

DR. SNYDER STARTS II. According to expectations, there will be a great rush into San Francisco from all parts of the west by special trains as well as the regular service, so that the maneuvers of the fleet in the bay will be witnessed by over a million people. The excursion from this state will be "the talk of the town" from now on. Dr. J. W. Snyder has sent Manager Harris of the Commer-cial club his check for \$20 as a starter on the fund with which to purchase the proposed souvenir.

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ASSAILS JURY'S VERDICT. John R. Walsh, the convicted president of the defunct Chicago National bank, continued their arguments today in favor of a new trial. John S. Miller, chief counsel for Mr. Walsh, argued today that the verdict of guilty "contains elements of repugnance and inconsistency that make it invalid. WEBER ACADEMY CHANGE

A thorough canvass of the situation

The high school, however, is not in-cluded in this category because with its 1,220 pupils, the old building and no fire escapes, it takes longer to get all out. The high school has had one fire drill since Jan 1 the Webster school The high school has had one fire drill since Jan. 1, the Webster school, 15, and the others from three to 14. Different signals prevail in different schools. In all cases, however, the exits to be taken are designated by the number of times the gong rings. Practise makes perfect, and from re-ports secured in no case does the sounding of fire gong create a panic. The women teachers stay by their charges and see them safely outside. An inspection of the schools of Salt Lake reveals that while some of the buildings are four stories in height

Sc. Bd......1229 Boiler under. High School Train. School. 361 Boiler apart. FIRE CHIEF BUSY. Is Engaged in Making An Inspection

Of School Buildings.

Charles T. Vail, chief of the Salt Lake e department

PREVIOUS RECORDS.

The Tennessee and Washington, which form a part of the second di-vision of the first squadron of the Pacific fleet and are known as the

There is a systematic organization among Democrats in this behalf all over the state and it is altogether pro-bable that they will control both con-ventions

under the jurisdiction of the board of education.

points to every precaution possible beng taken by those responsible for the welfare of the rising generation. Acting independently, Chief Charles T. Vail of the fire department, accom panied by Supt. Bridwell of the school buildings, has been thoroughly inspecting the various buildings. He has buildings are four stories in height but four, the Hamilton, Bryant, Union and Freemont, are provided with fre still considerable work to do, so his report of necessity is not yet forth-

from all over the city have repeatedly requested further details as to how far their children are protected in the twenty-six big buildings that come



souvenir.

Oakland, Cal., March 12.-Mrs. Isa-bella Martin, charged with dynamiting the house of Judge Ogden, reached Oakand last night.

She is being kept "incommunicado" by the police authorities during a se-vere sweating process begun early this morning and which will be continued Il day until the police exhaust every fort to break her down. Up to this time Mrs. Martin has

proven herself the equal of the police in a game of wits, Her chief worry today was over the death of a pet Mastiff, who succumbed

on the trip from Weaverville. It is ex-pected that Mrs. Martin's son, Henry Hoffman, by her first marriage, will furnish counsel for her.

WITH THE AUTOMOBILES.

Bulletins from Various Parts of the Country Show American Leads

Bitter Creek, Wyo., March 12.-The American car in the New York to Paris left here at \$.10 this morning. Roads are slushy and streams high and survely fordable

scarcely fordable.

Kimball, Neb., March 12 .- The Italian car reached here at 7:30 this morning, after an all-night's run. Car left at 8 o'clock for Cheyenne

Vall, Iowa, March 12 .- French car No l reached here at \$:05 this morning and left for Omaha immediately.

Omaha, March 12 .- Several Iowa brints yesterday reported the French car No. 2 as passing, when report should have been French car No. 1. No. 2 was at Clinton, Iowa, this morn-ing.

Denison, Iowa, March 12.-The French car No. 1 left Denison at 9:50 a. m., after an all-night trip from Boone.



Cattle Growers Ask and Are Refused Permission to Fence Public / Domatu for Corral.

(Special to the "News.")

Washington, D. C., March 12 .- Catthe men of Washington county, Utah, have appealed to Senator Sutherland to aid them in securing authority from the interior department to fence in sufficient land on the public domain in southern Utah to afford a corral for their stock. They point out that owing to the extreme aridity of the region it is necessary to round up their herds in order to drive them to the only symbolic water smooly.

It is necessary to round up their herds in order to drive them to the only is valiable water supply. In response to the appeal, Seey, Gar-field today wrote to Senator Sutherland that he hus no authority to grant the necessary permission. The secretary adds: "A case like this shows the need for legislation to control the range elong the lines heretofore suggested by this department."

this department." There is in spite of the great need, to likelihood of the enactment of the stazing legislation indicated at this tession.

fraught with significance.

Principal D. O. McKay Resigns and is Succeeded by Prof. Wilford

M. McKendrick.

(Special to the "News.") Ogden, March 12 .-- D. O. McKay, who has been principal of the Weber acadand been planchard of the webst asta-emy since the opening of the school in 1902, this morning tendered his resig-nation to the board of education. The resignation was accepted and Prof. Wilford M. McKendrick was chosen to be bloc measured

e his successor. Prof. McKay has made the academy

a great success, and it is today one the best of the Church schools. F resignation was tendered because Hi resignation was tendered because of the numerous duties multiplying upon his hands, he being unable to give them all the attention they deserve. The board of education acted upon it at a meeting held Monday, but it was not until this morning that President L. W. Shurtliff of the board appeared before the school and announced the fact. President Shurtliff paid a high tribute to the labors of Principal McKay, com-plimenting him on the progress made in the school. under these conditions are anywhere

Principal Mickay addressed the stu-dents for a short time, expressing his appreciation of the support they had always given him, also for the backing given him by the board of edu-cation. He expressed the most kindly feelings for all, and wished the institu-tion continued success under the direc-tion of the new principal Prof. Mction of the new principal, Prof. Mc-Kendrick, whom he introduced as his

Prof. McKendrick is 38 years of age Prof. McKendrick is 38 years of age, has a wife and family, and has taught mathematics in the Weber academy for the last five years. He is recognized as an able educator, is well liked by the student body, and in every way gives promise of keeping up the splen-did record made by the academy up to the present time. "Two other changes were announced in the academy faculty this morning.

in the academy faculty this morning. Miss Zina R. Larkin was unanimously chosen by the board of education to succeed the late Mrs. Sarah Evans as instructor in domestic arts, and Miss Birdie Wotherspoon, a graduate of the institution, was sustained as instruc-tor in the art department.

STUBBS COMES TOMORROW.

J. C. Stubbs, traffic director of the Harriman system will be in this city tomorrow, according to information ob-

tained at O. S. L. headquarters today. Tained at O. S. L. headquarters today. Mr. Stubbs has been all along the southern edge of the United States; up the Pacific coast to the northwest and is now on his way through the west and central portion of the expanse west of the Mississippi. This long trip is important and just what it means is a matter of conjecture. That the trip is one of inspection is cortain but such thorough and wide inspection is fraught with significance.

coming. SURPRISE VISIT.

Yesterday afternoon the Deseret News also took a hand and paid a surprise visit to the Hamilton school, which is one of the oldest buildings in the city and probably the most inflammable, as wooden stairways and a boller in the basement are features. Principal William W. Barton cheer-fully responded to a request that an impromptu exhibition fire drill be in-dulged in as a demonstration, Without any warning the gong was sounded, and inside of 1 minute and 50 seconds the 853 children were outside. They marched with martial tread down those wooden stairs four abreast, while the youngsters from the third floor came sailing down the spiral fire escape, having all kinds of fun as they shot the chute. Such a scene is being duplicated in practically every school in the city at least once a week. Ther is no great excitement, and the records established under these conditions are anywhere in the city and probably the most Emerson Riverside

escapes. TABLE TELLS STORY. The following table tells the story

of the number of pupils in each struc-ture and how the buildings are heated: No. of How Heated, Pupils. School. Stoves.

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days. At the present time he is engaged in making a thorough investigation into conditions at all of Salt Lake's public schools with reference to the

public schools with reference to the fire protection in them. When the work is completed there will be some changes is certain schools and parents will have cause to be grateful for the precaution taken by the fire chief. One thing Chief Vall wishes to im-press upon the principals of schools is that at the moment a fire is discovered on change chould be made to the schools of the schools is the school of an alarm should be turned into head-quarters. Through a mistake, a state-ment was published a few days ago to the effect that some of the principals had said they instructed the teachers to not turn in an alarm until all the children were out of the building. Chief Yall says that this is a mistake, and that an alarm should be turned in the

first thing. Chief Vall has not visited all the schools as yet but these that have ben inspected show a most satisfactory state of affairs.

state of affairs. He says that the old school buildings are equipped with a spiral fire escape, the schools having them being the Hamilton, Bryant, Union and Free-mont. They furnish means of quick and safe exit from the upper floors. "I started this inspection before the terrible disaster at Collinwood," said Chief Vall this morning. "My purpose is to become thoroughly acquainted with conditions as they exist in each and every school. We want to know all and every school. We want to know all



Photo by Harry Shipler,

TAKEN AFTER THE FIRE DRILL AT HAMILTON SCHOOL YESTERDAY.

The last pupil was out of the building 1 minute 59 seconds after the gong sounded. There was no unseemly rush and all teachers stood to their posts and marshaled the children in order.

Lancaster, Pa., 'March 12.—The burning of the barn on the farm of Bishop Abraham E. Harr, West Mead-ow, has developed what is belleved to be a conspiracy against the Mennonite clergy and other members of that faith in Lancaster county. There have been numerous fires recently and the Men-

ALLEGED HIGH GRADER KIDNAPED AT NIGHT.

Frequent Recurence of Fires in Men-

nonite Homes Arouses the Sect.

Butte, Mont., March 12.-According to the Anaconda Standard, James Mc-Carthy, known as the "Anheuser Kid." who shot and mortally wounded a po-liceman in Goldfield a year ago, and liceman in Goldheid a year ago, and was acquitted on the ground of self-defense, was kidnaped here last night and taken to Nevada by private detec-tives in the employ of the Goldfield Consolidated Mining company, which charges McCarthy with high grading. A trunk and grip full of ore is said to have been recovered at the same time. Two detectives seized McCarthy in a local roominghouse and carried him forcibly to the Oregon Short Line train

which left here at 5 o'clock last evening.

WHAT OPTOMETRY LAWS DO FOR OTHER STATES

New York, March 12.—"Fraudulent venders of eye glasses are over-running New York and are being driven here from other states which have enacted optometry laws within the last two or three years," said E. LeRoy Ryer, president of the Physiological section of the American Association of Opti-cians, at a meeting yesterday of the New York branch of the society. The presociation asks for a law to stop the frauds.

Mr. Ryer sald:

Mr. Kyer said: "The greatest harm is done by tra-veling vendors, who sell at exorbitant prices glasses that are usually worth-less and quite often do an irreparable harm to the sight of the wearers."

about the location of the boiler room about the location of the boller room, where the exits are, whether or not the doors swing inward or outward, what protection each school has in the way of hose and fire extinguishers. In some places we found doors that did not properly. They are now being changed. "We found that in most of the school

houses the boilers were either at an extreme end or entirely away from the building. With a few exceptions the boilers are separated from the main

"We noticed the exceptions at the

hurry." Chief Vall says that inspections will continue until every building in the city has been thoroughly looked over and wherever anything is found wrong it will be righted at once.

"pathfinders" recently covered exact-ly the same course as that taken by the 16 battleships in their cruise from Atlantic to Pacific waters. The from Atlantic to Pacific waters. The officers of these ships especially were surplied at the showing of the fleet in its run of more than 10,000 miles, and is taken as a remarkable demonstration of the fitness of the ma-chinery, hulls and crews under the most trying test to which battleships of ship values more part of the ships of any nation ever were put.

FEAT WELL RECEIVED.

Coming at a time when the navy is under investigation by a congres-slonal committee and when the de-talls of the construction of the ships are subject to criticism, the accomp-lishment of the fleet, which now has, to all intents and nurposes ended its to all intents and purposes ended its cruise, is grateful news to the naval officials here. Official messages only have so far

been received at the Point Loma wire-less station, and they in all cases have been forwarded to Washington.

STAY 18 A PROBLEM.

STAY 18 A PROBLEM. The stay of the fleet at Magdalena is problematic—target practise will require some time, and will be foi-lowed by fleet drills in battle tactics. There seems to be no doubt, however, judging from the unexpectedly early arrival of the fleet at Magdalena, that the program of hard work laid down for the southern drill ground will be carried out with all possible expedi-tion, and that the fleet will sail through the Golden Gate of San Fran-cisco on May 5, after naving paid visits of as long duration as the itin-erary permits, at San Diego, Los An-geles, Santa Barbara and Santa Cruz, on its way up the coast. on its way up the coast.

WAGES CUT TEN PER CENT.

Lowell, Mass., March 12,--Notices announcing a wage reduction of 10 per cent were posted in seven of the large cotton factories in this city today. Nearly 25,000 operatives will fected.

STENOGRAPHER NEEDED HERE.

Office of Collector of Internal Revenue Has One Thousand Dollar Job.

The office of the collector of internal evenue in Salt Lako needs a stengrapher and typewriter, and the gov-

"We noticed the exceptions at the Lowell, Fremont, Bryant and Grant. A pleasing feature is the fact that each and every school house has more exits than the law requires—most of them iwise as many. This is a good thing, An order has just gone into effect that all the spiral escapes he left unlocked continuously from 7 o'clock Monday morning until after school hours on Friday afternoon. "An effort is being made to impress upon the minds of the pupils that what is called a fire drill is really merely a signal to diamiss. It may come at any moment. The children are dis-minsed by certain strokes of the gong and I am of the opinion that that sys-tem is the proper one. When the gong strikes they know they are expected to haver." "Chief Vall says that inspections will continue until every building in the ity has been thoroughly looked over and wherever anything is found wrong arder department of the local postoffice.