

to sing "Where Is Our Wandering Boy "fonight," but their emotions quite overwhelmed the attempt. It would have ben in vain, anyway, in the absence of the choir master. In view of the indigo he that pervaded the hall, the singing of "America" was dispensed with and the troupe got right down to business-Vi-count 'em-51.

Interlocutor Williams called on that popular end man Hal W. Brown for the report of the committee appointed to obtain signatures to the protest to Congress. His report stated that 6,000 names had been enrolled without reference to the number of barkeepers, hackdrivers and waiters among them-57-count 'em 7. Patriot Sam McDowell gave a fuller explanation of the class of signers when he said that hundreds of business men had refused to attach their names to the petition as they were afraid it might injure their business.

WESTERVELT SHINES.

WALTER NON EST.

"Well," continued the outraged lega

ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE.

Perhaps nine out of the 25 members

at the officers insist that each one of tem gave his consent to the appoint-

and then came the quiet, natural dis-

sution of the troupe. Patrick J. Daly, he well-known comedian, reported that

tious meeting, moved that action in re-

tant to the mass meeting be postponed unit more evidence is brought out be-

for the senate committee. Judge Strat then moved that when the com-jany break up, it be subject to the call of the chalters.

of the chairman, at a time when either the committee on mass meeting or the committee on organization should ask it. This on organization

This was agreed to unanimously. I was the general understanding that if anything further is ever done in the

matter, it will not be for some time.

THIS MAN WAS LOADED.

A disturbing element here entered in-

MEETING DISSOLVES,

committee on mass

t the office

Adonis G. Westervelt then arose and

owed his intellect to shine on the rest Strengthened for Future Usefulness. of the party while he inquired if the same of Foreman L. F. Hall of the

grand jury had been attached to the Mr. E. Burke Spencer, the well known operator in the Western Union Telegraph office in this city, is actively engaged in the work of adding to the membership of "Is Walter Meeks here?" asked Pa-the MeDowell, "He can tell." the Old Time Telegraphers and Historical Association. The organization is alreay a A deep, impressive silence was the strong one, but Mr. Spencer is making it a good deal stronger, and by the time dignitary, "I happen to know that Wal-ter Meeks took the protest to Mr. Hall, the annual convention meets at Atlanta, Ga., he will have made a pretty thorough The immediately answered that he would have nothing to do with it." clean-up of all those eligible to member-The committee on organization, which

as empowered to increase its memberthip to 25, reported the following selec-tions, the first five named being the E. D. R. Thompson, George Wester-

clean-up of all those eligible to member-ship in this part of the country. The chief qualifications are, not less than five years continuous service as an operator, begin-ning not less than 25 years ago. John secretary, the president being appointed by the convention. Among the noted mem-bers are George H. Corse, general agent of the U. P. at Ogden, and Col. R. C. Clowry, president and manager of the western Union. The new members who have been pre-sented so far are A. M. Musser, T. J. Mackintosh, W. E. Maycock, John Y. Hampton, S. A. Kenner, Frank Godbe, R. M. Wilkinson, D. A. Swan, R. P. Morris, Joslah Rogerson and E. H. Peirce. M. Spencer holds the record for fast receiving of a great number of words, it being naturally a phenomenal one in tho presence of so much skill and speed as this country affords. He is also familiar with railroad work and is an all-round E. D. R. Thompson, George Wester-teit, P. L. Williams, P. J. Daly, A. R. Derge, H. G. McMillan, E. W. Wilson, H. J. Dininny, H. W. Brown, H. P. Henderson, N. D. Corser, W. F. Simp-hus, Henry La Motte, George A. Whit-tker, Samuel McDowall, J. A. Street, F. B. Critchiow, William Nelson, F. E. McGarin, C. W. Whiteley, P. J. Dono-hus, T. W. Pinkerton, J. B. Moreton, Chatles Baldwin, H. P. Myton, Perhaps nine out of the 25 members a present at last night's meeting,

Pittsburg, March 22.—Congressional nominations were made today by Al-legheny county Republicans as follows: Twenty-ninth district, William H. Gra-ham; Thirtieth district, John Dalzell, (re-nominated): Thirty-first district, James F. Burke; Thirty-second district, Dr. A. J. Barchfeld. eea unable to get either of the local heaters in which to play-57-count em-57, and Judge John A. Street, a bills less enthusiastic than at the pre-Delegates to the national convention were also chosen an dresolutions adopt-ed endorsing the administration of Presi-dent Roosevelt and Gov. Pennypacker.

Irish Nationalists Elect. Dublin, March 22.—The Nationalists in the St. Stephens Green division of Dub-lin yesterday elected Lawrence Waldron to fill the vacancy in the house of com-mons caused by the death of James Mc-Cann, by a majority of 620 over the Unionist candidate. Mr. Matheson. Mr. Waldron is a wealthy stock broker. While he was not an official Nationalist candi-date, Mr. Waldron is pledged to support home rule and the proposal to establish a Catholic university in Dublin, and to oppose the present financial relations be-tween Ireland and Great Britain.

to the proceedings. An old man with a bal that he probably made about trips to get arose to ask; "If bathch is can get arose to ask; mahish is case whash are we here (hic) The interlocutor ruled him out of or-der, but the cld man insisted. On mo-to of Citizen McDowell, the veteran set the floor. He talked incoherently for four minutes and was then ent

Special Correspondence. should be given a chance to prove their innocence before being branded. There Springfield, O., March 19 .- There is said to be an interesting romance back of were, he added, Republican as well as the engagement of M. T. Donovan, who Democratic boodlers. Richard Kerens then sprung a surlives north of the city, and Miss Francis prise upon the convention by announc-ing, at the conclusion of a brief speech,

E. Welch, of Salt Lake City. Mr. Donovan is now in this city on a

Mr. Donovan is now in this city on a visit, it being the first time he has been here for 15 years. In 1897 he went to Alaska. On the steamer returning was the young lady to whom he is now en-gaged to be married. The steamer met with an accident, and Miss Welch would have been drowned but for the bravery-displayed by Mr. Donovan. An acquaint-ance was formed which resulted in an engagement.

engagement. On May I the young lady will arrive in this city, and the wedding will take place at St. Rahael's church, this city, Mr. Donoxan is an extensive breeder of horses, and has owned some of the best racers in the west. He possesses several hundred acres of land in Utah, and is well off in this world's goods.

OLD TIME TELEGRAPHERS.

The Organization is Being Gradually

Point Richmond, Cal., March 22.—The Santa Fe eastbound overland express ran into a washout south of Reedley, in Tu-lare county, at 4:30 o'clock this morning! The train was turned over on its side and several passengers were injured, none fatally. The train broke through a bridge over an irrigating ditch. The engine and baggage car passed over safely. The mail car and smoker sank into the hole and were badly broken up. The remaind-er of the train left the track and turned over. The passengers who were hurt were in the smoker. A wrecking train left here at 8 o'clock, taking a sleeper to take the injured to the company's hospital in San Francisco.

Congressional Nominations.

Irish Nationalists Elect.

Unly One Death I'x 'ecte'. The historic document to Congress The historic document to Congress The historic document to Congress

and those charged with boodling

First Dist. Republican Convention Of Nebraska is for Them.

Lincoin, Neb., March 22.—The First dis-triet Republican convention here today renominated E. J. Burkett for Congress. The delegates to the national convention are instructed to vote for Roosesvelt for president, and John L. Webster of Omaha, for vice president so long as his candidacy does not interfere with Roose-velt's interests. The convention adopted a resolution asking the president to ap-point H. C. Lindsay, now chairman of the state committee, district attorney in place of W. S. Summers, who conducted the prosecution against Senator Dietrich. that he would not be a candidate for reelection as national committeeman from Missouri. He would, he said, continue to devote his time in working for the interests of the party, but he did not care longer for the position. Thomas J. Akins, whom President Roosevelt recently appointed to a fed-eral position at St. Louis, finally an-nounced that he would not be a candi-

ANARCHIST OUTRAGE.

Infernal Machine in Liege Fortunately Discovered.

Liege, Belgium, March 22.—Another anarchist outrage was attempted today but the infernal machine which was plac-ed on the window sill of the residence of Police Commissioner Binet was discovered in time to prevent any damage being done. The machine was identical with the one that was exploded March 18 out-Police Laurent and which which which a Police Laurent and which wrecked th house, killing an artillery officer, Ma Papin, and scriously wounding half down other percents lozen other persons.

COMBES' POSITION.

He Will Not Soon Retire from the Premiership.

Premiersing. Paris, March 22.-In the course of an in-terview today Prime Minister Combes denies the reports that he will immediate-ly retire from the premiership as a re-suit of the recent cabinet reverses. M. Combes says he recognizes that the sit-uation of the ministry is delicate, but that so far as he is concerned he pro-poses to pursue to the end the work he has undertaken, without deviating a hair's breadth from the course planned. This statement is interpreted as apply-ing to the work in connection with the pending law for the suppression of the teaching orders which probably will be passed in a fortnight when the premier's main work will be accomplished.

turn for about six weeks. The court also denied the continuance, and eight jurors were then called to the jury box.



Attorney Rogers made a brief statement of the case in which he said that the defendant was charged with adultery alleged to have been committed with Mrs. Annie M. Bradley in the Independence rooming house on April 16, 1902. Of the first eight jurors examined, Henry T. Pascoe, Frank H. Ford and H. S. Beatty were challenged for cause by the defense, Marcellus S. Woolley was excused upon the first peremp-tory challenge by District Attorney Eichnor for the state, William C. Lee was excused upon the first peremptory challenge by the defense, Frank Howe, William Redeker and William Wantland were sworn and accepted to try the case.

WANTLAND WILL TESTIFY.

Before Mr. Wantland was examined for cause by the defense, District At-torney Eichnor notified the attorneys that he would probably be called as a witness for the state. That did not witness for the state. That did not make any difference to the defendant's attorneys, so they proceeded to examined him and accepted Wantland as a juror. It is probable that the juror will be called from the box to testify in the case.

Of the next five jurors examined, H. J. Hayward was challenged for cause by the defense, A. E. Raleigh was ex-cused upon the second peremptory chal-lenge by the state, J. H. Bowden was excused upon the second perepatory challenge by the defense and Thomas P. Parry and R. C. Naylor were sworn and accepted.

MRS. BRADLEY NOT PRESENT.

Mrs. Bradley was not present in court this morning at all. It is expected that the case will be one of the hardest fought legal battles waged in this county since the famous Mortense District Attorney Eichnor is be case. ing assisted in the prosecution of the case by County Attorney Westervelt, while Judge King and L. R. Rogers will



Tomorrow There Will be at Least Three Surprises-Decidedly Important Rearrangements and Promotions-No Consolidation of Short Line and O. R. & N .-

least three big changes inaugurated with the promotion of as many execulive officials. More than that, the "News" does not feel justified in printtive ,officials.

> There have been runners in the air of such changes for the past 10 days. When they are officially announced there will be a big surprise in store for the guessers.

Omaha, Portland and San Francisco papers are considerably worked up over the rumors that are flashing through the railroad world and all kinds of guesses are being printed. As a sample the San Francisco Chronicle this morn-ing came out with a big story that had a littl fact stowed away among a let of lction. For first class rot the statement that one general manager will look af ter the line from Omaha to San Franvisco comes near being the limit. The other statement regarding Mr. Mohler that he will be responsible for the ope-ration on the Short Line from Huntington to Granger is equally without the

slightest foundation in fact, The condensed story as printed in the Chronicle this morning and sent out by the Associated Press is as follows:

erating official of all the Harriman properties, Julius Kruttschnitt will introduce some startling innovations in railroad management. If the program which he now has under consideration is put into practise the Harriman sys-tem will be cut up into several manager's districts. Kruttschnitt is of the opinion that better operating results could be obtained by extending the jurisdiction of some general managers in some directions and reducing it in others. Among other things he is known to look with favor upon a scheme to place the Ogden line from Omaha to San Francisco under the direction and authority of one general manager. His plan of reorganization also contemplates the operation of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation company and the Oregon Short Line as one property. It is understood that Kruttschnitt's

idea is to place W. H. Bancroft in charge of the Omaha-San Francisco line, to give C. H. Markham the mannue, to give C. H. Markham the man-agement of the Southern Pacific prop-erties between here and El Paso, and to extend the jurisdiction of President and General Manager A. H. Mohler of the Oregon Kailroad & Navigation company so that he will be responsible for the operation of the Oregon Short Line from Hundlogene to Oregon Short Line from Huntington to Granger in addition to the Portland and Washington properties. All the several general mana-

London, March 22 .- The Duke of Cambridge was buried today after a funeral such as has been accorded to no English soldier since the death of the Duke of Wellington. King Edward, Queen Alexandra and nearly all the unchanged. members of the royal family, representatives of foreign monarchies, the diplomatic corps and representative British subjects of all walks in life attended the impressive national service at Westminster abbey. Thereafter the body of the "old duke" as he was af-

fectionately known to the public, was taken to Kensal Green cemetery and buried beside that of his wife. Thousands of troops marched through and lined the streets and dense crowds

watched the spectacle which in military magnificence rivalled the funeral of Queen Victoria.

The king, wearing a field marshal's uniform, and the queen, in the deepest mourning, drove from Buckingham palace to the abbey shortly after 11 o'clock. The crowds uncovered in silence and the troops reversed arms on their arrival. The abbey was then packed with diplomatists, privy councilors and army officers, all in gorgeous uniforms. The king walked up the aisle, which was lined by grenadiers, their busbies bent low over the reversed arms and took his place as chief mourner, at the head of the coffin. The Princes of Wales, the Duke of Con-

naught and the other princes stood behind him. Prince Albrecht of Prussia repre-

sented Emperor William, while from the United States embassy Ambassador Choate and the military attache, Maj. Beacon, were present. Among the prin-cipal mourners were Admiral and Col Fitzgeorge, the late duke's sons. On either side of the coffin stood five field marshals-Wolsley, Haines, Roberts, Norman and Good, who, with a score of famous British generals, acted as pallbearers. In the corner of the abbey stood a number of veterans who had fought with the Duke of Cambridge in the Crimea. Every branch of the army and the volunteers were represented.

The dean of Westminster read the service, and a dirge, which had not been played since the funeral of Queen Mary II echoed through the abbey. The Norrey king of arms (William Henry Weldon), hoarsely proclaimed the full titles of the dead man, eight grenadiers lifted the coffin, and the king walked behind it, followed by the officers in crimson and gold uniforms. In the bright sunshine the thousands of people outside the abbey watched the coffin being placed on the gun carriage The old duke's charger, with stirrups reversed, followed his master to the

grave The king, princes, ambessadors and generals entered 21 carriages and start ed on the long journey to the cemetery. Ahead of the gun carriage was an array of British troops seldom seen in the streets of London. Life guards, lancers, grenadiers, hussars, dragons and

highlanders, with their bands, marched through a lane of brilliant color formed the infantry along the route. Bo. hind these the spectators formed a contiruous black background.

Cuirrassiers, plumes, swords and hances sparkled in the sun, that had been so seldom seen of late by the in-habitants of the metropolis.

Nearly two aid a half hours elapsed before the cortege reached the ceme-tery from which the public had been excluded. The king and others stood by the

graveside while a squad of grenadiers fired thre volleys for their old field

originally proposed to pay the manufacturers a sum equal to three years' income from their business. It is said that the illicit project was to secure the equivalent of four years' income. The police are investigating the matter, and possibly it may be ventilated on the floor of the house.

The incident is likely to have the ef-fect of leaving the three years provision

FIRING WAS FOR PRACTISE.

Newchwang, March 22 .- The firing heard this morning has been officially explained as practise by the forts. The Associated Press correspondent learns that the Russians notified the Chinese late yesterday evening that the practise firing would occur but not in time for the information to become generally known and consequently there was considerable alarm.

FIRST JUNKS ARRIVE.

Two junks, the first arrivals of the season, are unloading at the railway station today. The ice in the river is rapidly breaking up. A south wind is expected, and should it come, the river will be entirely open in a few days.

REFUGEES FROM PORT ARTHUR. Two Japanese merchants, named Kautaiami and Makaya, and also five women refugees, who had been impris-oned from Feb. 7 to March 20 at Port Arthur left today, en route to Tien Tsin, thus satisfying the American official inquiry and negotiations covering several weeks. The merchants who were arrested on account of possessing charts of the coast at Dalny, report that altogether they were treated kindly, es-pecially at the military prison under Golden Hill, where they were in custody for 21 days. Later they were confined in the police station. The civil administration of New-

chwang took unusual care in accom-plishing the release of the prisoners and refugees and upon their arrival here they were promptly turned over to the United States consul, Henry B. Mil-

PETITION BY BRITISH RESIDENTS The British residents here have sent a petition to Sir Ernest Satow, the Brit-ish minister at Pekin, asking that a warship be allowed to remain at Newhwang.

United States Consul Miller proposes he organization of all foreigners in Newchwang so as to insure their intelligence regarding war movements in this vicinity and also for their mutual protection.

RUSSIANS SKEPTICAL.

St. Petersburg, March 22, 4:22 p. m.-The authorities here are skeptical in regard to the report that the Japaneso squadron has been sighted off the port of Newchwang.

There is no confirmation here of the report, purporting to come from Lon-don, that the Vladivostok squadron has reached Port Arthur.

RECEIVERS FOR SULLY.

Appointed and Bonds Fixed at \$200,000.

New York, March 22-An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed today in the United States district court against the firm of Daniel J. Sully & Co., com-posed of Daniel J. Sully, Samuel F. B. Morse, W. R. Fagin and Edwin Hadley. Jr. by three creditors. The latter, S. M. Wells & Co., having a claim amounting, it is allegred, to a sum in excess of \$256, 000; J. Temple Gwathmay & Co., whose claim is in excess of \$70,000, and Shear-son, Hammill & Co., with a claim in ex-cess of \$100,000 allegres that the firm of Sully & Co. also purchased cotion from them, the price to be due and determin-ed on March 19, under the rules of the cotton exchange. On that date, the peti-tion states, the firm of Sully & Co, noti-sind ucestion of its inability to meet out-standing contracts. The act on the part of the firm constituted bankruptcy. Is given as the rusking of a general as-signment on March 19, Judge Holt ap-pointed David H. Miller and Perry W. Tatt, fixing their receivers' bonds at \$200,-300. New York, March 22 .- An involuntary

Some Truth and Much Fiction from San Francisco. two corporations will remain intact. Julius Kruttschnitt, now general The jurisdiction of the Oregon Short Line, however, will be greatly enlarged. But what will interest Salt Lakers more is the fact that there will be at

ing today.

changes on the Harriman system, both operating and traffic, will be consummated.

Prior to leaving Mr. Kruttschnitt stated to the "News" that he had as yet nothing to give out relative to the meeting held in the Oregon Short Line board rooms yesterday. When the final details were arranged, however, there

manager and assistant to the president of the Southern Pacific, but who will be director of transportation for the Harriman lines on or shortly after the first of next month, left for San Francisco last night in order to meet J. C. Stubbs there tomorrow, where final details re-

garding important and extensive

date for re-election as chairman of the

state central committee, as it would, he considered, be inconsistent to hold

WRECK ON SANTA FE.

Overland Express Ran Into Wash-

out, but No One Killed.

SULTAN OF SULU.

Accepts Without Excitement Ab-

rogation of Bates Treaty.

both positions.

would be something forthcoming.

The result of yesterday's meeting will be one of the big surprises of the railroad year-the most important change that has transpired since 1897. For the benefit of those who are guessing the "News' can state authoratively that the long discussed consolidation be-tween the Oregon Short Line and the Oregon Railway & Navigation will not take place. Apparently that question the Associated Press is as follows: gers will report to Kruttschnitt, whose marshal and the funeral came to an has been settled for all time and the "In his new position of executive op- headquarters will be in Chicago."

Manila, March 22.-Maj.-Gen. Wood re-ports from Jolo that the sultan of Sulu has accepted the abrogation of the Bates treaty without any evidence of excite-ment. Evidently he had expected its ab-rogation since hostilities began last fall.

