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While an exact estimate of the damage could not be made today, it is said there will be at least \$50,000, and may reach double that amount. It is believed that the fire resulted defective insulation of electric light wires.

Minister of Education Studt, Herr Bal lin, director general of the Hamburg-American line; Capt. Von Grumme, and closed to the Japanese navy. Japan is said to be placing enormous orders in Prof. Schiermann of the chair of history at Berlin university, and an expert on modern Russia. The emperor will trans-Australia for horses, which are ship-ping as rapidly as steamers are avail-able. ship to the imperial yacht Hohenzollers at Naples, The Post's correspondent at Shang, reports that a Chinese decree aphai points Chaoerchin viceroy of Manchur-ia. After he has conferred with the Japanese minister he will proceed to A PARROT IN COURT.

In July.

Carter, who found that a bullet had been removed from the second joint cervical vertebra. Parker was admit-ted to bail in \$500 bonds.

J. James and "Soapy" Smith.

Denver, March 17 .- Charges of crim

circulation by the defendant of a pam-phiet in which the picture of Henry B. Hyde, founder of the Equitable Life

Assurance society, appeared between the pictures of Jesse James and "Soapy" Smith, under the title "Kin-del's Famous Gallery of Dead Charac-ters," are embodied in three informa-

tions filed in the criminal court here today by Dist.-Atty. George Stidger. A capias was issued for Mr. Kindel, Kindel is alleged to have published the offending circular Feb. 20, 1905, and to have circulated it by means of the wells and otherwise with the intertion

mails and otherwise with the intention, the informations allege, of insinuating that Henry B. Hyde consorted with

Charles W. Mills. Inspector of agen-cles of the Equitable society, who made the afflavits on which the information are based, said that the prosecution

was insituted after all other means had

failed to induce the author of the cir-cular to discontinue the publication of

alleged defamatory insinuations re-garding one who is dead. The circular had not injured the company's business, Mr. Mills said, and R was not for busi-

ness reasons that the complaint was

according to Agency Inspector

No notice, according to the insp

filed

husband of Mrs. Green was held

been transformed for the emperor's use in a work room, drawing room and bed-room and several new cabins have been

today.

Rgo.

ing in Kaysville. The complaint originates with the federal authorities, and it is said that the Germany.

ly pursuing and operating of ks and the constant threat o my closing the line of retreat It is admitted that the single railroad and wagon road afford poor prospecs of Gei, Linevitch being able to bring off the remnants of the army confided to his care without a tremendous sac-rifice of life. If the Japanese actually mercedid in the strong force succeeded in throwing a strong force scross the line of retreat, it is recog-nized that the army might be forced o capitulate. In the meantime, the mobilization of a

new army has already begun in sev ral provinces, although the order has not yet been published. A division of the imperial guards at

ment.

S. Petersburg reviewed today. The newspapers generally endorse Linevitch's selection as temporary commander-in-chief on the ground that Kuropatkin's lack of success made his uropatkin's lack of success made his ession imperative. At the same time it is recognized that Kuropatkin's failure also rests on other

T8 and pity is expressed at his Bad fate.

RUSSIAN REARGUARD FIGHTING. Hinkow, Manchuria, March 18.-It is sported that the Russian rearguard s fighting a heavy action in the vicin-

of Kaiyuan about 20 miles north of The pass.

## VALU-BLE FIND IN THE HEART OF AN OAK TREE

New York, March 18,-A deed trans-ferring 12 acres of land within the bounds of New York City, a mortgage and a will, both dated Dec. 12, 1780, and other business more provided to the second and a will, both dated Dec. 12, 1780, and other business papers running down to 1855, together with a silver tea ser-vice, knives, forks and spoons, six fin-ger rings, a pair of diamond earrings and a pearl brooch, all incased in a fourt tin box, have been found in the lisart of an old oak tree by woodmen cutting timber north of Lincoin park. N. J. The property was placed in the mands of an attorney to await a claim-ent. It is believed the box was placed there by a thief years ago as no one

there by a thief years ago as no one of the persons named in the papers is remembered in the neighborhood. The will is that of Matthew Weath-traby and transferred to his sons, Parker and Andrew, 512,000 in fnoney and personal property and 12 acres of land on the island of Manhattan bor-cering on the Hudson river, but object Gering on the Hudson river, but which cannot be readily located on the presat city lines from the description in

The interior of the tree was perfectly ly, and with the exception of a slight cating of mildew, the papers are per-fectly preserved. Squirrels had made the cavity their home, and it was filled and shells.

### TRIED TO KILL WIFE.

### Husband Failed and Committed Sulcide.

Chicago, March 15.—Frank Vokoun, a tallor, after firing two shots through a closed door in an attempt to kill his wife at her home today, shot and killed himself. Mrs. Vokoun, was uninjured. The man and his wife had separated from each other some time ago, and the suicide and attempted murder fol-lowed Vokoun's unsuccessful efforts to persuade her to return to him.

# KOHLSAAT WILL BE JUDGE.

### President and Illinois Senators Come to an Agreement.

Washington, March 18.—President, Rooseveil had a conference today with Senators Cullom and Hopkins and Speaker Cannon of Illinois, at which it was determined to appoint C. C. Kohl-saat, now district judge of the North-sen district of Illinois, to be circuit judge for the Seventh circuit. It also

### H. H. Hunt Released on Bail.

Chicago, March 18 .- William H. Hunt, former president of the defunct Pana-ma Banking company, was released from the county jail today on a \$10,000 Mukden from the east. bond. He is accused of embezzle

#### THE SHARRATT MURDER. **Royal Yacht Resumes Voyage.** Mrs. Green Committed for Trial

London, March 18 .- The royal yacht Victoria and Albert, which sailed from Newport, Or., March 17.—The pre-liminary trial of Mrs. Green, charged with killing E. G. Sharratt at Litjens, resulting in her being committed to await trial in July. Dr. Thomas Par-ker of Toledo was also arrested, charged with being an accessory after the foot Dr. Bastas must be beind. Portsmouth yesterday with Queen Alex-andra and a party on board, bound for Lisbon and was compelled, owing 10 rough seas, to put into Portland harbor over last night, resumed her voyage to-

#### Cat's Bite Causes Death.

charged with being an accessory after the fact. Dr. Parker was the physician who conducted the autopsy at the cor-oner's inquest. Evidence introduced tended to show that for a money con-St. Louis, March 18.—The bite of a cate nine months ago caused the death today by hydrophobia of Henry Pflas-terer, aged nine years. The first symp-toms of the disease developed a week sideration he had attempted to cover the crime by reporting to the coroner's jury that Sharratt came to his death from abscess of the brain, and not from ago. Finally convulsions developed and today he died unconscious and scratch-ing desperately at the bed clothing. a bullet wound. This the jury refused to believe or be influenced by in return ing a verdict of death from a bullet wound. When the body was brought to Newport it was examined by Dr. F. M.

N. Y. WATER COLOR CLUB.

#### Will Open its First Exhibition in London Tomorrow.

London, March 18 .- The first exhibi-tion in London of the New York Water for trial at his examination several days ago. Color club will be opened for private view tomorrow in the modern gallery, CHARGE OF CRIMINAL LIBEL where a hundred pictures selected by the club have been hung. The Whistler exhibition has been the H. B. Hyde's Picture Flanked by most successful ever held in the new gallery, and it continues to draw such crowds that the management is trying to obtain the permission of the owners to retain the pictures until April 15 in-stead of March 31, the original closing inal libel against George J. Kindel, arising from the alleged publication and

Landslide Delays Traffic. Landstide Delays Trainc. Los Angeles, Cal., March 18.--A freight train ditched north of Santa Barbara on the coast line and a land-slide this side of Mojave have again temporarily suspended traffic on both routes of the Southern Pacific to the north. It is expected that the track will be blocked for several hours. The landslide on the Valley line occured late yesterday, and since then no trains have been able to get through. The company expects that the line will be open some time today. The Santa Fe reports its line open and all trains moving, but greatly de-

and all trains moving, but greatly de-layed owing to soft track and the dam ger from constantly recurring land-slides. It will be several days at least before conditions can become anything like normal. The weather throughout southern California continues fair continues since yesterday morning.

#### ASK FOR TROOPS.

#### Vistular Railroad Directors Want Bridges Guarded

was taken of another pamphlet by Kin. del, in which he made a direct attack upon the company. The object of the upon the company. The object of the action, Mr. Mills stated, was solely to Warsaw, March 18 .- The directors of the Vistula railroad have asked for troops to guard the bridges between Siedice and Malkin, because of the re-

action, Mr. Mills stated, was solely to stop alleged attacks upon the charac-ter of the deceased father of the present head of the Equitable. Mr. Kindel was actuated in issuing the circular in which Hyde's picture is shown between that of a famous out-law and that of a confidence man by the failure to malize the amount he ex-pected on a 15-year policy in the Equi-table, according to Agency Inspector nble.

### Contradicts Testimony of Owner

#### Concerning the Bid.

Chicago, March 18 - A jury in Jus-ce Richardson's court has decided the richardson's court has decided that a green parrot, which Alderman Honore Palmer purchased for \$40 from Nathan Slotkin, a bird dealer, could not speak the 75 different words that Slot-kin guaranteed it could and granted the alderman a judgment for the amount he paid for the bird. The parrot, in a glided cage, was present in court.

"Did you ever hear the parrot sp 75 words?" asked Atty. Edward Everett, representing Mr. Palmer, nnie Larsen, employed in the Palmer home

"No, no," screeched the parrot. When the laughter subsided Miss Larsen replied also in the negative.

### BERMUDEZ ASPHALT CO.

#### Venezuela Court of Appeals Finds It Aided Matos Revolution.

Wiekemstad, Island of Curacoa March 18.-Advices received from from Caracus, Venezuela, say that the su-perior court decided an appeal March 15, that the New York and Bermudez Asphalt company alded the Hatos revo-lution, and the high federal court will fix the damages. Final judgment may not be rendered for many months. This case is separate from the action of the government to rescind the company's concession.

### BLESSING OF THE NEVA.

#### Report of Court-Martial on the Gun "Accident" Ready.

St. Petersburg, March 18, 1:50 a. m. St. Petersburg, March 18, 1:50 a, m.— Court martial of the officers and men of the battery that fired the salute at the blessing of the waters of the Neva on Jan. 19, scattering bullets all around the imperial party, was concluded yes-terday and the verdict will be an-nounced today. During the trial the accused men testified that the guns had not been inspected since the practise not been inspected since the practise of two days before; that no count of cartridges had been made; that the guns were loaded in the absence of the prop-er officers, and that no responsible offi-cer attended to the training of the guns, and all pleaded guilty to charges of neglect of duty.

No testimony, however, tending to show the existence of a plot against the emperor was brought out.

### A FAMOUS MUSICIAN.

#### Manuel Garcia Celebrates His Hundredth Birthday.

London, March 17 .- Manuel Garcia the well-known professor of singing of the University of London and inventor the University of London and inventor of the laryingoscope, who made his de-but 80 years ago at the old Park thea-ter, New York, is celebrating his hun-dredth birthday in remarkably good health. King Edward, Emperor Wil-liam and the king of Spain all decor-uted birt today. ated him today.

### MISSOURI'S NEW SENATOR.

Maj. Warner Was Elected on the Seventh Ballot Today.

Jefferson City, March 19.--Maj. War-er was elected United States senator on the seventh ballot.

plent of the pension is an unwilling party to it.

TWO PARDONED. From the story as told to the "News , it appears that several year Mrs. Layton, who is a neighbor o Louis A. Good win and Roger Milward Secure Their Freedom. Mr. Barnes, interested him in her clain for a pension, and he promised to what he could, although he was not The board of pardons had its regu-

the pension-getting business and had no particular idea of making any fee upon it. When the papers were pre-sented it developed that another claim-ant had appeared with a petition declar-ing barself to be a widew of Mr. Law lar monthly meeting today, and granted two applications for pardon, and one application for parole. The fortunate application for parole. The fortunate prisoners who were liberated today by the action of the board are Louis A. Goodwin, who was convicted in Boxel-der county, and sentenced on May 24, 1904, to one year for the crime of forg-ery; Roger Milward, convicted in Too-ele county of felony, and sentenced July 2, 1002 in flue ways in prison ing herself to be a widow of Mr. Lay-ton, a soldier of the civil war. This matter brought on a dispute which ex-This tended over two years, necessitating the looking up of many records, and the making of sworn statements, these mat-Moses Greechley, who has heretofer Moses Greechley, who has heretofore made several applications for commu-tation, pardon or parole, was finally successful, and today the board granted ters being financed by Mr. Barnes. Ra-cently a pension of \$12 a month was secured, and a back pension of about

his application for parole. He was con-victed of perpiry in Morgan county. The application for pardon of John Orr was denied, as was also the appli-cation of Joseph Davis, serving seven years for perjury. The applications of Merrill M. Caln, convicted of voluntary manslaughter, Moses Gifford, convicted of voluntary manslaughter, and El-Woodward were continued for onth. Charles A. Larsen was one month. granted a rehearing on his application for parole.

# CAR MEN'S EXCURSION.

Light Company Employes Making Great Preparations for an Outing.

The Street Car Men's union is making great preparations for an excursion to American Fork on the evening of Wednesday next, when a special train will leave Salt Lake over the San Pedro at 7:30 p. m., returning leaving at 12:15 a. m. The members of the union pro-pose to take their wives and sisters and the other fellows' sisters along with them and have a great time in with them, and have a great time in the big dance pavilion, where a grand ball will be in order. A delegation waited on General Manager Campbell of the company last evening and asked whether or not arrangemdents could be made for cars to meet the returning special at 1:30 a. m. In response Mr. Campbell said, "Sure, boys: you can have anything you want." The outing have anything you want." The promises to be a huge success.

### "KNOCKERS" TO JUBILATE. Kearns-Kannon Krowd to Burn Red

Fire and Everything Else.

Sound the trumpets! Get off the earth! The Knockers have got another knock coming. It will be made on Tuesday night. And when it is made the makers will applaud them-selves mightly. And they will burn much red fire and orate until the raft-ers will ring. The detailed program, however, cannot be secured for the Sat-urday "News." That is to be kept for the scene of the Knockers the Satt Lake

however, cannot be secured for the sat-urday 'News.' That is to be keept for the organ of the Knockers, the Salt Lake Tribune, tomorrow. For days prepara-tions have been going on quiletly to get up a big demonstration. The paper will say that it was a marvelous and spon-taneous response of popular feel-ing, when in fact it is already be-ginning to smell afar from age. It is stated that Kearns and Cannon are af-ter some sort of a vindication and that the "American" party is to give it to them. It was rumored this afternoon that there would be a request made upon the gentleman who has fust quit Washington, as his official residence, to read the speech which was written for him for delivery at the Capitol, and which atmost "delivered" the halls of Congress of its members on the occa-sion of it being given to an unfortusion of it being given to an unfortu-nate world. But that is said to be a

This morning he approved the meas-ure providing for a central Utah experiment farm, and making an appro-priation of \$5,000 to maintain the southern farm. The remaining bills bills are the appropriation measure, the og-teopathy bill, and the two bills defining and restricting courses of study at the Agricultural college and University of Utah. The time for considering the osteopathy measure closes Monday osteopathy measure closes Monday night, although there are several days more allowed on the other bills.

### LOOKS LIKE A "GO."

### Leary Pleased With Endorsement of Packing Plant Project.

J. C. Leary remarked this morning his sincere gratification at last evening's action of the Commercial club committee on manufactures in endors-ing the proposed packing plant for Sait Lake City, and stated his belief that with such influential backing as the Commercial club can and will give, he ought not to have much difficulty in raising the remaining \$70,000 necessary to successfully float the enterprise. However, Mr. Leary stated that he must raise the amount in two weeks in order to get started. The site of the proposed plant is four ommittee on manufactures in endors-

The site of the proposed plant is four and a half miles north of the center of town, but the exact location cannot as yet be given out. Mr. Leary said the copper plant site could not be utilized, as it was too far out of the way, and then the buildings were entirely unsuit-able and could not be remodeled for slaughtering purposes. Mr. Leary call-ed attention to the fact that the pack-ing feature of the plant will not by any manner of means be the only fea-ture of the enterprise to bring good to the city. Its establishment will make Sait Lake a great trading center, a

Salt Lake a great trading center, a great market center, affording unrival-led opportunities for buying and selling. and being the means of spreading much money through the community. More-over, there is this to consider; a stock-man need no longer go way east with one, two and three carloads of stock for slaughtering: he can stop right here, only one day or so away from home; deal with people he knows all about instead of with strangers, and then re-turn home, losing none of the time in traveling he would have to lose did he go to the river,

## BADLY INJURED.

#### E. R. Nelson the Victim of Mine Explosion in Arizona.

F. U. Nelson, superintendent of minea for the colorado, Fuel & Iron company, with headquarters in this city, has been with intraductors in this were saddenly called on a very sad errand to Bisbee, A. T., where his brother, E. R. Nelson, who is engaged in mining, was seriously injured in a mine explosion. Mr. Nelson is bringing his brother to a Salt Lake hospital for treatment; but as the sufferer is reported to have lost an eye, an arm, and is otherwise injured, there are fears for the worst.

### NEW LAND DISTRICT.

#### Gov; Cutlar Receives Official Notico From Washington.

Goy. Cutler today received from the lepartment of interior at Washington, department of interior at washington, official notice of the creation of the new Uintah land district by Congress on March 3, 1905. The district includes Uintah and Carbon counties, and that portion of the Uintah reservation lying in Wasatch county. The president is given authority to designate the location of the land office for the district.

Saturday, March 25, was set as the date for his trial. Chin was released on bonds of \$1,000 for himself, and \$500 tha

the Church was celebrated in a very hatersting way in the Eighteenth ward inst night. The ward hall had been beautifully decorated upstairs and down with the national colors, white and green festconing, find with plants and flowers, and invitations issued to a large number to attend the event, which was announced to be in honor of the retiring officers of the Relief so-clety of the ward. These were Mrs. Ellen B. Barton, president; Mrs. Ra-chei B. Patrick, and Mary Hehettler, counselors. Hannah Wright, secretary, and N. Twiss Young, treasurer, who

had served faithfully for many years. | slander,

\$350 When the first payment came Mrs. Layton took to Mr. Barnes a sum, just Now large is not stated, to pay the penses and as his compensation in matter. Later she was visited by a pension agent of the government, and in a conversation stated that she had a pension, and that she had recently se-

cured it through the efforts of Mr. Barnes, and that she had taken down to him a certain sum, in payment for his The agent then, with his knowledge of

The agent then, with his knowledge of the law, prepared the papers which re-sulted in the indictment. The friends of Mr. Barnes feel that his apparent violation of the law is technical and is one which any man might have unwittingly fallen into without in the least having faulten without in the least having fraudulent intentions.

## MAKING IT HOT FOR CHIN. Mayor of Chinatown Arrested Again

## This Morning-After Him Hard.

Once again the mayor of Chinatown Chin Quon Chan, is ruling his friends in Plum alley under the grace of the In Fluin alley under the grace of the United States commissioner, and in con-sideration for proper bonds on file in the government offices. The much de-ported Chinaman with his frequently arrested family, was only released a few days ago from a charge of the same nature as the one now lodged against him. However, the peculiar color of his recent return to America against him. However, the peculiar color of his recent return to America and Salt Lake, still gives the United States authorities ground upon which to work and their investigations led to his re-arrest this morning. He was taken from his Plum alley residence together with his wife and children, and was given a preliminary arraign-ment at 10 o'clock before United States Commissioner Baldwin, at which Saturday. March 25, was set as the

its chances with the two little Chinese

HONOR RETIRING OFFICERS

### Relief Society Officers of the Eighteenth Ward Pleasantly Remembered.

The sixty-third, anniversary of the

organization of the Relief societies of the Church was celebrated in a very h.