# DESERET EVENING NEWS: |FIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1902.

Fortunately, physicians know

about Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

They prescribe it for ex-

haustion, anemia, depression,

No matter what ails you nor what

medicine you take, you cannot get well

if your bowels are constipated. Cor-

rect this at once by taking Ayer's Pills,

just one pill each night. These are a

Earthquake in Alaska.

erable tons fell in the water, choking

gation.

of America:

differences.

almost to the point of preventing nav

The Wireless Wonder.

New York, Sept. 11.—The following cablegram was received today by the

Marconi Wireless Telegraph company

London, Sept. 11, 1902 .- Have received

following from Marconi: "Perfect mes-sage received inside Gibraltar harbor

and throughout entire coast of Med-iterranean tour direct from Poldhu,

across France, Spain and the Alps, All telegrams for king and ministry re-ceived correctly on tape off Spezzia.— Marcon's Wireless Telegraph company, Limited "

Arbitration in Labor War.

Chicago, Sept. 11 .- Arbitration as the

means of settling labor troubles was partially successful here today. The

strike of the teamsters was settled and that of the bakery wagon drivers and

ordered last night, was averted. Also

of arbitration, the strike of Swift & Co.'s teamsters was put in the way of

in conference tomorrow to discuss their

Pacific Cable a Go.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 12 .- The Willa-

pa has returned from the west coast

of Vancouver island with a party of

officials who inspected the preparations

at Bamfield Creek for the landing of

the Pacific cable. The necessary build, ings for the station have been erected

there. The party will now await the arrival of the cable steamer Colonia,

which is hourly expected. The Colonia will proceed to Bamfield Creek and

settlement, both sides agreeing to me

coal and truck teamsters, which

through the efforts of the state

J. C. AYER CO., Lowell. Mass.

great aid to the Sarsaparilla.

general debility.

S1.00. All druggists.



elleged that Lewis went to the Minpassed, but in the meanwhile the fire resota state fair last week and during is stay exchanged a large amount of gold for other money in St. Paul. It is alleged that he finally confessed that a number of huge settling tanks con-taining thousands of barrels of petro-leum have already exploded and others he took the money in business hours and while the county treasurer and his clerk were in their office. They did not discover the theft until the next day. taining thousands team have already exploded and others are reported as being in the direct line of the fire, which has spread over a wide area. The ground is saturated with oil and tuere is no chance of stopping the progress of the fiames tonight. The fire is spreading rapidly and it is bea-lieved that the whole field will be ig-lieved that the whole field will be ig-lieved that the whole of the Keith-Ward field, says the whole of the Keith-Ward field, says the whole of the Keith-Ward field, says the whole of the Keith-Ward field second and the oil field second and the oil field will be ig-the tembracing several acres and con-UNCLE SAM COMPLIMENTED By British Association for Advance Belfast, Sept. 11.-The sectional meet-ings of the British Association for the field, says the whole of the Keith-Ward tract, embracing several acres and con-taining a large number of wells have been burned over and it is believed that some of the wells have caught, though this is not as yet positively de-termined, as no one can approach to find out. At 1 o'clock the big tanks be-being to the Higgins company, are Advancement of Science, which opened its seventy-second annual meeting here yesterday, were well attended to hear the addresses of their respective pres-dents. Many of these contained complimentary references to the United States, which was held up as the model leaging to the Higgins company are burning. Rumors have been sent out which Great Britain ought to follow. Prof. N. E. Armstrong of the educainevery direction for the men who own them or represent the companies. tional section made a strong plea for the injection of some American life and

energy into the British educational sys-tem, and paid a high tribute to the Beaumont, Tex., Sept. 12, 2:30 a. m. The agent at Gladys, the railroad sta-tion at the oil fields, telephones that the imaginative foresight of "our Ameri-can cousin, Capt. Mahan," who taught seems to have burned itself out to the nation the true meaning and value a great extent and is now confined to of sea power. a great extent and is now confined to one well in the Keith-Ward tract, and the big Higgins tank No. 2. The oil from the latter has ceased to flow and is now burning inside the tank, which will do damage only to the tank. The extent of the damage cannot be told, the smoke completely obscuring a great price of the burned district. "We need some Mahan," added Prof. Armstrong, "to discuss the larger is-sues of national defense through edu-cation. The ship of state is of vastly greater consequence than the mere navy. Yet those who direct attention to the insufficiency of its armament are scarcely listened to, and there is not the slightest effort to secure scien-

portion of the burned district. A large number of derricks and severa pumping plants have been destroyed. much oil has been burned and the one sher continues to shoot up a column That is about all that can be told at

this hour and until daylight nothing on be learned. As it appears at this Prof. Armstrong contended that what British education today needed was on be learned. As it appears at tanger, how the field is no longer in danger, are that portion of it in the south of the burning tank, as that might fall to pieces. But unless something of the kind occurs there will hardly be an-other spread of the flames. The exto appreciate the value of a scrap heap. "Why can't we," continued the speakinguishment of the burning well is a problem yet, but not a hard one, and

er, "follow the example of the industrious American manufacturer and agree to 'scrap' our scholastic and academic ideals, if not our schools and schoolmasters as well, and refit along scientific lines?" In support of his cont there be only one well burning, as believed, it can be put out in a hort time, after the workmen are en-strong said that much of the success

tifically adjusted and organically com-plete machinery to drill the crew, which is woefully incomplete owing to the

errible absence of organization and

Asthma Gan Be Cured

The statement of Mr. J. F. Homan, 20

by Dr. Schiffmann's Asthma Cure. He

says: "Asthma kept me in terrible mis-

ery for ten years until I used your

Asthma Cure. After the first trial I was

a changed man. I went to sleep that

night and awoke next day much relieved

and I have gotten entirely over the Asth-

ma. It is now nine years since I was

cured." Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Send ac stamp to Dr. R. Schiffmann, Box

804 St. Paul, Minn., for a free trial

fessed friendship, but asked for three months in which to communicate with

the various tribes over which he was chief. The Moros in the camp of Col.

Baldwin said that this was simply a

use to gain further time and prepare

Arrested for Robbery.

Aberdeen, S. D., Sept. 11.-J. Webb Lewis, one of the best known citizens of Edmunds county, has been arrested on a charge of robbing the vault of the county treasurer of about \$2,800 in gold

on August 16. Lewis was county au-

aitor and resigned several months ago. He knew the combination of the vault

ment of Science.

naturally brought under suspicion.

and safe of the auditor's office and was

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for war,

ORECON'S FOREST FIRES in the victorious nation and has inter-rupted her development? "Civilization is not extended so much by stretching the boundary line as by the growth of peaceful arts; it is sus-

E. Adams St., Chicago, proves that the the growth of peaceful arts; it is sus pended during national conflicts." worst cases of Asthma in the world are not only relieved, but are readily cured

Another Strike. Chicago, Ill., Sept. 11 .- Over 125 men

epresenting local union No. 361, grain elevator employes, are on strike and have tied up ten of the big grain elevators at South Chicago. The walk-out followed the refusal of elevator superintendents to recognize the union and accede to several demands.

#### John Bull Congratulated.

Vienna, Sept. 11 .- The Fremdenblatt, in an article congratulating Great Brit-ain on the Anglo-Chinese treaty negotlated by Sir James L. MacKay, says: "The abolition of the likin seems to the stipulations drafted by Sir James. Of these powers the United States alone is afraid of losing by the substitution for their ikin of higher import and export duties, because American exports go chiefly to northern China, where the likin is smaller than elsewhere." The Fremdenblatt, however, believes that the treaty w<sup>ff1</sup> become effective.

# Escap d the Gallows and Free.

Butte, Mont., Sept. 11.-A special to the Miner from Dear Lodge says that Charles Gordon, who was once sentenced to die on the gallows, today walked out of the penitentiary a free man. Gordon was sent up from Chou-teau county in 1889 for killing a man by the name of Lavalle. Gordon was convicted in the first degree but hissentence was commuted. The board of pardons today approved the pardon of the governor.

#### Merrimac Builder Bead.

Newport News, Va., Sept. 11 .- Wilson Huy, who supervised the construction of the Confederate ram Merrimac, is dead at his home in Hampton, aged 74. For the past ten years he had been an invalid. During the war he was stationed at the Portsmouth navy yard until Norfolk was evacuated, when he was transferred to Richmond. Aftervard he was appointed paymaster in the Confederate army.

#### For Tax Reform.

New York, Sept. 11 .- Following the adoption of resolutions by the taxation department of the National Civic Federation favoring the principle of inter-state comity as applicable to state and local taxation, which provides that the same property shall not be taxed at the same time in two states and sug-gesting various other remedies for the existing systems, the executive com-mittee of the department has decided upon preliminary steps with a view to bringing the matters before the state egislatures.

There will be 41 legislatures in ses sion this winter in the various states and territories, and it is expected that a bill will be submitted to all of them for a uniform law dealing with the subects stated. In this work the federation will have the assistance of tw committees recently appointed at Sara-toga, one by the American Bar association and the other at the meeting of the state boards of commissioners of uniform laws.

# New York's School Children.

New York, Sept. 11.-Figures on the public school registration just com-pleted, show a total for Greater New York of 502,903 scholars. This is an in-crease of 35,000 over the preceding year There are 64,700 pupils enrolled in "part time" classes, not included in the total given. Children to the number of 5,300 were refused admission for various causes.

# MEAT PACKERS COMBINE.

They Are Raging in the Cascade and Coast Ranges, Smoke Being Dense.

Extraordinary Phenomenon at Ast ria-Great Destruction in the Vicinity of Springwater.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 11 .- Smoke fro forest fires in the Cascade and Coa ranges has become so thick along th Willamette and Columbia rivers as make navigation perilous. In th forenoon the smoke and fog made impossible to see clearly more than on hundred yards, and steamers wer compelled to run by the compass. This morning the fires came so near this city that a layer of aches and cluder an eighth of an inch thick was sprea over the entire city. The fires are 1ag ing in all directions, destroying man; millions of feet of fine timber.

Although the United States govern ment has taken great precautions t guard against forest fires, it is lieved that not for twenty years had so much timber been destroyed in on season. In many cases barns and nouses in isolated localities have been destroyed. There has been no rain for nearly two months and all vegetation has become so dry that a good rain storm is the only thing that will stor the fires.

It is impossible to estimate the loss but already many hundreds of thou-sands of dollars' worth of timber has been consumed.

EXTRAORDINARY PHENOMENON

Astoria, Ore., Sept. 11.—People were badly scared by an extraordinary phe-nomenon today. Smoke backed up from the coast in a solid bank and the setting sun turned the sky a yellowish green All lights were turned on at 3 p. m The girls employed in the Sanborn Cut ting Packing company plant ceased work and got on their knees to pray. The captain of the steamer Bailey Gat zert was compelled to use a searchlight at 11 a.m. and all the way down the Columbia river. The Portland and Oriental liner Indravelli anchored here at 3:40 p. m., waiting for daylight. Port Columbia, Wash., is on fire. A steamer has left here to render assis-

tance. CONTINUED DESTRUCTION.

Oregon City, Ore., Sept. 11.-Late re-ports state that fierce fires are raging

in the vicinity of Springwater. Hous-es, barns, and stock are being burned and the whole country is devastated. Frank Busch's place is in ruins and a saw-mill has been burned. Many cattle saw-mill has been burned, analy carter were caught in the timber and burned to death. There are heavy fires four miles east of Molalio. The fire between Shubel and Clarkes is still spreading and much damage is being done. Charles Hettman's house has been urned. Fire near a wood camp four miles west of this city burned 300 cords of wood today and 1,000 cords are in danger. The sky to the north and west of the city is aglow with flames which are increasing hourly.

Planets Inhabited. Chicago, Sept. 11,-That a people superior in intelligence to those of the earth inhabit the planet Mars is a con-clusion that will be set forth by Prof. G. W. Hough, head of the department of astronomy a variable of the department of astronomy of Northwestern university, in a report which he is compiling of his summer's observations from the Dearborn observatory. He asserts this as a probability based on recent dis-coveries, and adds that of course it can

longkong. As a rule, only the lower classes contract the disease, and they only through their indiscretions.

Tired, Tired The most rigid sanitary measures have been adopted in Manila and throughout the archripelago. Sterilized Tired. That one word tells water is supplied to everyone, and all food is inspected. Cases are invariably isolated when discovered. Col. Maus thinks the epidemic will die out before the whole story. No rest. No comfort. No particular November 1. disease. Just all tired out.

The chief difficulty he had to contend with, he says, was the fatalism of the natives and the opposition of the Span-ish friars, who told the natives they did not have cholera.

#### Tom Johnson Speaks Up.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 11.-Mayor Johnson, replying to an inquiry from a Springfield, O., newspaper asking if he was a candidate for governor and for president, wrote as follows: I am not a candidate for anything except for mayor next spring. It is my be-lief that my field of usefulness lies very close to the city of Cleveland. Yours very truly, TOM L. JOHNSON.

#### Fighting the Fight.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 11 .- At a mass ception. The president will receive his neighbors on the porch of his house. meeting of 800 citzens held here tonight a strong protest against the fight be-A number of committees have been appointed, of which Frank C. Travers tween Terry McGovern and Young Cor-bett, scheduled to take place in this will be chairman ex officio. He will have general supervision of all arcity Sept. 22, was made. Speeches de-nouncing the fight were made by a number of prominent laymen and number of prominent laymen and preachers, and resolutions were adopt-The president will have as his guests Tuesday Senators Hanna, Lodge, Sponer, Ailison and Aldrich. ed cailing upon Gov. Beckham and At-torney-General Pratt, Mayor Granger of Louisville and the sheriff and all the constables and justices of the peace in Jefferson county to do all in their pow-Seattle, Wash., Sept. 11 .- Steamer er to prevent the contest from taking place in Louisville. It also was suggest-Humboldt pasengers report earthquake shocks occurring Aug. 17 in Alaska, ed that in case the officials refused to act, warrants should be sworn out long the coast between Muir and Yaalong the coast between muir and Ta-kutat. At Dundas the shaking began about 6 o'clock, lasting several seconds. The shock broke window glass, caused the c-dlapse of an unfinished building of a salmon cannery and badly fright-ened a lot of Chinese fishermen. Tayagainst the principals and injunctions secured to stop the fight. A committee, headed by Helm Bruce, a prominent attorney, was appointed to take any legal action that might be found advislor bay was literally filled with ice jarred off from Brady glacier, Innum-

#### Our "Princesses."

London, Sept. 12.-There are no bounds to the ambitions of American princes, says the Dally Graphic, with reference to the report of the Ameri-can invasion of the Paris dress-making trade. In this line of business, however, the Graphic is of the opinion that Americans are courting a sure rebuff and says it understands why costumers smile at the report. The ow the worst enemies of the invad ers," says the paper, "will be those of their own household and that, although ers." the American millionaire may propose wife will dispose, and they have his confidence in her good taste."

#### Holmes At It Again.

Dover ,Eng., Sept. 12 .- Frank Holmes Birmingham started from Dover at half past six o'clock this morning in an attempt to swim the English channel. This is Holmes' second trial to swin, the channel, he having started from Dover in the morning of Aug. 28 last, when, after covering six miles, he was seized with cramps and obliged to abandon the attempt. Holmes abandoned his attempt after being in the water two hours

# Stolen Property Recovered.

New York, Sept. 12.-Two arrests on East One Hundred made and Twenty-fifth street by city detectives, resulted in the recovery, under peculiar circumstances of a property valued at \$6,000, which is alleged to have been stolen from a house in West Twenty-third street a few hours earlier in the evening. William McNamce was the name given by the first prisoner. He was taken to th station for assaulting a restaurant employee. Upon being searched, a large quantity of valuable jewelry was found.

present



COATS

COMPANY

A L-WILLIAMS, MANAGER

OFFICE.

GODBE PITTS DRUG

STORE-

who married a daughter of the lat Gouverour Morris of New York.

London, Sept. 12 .- Among the rassengers on board the North German Lloyd steamer Kron Prinz Wilhelm which has left Southampton for New York, is Rear Admiral Chas. Beresford, M. P.

Gibraltar, Sept. 12 .- The United States battleship Illinois, flagship of Rear Ad-miral Crowinshield and the United States cruiser Chicago, have arrived here.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 12 .- The steamer Victoria has left for oriental ports, carrying 310 boxes containing the bones of Chinamen who have died in this city While the practice of exhuming the bodies of deceased Chinamen and the transportation of their bodies to their native land is one which has been car ried on for years, the present consign-ment is the largest that has ever been made at one time from here.

FOR HUSBAND'S DEATH.

Mrs. Julia Alexander, wife of the late

Daniel Alexander, who was killed at his

on west First South street

Premier Mrs. Alexander Wants Insurance Typewriter Money Natural Death or Suicide.



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tionless Mechanism.

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BECAUSE of its Complete

**BECAUSE** of its Automatic

BECAUSE of its Perfect Work.

BECA.USE of its Durability.

abled to get at it. At 2:50 a. m. communication with Gladys was completely cut off.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 12.—At 3:30 a. m. the Postal Telegraph operator at Beau-mont says the fire is increasing in bril-lancy as seen from the city and is thing up the place as though it were cated near the city limits. It may be bat this indicates that the fire is again preading. He also says that parties he expected back from the field mo-mentarily, when details of the outbreak may be learned.

# THE MORO PROBLEM.

#### stives Have Been Deceived and Misled.

hat have occurred between army offl

arding

erent chiefs.

Washington, Sept. 11.—Manila papers weived at the War department today Main reports from Minandao reous results. He was prominent in Pittsburg before coming to Santa Fe. the Moro problem, showing

that the various sultans and dattos VERY PLEASANT INDEED. and doing, together with correspondence that has passed and conversations

oes commanding in that island and Frankfort-on-the-Oder, Sept. 11 .---It appears that the Moro chiefs were Filipinos from Luzon that These and Spain were at war with the United States. One of the sultans, When asked why he should not be on friendly terms with the United States withorities, said that the Morrow were ties, said that the Moros were all under the direction of the sultan of iamboul, and that they had been in-firmed that there was enmity between a sultan of Stamboul and the United of the infantry.

Suter government. Sapt. Pershing, in command of the crairy, told him that this was entirely a mistake. instake. inother datto made the claim that is Moros had always been in undis-titled possession of the Lake Lanao centry and that even the Spaniards beer had attempted to interfere with then, and that they did not want the Apericans to do so. There had been verificate friendly correspondence with the sultan of Bacolod, but finally a very unfriendly letter was received

tery unfriendly letter was received for him, wariike in tone, which great-A. Johnson, Earl Roberts and other foreign guests were on a hill, around which the charge was made. Gen. Corbin said it was the finest military The second secon

Corbin said it was the finest military spectacle he ever saw. Emperor William's customary salute to the Americans has been, "Well, how's the Khaki brigade?" His majesty has also been disposed to chaft the Ameri-cans a little. Today they wore blue fatigue uniforms. The emperor noted the change and remarked pleasantly upon it. forcery perpetrated by two of the cause under the sultan of Bacolod. the dates were very anxious for exit one of them asserting that he evid hold his fort against any force that might be sent against it. The war upon It.

The Zeitung, commenting upon the simplicity of the American uniforms, says: "The American visitors have no need of uniforms to make them look like soldiers."

The might be sent against it. The war party was stronger than the peace par-ity, and was taunting the Moros who wanted to be on peaceful terms with the Americans by calling them cowards. The Flipino insurgent Ruffino was found to be in that region making trou-ble for the Americans. In another communication from the In another communication from More country it is stated that Col. Baldwin tried to get all the sultans and dates to meet him in a friendly con-farence. The sultan of Bacolod pro-

# A SIMPLE CHANGE.

Made a World of Difference. The Health Resort does not always and proper food make a pretty sure Mrs E Kennett, Springfield, Mo.

Ais E. Kennett, Springileld, Mo., when "I was pronounced a consump-tivate and sent to Asheville, N. C., for my heath, I just could not eat without a sup of coffee, and my stomach was in the scondition that I could not drink the scondition that I could not drink adday of any boarding house said that y, would find it would take the bay of coffee and Agree with me. She may is so deficious that I enjoyed ev-sty heat I ate, and gained in firsh and then y the state of the state of the trench so rapidly that I was able to come back home and live. I gas bound and it. clared:

I gas postum more credit for my re-turn to beath than climate or anything ise. I am sending you this letter for the beath than climate or anything and the sentire of those who are having a they will use Postum, their lives will be

of the Americans was due to the way in which republican doctrines were ap-plied in bringing up their children, add-ing: "We should set our children free and encourage them to be free at an

early age Prof. W. D. Halliburton of the psy chological section spoke highly of the work of Prof. Loeb and his colleagues of the University of Chicago, in new field of physical chemistry. the

# R. R. Manager Snake Bitten.

Santa Fe, N. M., Sept. 11 .-- W. S. Hopewell, general manager and vice-president of the Santa Fe Central railway, was bitten by a ratilesnake while inspecting a mine near San Pedro. He cauterized the wound with a lighted cigar and afterwards obtained medical assistance and does not anticipate seri-

Exchange of Courtesies at Military Mancuvers.

Maj.-Gen. Young and Brig.-Gen. Wood and their aides, Lieuts. McKinley and McCoy, charged with the cavalry led by Emperor William today. The Amerby Emperor William today. The Amer-icans did not draw their swords, but they rode with the Garde du Corps, one of the household regiments and the emperor's bodyguard. This charge was the climax of the maneuvers. About 9,000 horsemen fell upon the flank of the retreating Blues (defending), cap-turing 30 of the latter's guns and 2,000 of the infantry.

When the cavalry was within 100 yards the infantry quickly formed into

yards the infantry quickly formed into close platoon groups, which the horse-men broke up, galloping between the groups and the guns. Several horses fell dead. The emperor, mounted on a white Arab horse, directed the move-ments, and at the finish galloped ahead as recklessly as any trooper. The emas recklessly as any trooper. The em-press was present on horseback. Maj.-Gen. Corbin and Lieut.-Col. John

# One of Tracy's Pals Sentenced.

One of Tracy's Fail Sentenced. Deadwood, S. D., Sept. 11.-Robert W. Coulter pleaded guilty to assault and robbery in the circuit court today and has been sentenced to seven years imprisonment. According to his own statement, which has been verified by investigation of the sheriff, Coulter was formerly associated with Harry Tracy in the hold-up business and had served a term in the Wyoming peni-tentiary for stage robbery committed near Green River.

# The Peace People.

New York, Sept. 11.—At the great "peace meeting" just held at Asbury Park, N. J. in connection with the Quaker conference, nearly 2,000 Quak-ers were in attendance. A paper read by Henry M. Haviland of Brooklyn de-

We can't be careless with dynamite

"We can't be careless with dynamite if we want to live a quiet life. Nations having irreconcilable lines of progress have seemed to be able to ascertain that which is most fit to survive only by the arbitrament of the sword, but who can say how many peaceful arts have been destroyed, how much the progress of the conquered race has been retarded, how much the spirit of intolerance, arrogance, valuationy and hypocritical cant has been fostered

27th.

Chicago, Sept. 11 .- The Record-Herald to morrow will say: The long-expected merger of the great meat packing interests of the United States will ing interests of the United States will go into active and open operation Sat-urday, Sept. 7, unless there should be an entirely unlooked for change in the plans agreed upon by all those con-cerned in the deal at a meeting held here yesterday. An industrial combination second only to the steel trust in point of magnitude and importance is there-tore prestically an accomplished fact.

fore practically an accomplished fact. According to a Boston authority who has possessed the most inside informa-tion about the deal ever since its existence was first rumored, the combine is to be capitalized at the rate of 25 times the last year's earnings of the consistent companies; for example, Cudahy & Co. are said to have earned about \$820,-000 in 1901, which would make their share of the capital stock of the merger \$21,000,000

A 4 per cent dividend that the new consolidation might be expected to de-clare would amount to \$\$40,000 on this lot of stock—approximately its legitimate earnings. On the basis of capitalization Armour sons.

& Co., whose last year's profits are sup-posed to have been about \$\$,000,000 will receive \$200,000,000 of the securities in exchange for their business. Swift & Co. will receive \$50,000,000, and the Schwarzchild & Sulzberger company second \$26,000,000

It is said that it is the undoubted determination of the consolidated meat interests to control all of the packinginterests to control all of the packing-houses and stock yards of the country and to save every possible dollar in the cost of manufacturing and distribution. In addition to this all bi-products will be absolutely controlled and efforts made to buy up industries that ar-closely allied with the meat business.

### Texas Republicans Harmonize.

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 11 .- The State Republican convention adjourned to-night after a two days' session. Only night after a two days sealon. Ones: two nominations were made, as follows: For govepnor, George P. Burkitt of Palestine: treasurer, Eugene Nolite. The convention, which promised to be one of the most turbulent in the history one of the most turbulent in the matory of the party in the state, closed in per-fect harmony. The auditorium tor the was packed to the doors. The lovers, arm in arm on the platform, and the delegates, white and black, in the hall, stood upon the chairs and cheered for Decident Recencil and the Republic

President Roosevelt and the Republi-The last act of the convention was to give E. H. R. Green full authority to supervise the campaigns in Texas

during the next two years. The platform deplores the death of President McKinley, indorses without qualification all of the acts of President Roosevelt and says that he is the "unanimous choice of Texan Repub-licans in 1904." Appropriations are asked from the government to prevent the present tariff law is endorsed and protection for the newspapers of the state against libel is demanded.

#### Oregon Hold-Up.

Oregon Hold-Up. Pendleton, Ore, Sept. 11,-Two masked men compelled Harry Walters, station agent for the O. R. & N. at orth Powder, at the point of a revolv-er to open the depot safe and turn over all the money and other valuables, amounting to over \$300. Wedneeday inshit a little before midnight. As they had secured the booty the robbers bound and rasgred Walter and laid him on the office floor, where his wife found hin some time later. They then made to very hasty escape, traveling north toward Union. Walters had been up town about 11 o'clock and started howe, When near the depot two men overtook him and walked along with him. As they reached the building one of them stepped to one side, and the other overtow with Walters. Drawing a men thered with Walters. Drawing a the safe and turn over the contents.

never be an established possibility.

The conclusion includes the accept-ance of the theory of evolution and the statement of leading astronomers that climatic conditions of Mars are the same as of the earth. The possibility of Venus and Mercury being inhabited is admitted because they have solidified and the intense heat resulting from their proximity to the sun may have been overcome by a deeper covering of atmosphere. None of the other planets in the opinion of the professor, could contain animal life.

#### Rather Rash

St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 11.-United States Senator Berry of Arkansas, ad-dressing the veterans at a reunion here today of ex-Confederates of Missouri, declared that the Confederate soldier declared that the Confederate solution performed greater acts of valor and heroism than any other soldier in 'ne world's history. The Union soldiers, were, he declared, in the main, drilled and better supplied with arms and amaunition, and triumphed because of their superior numbers. "If Jeff Davis was a traitor, I am a traitor, too," said the senator. A barbecue held this ofternoon was attended by 5,000 per-

B. OF L. E.

They Are Moving for a Raise in Wages.

San. Francisco, Sept. 12.-The Call says that the Brotherhood of Locomo-time Engineers will on Jan. 1 next make a formal demand for an increase of wages. The Brotherhood of Locomo-tive Engineers, it is said, is not affili-ated in its fight with the Western Association of general committees, com-posed of railroad conductors and and brakemen.

The Pacific system of the Brother-hood of Locomotive Engineers is at present in session in this city. All uneir conferences are executive. In 3) their conferences are executive. In 3) days' time the locomotive engineers and the conductors and trainmen of the Southern Pacific will send delegations to this city to meet Manager Alger, as their two years' contracts with the company will expire and will require convert enewal

## Mackay Denies Story of Combine

New York, Sept. 11.—Clarence H. Mackay of the Postal Telegraph com-pany said today: "There is absolutely no truth in the rumors and published statements to the effect that negotiations are going on between the Postal and Western Union companies with a consolidation or sale. No emplated.'

# Reward for Mrs. Waggoner.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 11.—A bill is to be introduced in the state legislature at the coming session for the relief of Mrs. Waggoner of Chehalis, who, in com-pany with her son, found the body of the outlaw, Merrill, in the woods. The reward of \$1,500, which was offered for the body of the outlaw, dead or alive, will be claimed in this manner in con-sideration of the fact that the secretary ideration of the fact that the secretary of state refused to pay more than \$300 to Mrs. Waggoner, the amount which Supt. Lee of the state penitentiary of-fered the woman.

## Recept on by President.

Oyster Bay, L. I., Sept. 11 .- Arrange Oyster Bay, L. I., Sept. II.—Arrange-ments have been completed for the reception which President Roosevelt will tender to the citizens of Nassau county on the 15th inst. Decorators are at work and many of the build-ings will be resplendent with bunting. Two presidential salutes will be fired by the Hicksville batery, one when the reception begins and another when the closes.

It is expected that between ten and twelve thousand will attend, and Sher-iff Johnson of Nassau county will swear in 300 deputy sheriffs whose duty it will be to keep the crowd at Sagamore Hill moving during the hours of the re-

laying, ing from that point and proceeding to Panning island, where the Anglia will meet her with the other end of the line. A few days will complete the telegraph line across Vancouver island. With this line completed telegraphic commu-nication will be had direct with the Bamfield Creek station and may be kept up with the Colonia during her cable-laying trip across the Pacific.

### The Philippine Scourge.

San Francisco, Sept. 11.-Lieut.-Col. M. P. Maus, who was commission of public health for the Philippine islands, and who was recently relieved from duty, was a passenger on the transport

Meade, which arrived today. Col. Maus had entire control of the fight waged against the epidemic of cholera in the islands. He is hopeful of the outlook and thinks the worst is over. He declares that the disease was brought to Manila by ships from nounced at Malvern, of Louis Turner, throw some light on that matter.

himself as Frank McNamee. brother to himself as Frank McNamee, brother to the prisoner, entered the station. Ques-tions put by the police aroused sus-picions and he, too, was searched. Jew-eiry of all sorts was found, together with \$1,250 in money. About the same time reports were received at police headquarters down town of the robbery in West Towents, third tensor. in West Twenty-third street. The wo man reporting the loss was at once tak en to the station on One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, where, the police stated, she identified the property men-

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BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

London, Sept. 12 .- Experts estimate

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the damage done to the Kentish hop growers by rain and hall yesterday at fully \$500,000.

Feb. 23 last, by a shot from a revolver held in his own hand, has filed suit in the district court against the Preferred Accident Insurance company of New York to recover \$5,000, the amount of an accident policy carried at the time of the death of Mr. Alexander, The complaint alleges that the company was duly notified of Mr. Alexander's death, but refused to pay the policy. The refusal is supposed to be based on the ground that it was a case of suicide, which is guarded against by a clause to that effect in the policy. The family of the dead man claim that his death was purely accidental, that

Catalogue Sent Free. The Smith Premier there was no cause whatever for the deed. It is the supposition that the Typewriter Co., No. 1637 Champa St., Denver, Colo. No. 78 W. 2nd So. St., Salt Lake City.



#### Does Wonders for the Boy.

"I feel grateful to you for making 'Force.' My son, who is employed in an office, had been maning down for months. 'Force' pleased his taste and he cats it twice a day, with the result that he is gaining strength and vitality daily. I feel that it has done wonders for him. Mrs.





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