

Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. n giving his testimony, Mr. Morgan id it was never contemplated that e holders of Northern Pacific preeferred stock as early as possible

could change that stock for gotiations. The price was \$200 a share on stock. The retirement of the for the Burlington stock was demanded by the Burlington directors, and told Mr. Hill by all means ot take it. sas part of the reorganization plan of 895. The retirement, however, was not Mr. Morgan was asked what the bacommon sis of valuation of the stock was and The pre- replied that the stock was worth that the the mount for the purpose for which it was wanted. "Did you know that there was a competition between the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern for the business of the Burlington? "I never knew two roads that did not ompete 'At the present time the Burlington acted independently. s operated jointly with the Northern

"Nothing of the kind. The Burling-

other roads as any railroad in the

ern over the Burlington, who would

said Mr. Morgan.

'Not at all. I mean J. P. Morgan &

ountry

tion of Mr. Morgan by Francis Lynde Stetson. To him the witness said the the operations. Mr. Hill made the neretirement of the Northern Pacific pre-ferred stock was not part of the plan which culminated in the formation of away. he Northern Securities company not was it part of a plan to allow the CARTOONED THE JUDGES forthern Securities company to obtain the majority of Northern Pacific And Consequently the Editor Got mon. Mr. Morgan denied that there was any understanding in the organization of the Northern Securities com-Honolulu, T. H., March 16, via San pany looking to the control of the rates Francisco, March 26 .- (Correspondence or traffic, or any agreement that would in any manner obstruct or contemplate of the Associated Press.)-Walter G. the obstruction of commerce. He said that all parties to the agreement had Smith, editor of the Advertiser, was found guilty of contempt by the three judges of the First circuit court and was

nt time

There was a friendly cross-examina-Blessed be the name of the

press telegraphs, says a London dispatch to the Herld, that upon the news of Cecil Rhodes' death being conveyed to him, Paul Kruger said: "The Lord giveth, the Lord taketh

Thirty Days in Jail.

charged with assault and battery in th

Rhodes' Political Testament.

in the Hawailan statutes.

to appear April 21.

located in Hayana harbor, probably at Triscornia, just across the bay from Havana and connecting by rall with the principal railway system,

Authors Will Dine Carnegie,

New York, March 27 .-- The Society of American Authors will give a dinner for tion

now than there would have been otherwise. Since then, however, the buying has been going on with a vim and the thousands of yards have dwindled perceptibly, yet some of every kind still remains ,so large was the collec-THE RICHEST OF FOULARD SILKS FOR THE NEW SEASON ARE THEY

practicable until afterck sold at par or above. The prestockholders, thought. would have changed their shares for common stock if they had opportunity.

dr. Lamb next asked Morgan in reand to a transaction in which \$26,000,. par value of Northern Pacific stock as purchased for J. J. Hill and asso tes in 1896. The witness said the negotiations for that ount. He did not know whether all nurchasers of that block of Northasked Mr. Lamb. Pacific stock were Great Northern ple. Morgan said he did not reton is operated as independently of al er all the details of the transac-"In the event of a dispute between the Northern Pacific and Great North-

ourse it is a great transaction it is only natural that you might be able to remember," said Lamb. lid not look yery large to me, witness, "The amount of cash ed was not more than about \$3,-

If the Northern Pacific wanted anyng today it would be financed by ar house, would it not?" asked Lamb. undoubtedly Has your firm loaned the Northern

money? stockholders. Yes. what ac sount have these loans en made ?"

market? 'Yes, sir.' That. I won't answer. We were maissioned to raise the money. We t it wherever we could. From whom was gotten I will not say." "You did not buy anything by private sale? 'Not a share."

"What did you learn when you came home about the dissensions and as to Morgan said the Northern Pahad not been controlled by any er railroad since 1896. Since that who had control of the road?" time 0/2 value has steadily increased. The Great Northern, to a certain ex-tent, was a competitor of the Northern Pacific. J. P. Morgan & Co., received no commission for function to "By we, you mean yourself and Mr. Hill Co., and their associates." Mr. Morgan said Union Pacific men n for financing the reture at of Northern Pacific preferred. were put on the Burlington board in carrying out a community of interest he witness said he had made up his nd that the Northern Pacific ought plan have an eastern terminal in Chica-He talked the matter over with all selves, however, if Harmony was what was desired. There rsons interested and they agreed. was no special object in putting Mr said there were three lines avail-Gould on the board. In further expla-nation of the intention and purposes Visconsin Central, the Burling

and the St. Paul. The first, he said. leading up would not have. company, Mr. Morgan said that as far as the placing of the Northern Pacific wanted the St. Paul," said Mr. gan, "and Hill wanted the Burling-and finally the Burlington was sestock in that organization was concerned, it was done to have the ma-jority of the stock placed in safe hands ted. It was the chief desire of Mr Il that the Great Northern should we a terminal in Chicago. I desired a same for the Northern Pacific. so as to insure a continuation of the policy of the road and insure the "moral" control. There was nothing secret at all about !



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Pacific and the Great Northern roads? New Home for Lamb's Club.

> New York, March 27 .- A new clubhouse has been planned by the Lambs' lub. It will contain a capacious theater and banquet hall, and the actors who have been heretofore dependent theatrical managers for a stage oon which to hold their famous gam-

ools, will then be independent. 'Well, our firm was fiscal agent of At the meeting of the club members the road. I felt it as a moral obligaof the club subscriped \$160,000 for the tion upon myself towards those who rection of the new building, and plans had intrusted me with their interest to were made for an all star summer tour of members to raise such additional see that the road did not pass into the hands of the Union Pacific interests, 1 money as may be needed. felt in honor bound to prevent that a

a matter of protection to the minority American Meat for British Troops. "You bought your stock in the open

New York, March 27 .- The British government has made a contract with the London branch of a large American packing firm for 220,000 cases of canned peef, to be delivered in London for the British army and for 500,000 pounds of sliced bacon in the cans for pr shipment. This is said to be the prompt gest single contract for canned beef on record and is mostly for 2-pound

Buller Wearies His Friends.

New York, March 27 .- Gen. Buller has xhausted the patience of his most loyal friends, says the London corre-They could fight among them-, however, if they wanted to. spondent of the Tribune. Comment among military men and in the press runs heavily against him for reverting to the Spion Kop affair in his corre-spondence with Mr. Balfour. Henry Norman has managed to bring out so to the Northern Securities many lively controversies in parliament the old stagers are solemnly discussing whether experienced journalists with a fatal instinct for news ought to be eligible to election to the house.

Boer Delegates Worrying.

New York, March 27 .- Reports from Brussels and The Hague continue to re-

yeal the anxiety of the Boer delegates to have it understood that peace cannot be made without their knowledge and consent, says a London dispatch to the Fribune. The dispatches are contradictory, but, bellicose as are the declara-tions attributed to Dr. Leyds it may be safely assumed that Mr. Kruger has known about Schalkburger's intentions for several months, and that he has sanctioned the direct appeal to Steyn and Dewet. The Dutch ministers at The Hague unmistakably are hopeful that peace will be made. They are reported to have warned Mr. Kruger better terms could be made before than after the coronation, but there is no method of confirming this rumor.

Convicted for Selling Bad Whisky

Duluth. Minn., March 27.-The Min-nesota dairy and food department has scored its first conviction under the pure liquor law. Capt. Henry Savage has been convicted of selling impure whisky and forty other prosecutions are pending awaiting the decision in the savage case

Struck by a Train.

Houston, Texas, March 27 .- Mrs. Lizzie Miller, a widow, was killed and her daughters, Missos Mary, aged 19 and Carrie, aged 17, were injured, the first named fatally, while on their way home last night. They were compelled to cross a street at a grade crossing and in to escape one switching freight train, got directly in the way of a string of cars being shoved across the street. Mrs. Miller was cut into fragments.

Carnegie on April 7, on the ev of his departure for Scotland. Ameri can literature and art will be discussed by well known educators.

CHOLERA IN MANILA.

Forty-nine Cases and Forty-nine Deaths Reported.

Manila, March 26 .- At noon today the health authorities reported a total of 49 cases of cholera and 49 deaths.

The navy department has given Rear Admiral Frank Wildes, the ranking adsentenced to 30 days in jail on account miral in the service, authority to take of the cartoon he published in connecsuch steps as may be necessary to pre vent the spread of the cholera epidemic tion with the case of one McCarthy, which prevails here, to the officers and first degree. McCarthy had previously men of the naval establishment at Ca-

been found guilty of mayhem, but was released by Judge Gear on the ground The epidemic is confined to the natives and Chinese in Manila and does that the crime of mayhem is not defined not prevail among the whites. During the

Mexican Railway Plant Burned.

pendency of the second trial for ausault and battery the Advertiser published a cartoon which represented Judge Gear in the attitude of blessing a tough-look-Chihuahua, Mexico, March 27.-The roundhouse, carpenter shop and entire plant of the Chihuahua and Pacific ing citizen, who was assaulting a wo man by biting her ear. Railroad company has been destroyed The supreme court at once issued a writ of habeas corpus, returnable April by fire, the origin of which is unknown. The loss is estimated at \$100,000. All en-21, on which the editor is now at lib-erty. Under this writ, issued by Chief gines, with the exception of two, were destroyed. Justice Frear, Smith is held on bonds

Parliament Adjourns.

The circuit court judges met this af-ternoon, en banc, and decided that the New York, March 27 .- Parliament has supreme court writ was void, having been issued without the defendant beadjourned for 10 days, and the rumor mongers, chilled by the east wind, have ing brought before the court. The cir-cult judges held that Smith is in conlittle to chatter about, says the Trib-une's London correspondent. Lord tempt, while the supreme court allowed Rosebery, like the Duke of Devonshing has retired to the continent, and noth-ing more can be said about liberal conhim to go free, and the matter will probably be submitted to Washington. ditions of government while the state has sufficient vitality for the effort of producing complex measures which can be debated for a season and quietly dropped. Talk about cabinet recon-New York, March 27 .- There is a report, says the World's London correstruction has died out. No cabinet changes are probable this year, Joseph spondent that Cecil Rhodes left a political testament dealing with the war Chamberlain, colonial secretary, and and the future of South Africa; but that A. J. Balfour, government leader in owing to it's severe criticisms of the imthe house of commons, are intimate and loyal friends, and neither is disperial government its publication wil be delayed, Mr.Rhodes' idea it is report posed to supplant or stand in the way of the other. The understanding among ed was to throw on the shoulders of the imperial authorities the responsibility for the tragic failure of the war policy Mr. Chamberlain's friends is that he is not anxious to succeed Lord Sallsbury nor lead the commons, but expects to remain in the colonial office and work out the settlement of the South African question after the war. His friends ssert that he has no ambition resent except to make a tour of the

British colonies when he can leave the colonial office for a period of eight or 10 months, and visit Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa.

Monument to Iowa Soldiers.

Des Moines, Ia., March 27 .- The senate has passed the house bill appro-priating \$150,000 for monuments to soldiers at Vicksburg military The vote was unanimous and park. the chamber at the time was filled by veterans of the war who cheered the speakers.

The house already had passed the bill by an unanimous vote. The senate also passed by unanimous

vote the bill to appropriate \$35,000 for the erection of monuments to Iowa soldiers who fought and those who died at Chattanooga, Lookout Mountain and tion called to it especially and had no thought it applied to her needs. Missionary Ridge, A bill was also passed permitting the Shiloh commission to expend the balance of the \$66,-000 appropriated for monuments at 000 appropriated for monut Shiloh in dedicatory services.

A Poor Yellow Fever Theory.

Austin, Tex., March 27 .- The Associated Press correspondent had a talk with State Health Officer Tabor this gained morning regarding a recent publication by the war department to the effect that a certain species of mosquito is the only medium for the transmission of yellow fever. Dr. Tabor is of the opinion that the "theory won't hold water," and states that he will not accept it. He had been familiar with yellow feyer from childhood and knew enough to keep rigid quarantine and disinfecting rules in effect

in all the beautiful pattern designs, handsomest colorings and finest qualities and their selling at such a low price at the very opening of spring is unprecedented. Another chance of the kind is scarcely possible to come again during the entire season-that is when a complete selection of every kind, color and pattern design will be here for you to choose from at so small a price. \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 a yard qualities, two days longer, Friday and Saturday-\$1.00.

\$35 Black Taffeta Silk Dresses-\$18.75.

Who'll be the fortunate ones-only three here. Made of splendid black taffeta silk, waists fastened in the back, blouse front, tucked and trimmed with black lace, skirts tucked and have flare flounce, only three sizes, though-34, 36 and 38; three bargains to the three women who can wear them. Reduced from \$35.00 to-\$18.75.

Melton Cloth Walking Skirts-\$1.95.

Surely no woman need be without a mudskipping skirt when a good looking and serviceable one may be had for so little. Made of gray and brown mixture melton cloth with eight rows of stitching and strapped seams; all lengths and band sizes-\$1.95.

Up to \$18.75 Women's Spring Jackets, \$4.95 \$17.50 Rain Coats, \$12.75.

Some of the jackets belong to last season, but to freshen up the lot we have added many of this spring's styles. Made of fine covert, silk lined, single and double breasted, tight and half fitting. A remarkable opportunity to get a spring coat-a wonderfully little price to pay, if these sizes are right-34, 36 and 38. They were \$5.75 up to \$18.75, Friday and Saturday,

or rather while they last, which may not be so long, choice-\$4.95. The very excellent "Alexombric" raincoat for women. Made of import-ed cheviot in fancy mixture effects, medium and dark colors, yoke lined. A wrap in fair weather, thoroughly water proof in stormy. Reduced for Friday and Saturday from \$17.50 to \$12.75.

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Little Baskets--5c

Little Japanese baskets, the handy size for spools, buttons, etc., and useful, too, just now to Easter nests, 12%c kinds, Friday and Saturday-bi

Women's Petti-

coats and Nignt Dresses.

Women's black and white striped mercerized sateen petticoats. In pretty styles with accordian flounce that has tiny plaited ruffle finish, and some in two ruf fie effects nicely stitched with white: dressy petticoats and serviceable, marked down for Friday and Saturday from \$1.85 and \$2.00 to-\$1.25.

Four pretty styles of women's it dresses, high neck, V, hem stitched and tucked yokes; all nicely trimmed with good lace or embroidery; cambric and mus full length, generous width and exceptional value for-\$1.00.

Women's \$3 Even. ing Gloves--\$2.00

Suede kid, cream, white and button length. Handsome 16-button length. Has gloves, but in two sizes and 6%, and few even of those so Friday and while they last instead of \$3.00-\$2.00.



Women's wool union suits, gray and white, the \$2.00 for \$1.50; the \$2.50 for \$2.00, and some in fleeced cotton reduced from \$1.25 to-\$1.00.

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color and pattern design each

ing, regularly 25c a yard, two

'Sultana," a new double faced

pretty floor cover-

Two patterns of velvet carpets,

rugs, one priced at-\$1.85.

side, bright,

days-27c.

A surplus of 50 Axminster and

Women's mixed wool drawers, white and blue, \$1.50 regu-A broken line of children's gray

dals, French heels, strap, \$3.00. Misses' patent kid shoes, with extension soles, lace and button fleeced cotton undergarments, instead of 25c each, two forstyles, sizes 11 to 2, that were \$3.00-\$2.00.

\$3.00-\$2.00. Misses' box calf shoes, sizes 11 to 2, reduced from \$1.75 to-\$1.35. A little lot of children's black cotton stockings in size 6 only, that were 25c a pair now-15c. Children's black cotton hose, fine ribbed, 15c regular-10c. Splendid Writing

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Regular. Hurlbut's Roxboro Bond and ings, not every size, 50c regular Royal Exeter, in Dresden blue, lotus, Saxon blue and white, Fri-day and Saturday, instead of

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Way to the

Women's Oxfords and shoes

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that were \$2.00 up to \$4.00 a pair. broken lines, of course, at-\$1.25, Women's strap slippers, with

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Fiddy and Saturday— The \$1.00 a pair for—75c. The \$1.50 for—\$1.12. The \$2.00 for—\$1.50.

The \$3.00 for-\$2.25. The \$5.00 for-\$2.75. The \$7.50 for-\$3.75. The \$7.50 for-\$5.62. The \$12.00 for-\$9.00.

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Imitation Wedgewood pfa trays and cold cream boxer, cameo figure designs, useful and pretty, 15c kinds Friday and Sat-

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tried it as she had never had her att

