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Chicago, May 18.—President Shea, of the Teamsters' International Union, threw cold water today on all peace movements. He declared that he had not considered arbitration in any form between the Team-owners' association and the Teamsters' union and that he had never agreed to arbitrate the question whether the teamsters should deliver to the boycotted houses.

The declaration of Shea came as a surprise to all concerned as it was expected that he had agreed to arbitrate. At the time of Shea's statement the team-owners were in conference selecting their member of the arbitration board.

## PEACE UP IN THE AIR.

This declaration on the part of Shea threw the whole peace move up in the air. Members of the Team-owners' association started out at once to find Shea and get some idea of how and where they stood. How the report got started that he had agreed to arbitrate was not explained by Shea, but he denied that he had ever made such an agreement. Declaring no such proposition as the alleged arbitration of the boycott had been considered by the teamsters, President Shea called the story a subterfuge by the team-owners to pacify the Employers' association.

"I am not going to arbitrate the question of how they shall conduct their business," said President Shea. "There will be no back door settlement. When I am beaten I shall come out and say so."

## QUESTION TO BE ARBITRATED.

The question to be arbitrated is the justification of the teamsters in refusing to make such deliveries. The arbitration proposal came originally from the Lumbermen's association and was reported to have been accepted by President Shea and the joint team-owners' organization.

Representatives of the team-owners' association and the Employers' association met at the office of Attorney General D. W. McKim today to discuss the arbitration proposal.

## GOMPERS TALKS.

"I have made no proposition to arbitrate this strike. I would not if I could and as I could not if I would. All I can do is to pave the way, if it is possible, for peaceful settlement. But no matter of settlement must be taken up by the officers of the two respective organizations—the Employers' association and the teamsters. Any statement that has been published that I have proposed arbitration or anything to effect a settlement is untrue. I have no authority to take such a course, and I do not intend to do so. I am not going to be a party to a peace move that I can see is a move to bring the two organizations together. If I can find a plan by which they can meet, then they must take their own judgment on whether that plan is right or not. That is the limit of my power here. I wish to make that very plain. I have not attempted to interfere with the legal or official right of either the employers or the unions involved in this fight."

## CATS COST A LIFE.

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## CONGRESS' APPROPRIATIONS.

For Third Session of 58th Congress Were \$820,181,638.

Washington, May 18.—The volume of appropriations, new offices, etc., required to be compiled after each session of Congress, has been completed for the third session of the Fifty-eighth Congress and the summary of the appropriations shows a grand total of \$820,181,638. The total appropriation for the last session of the Fifty-eighth Congress for 1906 was an increase of \$35,012,259 over the previous session of that Congress.

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## PAYETTE SUGAR PLANT IS LOCATED

The Nampa Factory Site Is Still Being Carefully Considered.

## BOTH TO OPERATE IN 1906.

General Manager Cutler Announces That the New Company Will Incorporate for Two Millions.

General Manager T. R. Cutler of the Utah and Idaho Sugar companies has returned from a visit to the Payette and Boise valley districts in Idaho, where the new company to be known as the Western Idaho Sugar company will build two factories next year.

## WRANGLE OVER AUTHORITY AT PORTLAND EXPOSITION

Portland, Ore., May 18.—Though both sides expressed a hope of a speedy and amicable adjustment, the controversy between the Lewis and Clark state commission and the Lewis and Clark exposition committee has not been settled. The latest development is the possibility of the commissions invoking the aid of the courts in the strike matter.

At a meeting between a committee representing the state commission and the Lewis and Clark exposition committee, the Lewis and Clark exposition committee presented the opinion of its attorneys which sustained the commissions right to participate in the management of the exposition. The Lewis and Clark exposition committee also presented the opinion of its attorneys which sustained the commissions right to participate in the management of the exposition.

President W. H. Goode of the fair company deferred giving the corporation money until the executive committee could consult its own lawyers. President Myers has named next Saturday as the last day the commission would accept of a settlement.

## THEATRICAL MANAGERS.

Will Form Association of Theatrical Stock Managers.

New York, May 18.—Fifteen theater managers of stock companies in cities between Providence, Rhode Island and Chicago have formed at a meeting here, an organization which will be known as the association of theatrical stock managers, and will be incorporated under the laws of New York.

Representatives of ten theaters were present and five other houses will be taken in later. Officers were elected as follows: President, L. Kaufmann, vice president, J. P. Hildebrand, filling; A. A. Spitz, treasurer, L. B. Bought. These officers, with Corne Payton, will be the directors of the association. The association will make a production, which will cover a circuit of the theaters, playing at each house for one week. At the end of 15 weeks, the managers will make a new production, and as the season is to last 42 weeks, beginning August 26, it was necessary for each manager to put on three plays. Economy is said to be the chief object.

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## MAN CONFESSES TO FIVE MURDERS, ALSO ROBBERIES

Chester, Va., May 18.—In a letter to the police authorities of this city a man signing himself "A. Johnson," and claiming to be a partner of Henry Williams, who was recently executed in Danville, Va., has confessed to five murders and numerous robberies. His reasons for writing are that other men have suffered for his crimes and he wishes to clear his name. The man in which the different crimes were committed as furnished in Johnson's letter are more complete than the police records, and the authorities believe its authenticity.

According to Johnson, he killed a woman at Chester, Va., two Italian at Danville, Pa., a man at Hyndman, Pa., and a woman at Martin's Ferry, O. He also claims to have assaulted a woman at Staunton, Va., for which crime, he says, another man was lynched.

## JIM JEFFRIES SAYS HE HAS QUIT RING FOR GOOD

San Francisco, May 18.—James J. Jeffries, who arrived here today, when questioned as to the probability of his re-appearance in the ring at an early date, reiterated that he had positively retired from pugilism. He said his theatrical venture had been very successful. The "Davy Crockett" performances having netted him \$35,000. He will remain here for a week and then go to Los Angeles to prepare for a hunting trip.

## MCKINLEY MONUMENT.

Actual Construction Will Begin Within Two Weeks.

Canton, O., May 18.—Within two weeks the actual work of construction of the McKinley monument for the people of the nation have given about \$500,000. The monument will be completed within two years. He is expected here in a few days to examine the site of the monument hill, preparatory to letting the contract for the excavation for the monument. It has been decided to make the structure of granite.

## MINISTERS' PENSION FUND.

Story About Rockefeller Establishing One Groundless.

New York, May 18.—The Associated Press has investigated the statement published yesterday that John D. Rockefeller was about to give \$100,000 to establish a pension fund for the aged, and is authorized to say that Mr. Rockefeller has no such intention at this time.

## CUNARD CORONA FLOATED.

New York, May 18.—After lying for 26 months in the sand in the bottom of Flynn's Knoll, the three-quarters of a mile off Sandy Hook, the giant Cunard liner Corona was floated today just as the wreckers were beginning to lose hope that the steamer could not be released after a portion of her cargo was removed.

## CHURCH AND WEALTH.

New York, May 18.—At the recent annual meeting of the New York State Association of Congregational Churches here the committee on applied Christianity has made a report on the subject of the church and wealth. The report on this point follows:

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## SUMMER SCHOOL CREDITS.

Will be Accepted by State Board in Lieu of Examination.

Since public announcement was made of the county teachers' uniform examinations, the state board of education has received numerous inquiries from teachers and superintendents as to whether summer school credits in any of the subjects required for a teacher's certificate would be accepted in lieu of the regular examination in those subjects. After a full consideration of this question at yesterday's meeting of the board, the following resolution was passed:

"Resolved, that credits will be accepted in lieu of the regular county teachers' examination in subjects completed and accredited in such summer schools as are connected with and under the direction of reputable institutions."

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## TRIED TO SHOOT CHIEF OF POLICE.

Ufa, Russia, May 18.—Almost simultaneously with the attack on Gov. Gen. Sokolovsky, the chief of police of Ufa was fired at in the same public garden, but he was not hit. The bullet wounded a passer-by.

## AN AMERICAN DROPS DEAD.

Rome, May 18.—An American has had an apoplectic stroke while he was in the office of Mr. Hildebrand, master of the chamber of the Vatican, asking to see the pope. The body has not been identified, but it is supposed that the man's name was Daniel.

## RUSSIAN FLEET HAS BEEN LOCATED

German Steamer Sights Forty-Two of Its Ships Forty Miles From Cape Varella.

## WAS STEAMING SLOWLY NORTH

Fears That Rojstevsky Might Not Be Able to Continue in Command Unfounded.

## HAS NOT ASKED TO BE RELIEVED.

One Hundred and Fifty Junks, Laden With Provisions, Presumably For Russians, Sighted.

## ROJSTEVSKY WILL COMMAND.

St. Petersburg, May 18.—The fears expressed yesterday that owing to the reported nervous breakdown of Vice Admiral Rojstevsky the Russian fleet in the far east would lose its present commander-in-chief turn out to be unfounded.

Capt. Zlotoff, the aide de camp of Vice Admiral Rojstevsky, today authorized the statement that Rojstevsky has not applied to be relieved from duty.

However, the condition of the Russian admiral's health continues to be a source of anxiety. It is confirmed that the report that he had applied to be relieved may have arisen out of the actual decision in view of the condition of Rojstevsky's health to send Vice Admiral Biriloff to Vladivostok where, in the event of Rojstevsky's success in the coming battle Biriloff will take over the supreme command of the Russian naval forces in the far east, and occupy a post similar to that of the late Admiral Makarov at Port Arthur and of Vice Admiral Skrydloff at Vladivostok.

Emperor Nicholas today summoned Vice Admiral Biriloff to Tsarskoe-Selo.

## PROVISIONS FOR RUSSIAN FLEET.

Hongkong, May 18.—A special correspondence who received word from here to Kwang Chau bay observed at 11 o'clock at night, May 16, 100 deeply laden junks, presumably loaded with provisions for the Russian fleet, anchored southwest of and 20 miles off Cape St. John. The junks exhibited signal lights which were extinguished on the steamer's approach to Kwang Chau bay.

## KING ALFONSO.

He Hopes Much From His Forthcoming Tour of Europe.

Madrid, May 18.—Replying in the senate to birthday congratulatory speeches, King Alfonso said that he was glad that his forthcoming tour of Europe, which would strengthen the ties of friendship, tend to universal peace and thus assist in the re-constituting of the country and the equipment of its industry and commerce.

"As for that event fraught with happiness for the country and my heart with you will await with anxious desire," said the king, "I have confidence in God, it will be realized for the good of the nation; for the family love is so closely united in my mind with the love of my country, that I can have no other idea of marriage than that of two people loving and seeking the happiness of the country and its greatness."

## Wool Manufacturers Bankrupt.

Philadelphia, May 18.—Albert Herber & Co., wool manufacturers of this city, have been adjudged involuntary bankrupt by the federal court here today. The petition filed by the creditors represents an indebtedness of over \$500,000. Counsel for the firm says that he cannot give statement of the assets and liabilities for several days.

## Presbyterian Assembly Opens.

Winona, Lake, Ind., May 18.—The general assembly of the Presbyterian church opened here today. The question which overshadows all others before the assembly, and one which will be approached with great caution, is that of taking the Cumberland branch into the General Assembly. While the church in the north has voted overwhelmingly in favor of the proposition and the Cumberland branch has given consent by a small majority, the committee on the assembly is realizing there was a difference of opinion on the question. Presbyterians in the south west are against the proposition.

## Yachts Not Yet Sighted.

Newport, R. I., May 18.—The yachts which started yesterday from Sandy Hook in the transatlantic race, and yet, been sighted from the Nantuxet shoals lightly, off which they were to make their first turn, up to 8 a. m. today. A wireless message from the lightship gave the weather and sea condition as follows:

"8 a. m.—Wind northeast, light breeze, 15 miles an hour; fog, Ben smooth; barometer, 29.5; fog all night; no yachts in sight."

## Church and State in France.

Paris, May 18.—The chamber of deputies had adopted the article of the church and state separation bill, regulating the taking over the state of ecclesiastical properties originally granted by the government in the concordat for religious purposes, leaving privately donated property to the church's disposal.

## BURNS OPPOSES DEMONSTRATION.

London, May 18.—John Burns, William Crooks and other labor leaders in the house of commons, strongly oppose and are trying to induce the abandonment of the proposed national demonstration in favor of the unemployed bill now before parliament, considering that such a demonstration can have no good results.

## ALCATRAZ ESCAPE CAUGHT.

St. Louis, May 18.—James T. Tracy, who the police say escaped from the Alcatraz prison at Alcatraz, Cal., has been arrested and will be held pending the receipt of a telegram from the prison officials.

## ONE OF YOUR INTIMATE FRIENDS MAY WANT TO BUY SOMETHING WHICH YOU WANT TO SELL, AND YET IT MAY REQUIRE A WANT AD TO BRING THE TRANSACTION ABOUT.