DESERET EVENING NEWS: TUESDAY, MAY 24, 1904.



Selection of Secy. G. B. Cortelyou To be Chairman of Nat'l Rep. Committee an Evidence.

STARTED UNDER MR. CLEVELAND

John F. Wallace, Chief Engineer of the Panama Canal-Elliott Woods and Joseph M. Houston.

Special Correspondence.

Washington, D. C., May 20 .- The setection of the Hon. George B. Cortlyou for chairman of the National Republican committee is but another evidence that the young men are rapidly forging to the front in the affairs of this country. Mr. Cortelyou, while closely connected with the presidential office for the past 12 years, was comparatively anknown until President McKinley chose him as the successor of the late John Addison Porter as presidential secretary, upon the resignation of that gentleman in 1899.

GEORGE CORTELYOU.

George B. Cortelyou was first known to the newspaper men of the capital while a clerk in the office of Asst. Post-master-General Maxwell in the second cleveland administration. President cleveland needed an additional clerk m the executive office and Mr. Max-Cleveland in the executive office and Mr. Max-well recommended Cortelyou. The ap-pointment was made and President Cleveland very soon discovered that he had obtained exactly the man he meded in his official entomage. Mr. Cleveland during his first term, had as his secretary Daniel S. Lamont, than whom no better fitted man ever occuof that important position. But in when his second term began, he s not so fortunate. He appointed any Thurber, of Michigan, a well aning, honest and faithful secretary Henry Indiver, of an Analysia, a web meaning, honest and faithful secretary who, however, lacked the prime es-sential of a successful secretary—he was utterly devoid of tact. This quality was developed in, a marked degree in George H. Cortelyou, and in addition he soon displayed ability as an organ-jer which made his service invaluable. It was not surprising, therefore, that Mr. Cleveland should urge his retention in office upon Mr. McKinley in the very strongest terms. Mr. Cleveland never asked Mr. Cortelyou what his political affiliations had been or were. He had entered the public service through the machinery of the civil ser-vice commission, and his advancement has proved one of the very strongest arguments for the maintenance of the merit system as opposed to the old doctrine of "to the victors belong the spolls."

A STORM OF PROTEST.

Mr. Cortelyou's loyalty to Mr. Mc-Kinley, and the value of his services to the executive heads of the govern-ment are recent history and are too well known to be retold. When, however, his name was first suggested in connection with the secretaryship of the new department of commerce and labor storm of protest arose among mem-ers of Congress from New York. These gentlemen, among them some of the very closest personal friends of the president, insisted that it would mean



But the older men will devote selves to the administrative fea-s of the work and to the task of Atlantic City this summer. That famthemselves to the administrative fea-tures of the work and to the task of creating sanitary conditions on the isthtures of the work and to the task of creating sanitary conditions on the 1sth-mus, which will make it possible to dig the ditch without the enormous sacri-fice of human life which has charac-terized the regime of the French com-panies. Mr. Wallace will carry on the work of construction itself and his rec-ord is such as to assure the progress of the work with the utmost rapidity and at the least possible cost. The salary which he will receive is equal to that which Lincoln and Grant and all their predecessors drew as president of the United States. Probably if Congress had fixed definitely the compensation to be paid the men who are to carry on the great work of uniting the two great occans a man of the ability of Mr. Wal-lace could never have been secured, be-cause it is the general policy of the members of Congress to gauge the worth of others by the low standard of the worth of the services of an ordi-nary member of the house. This low estimate is largely responsible for the fact that few young men of marked ability care to remain in the federal office. Examples of this fact are to be found in the cases of Eckles, Dawes, Vanderlin and Alles, who within the ous resort is to celebrate its birthday as the Mecca of the pleasure lover. It as the Mecca of the pleasure lover. It is 25 years since Atlantic City first be-gan to attract summer crowds. The event is to be celebrated by a gorgeous display and light. The boardwalk is to be converted into a "court of honor," which will outrival in magnificence anything seen before on the Atlanti-const. Joseph M. Huston has been commissioned to create this grand transformation scene and his towns-men-those who know what he has ac-complished in Harrisburg-declare that his designs demonstrate beyond doubt his designs demonstrate beyond doubt that the young man of today is coming to the front very rapidly in artistic construction, just as the young man has reached the zenith of his power in business and politics.

TYNER-BARRETT CASE. Fontleroy Explains How Barrett

Came to be Employed. Washington, May 23.—At the opening of the Tyner-Barrett conspiracy case today, the cross-examination of Harri-son J. Barrett was deferred in order to put Thomas J. Fontleroy, of St. Louis, on the stand. Mr. Fontleroy was an attorney for Arnold & Company, the turf investment company and by or had demonstrated what stuff they were made of, were snapped up by outside financial institutions and lured from the government service with salaries from three to five times as great as Uncle Sam pays his most efficient ser-vants. turf investment company, and he ex-plained the circumstances attending the employment of Mr. Barrett as as-sociate coursel for the company. The main reason for engaging him, said Mr.

Fontieroy, was that Mr. Barrett was considered a "clean, active and cap-able man, who would get results." Mr. Barrett then resumed the stand. Cross-examination and rebuttal were included, and both the prosecution and the defense announced that they rested their cases. A recess was taken until afternoon

TO STOP CORRUPTION.

Massachussetts Passes a Bill for That Purpose.

been a long time in the senate, do not hesitate to express the opinion that he is the best man for the place who ever held it. He has organized the office in such manner that it is today the very antithesis of what it used to be. Neat-ness, order and good taste have super-ceded confusion, dirt and disorder. The employes know what is expected of them and they perform their tasks. The library from being a mass of unsorted Boston, May 23.—The state legislature has passed a bill which has gone to the governor for his signature, for the purpose of stopping the corruption of em-ployes by the giving and receiving of bribes. The practise is said to be quite general throughout New England and the manufacturers particularly regard the corruption as a "curse." The bill provides that whoever gives, offers or library from being a mass of unsorted volumes in all stages of delapidation, has been made, what it should always have been, a valuable adjunct to sen-atorial work so systematized that any provides to an agent, employe or ser-vant any gift or gratuity whatever with intent to influence his action in relation to his principals, employers or masters' business or any agent, ematorial work so systematized that any yolume can be obtained in 10 seconds, whereas a week was sometimes requir-ed in the old days. Not many years ago there was a ple and milk stand in the corridor of the senate. The door-keepers squatted down upon decripid chairs with a convenient cuspidor, dirty and nasty at their feet. The janitors, ployer's business, shall be punished a upointed for political service rendered a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than the service service of the senate service cepts a sift or gratuity or promise, un-der an agreement or with an under-standing that he shall act in any parployers' business, shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than

SCHOONER BURNED.

The Fanny Adele Goes Up in

Flames in San Francisco.

nation committee to report two names for each office. This is regarded as a victory for the supporters of the can-didacy of Mrs. Sarah Platt Decker for president.

president. A motion was adopted providing that the general federation use its influence toward securing a national law pre-venting the use of the American flag for advertising purposes. The report of the committee on amendments submitted last week, con-tained a clause providing for a gradu-ated scale of annual dues in proportion to the membership of the clubs, was again postponed. again postponed.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN.

Visits the Red Cross Hospital at Tokio.

Tokio, May 23, 9 p. m.—The empress of Japan, the court ladies and the la-dies of the foreign legations visited the Red Cross heapital here this morning, inspected the arrangements and talked with a few wounded and sick soldiers. Dr. Anita McGee, who is in Japan in connection with Red Cross work, was received by her majesty and accom-panied the party. panied the party.

A CONVICT'S DEATH.

Jumped from Train and Was Instantly Killed.

pulp.

to the emperor.

JULIA MARLOWE. stantity kined. Nevada, Iowa, May 23.—Joseph Pan-kuch, an Austrian, who escaped from Sing Sing prison some months ago, and was being returned to prison by two New York officials, jumped from a Chi-cago & Northwestern limited train run-ning at full speed and was instantly killed. The prison officials had traded Pankuch to Reno, Colorado, where he was arrested. Pankuch slipped from his berth, shackled, and leaped from the vestibule. His head was mashed to a pulp. BONE CENT LAST SHIT RUSSIAN GUNS. Cartured Ones to be Presented To Emperor of Japan. Tokio, May 23, 5 p. m.-About 300 sick and slightly wounded men of Gen. Kuroki's army arrived at the military hospital here today, with several guns, wagons and ambulances, captured at the Yalu river, which will be presented Celebrated Race Horses Sold. Readville, Mass., May 23 .- Many cele brated racing horses were on the list to be sold at an auction sale that op-ened here today. A number of well known horsemen from various parts of the country were present. The chief consignments were those of the late J. Malcolm Forbes of Boston and Thomas W. Lawson of Boston, 7 The Forbes stock included the famous trot-ter, Bingen, 2:06¼, for which \$25,000 was recently refused: Vice Commodore, the three-year-old son of Bigen and Mar-ion; the famous mare Nancy Hanks, Marion, the eight-year-old daugnter of Arion and Nancy Hanks, and Susie J. Bingen was the first horse offered and was sold for \$32,000 to A. H. Parker of Bedford, Mass. Nancy Hanks, the mare which for





political ruin to give a cabinet place to a man utterly unknown to the polilicians of the state to which he is ac-credited as a citizen. But Mr. Cortel-you was nominated, confirmed and inyou was hominated, confirmed and in-stalled as secretary of commerce and labor. He set about the difficult task of organizing the new department and he succeded so well that he very soon gained the support of the very men who had antagonized him to the degree of preventing the passage of the bill creating the department, for nearly a vear. It is admitted today that no It is admitted today that no live department of the governexecutive ment is better established than that over which Mr. Cortelyou presides. It was because he has demonstrated his accomplishments as an organizer that he was selected for the chairmanship of the national committee.

JOHN F. WALLACE.

Again the young man has forced him-self to the front in the person of John F. Wallace, who has been designated as chief engineer of the Panama canal. There are three eminent engineers on the commission, any one of whom is old the commission, any one of whom is old enough to be the father of Mr. Wal-



Mrs. Rosa Adams, niece of the late General Roger Hanson, C.S.A., wants every woman to know of the wonders accomplished by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

DEAR MRS. PINEHAM : - I cannot tell you with pen and ink what good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me, suffering from the ills peculiar to the sex, extreme lassitude and that all gone feeling. I would rise from my bed in the morning feeling more tired than when I went to bed, but before I used two bottles of Lydia E Pinthamic Verseture Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I began to feel the buoy-ancy of my younger days returning, became regular, could do more work and not feel tired than I had ever been able to do before, so I continued to use it until the provide the set of the set of the set t until I was restored to perfect health. It is indeed a boon to sick women and I heartily recommend it. Yours very truly, Mns. Rosa. ADAMS, 819 12th St., Louisville, Ky." - \$5000 forfait if original of above latter proving ganalasness cannot be produced.

FREE MEDICAL ADVICE TO WOMEN.

Don't hesitate to write to Mrs. Pinkham. She will understand your case perfectly, and will treat you with kindness. Her advice is free, and the address is Lynn, Mass. No woman ever regretted having written her, and she has having written her, and she has helped thousands.

appointed for political service rendered, paid but indifferent attention to their duties and in fact every branch of the secretary's office, as well as that of the scher administrative divisions of the schare were conducted in a slipshod manner, which was a disgrace to the country. But Charles G. Bennett, sec-retary, and Daniel N. Ransdell, sergeantatarms, have changed all this. Everything has been reduced to a sys-tem. The document room is as order-ly as the library, the surroundings of the entrances are as neat and orderly us the senate chamber itself and the young man is responsible for the change.

found in the cases of Eckles, Dawes, Vanderlip and Alles, who within the past few years, just as soon as they had demonstrated what stuff they were made of were anapped up by outside

PLENTY OF OPPORTUNITIES.

It would be comparatively easy to fill a newspaper page with the names

and records of young men who have recently proved the truth of Senator

Dolliver's assertion that there are still opportunities in this country for the able and ambitious young American. Charles G. Bennett, secretary of the United States senate, is one of these.

Mr. Bennett is the youngest man who ever held the office. And senators, such as Allison, Platt of Connecticut,

Morgan, and a score of others who have been a long time in the senate, do not

vants.

A YOUNG MAN'S DIFFICULTIES.

almost boyish in appearance.

he inspected every pound of material and examined every sketch himself. He visited the granite quarries in New England, and to the great astonishment of "experts" of great experience, he demonstrated that it is possible to get material out on time. He made a trip to Europe, where Pennsylvania artists are preparing the decorated design, to satisfy himself that his ideas are be-ing carried out. He is building for the Harrisburg capitol one of the most per-fect public buildings in the world, and he is doing it without the waste of a dollar, without the slightest breath of

dollar, without the slightest breath of scandal. He will finish it completely within the specified time, and, what is far more remarkable, within the limit of the appropriation

It is this same young man, Joseph M.

of the appropriation.

San Francisco, May 23.—The three-masted schooner Fanny Adele, laden with coal oil, gasoline and general mer-chandise, for Nome, Alaska, was set on fire today by an explosion which oc-curred in the hold, and is a total loss. The four men on board at the time nar-rowly escaped with thier lives, one of them being badly burned. The Six-teenth street wharf, at which the ves-sel was lying, was partly burned. The It is seldom that a young man is able to show the "old fellows" that he is made of the right stuff in so short a time as Elliott Woods has required to demonstrate that no mistake was made when he was appointed superintend. when he was appointed superintend-ent of the capitol building and grounds. Mr. Wood's first big contract was car-ried out in the fall of 1901, when in a few months' time he tore out all the interior of the west side of the old Capitol building, formerly used as the home of the compressional library and

sel was lying, was partly burned. The total loss will approximate \$100,000, A few moments before the disaster Capt. Felsher left the schooner, with four men on board, Seaman Joseph and Capitol building, formerly used as the home of the congressional library, and completely remodeled it. The work was a revelation to men familiar with the slow process of construction work for the government, and naturally when Mr. Clark, the long time architect of the Capitol, died in the following January, Mr. Woods was the only man thought of as his successor. He has held his present office for two years, and so well is he regarded by the members of the Claussen being on deck and Joseph Manne and J. Kruntkrizer in the cabin. Suddenly there was an explosion, from some unknown cause, in the hold. All those in the cabin being lifted into the air through the open companion way. The men tried in vain to reach the The men tried in vain to reach the vessel, being driven back by the flames which shot up into the air for nearly 100 feet. Manne and Kruntkrizer were picked up by a boat as the former was about to sink. He was terribly burned and was taken to the Potrero hospital in a precarious condition. Joseph struck out and reached the wharf, but Claussen, who could not swim, clung to the anchor chain. He lost his hold and was drowning when a man named McKay jumped from the dock and placed a line about his body. The schooner's lines soon parted and she drifted out into the bay. The fire tug Governor Markham followed, but was unable to approach near, owing to frequent explosions on the burning vesis he regarded by the members of the senate and house committees on appro-priations that they have entrusted to him the work of construction of new office buildings for both the house and senate, as well as the preliminaries for the extension of the Capitol. At Mr. Woods' suggestion he has been author-Woods suggestion he has been author-ized to employ the services of some of the best architects in the country as consulting experts, but he himself is charged with the proper expenditure of nearly \$10,000,000, and his record guarantees that every dollar will be properly expended and that the result will be entirely estimatory to all those

will be entirely satisfactory to all those who will use the building which he wi'l construct. Mr. Woods is a young man, quent explosions on the burning ves-However, at every opportunity a set. stream of water was thrown over the craft, which made its way toward the Golden Gate, without coming into col.

A PENNSYLVANIA MAN. The Pennsylvania members of Con ress are very proud of a young man gress are very proud of a young man who has arisen to eminence in the ar-chitectural profession in Philadelphia and Harrisburg. A few years ago the capitol of the state was destroyed by fire - Designs for a new building were-invited from architects all over the country. The award was made to Jo-seph M. Huston, of Philadelphia, a young man who had become rather well known through his work in the city of brotherly love, but whose reputation

Golden Gate, without coming into col-lision with any yessel. The schooner was burned to the wa-ter's edge and is a total loss. It was owned principally by C. J. Hendrick-son & Co., of this city, Sutton & Chris-tensen, by whom it was managed, hav-ing a small interest. The cargo was chiefly the property of the Standard Oil company.

The Women's Clubs.

St. Louis, May 23.—The most import-ant action taken at today's session of the convention of the General Federa-tion of Women's clubs was the voting down of a motion to instruct the nomiof brotherly love, but whose reputation outside that city was still to be made Mr. Huston began work in earnest. From the concrete foundation, through the material for the superstructure, up to the mural decorations of the interior he inspected every pound of materia



Fifty-eighth Congress to consider and recommend legislation for the develop ment of the American merchant mar-\$500, or imprisonment for not more than one year. The act is designated to prevent the payment of commissions on ine, began its first session here today. Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire, is chairman of the committee which is purchases of supplies or for the use of the employes' influence, by bribing him, is chairman of the committee which is composed of members of both branches of Congress. Invitations had been sent to the chief ship-owners and builders of this port, to marine engineers and even to the sailor before the mast to appear before the committee. Senator Gallinger, in opening the in-quiry, pointed out that more than 90 per cent of the foreign commerce of this country is being carried in foreign to secure contracts, appointments to a position, or any act by which the em-ployer is imposed upon.

this country is being carried in foreign ships and said the commission will be fortunate if the decision here and else-where sheds such light on the subject as will enable it to recommend to Congress legislation of a remedial charac-

nearly three years held the trotting championship of the world, when the record stood at 2:04, was sold for \$4,000

to J. M. Johnson, mayor of Calais, Me

Nine Years for Rothschild.

New York, May 23 .- David Rothschild

ormer president of the defunct Federa bank, who last week was convicted of grand larceny, today was sentenced to

Brand larceny, today was sentenced to serve nine years in the state prison. Rothschild was found guilty of the theft of a note of \$10,000 belonging to a man hamed Nessler, while the former was president of the bank.

Merchant Marine Commission.

New York May 23 .- Th

ter. Thomas Clyde of the Clyde line, the first witness called, strongly advocated nrst witness called, strongly advocated ship subsidiaries. After deep study of the problem, he was convinced that this was the best course to pursue. He presented a chart showing the standard of the chief maritime nations of the world. The United States stands at the bottom. All the nations, he said, have given aid of some sort to natural conditions.

Spanish Monks Arrested.

Chicago, May 23 .- When the Spanish monks who came here from the Phil-ippines received the orders of the gov-ernment for their expulsion, says a Herald dispatch from Caracas, Venez-uela, they answered that they would leave only at the point of the bayonet or on the orders of their superior. All were immediately arersted.

The Oregon at Hongkong.

Washington, May 23.—The navy de-partment has been advised by cable of the arrival of the Oregon and Alex-ander at Hongkong, where they have joined the Wisconsin, the flagship of Rear Admiral Cooper, commander-in-chief of the Asiatic station. The Vicks-burg has sailed from Hongkong for Way Sung. Woo Sung.

Surveyor-General of Alaska.

Washington, May 23.—The president has re-appointed W. L. Dustin as sur-veyor general of Alaska with head-quarters at Sitka.

Will be Lynched if Caught.

Wichita, Kan., May 23 .- Three miles north of Woodward, O. T., yesterday, William Gardner shot and killed Bud Craig and Virgil Funkhauser. He was Jealous of their attentions to his wire. The three men were cowboys on E. W. Wiggins' ranch. A mob of 50 is pur-suing Gardner. He will be lynched if caught.

Plans for Chicago Convention.

Chicago, May 23.-Sergeant-at-Arms W, F. Stone of the Republican national committee, who is in Chicago to remain antil after the convention, was busy today discussing arrangements and per-fecting plans. Rooms for the perma-nent officers of the gonvention, of the various committees having in charge the active work incident to the gathering, will be provided in the Collseum at

Fire in Arkansas Town.

Newport, Ark., May 23.—Five tonight destroyed the warehouse of the New-port Grocery company, the Iron Moun-tain freight station, the river elevator and the Doherty warehouse. Loss, \$100,-000.