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With Their Truth or Falsity District Attorney Jerome Has Nothing to Do.

EFFECT OF HER TESTIMONY.

WOULD EXCLUDE FROM MAILS. Ottawa, Feb. 9.—The postmaster-gen-eral has been asked to deny the use of the mails to all local papers which printed the details of Thursday's evi-dence in the Thaw trial in New York. The postmaster-general said he had not read the report in the newspapers, but the law was clear upon the point and he would see that it was enforced. Any newspaper publishing filthy evi-dence of a trial in court, he said, would be guilty of a misdemeanor under the law. Yesterday's Not so Convincing as Thursday's-Less Direct and

ROCKEFELLER'S GIFT.

What Will be Done With It.

More Dramatic.

he Will Take Witness Stand Again Monday-Delmas Will Try to Introduce Thaw's Will.

New York, Feb. 9 .- The nature of t. Atty. Jerome's cross-examination Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, who has alady spent two days on the witness stand in the defense of her husband was the principal object of discussion court adjourned late yesterday ntil Monday morning, Mrs. Thaw's irect examination has continued aiost without interruption for two days, nd there is as yet no sign of the clipax, the moment when the attorneys the defense will turn her over to he tender mercles of the district at-

erney for cross-examination. The district attorney has a difficult blem to face in this cross-examina-

It is understood that the idea of the elder Mr. Rockefeller is to make his fu-ture benefactions through his son, John D. Rockefeller, Jr. This is said to be indicated by his having made the gift of last Thursday through the junior Rockefeller. It is probable that the young man will devote much of his time hereafter to administering the benevo-lance of his father. As an immediate result of the big gift the board will ex-tend its agricultural demonstration work to all of the southern states. It is predicted that this work, which consists in conducting model farms on educa-tional lines, means the agricultural re-juvenation of the south. With the truth or faisity of the tories the witness has testified she told be husband, he had nothing to do. he statement that she told him these er nussand, ich hat she told him these he statement that she told him these hings, Mrs. Jerome cannot possibly isprove. His strongest chance in ross-examination is to make her stum-ie in the story as she has told it with he gentle guidance of her husband's ttorneys, or compel her to admit tell-ghim other things about her past life which would tend to minimize in his and the effect of the story of her re-rations with Stanford White. He can introduce evidence, if he has it, gen-varites, but as for the main statements ally affecting her creditability as a titless, but as for the main statements her story-the testimony which ade her recital perhaps the most riking ever heard in a court in this ty-Stanford White himself, if he ere alive, could not go on the witness tand and deny them. The point in the asse is not as to their effect on Thaw's rind. She Saves King's Equerry From Death

mind. This fact was impressed on the fury yesterday when the court, at the re-quest of the district attorney, informed the fury that under the law the prose-ution could not introduce evidence with the object of disproving any statement that Evelyn Nesbit Thaw has made except the statement that she told her husband all the things she has testi-fied to

That Mr. Jerome will strenuously ob-ject to the further introduction of what be termed "tatilings of the tenderloin," was plainly shown late yesterday when e claimed, and was sustained by the ourt, that as yet there had been no idence to show that Thaw is now rever was insune. And until this is hown any more of these stories will entirely immaterial. This ruling by



Of Bertha Bowlin's Murder and Sen-

city to clear Stanford White's reputa-tion of the injury inflicted by the story of Evelyn Thaw. It was reported that lawyers had been engaged to go over Mrs. Thaw's testi-mony and to engage detectives to se-cure evidence to refute it, with the in-tention of giving the information so obtained to Dist.-Atty. Jerome. The story, however, lacked confirmation. Another report declared that Harry Thaw will be put upon the witness stand in his own behalf to testify that since his wife told him her story as related in court, he had been visited by visions which warned him that his wife's life was in danger from Stan-ford White. This was also unverified. WOULD ENCLUDE FROM MAILS. tenced to 18 Years' Imprisonment. Kansas City, Feb. 9.-- A jury in the criminal court here today returned a verdict finding Albert M. Crone guilty of murder in the second degree, for having killed Bertha Bowlin, his for-mer sweetheart, and fixed his punish-ment at 18 years in the penitentiary. WOULD EXCLUDE FROM MAILS. An appeal will be taken.

### ROWING IN GERMANY.

#### **Cordial Invitation to American Oars** men to Participate.

New York, Feb. 9.-Dr. Oscar Ru-perti, president of the Hamburg Row-ing club and secretary of the North German Regatta association, who is here, has had several important con-ferences with American rowing authori-ties with a view to strengthening the

ties with a view to strengthening the affiliations between this country and his own in that branch of sport. He wishes to bring about alternate international Chairman of Education Board Tells

ontests What will be Done will it. New York, Feb. 9.—Frederick T. Dates, chairman of the general edu-cation board, to which John D. Rocke-feller gave \$32,000,000 on Thursday, said yesterday that the income from Mr. Rockefeller's prior gift of \$11,000,000 will be used to increase the resources of various educational institutions in this country within the next decade, by from \$200,000,000 to \$250,000,000. That is to say, the board will aim to stimulate Dr. Ruperti said last night that Ger-Dr. Ruperti said last night that Ger-man oarsmen were keen to find com-petitors, that rowing has made great strides in Germany of late years, and that he was requested by the leading or green in Germany to extend a cor-diai invitation to all American crews to compete at the German national re-parts this year. gatta this year.



### Six of Them Were Found Dead in a Colliery.

from \$200,000,000 to \$250,000,000. That is to say, the board will aim to stimulate local pride in, and generosity toward universities and colleges throughout the nation, and its distribution of the in-come will usually be conditioned upon the raising of larger amounts by the recipients. Thus, generally speaking, Mr. Rockefeller's huge donation will become a nucleus for an amount for education much larger than his recent present to the board. It is understood that the idea of the elder Mr. Rockefeller is to make his fu-Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 9.-Six of the seven men entombed last night in No 19 colliery of the Lehigh and Wilkesparre Coal company, were found dead

The bodies were found in the bottom lift. The men were caught through a lift. The men were caught through a fire which started upon the fourth lift, cutting off their escape.

VALUABLE COINS.

### Burglars Rob Reed Collection in Omaha Public Library.

Omaha, Feb. 9.—Burglars last night forced their way into the public li-brary and robbed the valuable Byron Reed collection of may high-priced coins. The collection is one of the most valuable in the world, Watchman was hound and casesed was bound and gagged.

### CASTELLANE WILL APPEAL DIVORCE CASE.

Paris, Feb. 9.—The rumor that Count Boni de Castellane had appealed from the decision of the courts last Novem-ber granting a divorce to his wife, who was Miss Anna Gould of New York, is confirmed. The period under the French law in which such application can be made expires Feb. 14 and the notice of appeal entered in behalf of the count prevents the decree from becom-ing definite on that date, thereby keep-ing alive Count Boni's hope of reaching an agreement until the appeal is finally decided. Probably several months will elapse before the matter comes before Rome, Feb. 9.—Queen Helena, accord-ing to a story current here, recently saved the life of the Marquis Calabrini, the king's equerry. It appears that the king and queen were hunting at Castle Porsiano, and owing to the cold, a bon-fire was built around which the royal party gathered. In some manner the clothing of the marquis caught fire. Everybody lost presence of mind ex-cept the queen, who tore the burning parts of the marquis clothing away, choking the flames with her skirt and not heeding the danger to herself. Rome, Feb. 9 .- Queen Helena, accordelapse before the matter comes before

NEW YORK CHINATOWN. the courts. New Park Authorized in the Very

#### HEADQUARTERS TERRORISTS Heart of It. FLYING GROUP LOCATED. New York, Feb. 9 .- The heart of New

Moscow, Feb. 9.-The headquarters of the flying group of terrorists, whence agents were sent out to execute the death \_\_\_\_\_hce imposed on Gen. Igno-



Salt Lake's Best People Leave For Los Angeles and

Coast Tonight.

### THREE TRAINS ARE NEEDED.

List is Growing Larger Every Minute Twenty Standard Sleepers Are Reserved-Those Going.

The Sait Lake Elks leave this city onight on their annual stampede to Los Angeles, where they will be the guests of the Elks of that city. The final rush for tickets and Pullman reservations is on at the B. P. O. Elks' headquarters on State street and officers of the lodge have their coats off and are busier than the proverbial bee. The Salt Lake Route has three trains ready for the trip. The first one to leave this city will pull out of the Oregon Short Line-Salt Lake Route depot at 9 o'clock. This is a regular train but berths are being reserved for the Elks on it. The first special to be known as Section 1, Elks' Special will leave at 11 o'clock. This will be under the personal supervision of Exalted Ruler Tom. Homer and J. H. Burtner, district freight and passenger agent of the Salt Lake Route. Section No. 2 will leave at midnight and will be under the supervision of Secy. A. W. Raybould and Kenneth C. Kerr, traveling passenger agent of the Salt Lake Route. Each section will try to pull off the greatest number of "stunts" en route to the City of the Angels. The representatives of the lodge and railroad, having the trains under their care will act as judges.

### TO BE "BEST CREW."

Side trips will be allowed west of San Bernardino and the tickets sold for the excursion are good for, 30 days. The sale of tickets while not as large as that of last year, is phenomenal when the many cheap rates and excur-sions inaugurated to the coast during the past few weeks are considered. Section No. 1 of the special will have five siepersr. a dining car and baggage Section No. 1 of the special will have five sleepers, a dining car and baggage car. No 2 will have 10 sleepers, two dining cars and a baggage car. In ad-dition to Mr. Burtner and Homer, J. L. Moore, district freight and passen-ger agent of the Salt Lake Route at Riverside, California, and C. D. Pike of the Salt Lake Route at Los Angeles will represent the raifroad in making the trip pleasant, jolly and in every de-tail the "best ever," Citles on the coast are waiting for Salt Lake will have a chance to reciprocate in the have a chance to reciprocate in the near future.

#### THOSE GOING.

The list of persons going to Los Ange-les is growing every minute. At 10 o'clock this morning it contained the following names: Hannah Kaufman, Emma Nordall, Hattie Crabbe, Mrs. H. Hocking, Mrs. A. H. Crabbe, Mrs. H. Hocking, Mrs. A. H. Crabbe, I. C. Gloze, Robert Mitchell, Mrs. Ducy, C. H. Lindley, Mrs. Kellar, Mrs. G. W. Shores, P. S. Ourfalliart, F. L. Pearl, the Misses McDermott, L. J. Wash-burn, Norman Chatfield, H. E. Wil-liams Mrs. J. A. Mayville, Mrs. S. M. Riddle, J. M. Wheeler and wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ellmer, Mr, and Mrs. Coneizt, H. E. Eaton, S. Moser, J. A. Malville, Alex Rogers, O. F. Peterson and wife, Mrs. M. W. Johnson, Mrs. E. J. Curtis and wife, George Haight, Miss The list of persons going to Los Angeand wife, Mrs. M. W. Johnson, MFs.T.
G. Spaulding, Miss Englebraugh, Dr. F.
J. Curtis and wife, George Haight, Miss
Williams, Miss Edmund, Mr. and Mrs.
H. D. Mitchell, P. Hatch, A. W. Hatch,
Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Marks, E. B. and
Delite Laird, R. Murdoch, J. J. Nelson,
O. Lehman, Leah Gorton, E. Crawford,
Ellies Kockley, Kenneth Gorton, E. C.
Whitmore, Eva Malville, Lois Greenwood, A. E. Mott, F. J. Hacqword, Mrs.
A. M. Searls, Miss Elsis Moore, H. H.
Nolen, Miss S. A. Mott, W. L. Moss,
Frank Gerber, O. R. Band, E. D. Dudley, Miss Oldfield, and Miss Mille Oldfield, C. S. Magee, Neille Heyster, Albert Gorton, Alf, Whitworth,
and child, G. D. Hutcheson, J. Burraston and Elizabeth Burraston, Allee
O'Kelberry, John O'Kelberry, Miss
Katle O'Kelberry, Della Balley and
child, J. Treweck, Miss Street, Mrs.
Miller, Miss Delscher, R. B. Brown, R.
C. Craft, Miss Harris, A. Harris, M.
William, Mrs. C. Pyper and daughter,
W. F. Benson, M. C. Gibson, Mrs.
Gemell, C. Johnson, Mr. Sawyer, Mr,
Stöddard, Mr. Mowries, Mrs. Sawyer, Mr,
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Stöddard, Mr. C. Brownley, Roy CaMoon, Mr. Ort, Denson, Mr. Hen-Mr. Stecker, Miss Sadle Thackwell, W. Brownley, H. C. Brownley, Roy Ca-hoon, Mr. Orton, Mr. Benson, Mr. Hen-drickson, Mr. Hendrickson, Mr. Ben-net, Mr. Peck, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wright, Mr. Grennig and one, Mr. Breeden, Mr. Vickery, Mr. Sherwood, D. M. Webb, J. A. Smith, Mrs. K. Varney, Mrs. Lydia Spry, John P. Ro-binson, Miss Kate and Mildred Vincent, Mrs. E. Y. Taylor, J. Schnider, Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Ridder, Mrs. E. Sutton, Elwood Ridder, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hassell, L. Moth Iverson, Mrs. Freckle-ton, G. W. Gullver, R. Folhurst, F. F. Folhurst, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Fol-<text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text>

Wixom, A. E. Wixom and R. Wixom, Ida M. Jaench, W. A. Jaench, E. D. Miller, W. M. Bransford, L. J. Arm-strong, Dr. U. Worthington, M. G. Hendricks and wife, William F. Miller, E. L. Crane, J. C. Sharp and wife, George W. Peck, W. J. Smith, Abram Johnson and R. T. Hatch. EX-OFFICIALS REMEMBERED.

### H. V. Hilliker and H. J. Roth Pre-

sented With Handsome Gifts. H. V. Hilliker and H. J. Roth, for-H. V. Hilliker and H. J. Roth, for-merly division superintendent and as-sistant division superintendent of the Oregon Short Line, were guests of hon-or at a gathering of ralipoad officials and employes at the Kenyon hotel last evening. A. L. Anderson, a passenger conductor, made a neat little speech and presented Mr. Hilliker with a purse full of gold, and Mr. Roth a diamond stud. The gifts were absolute surprises to their recipients, who finally answered with appreciation quivering in every syllable. Cigars and punch were

syllable. Cigars and punch were served during the evening. W. A. Whitney, superIntendent of the Union Pacific and Depot Master Cunningham, syllable. from Ogden, were present. Mr. Hilliker and Mr. Roth resigned from their posi-tions several weeks ago.

### PECULIAR WRECK. R. G. W. Freight Engine Plows Across

Country But Stays Upright. The Rio Grande's main line, about 20 The Hio Grande's main line, about 20 miles this side of Helper, was the scene of an unusually strange freight wreck Wednesday. Ten cars and the engine left the track; the engine plow-ing out across the country and not cars jamming up in good shape. The engineer and a brakeman were hurt slightly but kept at their posts. The heavy freight train was moving to-wards Salt Lake at a fair rate of speed when a terrific noise announced that something "was doing." The engine cleared the rails altogether and started across the level country to one side of cleared the rails altogether and started across the level country to one side of the track as if it was going to cross the flats, rails or no rails. When the thing finally stopped it was still upright. Ten cars jumped and jammed into each other with fearful force. One car was sw  $\phi$  3 at right angles to the rails, forming a block for the cars behind it. As the spot where the wreck occurred was level, with no grade or embank-ment, everything ended well and luck-ily. Traffic was delayed several hours as the track was torn up for a distance as the track was torn up for a distance of about 50 feet.

THROUGH SLEEPERS SOON.

### Nevada Northern and Oregon Short Line Plan Service to Ely.

The Nevada Northern and Oregon Short Line will operate a through Pullman sleeper service from Salt Lake to Ely. The matter has been definitely arranged. The standard Pullman will be put on between Salt Lake and Ely as soon as the neces-sary connections can be made between the Southern Pacific and the Nevada Northern's track at the Junction point. point. Allowing for the usual delays in such matters it is likely that the change will be made about the first of March in time to take care of the

increased traffic which is expected at that time New Rolling stock for the Nevada. Northern also has been ordered.

### GREEN RIVER HOPEFUL.

Electric Light, Telephone and Streetcar Franchises Granted.

The Green River Light & Powe The Green River Light & Fower company of which Howard H. Merritt is secretary, has applied to the Green River, Utah, town board for an elec-tric light franchise and also a street railway franchise, the electric lights to be installed and in perfect working order within one year and the electric railway to be in concration in the

be an excess of 100 horse power to dis-pose of for this purpose. The total power generated and available with this quantity of water and fall will be about 500 electrical horse power, of which probably 400 will be required to carry on the construction of the Stear. carry on the construction of the Straw-berry valley tunnel.

Authority has already been granted for the construction of about three miles of canal which will carry the wa-ters of the Strawberry tunnet, as well as the waters of Spanish Fork, to the manuacherse power house

### WEDDING BELLS.

Also Old Shoes and Placards Adorn Will R. Sibley's Desk.

The desk of William R. Sibley at the Auerbach store has been decorated in a manner that will astonish him on the return with his bride from their honeymoon at Los Angeles. In fact the decoration is so unique that the friends. of the groom have had the combination photographed, and suitably framed for presentation with an appropriate set of resolutions when the loving couple come home. The exhibit includes old shoes, overalls, crape in divers and sundry forms, and various other things "too number of placards containing such le-gends as "Who will sew the buttons on now?" "No ducks this winter;" "Good-bye boys forever more," etc. Mr. Sibley is employed at the Auer-bach store where he met Miss Arvilla Stephenson who was a clerk there. The usual thing happened when congenial spirits meet, and they were married last Thursday evening, at the residence of the groom, 366 east Sixth South street. The triends of the couple have also decorated the latter's home with appro-priate tokens of esteem. of the groom have had the combination

## ARRAY OF OFFENDERS.

### All Sorts and Conditions of Men Appear in Dichl's Court.

There was quite a bunch of weary looking offenders before Judge Diehl today during the regular dally grind. A large number of drunks who had never been before his honor for drunkenness were discharged, with one exenness were discharged, with one ex-ception, and that was in the case of E. J. Hartley. The accused is rather an old man, but it was brought to the notice of Judge Diehl that Hartley had been / the babit of mistreating his family, and that efforts had been made to get bim to reform. It was stated that good clothing and money had been offered him but the man appar-ently cared more for whisky than for a good home. Judge Diehl sentenced him to 30 days in Jail. John Marsh, accused of burglary, took until Friday next to enter his plea. At that time he will be given a preliminary bearing.

plea. At that time he will be given a preliminary hearing. W. A. Elliott, arrested several days ago on the obarge of obtaining money under false pretenses, pleaded guilty and we sentenced to 50 days in the county jail. Ben Jones, accused of indecent con-duct toward Mrs. Viola Berry, was ad-judged guilty and the court sentenced him to 30 days at labor in the city jail.

An 18 year old youth named Clyde Peters was arraigned on the charge of petit larceny. It is alleged that he stole from C. H. Brown, on Commercial street, a pair of shoes.

## CHINESE FAMINE FUND.

Contributions to the Chinese famine fund continue to come in from various parts of the country, the last receipts being mainly from Idaho, with one from Colorado and, two from Utah points. Following are the added amounts received by the "News:"

.\$216.45



THE BIG CONDUIT

"American" Party Leaders Now

Plenty of High Quality Fluid for a Vastly Increased Population In Salt Lake.

### Completion of Great Waterway Being Celebrated by Inspection Trip Over the System.

The completion of Salt Lake City's great waterway, the Big Cottonwood conduit, is being attingly celebrated. today by city officials of the present administration and also by members of the administration of former Mayor Richard P. Morris, by a trip of inspec. tion of a large number of the officials of both administrations to the conduit, through which the waters of Big Cottonwood creek are now being brought into this city to supply the needs of its fast increasing population. The conduit is one of the greatest waterways in the United States and it was completed and the water turned in on Tuesday, Feb. 5.

### THE PLANS EVOLVED.

For years the officials of Salt Lake City have realized that it would soon be necessary to secure the Big Cottonwood waters in order to meet the demand of the increased population of this city. Plan after plan has been suggested to secure these waters, but it became the honor of Mayor Richard P. Morris and the members of his administration to put a feasible plan into action and to provide means for building the conduit and securing the

ing the conduit and securing the water. Soon after Mayor Morris took charge of the city's affairs the water problem was brought up and a special water committee was appointed by the council to take charge of that matter. Months of hard work were put in on the preliminary plans for the conduit. The work was carried on quietly and contracts were entered into with the farmers of the county who owned the water rights for an exchange of the Cottonwood water for Utah lake water to be supplied through the city's canal.

MILLION DOLLAR BOND ISSUE.

MILIAON DOLLAR BOND ISSUE, When the plans had been properly formulated a full statement of the particulars of the scheme was drawn up and submitted to the people of the city and they were asked to vote a special bond issue of \$1.000,000 for the purpose of building the conduit, purchasing the water rights, eninry-ing the city's pipe system and improv-ing and extending its sewer system. The bond issue was carried by a safe majority and that, too, in the face of the strongest opposition on the part of members of the "American" party which is now in control of the city and which has carried out the plans of Mayor Morris and completed the conduit which stands today one of the greatest achievements in the history when other.

11.65 greatest achievements in the history of the city.

the court may bar any other stories that below that the stories that below the stories that below that will be the stories that the stories that been shown that bere is a reasonable doubt as to the poper balance of Thaw's mind at the

ime of the shooting. If this is done, then the floodgates are likely to be open for the admission of almost anything that Thaw may have told his wife or she told him, or that

almost anything that Tha w may have idd his wife or she told him, or that he heard fin any way, that to any extent might have contributed to the unbal-ancing of his mind. Several attempts were made in court yesterday to show that Thaw was of unsound mind, but the district attorneys was successful in becking them for the time being. Thaw's attorneys stated last night that Mrs. Thaw would again assume the stand Monday morning on direct camination, but to what she would testify they were not prepared to state. Mrs. Thaw appeared yesterday in the sme costume she wore the day before. Her testimony was not so interesting a so convincing, for she was less di-tret in her manner of speaking and more dramatic in her delivery. Many observers thought she did not make as arorable an impression as she did umbe first day on the stand. It is expected that Mr. Delmas will make a vicorous effort on Monday to invoduce Thaw's will in evidence. It is believed to be strongly relied upon to how the effect upon Thaw of the stor-re related by Evelyn Nesbit to him. It is said to have been written on loose hered to have been written and arthy th handwriting. According to a represented as the that in it expected to show that Thaw feared as-assing to a represent of \$50,000 be dramation and it is stated that in it events of apper, partly typewriten as an assing to a represention of his as-assing to a represention of his as-the other at investigation of his as-uing to a represention of his as-uing to a represention of his as-ting to a represention.

And an investigation of his as-samin and an investigation of his an-licipated assassination. Other provisions is one setting aside a fund of \$75,000 for the care of women whom he believed to have suffered through Stanford White. The names of these women are reported to be given in the will. It is also reported that the will contains a provision for the educa-tion of Howard Neshit, Mrs. Thicw's bother, and that an allowance was made for the care of Evelyn's mother during her life. Counsel for Thaw today not only de-tined to make public the text of the will declared that the alleged pro-visions of it made public were inaccu-tate.

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York's Chinatown was officially wiped out at yesterday's meeting of the board of estimate, when a new park was au-thorized. It is upon the block bound-ed by the Bowery, Doyers, Pell and Mott streets Mott streets. Much of the property is owned by Chinese firms and individuals. The tract includes the Chinese theater, the

Chinese joss house, in which most of the Chinese worship is held. It has long been considered the most picturesque pest spot in the city.

QUEEN HELENA.

By Fire.

A YOUNG WOMAN'S SUICIDE.

Venice, Feb. 9.—A strange suicide oc-curred here yesterday at the Hotel Danielli. A young Russian woman, who had registered under the name of Sophia Kalensky, was found dead in her room, having shot herself with a revolver. She had made an elaborate tollette her dress heing a nick citic

revolver, sine had hade an elaborate tollette, her dress being a pink silk gown. By her side was found the photograph of a handsome young man bearing the signature of "Edoardo Gar-oin Southern Cube" cia, Santiago, Cuba."

A SNOW REMOVAL BILL.

New York, Feb. 9 .- The county authorities yesterday voted \$785,000 to the street cleaning commissioner to pay the expenses of removing the recent fall of snow. The last previous snow fall was removed at a cost of \$250,000, mak-ing a little over \$1,000,000 that the storm this year have cost the county.

### ADVERSE COMMENT ON ROCKEFELLER'S GIFT.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Fresident A. W. Harris, of Northwestern university,last hight in commenting on the donation of John D. Rockefeller to the general education board, for the purpose of promoting the cause of education throughout the country, found one se-rious objection to the system of the board in handing out the money. "The colleges that need the money it he most can not afford to have it he-

The conleges that here the money the most can not afford to have it be-cause of the conditions which must be complied with to get it," said Presi-dent Harris. "For instance, Beloit was offered \$200,000 by the board as one

third of an endowment on condition that the college would raise the other two-thirds, \$409,000. This Beloit found impossible, and consequently could on-ly obtain \$50,000 of the amount. The college that can raise two-thirds of such an endowment is not the college that needs the money most."

### BATTLESHIP BADLY DAMAGED.

Toulon, France, Feb. 9 .- The French battleship Brennus broke from her moorings during a severe storm yes-terday and grounded near Hyeres. She was subsequently gotten off with con-siderable difficulty and then returned here. She sustained much damage. here.

## PORTO RIGO'S STATUS.

### New York Court Decides it is a Territory of United States.

tieff, Lieut. Gen. Pavloff, Maj. Gen. von der Launitz, and Gov. Alexandrovsky of Pensea have been located at the Moscow female university. The police searched the university buildings and many nearby tenements and arrested eight girl students and a number of

but the leaders have thus far es-ad. A number of bombs and 60 ads of pyroxilin were seized at the caped. university.

### CONSIGNMENT CHARGES.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 9 .-- The investi-St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 9.—The investi-gation by Interstate Commerce Com-missioners Clements and Harlau into the complaints of commission mer-chants relative to consignment charges of two and four cents on shipments of hay and grain from East St. Louis to southeastern points was resumed today. Testimony has been obtained during the hearing tending to show that the Southern Freight association, which is an organization of southern lines, had largely controlled southern and south-eastern rates since 1905 and that under

eastern rates since 1905 and that under its rule the rates have been increased.

### ANARCHISTS KILL JUSTICE CORTEZ OF PATERSON, N. J.

Paterson, N. J., Feb. 9.-Justice of the Peace Robert C. Cortez was fatally injured in his office tonight by the ex-plosion of an infernal machine sent him by express. The office was wrecked and the detomation could be heard for blocks. He died at miduight

blocks. He died at midnight. The judge has actively aided the po-lice in the capture of Italian law-break-

The judge has actively aided the po-lice in the capture of Italian law-break-ers recently. Justice Cortez had been home to sup-per this evening, leaving his son, Rob-ert, in charge of the office. It was the younger man who had received the in-fernal machine, which came from New-ark, and was delivered by an American Express wagon. The charges were paid and the boy accepted it. When Cortez reached the office the boy handed the package to him. The outside wrapping was of paper, tied with strong twine. Judge Cortez re-moved this paper. Inside was another wrapping, made fast with straps, such as boys use to put around school books. Robert says he watched curiously to see what the little box contained. His father rested the package on the desk and pulled the end of the strap toward him so as to loosen the tongue of the buckle. The moment he did so the explosion followed.

purposes. The company can supply light at a low figure because of the low cost of power.—Emery County Progress. OLD FOLKS ENTERTAINED.

Gala Day at Farmington With Six Hours of Fun and Frolic.

Yesterday was a gala day for the old falks of Farmington. For six hours

the veterans were assembled in the theatrical hall, where they were entertained by the rendition of a splendid program, and afterwards feasted at a sumptuous banquet. The interior of the building was decorated with national colors and presented a beautiful ap-

pearance. After the singing of "America" by the assembly, Bishop Robinson made a speech of welcome, and a response was given by Mr. C. R. Savage of the Old Folke Central committee. A musical melange, with recitations, followed, and then came the bounteous repast. A corps of charming waitresses served the veterans and shed luster upon the animated scene. President Grant and counselors of

President Grant and counselors of the Davis stake were present, and their kindly words added to the joyouaness of the occasion. They extended an in-vitation to all the old folks of the four stakes of Salt Lake to join with the aged of Davis county in an outing at Lagoon, on a date yet to be named for the coming summer. The proposition met with hearty applause from those present at vesterdays' gathering. About present at vesterdays' gathering. About 200 persons were the guests of the oc-casion, including the widows of Farm-ington. The program commenced at 11 o'clock, and the festivities ended at If oclock, and the reservices childed at 5 p. m. Carriages conveyed the vet-erans to the hall and return. Mrs. Ez-ra Clark was the oldest lady present, and she received an elegant bouquet as a recognition of that fact.

### TO ORDER MACHINERY.

Authority Granted to Obtain Proposal For Strawberry Valley Tunnel.

### (Special to the "News.")

has been granted the supervising englneer of the Strawberry Valley project, Utah, to obtain proposals from as many firms as may be practicable for the machinery required for the power plant is be used in excavating the Strawberry tunnel. It is estimated that the mahinery required will cost approximatechinery required will cost approximate-ly \$100,000. The general plan which has been worked out by the engineers is to crect a power plant at the point where the Strawberry valley tunnel water is dropped into the Salem canal, utilizing a fail of 120 feet, and the minimum amount of water which flows into Span-ish Fork about 60 cubic feet per sec-ond. This power is to be utilized for furnishing power to the Strawberry Tunnel until it is finished, and in fur-nishing light and possibly small quan-titles of power to the towns in the neighborhood of the power plant which are all within a radius of 12 to 15 miles. The estimates indicate that there will The estimates indicate that there will | 17.

nnie Denney, Swan Lake, Ida .. Citizens of Leeds, Utah. J. H. Warner, Stockton, Utah. Geo. Broadbent, Marysville, Ida. J. H. Holland, Grant, Ida. Dorothy Holland, Grant... Heber J. Holland, Grant... D. Riley Hancock, Grant.. Arnold G. Holland, Grant.. A. Hancock, Grant..... M. Holland, Grant..... W. Holland, Grant.....

> Total ..... COST OF SCHOOLS.

Chairman Park of Senate's Education Committee Prepares Statement.

John R. Edgehill, representing the legislature of the state of Utah, has been at Logan for several days collecting all the books of the institution

lecting all the books of the institution (here located for the teaching of ag-riculture. The books are to be audit-ed under the direction of the senate education committee in response to a resolution introduced by Semator Park. Mr. Edgehill will visit the Univer-sity of Utah on a similar mission to-dry, and when the final results are tabulated it is hoped that additional light will be thrown on the matter of state appropriation for the two schools. Chairman Park of the committee has prepared an exhaustive table, showing just how much money each school has asked for the University of Utah has asked for \$644,095 and has received %809,330, while the Ag-ricultural college has received \$355,-575, with requests totalling \$521,812. The Pranch Normal is figured in-dependently in this table. A table is now being prepared showing the proportionate horease in studen,s with the increase in cost of mainten-ance. This is expected to demonstrate that the expenses are crawling up much faster than the student body. that the expenses are crawling much faster than the student body

SCHOOL BOND ELECTION.

Salt Lake Residents to Vote on \$250,-000 Bond Issue.

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The people of Salt Lake will soon be called upon to vote on a \$250,000 bonding proposition for the benefit of the city schools. A meeting of the city board of education will be held Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock in the board rooms for the purpose of urratiging a special elec-tion for that purpose. At this meeting the committee appointed to draw up a cal-ter benefit will report. Whereupon the board will braced to call the same. Tor years fait Lake has been more than a year behind with school accommeda-tions for the children and is utterly un-tions for the children and is utterly un-tions for the children that the bonds are proposed.

### COLORADO FOREST FIRE.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Feb. 9.-A forest fire between Bear Creek and Cheyenne canyons is destroying much valuable timber. All last night the fire was plainly visible from this city. Ow-ing to the dry weather which has pra-valled for some weeks and the wind which has been blowing since yester-day morning, the fire is burning force. day morning, the fire is burning fierce-

#### CONTRACTS LET.

The contracts for the construction of the conduit were awarded to Con-tractor P. J. Moran of this city on Sept. 6, 1905, and active work on it was commenced on Oct. 6, 1905. The conduit proper was completed on Aug. 10, 1906, but the big dam at the in-take and the spill at the outlet of the conduit were not completed until just recently, the dam being completed on Feb. 5, 1907, when the water was turned in. turned in.

turned in. The conduit is made of concrete and reinforced with steel bars. It is seven miles long, three and a half feet wide and four feet high. The sidewalls are cight inches thick and the roof is six inches thick. Originally the sidewalls were six inches thick and the top four inches thick in the occent adminisinches thick, but the present adminis-tration increased the thickness to the dimensions first given.

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#### CONDUIT'S CAPACITY.

A total of \$2,300,000 gallons of water daily can be accommodated in the conduit beyond where it crosses Mill Creek and from that point on to Parley's where it ends it has a ca-pacity of 38,800,000 gallons daily. The increased capacity from that point be-ing due to the greater fail of the grade. Since the water was turned in last Tuesday there have been 25,000,000 gallons of water daily flow-ing through it. The water was turned into the conduit at 5.11 p. m. and it reached Parley's canyon where it joins eached Parley's canyon where it joins he water from that conduit at 7:33 D. 111.

#### TERMS OF EXCHANGE.

TERMS OF EXCHANGE. Under the terms of the agreements of exchange and also the purchases made from the farmers and owners of power rights, the city now owns 27.8 statistics of the entire flow of Big Cotonwood creek until July 1 of each year and 80.2 sixtleths during the remainder of each year. This will give the city all the way from 7,080,000 gallons daily during the low water season up to all the conduit can carry in the flood water season. All of this in addition to the city's former supply of water from City Creek, Parley's creek and Emigration creek. The dam at the intake of the con-duit is built of concrete reinforced with steel street car rafts. It is 94 % freet in length and has a wing on each side 25 feet long. It is 15 feet and 1 inch in heighth from the ground to the top of the corflice and has two weirs 50 feet long and three feet deep. COST OF CONSTRUCTION.

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The total cost of the conduit com-The total cost of the conduit com-plete, including the dam and spill wis \$420,000. The city has paid out close to \$100,000 in the purchase of war r rights and honuses for the exchance of waters with the fairners. Before, the distributing system of the city will be able to fully handle the increase supply of water from Cottonwood 1 will be necessary to enlarge the increase of \$227,000. This work has also a been decided upon by City Engin-Kelsey and the city council has thorized the advertisement for 1 is for the improvement.

thorized the advertisement for for the improvement. Mayor Thompson, City Egnin Kelsey and Councilmen Mulvey and Black have visited the conduit oner sipce the water was turned in an they pronounce it a great success in every respect. With the enlargement of the msing Salt Lake City will have

Washington, D. C., Feb. 9.-Authority