motorman jumpsaved his life and the next instant the heavy Third street car went plowing into the small-

ounds of the two men. er one amid a crash of breaking timber careful man, and flying glass. Farrow stayed with

his car and went with his vestibule through the front end. When he was y reached his side and was with him soon after he had been carried into the with difficulty taken from the wrecked office of Dr. Niles adjoining the scene Farrow at this time was in a semionscious condition and fiercely fought suffering from internal injuries. Mr. any attempt to examine his wounds. Upon the arrival of Dr. Richards, the company surgeon, he was removed to Bennett, who was on the front platform the hospital, where an operation was immediately undertaken to remove the This is the way he told the story of pressure of the fractured skull upon his brain. In addition to this injury Farthe accident as he was having his

row is also severely bruised. Dr. Worthington waited on Mr. Ben-neit and took a number of stitches in a wounds dressed in the Willis-Horne drug store after the accident: would be had received over the left eye outd up his right hand that had "I was going down town to work this morning and as I was smoking a cigar been cut and put some finament on the I climbed on to the front platform to bruises on his left leg and side. He exfinish it. The fog was very bad and you pects to get around again early in the could not see very far ahead. When we reached the stretch of single track near The Misses Pratt and Milford are both confined to their homes suffering from Third East that extends to the Eagle shock and bruises. DETECTIVE SHEETS THE MAN



coremonies.

selected for the new building is on the reservation of the Washington bar-

and others interested in the advance-ment and thorough training of the

United States army. While the founda-tion of the new structure, which is to

be practically unique, has been only just begun, the plans contemplated by

the war department and by Congress

ow set of buildings on the arsenal

'll be a hospital, barracks, officere

ouarters and an administration build-

the various branches of the war ser

PRESIDENT LEAVES WHITE

HOUSE.

INTERESTING CEREMONIES.

The ceremonies incident to the laying

of Washington, the assemblage stand

ter music by the band President Roose.

velt was introduced by Gen. Gillespie

chief of the engineers, U. S. A. The

president was given a cordial ovation.

PRESIDENT'S SPEECH.

"Gentlemen. It should be a matter

of pride and congratulation to every

tice, and its voice can be potent for

armed. (Loud applause). So much for the lesson to be learned by our people

from the movement in which the crec-tion of this building is a part.

listed men of the army. The last two

r three years have witnessed a notable

awakening in our people to the well-being of the army. Our people are un-derstanding as never before the fact

on no other terms.

Now a word to the officers and en-

peace and justice only on condition

ing uncovered during the prayer.

His address follows:

vice, took part in the exercises.

of the corps of engineers.

uclude the construction of an entirely

grounds. Among other structures there

Bath, Maine, Feb. 21 .- Mrs. Helen C Neagle, who has the distinction of being the oldest woman in Maine, is dead, aged 106. She was born in County Clare, Ireland, and had lived here 80 years.

More Money for Carnegie Laboratory

New York, Feb. 20,-Andrew Carnegle today added \$125,000 to the endowmen fund of the Carnegie laboratory of en gineering at Stevens' Institute of Tech. nology. Carnegie in 1900 gave \$55, 000 for the erection of the laboratory When the building was dedicated a year ago he gave \$100,000 as an endow ment fund.

Third Wage Concession.

Chicago, Feb. 21 .- The employes o the Lake street and North-western ele vated roads have made an agreemen with the companies that give them a increase of wages that will approximat 10 per cent. This is the third wage concession granted by the companies during the last year. The motormen it is understood, are to get 28 cents an hour after one year's service and 25 cents before. The switchmen are to get 25 cents and 22½ cents.

CAPT. MERCER

Was

SUCCEEDS AGT. MYTON.

Washington, Feb. 21.-Capt. W. A Mercer, U. S. A., formerly in charge of the Omaha & Winnebago Indian agency and later of the Leech Lake agency, has been detailed as agent of the Uintah and Ouray Indian agency in Utah.

CLIFTON HOTEL VICTIMS.

Two More of Those Injured in the Fire Die.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., Feb. 21.-Two of the injured in the Clifton hotel fire died early today, making a total of six deaths as follows:

W. A. Mory, Whatcheer, Ia, E. C. Young, Davenport.

Charles Cook, address unknown, C. E. Holmes, address unknown, L. C. Burnett, Nebraska City, Neb.

Dr. G. S. Groves, Cedar Rapids. The two last named were among th injured and died within two hours o ach other early this morning. Twenty workmen are still searching the

ebris, and it is expected two additional odies will be found. Of the 42 injured, all the remainder with the possible exception of Miss Burns, head waitress; Conductor P, Strickland and B. F. Taylor, were ex-

pected to recover.

THE HUMBERTS

President Roosevelt, accompanied by his military aide, Col. Theodore A. Bingham, left the White House in a ARE ACQUITTED.

Paris, Feb. 21 .- The ninth correction. carriage at 11 o'clock. He was escorted to the war college grounds by Troop al chamber pronounced judgment today in the libel suit brought by M. Cat-taui, a banker, against the Humberts, E, of the Third cavalry. In other carNUMBER 79

The War College Cornerstone Laid Ceremony Performed in Presence of Assemblage of Distin-

guished People, Including President, Cabinet Officers, Supreme Court Justices and Representatives of Foreign Nations-Address by Mr. Roosevell.

Washington, Feb. 21 .--- In the presence t is now closing we have seen the first stride taken in putting the national guard, the militia of the country, on a of an assemblage of distinguished peo ple, including the president of the footing of efficiency, the first long stride taken on the lines marked out by Washington himself, the first success-ful effort made to put into effect Wash-ington's plea which for 110 years was divergarded by our people. And seals United States, members of the cabinet and of Congress, justices of the supreme court, representatives of foreign powers and others eminent in the life disregarded by our people. And, again, ward the modernization, toward in-creasing the efficiency of the army in accordance with modern methods as deof the nation, the cornerstone of the army war college was laid here today with impressive military and Masonic vised by Gen. Sherman over a quarter of a century ago. It takes time and The occasion was rendered notable thought and care to work out necessary and interesting by addresses delivered reforms. by President Roosevelt, Secv. of War Root and Maj.-Gen. S. B. M. Young, president of the war college. The sit

"They don't come in a jump. All kinds of obstructions of deliberate pur-rose, obstructions of mere inertia, cb-nituctions of carelessness have to be net with and overcome, but at last they are overcome if only a sufficient internsity of purpose lies behind those backing the reform. And now these racks, at the foot of Four and One-half street. Today's ceremonies marked the loginning of a project which has been festered by the president, Secy. Root great steps have been taken. Methods have been provided for securing the increased efficiency of the army and it increased endering of the army and it rests with the army itself to profit by what has been done. More and more it has become evident in modern war that the efficiency of the unit, of the in-dividual officer and of the individual cullated man is going to be the arms dividual officer and of the individual cullated man is going to be the prime factor in deciding the fate of fought fields. The exercises of the barracks and the parade grounds do not make 5 per cent of the soldier's real work and do not count for 5 per cent in his real efficiency. They are very spec-tocular serves a good nurses and must

ing, all to be handsome and of the most approved architectural design. The army college grounds have been selected as the site of the statue of Frederick the Great, which Emperor William has proposed to present to the people of the United States. A pic-uresque feature of the ceremonies toreal enciency. They are very spec-tacular, sorve a good purpose and must be well done, but they count for but the smallest part in the qualities, the som of which make the army effective som of which make the army effective or ineffective in actual service. Ot-ficer and man alike must be trained to the highest point in the theory and in the practise of the profession. The forces of mere truism say that if they are trained in the theory without the crowning of practise they will amount to nothing, but they must have the training and the theory too. They must have that training or they never can reach the highest standard of perday was the participation of the mili-tary. About 1,000 troops, representing were in command of Maj. W. M. Biack,

must have that training or they never can reach the highest standard of per-fection in their art. The army of the United States is, and it is not desirable that it should be other than a small army relative to the population of the country, but we have a right to ex-p(ot that that small army shall repr-sent for its size the very highest point of efficiency of any army in the civil. of efficiency of any army in the civil-ted world. (Applause.) And I have



2, or the first part of February, pied room 32 in the Central an and Mrs. Bradley in the building wher, and one night while a lady and was with her in room 32, she ald hear Mr. Brown in room 34 talk-'You say you saw Mrs. Bradley to a woman and heard the woman there? k back. She declared that there was "Yes, sir." great row practically all night, that rown talked in a loud tone of voice. "What were you doing when she entered the building?" "I don't remember." noise was kept up until a late hour then stopped for a time. But quite "You don't know where she went?" ly in the morning, long before day. 'No, sir. e noise began again and sound-"You don't know if she remained ike a loud and unimated discussion. e distinctly heard the woman's voice, there? "No. sir." d about 7 o'clock in the morning she ard the door of room 34 open. Miss "You never say her come out or go Miss Brown, did you?" annell says she stepped out into the and saw Senator Brown. About 'No, sir. "You never say her come out or go tour later she saw Mrs. Bradley nto those rooms, did you?" he room. She was positive in 'No, sir. tration that she repeatedly saw "Now, then, if you looked out of the n and the Bradley woman together doors of 32 or 33, you could not see a building.

TALKING TO HIMSELF.

tranger of the two.

morning's proceedings were

e did not chew a toothpick.

'No, sir." defense sought to explain away "Where was Miss O'Connell's room?" stimony by placing on the stand Henderson and Archie Living-who testified that they had known "Across the hall, 'Her room was 29, was it not?" 'Yes, sir.' lant for many years and knew "And she could not have seen anyone ibit of talking to himself in a loud oming out of room 34, could she?" of voice, particularly when en-ed in the trial of an important case. No. sir. "Now, did Harry Woodman occupy 32 and 33 in January and February?" rising answer was made by Judge risin in reply to the question of "You have been acquainted don't just remember. "I don't just remember." "Did Miss O'Connell ever occupy Mr. Brown's habits during the last "Thelieve I have been acquainted most of them during that time." was a general titter in the court those rooms?" "No, sir." "Did she ever go in there?" "Yes, she was there every day tak-ing care of the rooms." and Mr. Brown laughed outright. arguments were finished this af-On redirect examination, witness said and Judge Dichl will render his persons may have occupied the rooms and he would not know it. • At the conclusion of Radki's testlan next week, probably when he ces his decision in the first case. mony, Mr. Westervelt suddenly an-nounced, "We rest." TESTIMONY RESUMED.

Radke, janitor of the Central stified that he knew Mr. Brown Mrs. Bradley, and saw them both e Central block in February of 1902. re is room 24? on the left side of the hall at

about five minutes and then placed Stenographer Archie Livingston on the stand. gram of the hall was shown to and he pointed out the loca-room 34 with reference to Miss ed for Brown for five years, was with him at times late at night and he knew that Brown was a very early riser. onnell's room. Miss O'Condeposition in this case was taken Mark's hospital just evening. to himself Westervelt, witness and down the room, talking over the cases he had, and he always talked in escribed the location 1 rooms 33 and 34, and said the re communiated by a small ich was closed. sonal affairs." ay several times you saw Mr. and Mrs. Bradley in the buildpound the table?' ng the latter part of January part of February, 19027" you ever see them come out of I was cleaning the hall Mr. Brown come out of the bout 9 o'clock in the morning." month was this?" bink in January ou ever see Mrs. Bradley ene the room? nbe when you saw her in the ming I saw her come down fart of the hall?" then saw the ex-senator and on the steps." are the circumstances of the morning. JUDGE HENDERSON TESTIFIES. her once when I was sweeping uses her enter the building?" I saw her going upstairs." rented toom 34?" apy the room?" his law partner. enter the room ?" a Mr. Brown came there. If anybody lived in February until June?

ted to, but the court AS WYDE !! live there?" dy else live there?"

covering over 5,000 acres of beet land. weeks, but during the summer of 1901 up to December the rooms were occuthey will spare no effort to get the machinery.

VOYAGE OF THE CEDRIC.

The Maiden One Made in 8 Days, 8 Hours and 16 Minutes

New York, Feb. 21 .- The new White Star liner Cedric, the largest vessel in the world, arrived today from Liverpool and Queenstown after her maiden transatlantic voyage. The passage from Daunts Rock to this port was made in 8 days, 8 hours and 16 minutes. She brought 742 passengers, of whom 430 were steerage. The external di-mensions of the Cedric are identical with those of her sister ship, the Celtic, of the same line, but by reason of structural differences to provide creased passenger accommodations, the person coming out of room 34, could gross tonnage of the former vessel has been slightly exceeded. The Cedric is 700 feet in length, 75 feet in breadth and 49½ feet deep, with a gross tonnage of 21,034 tons deadweight, and a displacement of 38,000 tons. The vessel is designed for a speed of 17 knots. The Cedric has four masts and two funnels, the height of the latter being 131 feet bove the keel, and accommodations for 350 first class, 200 second class and 2,500 steerage passengers are provided. The crew consists of 336 men. 92 of whom are in the engine room. With the ad-vent of the Cedric the White Star line possesses two of the largest vessels in the world. Hoyt & Wolf of Belfast are her builders.

More Typhoid at Cornell.

Ithaca, Feb. 21 .- Ten new cases of typhoid fever were reported in town to-day, of which eight were among citizens of Ithaca. Four students were sent to their homes with symptoms of typhoid and 50 others left town today. At a mass meeting today of all the classes of Cornell university resolu-tions were adopted expressing confiin President Schurman and the board of trustees in their determination to erect a filtration plant.

PANAMA CANAL OFFICIALS. "Has Mr. Brown a habit of talking

They Are Very Reserved Regarding Their Plans.

Yes. He has a habit of walking up Paris, Feb. 21 .- The officials of the Panama Canal company are maintain. loud tone of voice. He always talks o himself about his cases and his pering a rigid reserve concerning their plans. One of the chief officers said it was considered of the utmost im-portance, owing to the delicate stage of "Does he not stamp the floor and the negotiations, not to throw anything Mr. Westervelt asked: "Has he a sointo the discussion which might unfavorably effect the results. At the company's headquarters great

activity has been shown since the re-ceipt of the advices from Atty.-Gen. By Mr. King-Did you ever hear him Knox accepting the company's offer for Mr. Westervelt-Did ne decents "No, because I was always looking the sale of its property, subject to the ratification of the United States. Persons in a position to know the course of the negotiations do not consider the This testimony was for the purpose of showing that the noise Miss O'Conattitude of the company antagonistic to the position of the United States. nell heard in the Central block was made by Brown alone, while talking to The officials continue to take an op-timistic view of the successful close of himself. But in her deposition she swears she heard a woman's voice, and the transaction, as they consider that the position of the company is such Mrs. that the purchase can be consummat-Bradley come out of the room the next ed by an extra session of the senate

in case no action is taken before March Claimant for Tighe Millions.

After Livingston was excused, a long elay was occasioned by the absence o New York, Feb. 21 .- A new claimant Judge Henderson, who was summoned for the defense. Judge Henderson was has spoken for a part of the estate of Richard Tighe, the eccentric old milsworn and took the stand on behalf of ionaire, who died in 1897. "Judge Henderson, you have been in-timately acquainted with Mr.Brown for three years ago the courts divided the estate among about two-dozen heirs. City Chamberlain Dr. E. R. L. Gould received a letter from David Barr Thorpe, Delaware county, asking "You have traveled with him and ocfor information concerning the death of Tighe and the disposition of his property. "He was a relative of my moth-And you have been acquainted with er's," said Barr in his letter. The chamberlain has forwarded all the in-formation at hand and referred Barr to the executrices of the estate. his habits during the last 10 years?" "I have been acquainted with most of

This created quite a titter in the

Mayor Thompson Will Send His Name to the Council for Confirmation as Chief of Police-Will Surely Renew The Old and Bitter Fight.

Detective George A. Sheets wants to | city officials who are opposed most viobe chief of police of Salt Lake City. lently to him becoming chief of police More than that, Mayor Thompson is or member of the department in any going to send his name to the city capacity, contend that he was romoved council for confirmation as such. "for the good of the service." Whether the appointment will go in at Meanwhile, the influence of as many the next meeting . the one following prominent officials as possible are be-

has not been decided upon. But it is | ing enlisted in his behalf with the idea going all the same. That much has of breaking down the prejudice that exbeen settled. What the result will be ists against him. A member of the is hard to foretell at this time. It will council said today that should Mayor be remembered that Sheets was recent-Thompson keep his word and appoint ly removed, "in a political mix-up," Sheets that there would be the merriest his friends say, without being guilty | fight on in municipal circles that the of any wrongdoing. In answer to this, city has ever seen.

SAFE BLOWERS AT WORK AGAIN Shatter Strong Box of the Felt Lumber Company and Get Only

One Dollar for Their Pains--Explosion Was a Heavy One and Nobody Appears to Have Heard It.

visit the city again, for last night, or early this morning, they entered the street, between Eighth and Ninth South, and blew the safe all to pieces. All they got for their pams, was \$1. and that was not in the safe, but was taken from a cash drawer, which had been broken open.

The robbers first visited the black. smith shop of John J. Haight, 604 south State street, where they stole a brace and bit. They then proceeded to the lumber company's office and gained entrance by unlocking the front door. A large hole was then drilled into the door of the safe, about six incnes above the combination, and the explosive was in-

Safecrackers have evidently come to | serted. The explosion must have been for the safe was overturned terrific and the heavy door shattered an blown seven feet away, crashing into office of the Felt lumber yard, on State a desk and demolishing it. Windows were broken, and the furniture in the room more or less damaged. Had the fellows been careful observers they could have saved much time and trouble for there was a sign on the safe which read: "No money here, safe not

didn't propose to take any chances. But the fact is there was not a cent in the strong box. It contained nothing but papers and bills, which could be of no value to the robbers. Sergeant Roberts investigated the af-

By Farris and Kesl of Nampa, Idaho, and the Spring-

pany. The contract for the first di- were not given out for publication by vision, including the dam and two the Twin Falls people, but it is undermiles on each canal, was let to Farris stood that they will cover just a mil-& Kesi of Nampa; the contract for the lion dollars. second and third divisions, including days in connection with these contracts 45 miles further on the canals, was let | returned east this noon. When asked

quitting the latter and muleting Cattaui in costs.

Transport Hancock in New York.

New York Feb. 21 .- The U. S. trans port Hancock arrived in port today from San Francisco by way of Valpar-aiso, Montevideo and Bahia. The Han cock was formerly the Guion line steamer Arizona and in her best days a noted greyhound of the ocean. She was recently turned over to the

light artillery, fired the president's sa-inte. The assembled troops paid the avy department and comes here to b converted into a receiving ship at the president the honors prescribed by the Brooklyn navy yard. regulations, Grand Master George H. Walker, of

Dr. Ellis Duncan Not Guilty.

the District of Columbia grand lodge o Masons, and other officers of the grand Pittsburg, Feb. 21.-Dr. Ellis Duncan of Louisville, was found not guilty of the charge of shooting Bruce Head with felonious intent. The jury rendered a lodge in carriages, were escorted t war college grounds by the Second cav. alry band. sealed verdict last night after bein our four hours, and when court opene this morning it was read by Judge Fra zer. Dr. Duncan was at once dis of the cornerstone w re impressive. The charged from custody. invocation was pronounced by Right Rev. Henry Y. Satterlee, bishop

AN EDUCATIONAL BEQUEST, It is Not to be Used Until the Year

Two Thousand.

St. Louis Feb. 21 .- The will of Prof. Sylvester Waterhouse, a promin-educator of St. Louis, who died Feb. 1902, has just been made public. Heleft \$25,000 to Washington university which cannot, according to the condi-tions of the will, be touched until the American citizen interested in the wel-fare of his country, that today we lay year 2000, when it is hoped the fund will have increased to \$1,000,000 by reason of accumulated interest.

RESERVOIR SITE LANDS

Senate Passes Bill Authorizing Their Restoration to Entry Under Certain Conditions.

House Passes Bill to Repeal Sale of Timber and Stone, and Desert Land Acts.

(Special to the "News,")

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21 .- The senate has passed the bill authorizing the secretary of the interior to restore pubic entry land embraced in whole or in part within segregations for reser-colrs. The bill provides that any or all part ands heretofore included within reser vations for reservoir purposes mad n accordance with law approved Oct. 2, 1888, and subsequent acts may, in the us to do is to say that we will play 1 discretion of the secretary, be thrown well. (Applause.) This nation has by the mere trend of events been force open to entry, and settlement under the land laws as though such reservation had never been made, provided that it has been ascertained by the secretary ties upon it here, in the occident and in the orient as well. It cannot of the interior that portions of tracts are not needed for reservoir purposes bear its responsibilities aright unless its voice is potent for peace and jusand cannot probably be used in future for such purposes.

SALE OF TIMBER ACT.

The bill to repeal the act providing or the sale of timber and stone lands the deservet land act, and the commu-tation provisions of the homestead act was reported favorably to the senate today.

SALT LAKE NATIONAL BANK.

The abstarct of the condition of national banks of Salt Lake at the close of business Feb. 6, is reported to the comptroller of the currency shows av-erage reserve held, 37.40 per cent; joans and discounts, \$2,996,655; gold coin, \$853, 838; total, specie, \$928,919; lawful money ve, \$10,324,47; individual deposit \$4,268,263.

MR. HEYBURN ARRIVES,

Senator-elect Heyburn, Idaho, arrived here last evening and left for New York this afternoon to attend to some business there. He will return next

risges members of the cabinet ac panied the president. Two non-cor missioned officers, both skilled hors Two non-com the most absolute faith that to the de-gree of efficiency it will attain, and that it will attain it in no small part men, rode on each side of the presi-dent's carriage to control the horses in because of the w' use it will make of the opportunities afforded by the erec-tion of this very building." (Long and case they were frightened by the firing of salutes or otherwise, and two pri-vates were detailed to each of the other entinuous applause.) vates were detailed to each of the other onriages as a precaution against ac-cidents. As the president and party entered the grounds, the president's flag was run to the top of the flagstaff and a section of the Fourth battery.

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Secy. Root followed the president after another selection by the band. He spoke as follows.

ROOT'S SPEECH.

"Not to promote war but to preserve peace by intelligent and adequate prep-aration to repel aggression this morning this institution is founded. It is a growth and not a new departure. It is a natural and necessary development of the views with which Gen. Grant es. tablished the artillery school at Fortress Monroe, Gen. Sherman established the infantry and cavalry school at Fort Leavenworth, and Gen. Sheridan established the school of applica-tion for cavalry and light artillery at Fort Riley. Following the same pol-icy, an engineers' school of application, a school of submarine defense, and an army medical school were afterwards established.

The controlling and directing body is the war college board, consisting of five officers of rank especially detailed and the chief or engineers, the chief of artillery, the superintendent of the West Point military academy, and the commandant of the Leavenworth school, all under the presidency of that gallant, experienced and able soldier, Maj.-Gen, Samuel B. M. Young.

"Membership in the war college will mean honor and opportunity. In its confidential archives will be garnered the results of the best thought of the the foundation stone of a building, the erection of which signalizes a long stride forward in securing the efficiency of the United States army, a step less important than that marked by the en-actment of the law to create a general army and in the continuous existence of the institution, always changing in its element as men come and go, but remaining itself unchanged will be found continuity of knowledge, of thought and of military policy always staff, but a step supplementing the passage of the act, rounding it out and rendering it of a far wider and far leeper usefulness.

available for practical fise. "No better illustration of the neces-"One word first to the nation and then another word to the army. To the nation first: It has well been said that "No better illustration of the neces-sity of such an institution as this and of a general staff to make its work ef-fective can be found than in the fate which befell the work of a soldier to whose memory I wish to pay honor to-day-Brevet Maj.-Gen. Emory Upton, colonel of the Fourth artillery. Gradu-ated from West Point in the year 1860 he became while simper a hay one of the the surest way to invite national disaster is for a nation to be opulent, aggres-sive and unarmed (applause). The nation that is rich, that is so high-spirited as to be somewhat careless of giving offense and that yet refrains from that preparedness which is absolutely neceshe became while almost a boy one of sary if efficiency in war is ever to be shown such a nation is laying deep the the most distinguished officers of the civil war. He commanded successively a battery of artillery, a regiment of in-fantry, a brigade of infantry, a brigade foundation for humiliation and disaster. As a people, whether we will or not, we have reached the stage when we of artillery and a division of cavalry. Constantly in the field, he exhibited in must play a great part in the world's affairs. It is not open to us to decide whether or not we shall play it. All we camp and march and in scores of battles dauntless and brilliant courage, strict and successful discipline, and the highest qualities of countrand. Gen. have to decide is whether we shall play it well or ill. The part is before us. We have to pay it. All that it rests for Upton subsequently printed the report himself for the benefit of the public through a private publisher. A copy may now and then be found at a second into a position of world power during the past few years. It has responsibilihand book story. More than a quarter of a century later and long after death had ended the restless striving of that far-seeing inteilinence other men workng out the same upblems with which he dealt, found the sunity and wisdom of his conclusions i gave them effect. Were Upton livi today, still upon the its being thoroughly understood that active list of the army, he would see all we ask peace, not in the spirit of the weaking and the craven, out with the assured self-confidence of the just man as for which he conof the great ref tended substantially secured:

The three battallo system; the interchängeabillty of staff and line; exmotion and now, by aminations for the wisdom of he present Congress the establishment of a general staff and the completion of the system of milltary education upon the controlling body which will find its permanent home in the building whose cornerstone we lay today.

GEN. YOUNG.

that the army, like the navy, will do Gen. S. B. M. Young, president of the well in war mainly in proportion as it has been prepared well in peace; that Gen. S. B. M. Found, president of the war college, then delivered an address. Grand Master Walker assisted by oth-er officers of the grand lodge of Ma-sons of the District of Columbia, then peace; that after the war has begun it is too late for us to prepare for the victory. Defeat will come inevitably and surely if the preparation is put off until the war be. laid the cornerstone of the new building ins and victory will come if it has een prepared for in time of peace and in no other terms. "During the session of Congress that gins and victory will come if it has been prepared for in time of peace and



They Will Amount to a Million Dollars and Were Carried Off

ville Construction Company of Utah. Two contracts were let this morning | to the Springville Construction comby the Twin Falls Land & Water com- pany. The figures for these contracts

lion dollars. Mr. Buhl of Pennsyl-vania, who has been here for several

locked." But, perhaps, the robbers saw the sign and did not believe it. They

fair, and strange as it may seem, not a soul in the neighborhood heard the explosion, and no one saw the robbers.

TWIN FALLS CONTRACTS LET