# RUSSIE'S CREW'S MISBEHAVIOR.

Obedience Enforced Only at the Revolver's Mouth,

THE FIRST MATE'S HEROISM

piscord on Board Because of Conduct of Two Women - Officers Surrepetiously Favored Them.

Paris, Jan. 12.-Ugly stories are leakng out concerning the behavior of part the crew of the steamer Russie recked off Faraman, Bouches-duhone, Monday, whose crew and pasngers, numberng 102 persons, were escued by hoats from the shore yesrday. The Matin publishes an interlew with a passenger who said the connuct of some of the sailors was beneath ntempt. The first mate had to enforce obedience at the muzzle of a relver and was obliged to pass the nights with a loaded revolver in his These assertions are confirmed by two lady passengers. The other pasngers, adds the correspondent, while raising the officers, maintained a sigicant silence regarding the seamen. A correspondent of the Echo de Paris

lieges that discord prevailed on board, consequence of the conduct of two open, vaudeville artistes, and certain comen, vaudeville artistes, and certain other passengers, declaring that scantalous incidents occurred in the smoking room between them and the officers, tespite that all on board appeared to be not the threshold of death. The correspondent adds: It is asserted that the officers sur-

ottously favored these women, giv-them an unfair allowance of bis-ts and oranges. These rumors spread the crew, who siezed on them as a text to start a little munity. The allors refused to do duty saying there us no longer any discipline on board; had the right to save his own skin d that the common danger made all ual. Matters came to such a point equal. Matters came to such a point chat the first mate after a refusal of obedience was obliged to threaten the mutineers with a revolver. Order was restored but not entirely, as the quartel broke out anew on landing."

A correspondent of the Petite Parisenne, sends the following statement:

"A sailor telis me that when the Carcor of the following statement, apt. Jouve stood at the gangway, with resolver in his hand, to prevent any

#### od order of the disembarkation.' PRUSSIAN CANAL BILL.

olver in his hand, to prevent any

t Contemplates the Expenditure of About a Hundred Million Dollars. Berlin, Jan. 12.-The canal bill pre-

today contemplates the expenditure of \$39,000,000 marks, Grip at Princeton.

Princeton, N. J., Jan. 12.—An epidemic f grippe has spread with alarming rap-lity through the university the past ew days. The head nurse at the in-irmary said today that 18 cases are neans that every ward is occupied with

# Chinese Ordered to Sign.

Pekin, Jan. 12.-The Chinese peace mmissioners have received orders rom the court to sign the joint note

# President Continues to Improve.

Washington, Jan. 12.-The President continues to improve. He passed a seed night and probably will sit up for while today. The President is now making rapid

progress toward recovery. He sat up for a short time last evening, and tolay he not only sat up a longer time than since he was taken ill, but walked bout the room several times. If nothing unfavorable occurs he will likely be able to attend to some matters of ressing business early in the coming

# Collision on Great Northern.

Kalispell, Mont., Jan. 12.—Two trains oilided on the Great Northern railroad ear Essex early today, and while dealls are meagre, it is known that two ien named Warner and Fritz were lled and another injured. Supt. Kennedy has gone in his private car with the entire wrecking crews of this city.

# WHOLESALE MURDER.

Louis Currier Cuts His Wife's Throat,

Kills His Son and Suicides, Albany, N. Y., Jan. 12.—Louis Cur-ler, aged 40, at an early hour this agraing cut his wife's throat, broke his n Archie's head with a base ball bat, ok a dose of paris green and then cut s throat from ear to ear with a razor, All three are dead. Currier left a let-er addressed to the police, which shows hat the murder was premeditated. In the claims his wife bought parts green with which to poison him. It is beli-ved that his frenzy after killing his wife led to the killing of his son, who was 12 years old. Currier was a painter by de and was 40 years of age. wife, whom he married thirteen years 180, was then employed in a all at North Adams, Mass. A sister of urrier exonerates the dead woman and states that her brother made life Fretched for his wife, drinking to ex-

## ess and abusing her, Servian Assembly Opens.

Nlach, Servia, Jan. 12,-The narodnakupschlina (national assembly) was pened today by King Alexander. In a leech from the throne his majesty red his marriage had set the seal on his life's happiness. He emphasized the split with his father (former King Milan), saying Milan had left the issue ferever, therefore he hoped for better service from the present ministry than

# House Proceedings.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Some miscellaheous business was transacted by the House at the opening of the session today. A bill was passed to change and fix the times for holding district and circuit courts in the northeastern division of the Eastern district of Tendivision of the Eastern district of Ten-

Several relief bills were passed. A

of Missouri, to his rank in the United States navy, was objected to by Mr. Hopkins. Case contracted color blindness while serving on the Jeanette re-

A bill was passed for the relief of certain Indians of the Indian Territory who desire to sell their lands and re-move elsewhere.

## DOUBLE HEADER COLLISION. Four Trainmen Injured and Engines and Cars Smashed.

Belleville, Ilis., Jan. 12 .- A double header extra freight train on the Illinois Central railroad ran into a through freight today, resulting in the death of Conductor W. A. Wing. of Coulterville, and Brakeman W. E. Ring of Duqoin. Four other trainmen were injured as

E. H. Pope, engineer, bruised in jump-Fred Schwartz, fireman, elight in-

juries in jumping.

W. P. Goeblein, engineer, styed on engine, badly shaken up.

J. F. McNichols, fireman, stayed on

orgine, bruised.

Six cars and the caboose of the first train were reduced to kindling wood, a mogul engine was completely wrecked and the second engine badly damaged.

A Mother Brains Her Daughter.

## Minneapolis, Jan. 12.-Mrs. Mathilda Helstrom today struck her 16-year-old daughter with a bottle, killing her in-stantly. It is claimed that Mrs. Helstrom had made two previous attempts on the life of her daughter. It is be-

lieved that the mother is insane, COL. ROOSEVELT IN MEEKER.

He Leaves for Parsons and Hanauer's Keystone Ranch.

Meeker, Colo., Jan. 12.-Col. Theodore Roosevelt and his companions on his hunting trip left here today for the Keystone ranch, 36 miles northwest of this place, where they will make their headquarters in a log cabin. The Key-stone ranch is owned by Messrs. Par-sons and Hanauer, stockmen, who re-side in Salt Lake City.

#### Deputy Sheriff Killed.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 12.—Near Friars Point, Miss., Deputy Sheriff James Lucas was shot from ambush and instantly killed by Andrew Caylor, for whose arrest, on the charge of selling illicit whisky, the officer had a warrant, Caylor was captured and a mob organ-ized to lynch him, but the officers

## Lipton's Shamrock II.

London, Jan. 12.-The Dennys officially corroborating the off-denied statement that the efirm is building Sir Thomas Lipton's America's cup challenger, the Shamrock II, add the fol-

Little progress has yet been made but the arrangements are all completed for rapid construction."

## Inquest on Kennedy's Body.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 12 .- The coroner's inquest over the body of Philip H. Kennedy, contracting agent of the Merchant's despatch Transportation

company, who was shot and killed by his wife, Thursday evening, was held today, numerous witnesses being examined. The prosecuting attorney an-nounced before the investigation began that no matter what verdict the coroner's jury might make, he would ask the grand jury to indict the prisoner for murder in the first degree. The in-timation that the woman had an accomplice was made and other arrests

Roland Butler, a clerk in Kennedy's office, testified that he had seen Wil-liam Prince, a brother of the woman, strike the murdered man's brother as

the prostrate man after she had shot Prince took the stand and admitted

### that he was present at the time that his sister shot Kennedy, and that he had struck the murdered man's brother. Herr Fischer Attacks Wehner.

Berlin, Jan, 12 .- In the reichstag today Herr Fischer, social democrat, seized the opportunity of the debate on the home estimates to make a violent attack on Count Posadowsky-Wehner, the secretary of the interior, in connection with the recent 12,000 marks scanial, (that amount having been contributed by certain manufacturers furtherance of the anti-strike bill). He proposed the appointment of a parliamentary commission to investigate the political and financial returns be-tween the home office and the Central Inion of German manufacturers and

other organizations.
Count you Posadowsky, in reply, said he hoped his post would always be oc-cupied by a man as honestly anxious as himself to ameliorate the position of the working people. He assumed full re-sponsibility for the action under debate, and had not thought of relinquishing his office so long as he enjoyed the confidence of the monarchy.

# Florence, Colorado, Alarmed.

Florence, Colo., Jan. 12,-The people of this city are becoming alarmed over the situation at the Union Gold Extraction company's mill, where the employ-es are on strike for recognition of their Manager Milliken is willing to pay the union scale of wage: refused to receive a committee from the Mill and Smeltermen's union or to discharge non-tinion employes. Prepara-tions are being made to import Italian

laborers and it is feared such action will result in rioting.

A mass meeting of the coal miners working at Brookside, Coal Creek, Rock Vale and Bear Gulch where mines are operated by the Colorado Fuel & Iron mpany, has been called for Sunday afternoon to discuss the question of striking in sympathy with the miners who are on strike in northern Colorado. A strike can probably be avoided if the company will agree not to ship its coal to the northern Colorado field.

# Steamer Tillamook Abandoned.

San Francisco, Jan. 12.-Word was received today at the Merchants' exchange that the overdue United States steamer Tillamook had caught in the ice at Kodiac and abandoned by the crew. The captain and crew are reported to be on their way

The Tillamook is now seventy-five days out from Scattle. She sailed October 27 for Dutch Harbor, expect-She sailed ing to return without delay. Not a word has been heard from her since she put to sea from Port Valdez, November

# Pingree Contempt Proceedings.

Lansing, Mich, Jan. 12.-The motion of ex-Governor Pingree's attorney to dismiss the contempt proceedings prought against the ex-governor cause of certain criticisms of the Ingham county circuit court and prosecu tor in an interview with a Detroit pa per, came up in the circuit court today. The motion alleges lack of juriediction request for unanimous consent to con-ceedings were confined to arguments of the law points involved in the case,

# TREATY BEFORE BRITISH CABINET

Officials Now Have It Under Consideration.

CANNOT FORECAST RESULT.

State Department Has No Intimation -Holding Document So Long is Regarded as a Favorable Sign.

Washington, Jan. 12.-Official information has reached the state department to the effect that the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, as amended by the United States Senate, is now under consideration by the British cabinet officials, with a view to finally determining whether the instrument in its amended form shall be agreed to or not. Beyond the fact that the document itself is now before the officials for final action, the state department is not advised, and there is no intimation at hand as to the probable result of the conferences now going on. That it is actually taken up gives promise that an answer one way or the other will be quickly forthcoming and there will be no long drawn-out delay over the negotiations.

The fact that the treaty is now being actively considered in London naturally has excited much speculation as to the final outcome, but the state de-partment is unable to confirm any of the rumors as to probable acceptance. There is quite a prevailing feeling, however, unofficially expressed by those who have followed the recent course of who have followed the recent course of affairs, that the indications are favorable to an acceptance. It was pointed out in this connection by an official that if a rejection was contemplated, it probably would be made at once, whereas the delay of about two weeks since the amended treaty reached the London foreign office, gave evidence that there was a desire on the part of the cabinet officials there to consider the matter with much deliberation in the hope of bringing the eration in the hope of bringing the

## Wreck on Southern Pacific.

Reno, Nev., Jan. 12 .- A west bound freight loaded with fee went into the ditch this morning west of Summit, badly smashing up the train, but so far as learned no one was injured. The wreck delayed No. 6, east bound passenger, due at Reno at 8:50 this morning, so that it will not arrive until 4 o'clock,

#### Secy. Hay Transacts Business. Washington, Jan. 12.-Secretary Hay transacted considerable business at his home today, but did not resume his of-ficial duties there. He appears to be

quite recovered from his recent ailment. CASTELLANE MAKES ANSWER. Tells What French and English Law is Concerning People of His Position.

New York, Jan. 12.-A dispatch to the World from Paris, says:
The Count Boni de Castellane was asked to make public his reply to the charges of the London art dealer that the count, had not only articles of vertu to the value of \$337,000 for which he had never paid, but that he had re-sold the articles at a profit ifter having promised to return them

"The New York statements," said the count, "are in no wise different from those uttered by Werthelmer's lawyers in the recent suit brought here in yet how little they impressed the French court was manifested by the state's attorney simply recommending the ap-

The plaintiff's lawyers here, as in w York, made charges of an unlawful act on my part, but the reason why the plaintiff failed to institute a

criminal action on this side of the ocean was palpable both in France and England.
"By French and English law a person of my position and fortune is not called upon to say what he does with goods

"If a gentleman of standing in the community has a fortune warranting such purchases he may sell or give away the goods without laying himself open to the charge of committing an unlawful act. His fortune guarantees responsibility in all such cases and the courts fully recognize the situation."

Eulogies on Late Senator Davis.

Washington, Jan. 12.-No legislative business of importance was transacted by the Senate today. The session was devoted to services held in memory of the late Senator C. K. Davis, of

The long and distinguished services of the Minnesota senator and the intimate relation he sustained with his colleagues in the Senate had endeared him to all, and when his demise came, every member of the body felt that he had suffered a personal loss. For many years Mr. Davis served as

chairman of the committee on foreign relations, and in that capacity and in

identified with the foreign affairs of the Immediately upon the conclusion of

Immediately upon the conclusion of the routine morning business, Mr. Nelson, of Minnesota, called up his resolution expressive of the regret of the Senate at the death of Senator Davis.

As Mr. Nelson called up the resolution, Mrs. Davis, accompanied by friends, entered the executive gallery of the Senate. In addition several other friends of the late senator occupied seats in the executive gallery during the delivery of the memorial orations.

The speakers of the occasion included Senators Morgan of Alabama; Clark, of Wyoming; Lodge, of Massachusetts, and Daniel, of Virginia, all of whom were associated with Mr. Davis as members of the foreign relations commembers of the foreign relations com-mittee. Others who pronounced eu-logies upon the late senator, were his colleague, Senator Nelson, of Minne-sota, and his successor, Senator Towne, and Senators Hoar, of Massachusetts, Spooner, of Wisconsin, McComber of North Dakota, and Foster, of Washing-ton

Dominican Congressional Doings.

San Domingo, Republic of Santo Domingo, Jan. 12.—, via. Haytlen cable.— Congress has voted a credit for the government to compensate the Santo Domingo Improvement company of New York. Control of the customs will continue with the government which will pay salaries monthly. A commis-sion composed of the Dutch and Bel-gian consuls, the American and French vice consuls and one Dominican, receive the customs duties. General satisfaction is felt throughout the country. The president has been congratulated on the action taken. All is

## LORD CURZON TO RESIGN. The Cause Said to be the Poor Health of Lady Curzon.

New York, Jan. 12 .- A dispatch to the New York, Jan. 12.—A dispatch to the Herald from London says:

A rumor has just got started, said to emanante from well informed sources, that Lord Curzon is going to resign the viceroyalty of India, owing to the failing health of Lady Curzon, with whom the climate of India is said to the bottom of the said restrict to the contract of the said restrict to the said

not to have agreed.

If so it is thought Lord Cadogan will be his successor or will at any rate be offered the position upon the ter-mination of his reign in Ireland.

## Traction Strike Ended,

Reading, Pa., Jan. 12.-The strike of the employes of the Union Traction company inaugurated last Tuesday, ended today, the board of arbitration having granted nearly every demand made by the ctrikers.

### PRES, SNOW TO ENTERTAIN Reception at Bee Hive House to Ladies of Convention.

President and Mrs. Lorenzo Snow, as sisted by several ladies, will give a musical reception on Wednesday afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock to the ladies of the Live Stock convention at the Bee Hive house, on which occasion an elaborate musical program will be provided for the delectation of the

Prof. McClellan was, today, appointed to look after the musical part of the function with the result that he has selected the following artists: H. S. Goddard, baritone; Mrs. Lizzie Thomas Edward, soprana; Hugh Dougall, baritone: George Skelton, violinist; H. S. Ensign, baritone, and J. J. McClellan, pianist. It is expected that the Pyper-Whitney-Patrick-Spencer quartet will favor the company, and that other well known soloists will participate. The occasion promises to be an enjoyable one in every respect, that will be treasured among the remembrances of the visitors when they return to their homes in the various States of the

#### Union. TROUBLE SETTLED.

Salt Lake County Millers Agree on Prices This Afternoon.

A meeting of the millers of Salt Lake county was held this afternoon for the purpose of dealing with the flour situation. As is known, a cut was made by some dealers last week, to the great de-moralization of business. Several attempts have since been made to get prices which prevailed until just before The attempts have been New Year. successful in that all of the millers and large flour dealers except one have agreed to sell at the old wholesale rates. viz. \$1.60 per hundred for high patent and other grades at proportionate prices. The action of the miller's to-day may be taken as settling the dispute, because it is said that the dealer who is standing out against the restoraat the cut rate to everyone who comes along.

# TALK VACCINATION.

County Commissioners Consider it as Regards the Schools.

The county commissioners spent a goodly part of this afternoon in considering the protests of the county teachers' convention against the compulsory vaccination of school children. There were present Chairman Anderson, and his brother commissioners, Harker and Horne; Superintendent Ashton of the county schools, Dr. Beat. tie of the state health board, Doctors Jones and Robertson of Sandy, and Os. car Van Cott, the latter representing the teachers' convention. The subject the capacity of member of the Paris was under discussion at 4 o'clock, when peace commission, he was intimately the "News" report closed.

# HAZING AT MILITARY ACADEMY.

Col. Mills, Superintendent, on Witness Stand-Says Officers are Not Supposed to be Awake All Night to See that Cadets Do Not Get Outside Reservation.

West Point, N. Y., Jan. 12 .- When the | The same demerit system which now congressional investigating committee today resumed its probing process into hazing at the military scademy there was an unusually large gathering of

spectators in the examination room. The first witness called today was Col. A. L. Mills, superintendent of the academy. The witness said that he graduated from West Point in June, 1889. During his experience as a cadet, he said, fourth classmen were required to be obedient and respectful to the upper classmen, but not in the same measure which they would be obliged to recognize the authority of an academy officer. | side of the post reservation.

exists was then in vogue.
"Did they have class scrapping committees then?" asked Judge Smith.

"Did they have fist fights to a finish, with referees, seconds and time-keep-

"Not that I can recall. I think there were only three fights during my academic term. These were of an impromptu nature and I think the contestants were all first classmen. Judge Smith then asked a number of

questions bearing on the surveillance of the movements of cadets at night and elicited the information that no officer is supposed to be awake all night in or-der to see that the cadets don't get out-

# MESSAGE MAY NOT COME MONDAY

Governor Wells May Not Read It Until Wednesday.

CAUCUS WILL DETERMINE.

Wyoming Legislature Will Reach Here in a Body Tuesday Morning-Will Have to be Entertained.

Will Governor Wells read his message to the Legislature on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday? That is a question which, with others, will receive a determination at the Republican caucus this

Customarily the Governor reads his message immediately after the organization of the Legislature. It is barely possible, however, that the pressure of other business will prevent the docu-ment, which the Governor is now at work upon, from being read before Wednesday. It has been suggested that an adjournment be taken immediately after the organization on Monday, should this be done it will probably be Wednesday before the reading takes place, as the Wyoming Legislature has adjourned and will reach here on Tues-day morning; and as official courtesy requires that they be given some sort of reception by the Utah law makers, it is believed that very little if anything will be done on Tuesday.

### THIS EVENING'S CAUCUSES. | Will Probably Mean Evans for Pres-

ident and Glassman for Speaker. The Republican and Democratic cau-

cuses will be held this evening. It would take a wise man to say what they will do in detail though it seems a safe prognostication that the Republi-cans will name William Glasmann of Weber county, for speaker, and that the Democrats will select Senator A. J. Evans of Utah county, for president. Beyond this any guess would be the merest speculation.

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"Who will be to next United States senator from Utah?" was asked o Manager Lippman, of the Kearns sena torial camp, by a "News" representa-tive today, "Why, Hon, Thomas Kearns, of course. I mean just what I say, and base my calculation upon the good judgment I believe the memb Kearns possesses more good attribu than any other man in the race. He u health. He is broad minded and wel informed. He is a man of large prop erty holdings and every cent of his money is invested in Utah. No man in the State is doing more towards

Hon, Benner X. Smith expressed him

building it up in a material way than he: As far as Republicanism goes is as stanch as the stanchest and his party leaders. These are a few of the reasons why I feel that Mr. Kearns will be elected the next United States sens tor from Utah.

self on the senatorial question today in the following language: "The candi dates for senatorial honors before the present Legislature are all distinguished citizens, prominent Republi cans and capable men, and, if I am no deceived, they are all friends of mine and I myself feel very friendly to each elected as a member of the lower hous without any pledge being exacted from me with reference to my vote upon the senatorship or any matter that might be up for the consideration of the Leg islature, and I feel that I am perfectly free to vote according to my best judg ment. All of the gentlemen who have been spoken of as candidates for Senate are honorable men and have performed distinguished service for the party; some more active than others After what I believe to be a conscientions consideration of their respective merits. I feel myself most kindly dis-posed toward Senator Arthur Brown, I have known him for over eight years, and could not help but admire his legal ability and learning and his forensic gifts. He has been considered as one of the leading lawyers, if not at the head of the Utah bar. His ability as an advocate cannot be questioned, and it would seem that if Utah is to ask for anything, or if her interests should be jeopardized by measures which may pending before the Senate of United States, Senator Brown by his peculiar gifts could go a long way to-ward advancing the interests of the State for favorable legislation, against unfavorable legislation, yond Senator Brown's services in the national Senate, his services to the party have been priceless. Always known as a stanch Republican, even after the party had been deserted by most of its followers. I would further say that I consider it the duty of the members of this legislature to decide the senatorial question and get it out of the way at the earliest opportunity. Our pledge has gone out to the people of this State that our deliberations will result in an election. I believe that we are

bound to make that pledge good." Curses, like chickens come home to roost," was the comment of a politician on lower Main street this morning. "Two years ago Mr. McCune, of the Herald, was a candidate for the Senate, and everyone remembers the hide ously personal campaign the Tribune waged upon him. Now the whirliging of time has revolved and brought Mr. O. J. Salisbury un for the Senate, he is known to be the candidate preferred by H. Lannan, owner of the and the Herald is copying the Tribune tactics of two years ago and applying them to Mr. Salisbury. It was, and is, a species of mud slinging with which lecent people can have no sort of sympathy.

It is announced that Senator E. M. Allison, Jr., of Ogden, will not be present at the Republican caucus this eve-ning. It is stated that he will not ar-rive in Salt Lake until Monday.

Joseph A. Smith of Providence, Cache ounty, is among the visitors to Sait ake. Whenever there is any political excitement in the capital it is a safe proposition to count on Mr. Smith's

Representative H. S. Cutler of Kane county, who will be known as the "big man of the House," tips the scales at 286 pounds, the exact weig weight of ex-

Swen O. Nielsen, one of the Republi-

can leaders of Sanpete county, has come up to witness the senatorial struggle.

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Mr. Charles A. DeMoisy, chairman of the Utah county Republican commitof the Utah county Republican commit-tee, is up from Provo, and is taking a very active part yreliminarily in the senatorial fight. For one, he says he does not intend to accept the state-ment of Hon, Reed Smoot to the ef-fect that he is not a candidate. He says Mr. Smoot does not need to be a candidate, but that he will be elected United States senator all the same.

Hon, L. W. Shurtliff came down from is Ogden home this morning, and ex-hanged greetings with political and susiness friends, though his presence in he capital today was due more to busi-

As announced in the "News" early in

the week, the party caucuses will be held this evening. The Republicans will meet in the rooms of the county commissioners, and the Democrats will hold forth in the offices of Judge Bur-ton, their state chairman. It is ex-pected that all of the members of the Legislature, with the exception of one or two, will be present at these gatherings, at which the distribution of offices is to be made.

Col. A. B. Hayes of Ogden has come down to Salt Lake to assist in the campaign of Hon. Thomas Kearns. He is quartered at the Cullen hotel, which is ust now the political Mecca of Utah. Senator Joseph Howell of Cache county, is in Salt Lake, His friends will find him at the Knutsford.

The last Democratic member of the Legislature to reach the city, is Hon. S. L. Page of Plute, Mr. Page is making his home at the White house.

A number of Republican legislators from the outside counties met at Mc-Cornick's headquarters last night and talked over the question of appoint-ments to official positions. The custo-mary agreement for the outside members to stand together and see to it that Salt Lake did not rake in "everything in sight," as they allege, was ar-rived at, though there was no definite understanding as to who will be appointed to any particular place. Among pointed to any particular place. Among the gentlemen present were Senator Willis Johnson of the Tenth district. Representatives William Glassman of Weber, E. W. Kelly of Millard, Albert Stevens of Wayne, Joseph Sharp of Carben, G. W. Johnson of Garfield, M. S. Cutler of Kane, E. R. South of Rich, N. C. Christensen and John L. Bench of Sanpete, J. W. Phillips of Sevier, and W. H. Barrett of Reaver. W. H. Barrett of Beaver.

Among those whose names will be presented at the Democratic caucus to-night for the position of chaplain of the Senate is that of Brigham S. Young,

# ALLEGES DRUNKENNESS.

Charlotte Matson Enters Suit for Divorce in the Third District Court.

There are Six Children the Issue of the Unhappy Union-Prays for Alimony.

Charlotte Matson commenced suit in the district court today for divorce against John Matson. The parties were married at Namzos, Norway, Novem- | Stock Convention committee received a ber 2, 1889, The grounds of the com- | to-phone message this afternoon to the plaint are drunkenness, and failure to provide, although defendant receives \$75 per month as salary. Six children have een born to plaintiff and defendant, their ages being given from 7 to 20 years, the custody of which plaintiff prays for, together with alimony, costs

#### of suit and attorney's fees. IN THE COURTS.

Judge Hall Disposes of Numerous Orders in Third District Court.

In the equity branch of the Third district court Judge Hall made orders in the following cases: Emma B. Estes vs Joseph Walker:

judgment on note and for attorney's fees for \$766.60 entered. Eva J. Keysor vs George A. Keysor; motion for temporary alimony stricken from calendar with leave to reinstate. Frank Parsons vs Matilda Parsons demurrer overruled by consent and de-fendant given till January 19 to answer, Annie F. A. Hilton vs Rosa P. Roy lance; demurrer stricken from calender George L. Nye, trustee, vs T. C. Wal tenspeel; demurrer overruled defend-ant given ten days to answer. Nephi Hawcroft vs The nion & Jor-

dan Irrigation company; order granting Nephi Hawcroft vs The Union & Jordan Irrigation company; motion to strike out part of defendant's answer taken under advisement.

H, B. Cole vs The Richards Irrigating company; demurrer and motion to strike out part of pleadings taken un-der advisement. F. Loofbourrow vs James Hicks: motion to strike out answer and judg-ment on pleadings. Demurrer sus-tained, defendant given leave 1 with-

## draw answer for fifteen days for verifi-Before Judge Norse.

Judge Morse held a session of the civil division of the district court this morn-ing, and made the following orders: In the case of George Nichols vs Ore-gon Short Line Railroad company, defendants given fifteen days additional time to prepare, serve and file bill of

Ellena Maris vs Mark E. Swan et al.: defendant granted leave to file gen-eral demurrer, argued and taken under Red Wing Gold Mining company vs

and taken under advisement.

Andrew J. Swensen vs J. J. Snell; leave granted to file second amended complaint; defendant excepted. Charles Hirschorne, et al., vs Nelden Judson Drug company; motion to make cross-complaint more specific argued and overruled; fifteen days given to

L. A. Briger vs E. F. Stalzenberger motion for new trial and setting ashljudgment continued till January 15, and | aid in preserving peace in the city; stay of execution granted till that Gus Westphal vs Pat Ryan, et al demurrer argued and taken under ad visement; leave granted to insert de-murrer to third cause of action.

# Foreclosure Suit.

E. F. Crandall brought suit today in the district court against Charles J McLoran, J. W. Heywood and Effic P Heywood to collect \$890 on a promissory note, delivered to plaintiff on Decem-ber 9th, 1899, with interest at ten per cent, secured by a mortgage on The Royal Lode Mine, the Old Bull Lode the Klondike No. 1 mining claim, and the Rip Van Winkle, all in the West Mountain distric, which plaintiff asked to be foreclosed.

# To Dissolve Partnership.

James C. Coud is suing Edward B. Parsons, in the district court for a dissolution of a partnership entered into between them on July 1, 1898, for mining purposes. Plaintiff alleges that de-fendant has appropriated \$1,500 of the partnership funds to his own use, for which he asks an accounting.

# SIGNALS FROM THE HEAVENS.

Are Electric Sparks in Groups of Three Regularly Timed.

TRYING TO DECIPHER THEM

W. J. Eddy of Bayonne Has Reen Studying Them for Eight Years-Thus Far He Has Not Succeeded.

New York, Jan. 12 - Wm. A. Eddy, of

Bayonne, N. J., says that since 1892 he has drawn from his kite wire hundreds of electric signals, both regular and irregular which may have come from some planet and that the signals have been usually in groups of three, regularly timed like a Morse sounder When the ends of the kite sustained steel wires are separated by slik strands, the sparks jump at twelve sec. onds intervals. Then there are mysterious disappearances of all electric action for several minutes. These electric sparks come from a high point in the air not near to the low tension electric currents of trolley and live wires.

Mr. Eddy is about to begin a careful series of measurements of these spark lengths. He does not believe that the Morse sounders affect his wire because the dynamy electricity wither to the wire the dynamy electricity wither to the wire series. the dynamo electricity sticks to its wire and does not radiate to unknown dis-

tances so far as known as the high tension sparks used in wireless telegraphy, and the same high tension sparks drawn by him from the clouds. Mr. Eddy says that these spark sig-nals may come from an outer planet because electricity travels at the rate of 190,000 miles a second and is as tireless second, as measured by a rapidly re-volving toothed wheel. Great variability in effect is produced when there is apparently no change whatever in the condition of the upper air, so far as

Mr. Eddy has been trying to decipher these signals since 1892. It is also to be noted that Tesla's signals come from Pike's Peak and at a high point in the air. Mr. Eddy points out that electricity is superior to light because an interruption can be transmitted, while light suffuses around a dark shadow, especially if the shadow is of smaller

THE WYOMING LEGISLATURE Will Arrive in a Special Train on

Chairman J. C. Leary of the Live effect that the Wyoming legislature had adopted a joint resolution setting forth that it be the sense of that body that the invitation sent by Mr. Leary to visit the Live Stock Convention be accepted. The telephone message which came from Cheyenne, further announced that the party will leave that place in a special train of three sleepers furnished by the Union Pacific, and arive in Ogden at 5:30 a. m. Tuesday. Mr. Lawson immediately arranged for a committee of distinguished citizens to meet the special. The party will num-ber from 75 to 100 people, and several of its members will be accompanied by

## their wives. MARRIAGE LICENSE.

County Clerk James today issued a marriage license to Harvey C. Carlisle, aged 24, and Amelia A. Fowler, aged 30, both of Mill Creek.

## PUBLIC BUILDING PROTEST. Congressman Glynn Presents it in the House, but Action is Deferred.

[SPECIAL TO THE "NEWS."] Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.-Congressman Glynn today presented in the House a resolution and petition from citizens of Sait Lake, protesting against the site decided on for the public building. The resolution was referred to the committee on public buildings. No etton will be taken of the matter unil the return of Chairman Mercer, Secretary Taylor says that he is perfectly willing to furnish any information that

# the committee may need and will, if necessary, go before it to explain the cause of the selected site. SPECIAL PROGRAM.

A special musical program, one of much interest, will be rendered at the meeting of the Mutual Improvement association in the Tabernacie tomorrow afternoon. Several well known sing-ers will render solos, and Prof. McClei-an will play the popular air Andaning by Lamare.

## TEN EXTRA OFFICERS. Selected by Chief Hilton to Act Next

Week. The request of Chief of Police Hilton that he be allowed ten extra men to serve as patrolmen during the coming week, has been granted by the council, and today the chief announced that he had selected the following ex-officers to

T. J. Everell, Horace Heath, B. D. Seigfus, O. P. Pratt, L. S. Larsen, Wil-liam T. Thorn, R. L. Shannon, Samuel Kirkman, Joseph Busby and A. H.

## Wilson LATE LOCALS.

The home of State Auditor Tingey on Canyon Road, after having twice been under quarantine for smallpox, is now quarantined for scatlet fever.

A number of the friends and neigh-bers of Mr. Thos. Gerrand gathered at his residence in the Ninth ward on Fri-day evening, and tendered their con-gratulations on his reaching his fard birthday. The family had prepared an elegant repast, and the guests contri-buted to the festivities by singing, re-citing and relating humarous expericiting and relating humorous experi-ences, until midnight. The occasion was very enjoyable, and all present rejoiced with the sturdy veteran, who is apparently as hardy and vigorous as he was many years ago. We wish him happy returns of the day,