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east and west of Helena on the Northern Pacific, north and south of Helena on the Great Northern, and also on the Oregon Short Line north and south of Dillon passenger trains are John Stringham, of the Benefit Life Insurance company, who is interested in tomato raising and the canning in-dustry, expressed an opinion similar to the foregoing, declaring, it to be his opinion that the danger to the to-mato crop might be looked for at the end of the season, rather than any considerable harm that will be wrought now. stalled with no hope of getting through until the waters go down and work of repairing the tracks can be taken up. Out of Butte both the Northern Pa-

Out of Butte both the Northern Pa-cific and Great Northern are tied up by washouts. The Postal Telegraph had a wire into Butte this morning long enough to learn that the power house supplying the electric lighting and tele-graph power was threatened by the floods. The wire falled a moment later and Butte therefore is probably with-out light or power. All of the West-ern Union wires failed early this morn-ing north of Dillon Montana, as a re-sult either of the fallure of the power house at Butte or washouts along the Big Hole river. The latter stream is seriously threatening the big bridge a mile and a half north of Dillon, and oregon Short Line passenger trains are bregon Short Line passenger trains are led up on either side, with no pros-sects of the blockade being broken for it least 24 hours. Hundreds of men are at work dumping rock along the user banks near the bridge in the hope saving the structure from destruc-im, and the railroad officials this wrning expressed themselves as con-kent of success. It is still raining avily however around Dillon, and obably therefore throughout the region north.

# TEN INCHES OF SNOW.

### Butte, Helena and Dillon Vicing in Suffering from Storm Effects.

J. M. Davis, general superintendent of the Oregon Short Line, is up in Mon-iana watching progress of the fight against the elements in the neighbor-hood of Dillon. Water appears to be submerging everything in and around Dillon, Butte and Helena. Sixty-seven inches of water is flowing over the



St. Petersburg, June 5.—Considerable significance is attached here to an obsignificance is attached here to an ob-viously inspired article published in the official Rossia, which, while speaking warmly in favor of the meeting be-tween King Edward and Emperor Nicholas at Reval, declares that the suggestion of any new grouping of the powers at the present time is impossi-ble. This article blames a number of the newspapers of Russia for the markedly anti-German tendency of re-cent comment on King Edward's ap-proaching visit.

WATER HERE, TOO.

Reports brought in to this city by

ENDURANCE RACE. Five Leading Horses Entered Upon Last Stage of Journey Today.

nounced tomorrow.

Last Stage of Journey Today. Greeley, Colo., June 5.—The five lead-ing horses in the endurance race from Evanston, (Wyo.), to Denver, a dis-tance of 507 miles, which was started last Saturday morning, entered upon the last stage of their journey today. Charlie Workman on Teddy and Frank Wykert on Sam rode into Greeley nose and nose about 5 o'clock this morning and hose about 5 o'clock this morning and both left here at 6:40. Rolla Means on Bird ad Jamers Ed-wards on Sorrell Clipper left Greeley at 5:13 after resting here two hours. Kern on Dex, the other rider, who left Cheyenne last night, has fallen behind.

AT FORT LUPTON. Fort Lupton, Colo., June 5.-Work-man and Wykert arrived at Fort Jup-ton, 26 miles from Denver, at 10 o'clock today. Their horses, Teddy and Sam, appeared to be in good condition. They stopped here one hour to feed and rest.

19 MILES FROM DENVER.

Brighton, Colo., June 5.-Workman and Wykert, the leaders in the endur-

Ayan sectors in the sector of the contribution to secure my open and unqualified support of Judge Parker. "Fourth, that to disguise the source of the contribution, Mr. Ryan gave the check to Mr. Sheehan and that

Mr. Sheehan gave his checks to Mr. Allen. "Chairman Allen and Mr. Dahlman,

Washington, dune a.—Governor R. A. B. Glenn, of North Carolina, who con-ceived the idea of a society of govern-ors during the recent White House congress and thereby became a conthe Nebraska members of the national Democratic committee, have already denied the World's charges and stated denied the World's charges and stated that the only money received came from the national committee; but I desire to add the following statement: "Mr. Allen says that he never saw either Mr. Sheehan or Mr. Ryan, and I have no reason to doubt his word. "If Mr. Ryan contributed to the Nebraska campaign, it was not with my knowledge or consent. While I had but a remote personal interest in the Nebraska campaign that year. I am interested in Nebraska politics and am also interested in national politi.s, and I am not willing to be, in the slightest degree, obligated to any favor seeking corporation. If, therefore, the World will secure either from Mr. Sheehan or Mr. Ryan a statement, or prove In any other way that M. Ryan congress and thereby became a con-splcuous figure in that notable gather-ing, was among those who paid their respects to the president yesterday. Although Governor Glenn is a Demo-crat and an ardent supporter of Mr. Bryan, he is nevertheless an admirer of Mr. Roosevelt and he took occasion to assure the president that if the next occupant of the White House is to be Benublican no one would be more acceptable to him than Mr. Roosevelt himself. expressions of good will but reiterat-ed his determination to become a pri-vate citizen. Gov. Glenn is here to deliver an ad-dress at Arlington next Sunday before the Confederate Veterans association.

Sheehan or Mr. Ryan a statement, or prove in any other way that M. Ryan gave to Mr. Sheehan or to anyone else or to the national committee any sum whatever with the understanding that the sum would be used in the Ne-braska campaign, I shall see that the amount is returned to Mr. Ryan. "As to the charge that my support of Indge Parker was purchased. I **BP. POTTER SUFFERS FROM** 

"As to the charge that my support of Judge Parker was purchased. I need only say that I announced my support of Judge Parker immediately after the St. Louis convention and that support was open and unqualified from the convention until the polis closed. I had opposed his nomination, but he had no more loyal supporter during the campaign. I was in cor-respondence with him and both on the stump and with pen rendered all the assistance I could. While the World was selling its columns to the Repub-lican committee to be used in carica-turing Judge Parker, my paper was New York, June 5 .- Bishop Henry C.

New York, June 5.—Bishop Henry C. Potter is at his home in Copperstown, suffering from nervous break-down. He has been sick for a month or more. A clergyman close to the bishop de-ciared that the latter's indisposition had caused him to abandon his trip to Europe. He had intended to leave in a day or two for London to attend the decennial Lambeth conference of Anglician bishops throughout the world, which is to begin on June 15 in Lambeth palace, London.

PRESIDENT DETERMINED TO

BECOME PRIVATE CITIZEN

Washington, June 5 .- Governor R. A.

Mr. Roosevelt thanked him for his

ernor in yesterday's Democratic pri-mary by a majority of slightly over 14,000. The vote from the missing counties will not materially change

counties will not materially change Brown's majority. All present congressmen have been returned with the exception of E. B. Lewis in the Third district, where Dudley H. Hughes received a small majority. L. E. Livingston, former congressman from the fifth oistrict, whose nomination was in doubt last night, according to figures received early today, secured a good majority ARTICLE. On the other hand, the fury of the Nationalist papers is unbounded. L'Action Francaise fires a broadside, which recalls the most exciting days of Dreyfus and Boulanger. At the head of its columns, this newspaper prints a statement by Charles Maur-ras which, it is likely, the authorities will investigate. In this artcle the writer says that on Wednesday night "a resolute patriot" visited M. Daudet and Lieue. Boisfleury and himself of-fered to kill Dreyfus, but his proposal was rejected. A leading editorial in night, according to figures received early today, secured a good majority over James L. Mayson. United States Senator A. S. Clay had no opposition and received the full vote,

# KAISER DISMISSES A GREAT NOBLEMAN

Berlin, June 5.—The Taeliche Run-schau today publishes under reserve a statement to the effect that the in-quiry into the conduct of Prince Fhilip Zu Eulenburg on perjury charges has compromised a great nobleman who un-til lately was a high official at court. When the emperor learned the particu-lars of the case he dismissed this noble-man from all his official residence.

# REFUSES JAPAN'S REQUEST.

NERVOUS BREAKDOWN REPUSES JAPAN'S REQUEST. Pekin, June 5.—China has refused the request made by Japan for permis-sion to station 20 men in Chinese ter-ritory over the Korean border, for the purpose of apprehending leaders of the Korean insurgents seeking to make their escape in that direction. The Jap-anese resident general at Seoul has dis' tributed a pamphlet containing re-prints of incendiary articles that have appeared in the foreign press of Korea and which the residency considers largely responsible for the existing state of disorder in Korea.

and Lieu. Boisfleury and himself of-fered to kill Dreyfus, but his proposal was rejected. A leading editorial in this paper appeals to the country to turn to the Duke of Orleans for re-dress and concluded with these words: "Do you desire that Zola's body be ejected from the Pantheon? Do you desire to march Dreyfus to the execu-tion block? If so invoke your king." The decision of the court of cassation to cut off the time for an appeal, the paper says, is illegal and is concludes its article as follows: "What we ask for Dreyfus is nor six balls from a revolver, but the 12 bullets of the execution squad." Other newspapers declare that Gre-goris, much grieved at the recent death of his mother, has lately manifested signs of mental derangement. Gregoris' sister said today that her brother latterly had displayed symp-toms of melancholia. The authorities are pursuing their in-vestigation with a view of ascertaining The authorities are pursuing their in The authorities are pursuing them in vestigation with a view of ascertaining whether there was a plot behind the shooting of yesterday. The bullet in Maj. Dreyfus' wrist has not been located. The bulletin issued today by the docters says Dreyfus' condition is satisfactory.

GENERALLY DEPLORED. GENERALLY DEPLORED. The press of all shades of opinion deplores the attempt yesterday on the life of Maj. Dreyfus, although the vari-ous newspapers see widely different causes for the shooting. The Gaulois, a paper with which Gregori was connected, blames parlia-ment for re-opening by yesterday's ceremony an era of discord which was beginning to disappear. It also dis-approves of Dreyfus who calls himself a soldier, gracing the triumph of the author of the Deback. Ernest Judet in the Nationalist Eciair writes in a similar vein. He regrets "the culp-

in the Nationalist Eclair writes in a similar vein. He regrets "the culp-able diversion which saved the official manifestation from ridicule and odium in which it was foundering," but adds: "Dreyfus is a most uncouth Caesar but Gregori is far from being a Brutus." Government and Socialist organiza-tions stigmatize the attempt which they otted but to the yielent campaign car-

attribute to the violent campaign car, ried on by the Nationalist and Royal

ist press. The Rappel says that Gregori's revol-

The Rappel says that Gragon's resor-ver did much more damage to Nation-alism than to Dreyfus. The Aurore understands that Gen. Picquart, the minister of war, will sub-mit to President Falleires for signature a decree nominating Maj. Dreyfus as an officer of the Legion of Honor.

they point out, would be plainly ex-traneous.

VIOLENT ANTI-DREYFUS ARTICLE.

Inches of water is flowing over the Butte Water company's bridge. This is 512 feet wide, and should it give way damage would result to miles of coundamage would result to miles of coun-try. Watchmen report there is yet no sign of this happening. All that is above water of the bridge north of Dilon is the planking; railroad tracks at the north end of the bridge are washed out but not to any great extent. The Northern Pacific and other lines are submerged for stretches of several hundone gards in places, and very little first movement is being carried on. for where the tracks have not been enthely washed out there is danger from soaked roadbeds and dislodged

One Short Line train is tied up at Butte and another at Dillion. A bridge going out this side of the latter town cut off train communication to that place from this city, as Dillion was the city farthest north reached by the Or-egon Short Line. It is still raining in Dillion and other water soaked cities Monfana. Butte is reported to have d a 10 inch fall of snow this morn g. This was the word reached by telephone, at least. Owing to the weather being wet and heavy, electric and telegraph wires went down throw-ing the city into darkness and robbing

Ing the city into darkness and robbing it of power. "Butte is experiencing the worst mess it has seen for years." Was the way the situation was summed up by the person talking at the other end of the telephone line. The Southern Pacific is said to be worried over conditions out on the lake. Waves are becoming higher and stronger as the lake rises. Persons in booch with the engineering department say the Lucin cut-off is being watched closely for expected developments.

### MONTANA UNDER WATER.

### Should Dams Give Way Miles Farms Would be Flooded.

Misseula, Mont., June 5.—At noon the food situation in western Montana is more serious than it has been at any time since the 30 day rain began. The

time since the 20 day rain began. The fainfail for the past 24 hours has been the heaviest of the month and the file of the past 24 hours has been the heaviest of the month and the file and the day of the month and the Word has come to Missoula that the Mouldon darm above Butte burst this morning and the flood has raised the fiver at Garrison, 75 miles east of Missoula, four feet at noon. This rush of water is expected at Missoula this afternoon. There are two large dams in the river between Garrison and Mis-soula and their destruction is threaten-ed. The largest of these is the power dam owned by W. A. Clark. If these so out there will be great injury to the farms in the valley for miles. The railway situation east of Missou-a is serious. The Northern Pacific has bot moved a train between Missoula and the train between Missoula

la is serious. The Northern Pacific has not moved a train between Missouia and Helena or Butte since Monday and it probably will be weeks before the damage to the track can be fully re-paired. Miles of the new road bea of the St. Paul road east of here have been swept away and it is estimated that it will require more than a month to repair the damage from this source. The hig Blackfoot river, 100 miles long is at flood stage and there is dan-fer of the destruction of the big dam of the Blackfoot Miling company at Bonner, which contains about 60,000,000

proaching visit

WHAT RICH MAN WILL DO C. W. Averill, Who Inherited a Fortune of \$10,000,000, Says That He'll Make Twenty Thousand Happy.

Chicago, June 5 .- A despatch to the Tribune from Los Angeles, Cal., says C. W. Averill, who recently inherited \$10,000,000 from an aunt in Massachusetts, declared he is going to make

setts, declared he is going to make 20,000 people happy. After a visit to his old home in Farmington, Maine, he will establish headquarters in a big city, perhaps in Chicago, where he says all who need help, and deserve it, can find lt. "I am not going to be a fool about this." he said yesterday, "but if be-ing a fool is being deceived occasion-ally, all right. I have succeeded in pil-ing up a few hundred thousand by my

ing up a few hundred thousand by my own exertion, but can never spend the income of \$10,000,000. "If a man has \$500 and needs as

much more to carry out his plans and make his a success and thereby hap-py I propose to give the added \$500. make his a success and thereby hap-py I propose to give the added \$500. "Another thing I am going to help had people as well as good. The good people, churches and respectable folks care for them, but the bad have no one but the devil and the police. "I want to help the intemperate, the convict, the girl who has to hang her head, the man who has made a failure of himself. Lots of us cannot resist temptation, you know. "I have set the number I will aid at 20,000, but if I succeed in helping them I will look for 20,000 more. I suppose my headquarters will be in New York or Chicago, I can reach further from either of those place than any other."

# MAN UNDER BED.

## Crawled Out, Assailed Woman and Cut Her Throat.

St.| Louis, June 5.—As she slipped her gown over her head, preparatory to retiring at 11 o'clock last night, Mrs. Elizabeth Gerling of 2855 Osage street this city, was seized by a man who had scrambled from nuderneath the bed ord her throat was cut. She crample scrambled from nucerneath the bed and her throat was cut. She crumpl-ed in a heap and lost consciousness. She is not expected to live. Her as-sailant, who is said to be a former suitor, fied to the street and is at

# O. H. BELMONT BETTER.

large

Hemstead, L. I. June 5.-O. H. Bel-mont, who is critically ill with appen-dicitis was reported to be slightly bet-

that it will require more than a month to repair the damage from this source.
The big Blackfoot river, 100 miles ter today.
The big Blackfoot Milling company at Bonner, which contains about 60,000,000 feet of logs.
Wagon bridges all along the rivers in the condition of the patient was a grave that little hope for his recovery was entertained. Mr. Beimont is at the bedside.
The Bitten Root river is becoming the rivers in Europe, were cabled news of his contains are unsafe.
The Northern Pacific has assembled

ance race, passed through Brighton, 12 miles from Denver, shortly after Loon RACE IS FINISHED. Denver, June 5.- (The leadres in the endurance race crossed the city line

five miles from the finishing point at 1:55 p. m. RANK SUPERSTITION.

# Felix Palmeri Shoots Himself Rather

Than Sail on 13th of Month. New York, June 5 .--- For a fortnight

New York, June 5.—For a fortnight Felix Palmeri, 23 years of age, of Wil-liamsburg, has been telling his friends that they would soon bid him farewell as a week from Saturday he would sail for Naples. He had purchased his steam-ship ticket and showed it to many ac-quaintances. One of those who saw it called Palmeri's attention to a point not noticed by him that the date of his sailing was June 13. "Don't sail on the 13th," counseled the friend, "the ship will sink and you will hose all you have and your life as well."

will." Palmeri hastened to the office where he had purchased the ticket, made known his fear of sailing on June 13, and requested that the ticket be changed to this Saturday or another date or that his money be refunded. The clerk refused. The list was com-pleted for this week, he said. It was against the rules of the office there to change the date of a ticket or refund the money.

change the date of a licket of related the money. "Then Till die anyway," retorted Palmeri "and I'd rather die by a bul-let than drowning," and before any hand could restrain him he drew a big pistol from his pocket, in sight of all in the place, and shot himself in the head.

# AMERICAN MAGICIANS.

### Society Holds Fourth Annual Banquet Harry Kellar, Chief Guest,

New York, June 5.—All sorts and sizes of magicians to the number of 150 attended the fourth annual banquet of the Society of American Marliar banduer of the Society of American Marliagicians, held in the Hotel Marlborough last night. It took the form of a farewell banquet to Harry Kellar, dean of the profession, who has retired from the

profession, who has retreat from the stage. When the perfunctory part of the program was completed the magicians mounted the stage to perform tricks. Mr. Kellar was presented by Francis J. Werner, toustmaster. He performed a table trick and then with ease and celerity released his hands from be-hind his back after two men had tugged at the rope.

hind his back after two men had tugged at the rope. Cheers were given to the veteran and he gave a brief outline of his stage career. He has been in the business of fooling most all the people of the time since 1859. He said he was once so unappreciated that he did not have a nickel to pick money out of the air, which tricks is now famous. He re-ceived a gold medal by the society as a token of its regard.

turing Judge Parker, my paper was urging his election." LIGHT ON "SLUSH FUND."

Omaha, June 5.—Some light is thrown on the disposition of the now famous \$15,000 "slush fund" raised in New York in 1904, and spent in the Ne-braska campaign, by a statement given out today by Thomas H. Tibbles, the Populist nominee for vice president in 1904

At that time Mr. Tibbles was editor of the Independent of the Independent

At that time Mr. Tibbles was editor of the Independent at Lincoln, and Bryan's Commoner was printed by the Independent plant. Bryan's editorial desk was in the In-dependent office. Mr. Tibbles says: "I know right where \$5,000 of that New York fund went. It went into a special edition of 96,000 copies of the Independent, which was gotten out for the purpose of electing George W. Berge for governor. The entire paper was given up to his candidacy in that edition. The Independent was Populist and Berge was the fusion candidate for governor. This amount was hand-ed us by Tom Allen, James C. Dahlman and Col. John B. Maher and they se-cured the funds from the Democratic national committee on a trip which

into the industriate on a trip which they made to New York. "The day after Bryan returned from the St. Louis convention, he dropped into the Independent office, sat down at into the Independent office, sat down at his desk, and began writing an edi-torial. The first words were 'I shall support Parker.' We put that editor-ial in type and ran it in the Common-er the following week. All that was done long before there was any talk of needing money in the Nebraska elec-tion and should dispose of the rid-iculous talk about Bryan being paid to support Parker."

### DUNKERS CHOOSE MODERATOR.

Des Moines, Ia., June 5.-Elder H. C. Early of Penlaird, Va., one of the best known elders in the Dunker church, was honored as chosen moderator for the business committee yesterday at its the business committee yesterday at its organization. This is the highest office in the Dunker conference. It will mean that he will have general over-sight and control of the order at business meetings.

### A CITIZENSHIP PUZZLE.

### By Marrying an American Did Mme. Schuman Heink Become Citizen?

New York, June 5.—Judge Tenyck of the Essex county, N. J. court, is puz-kled over the status of the application for citizenship made by Mme, Schu-man Helnk, the opera singer. If the court refuses to issue the papers it will be solely because the singer, by mar-rying Mr. Rapp, who was born in Chi-cago, had already become an American citizen.

## SENATOR BAILEY'S CONDITION.

New York. June 5.—There was no change today in the condition of Sena-tor Balley of Texas, who is at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel here, preparing for an operation to remove an affection of the throat. The senator said he does not regard his condition as at all ser-lous.

### COATES MILLS TO RESUME.

Pawiucket, R. L. June 5.—The five mills of the J. & P. Coates company, limited, in this city, and Centralville have resumed a schedule of five days a week which was in effect up to a fuw days ago when a four-day schedule ruled. About 2,000 operatives will be affected.

# REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE IN SESSION

Chicago. June 5.—The Republican national committee met at 10 o'clock today in the annex of the Coliseum to consider the contests for seats as dele-gates in the national convention. The committee's decision when favorable to claims of delegates, will entitle them to seats during temporary roll-call. Nearly all the members of the national committee had arrived, and it was intended to push the hearings as rapidly as possible. The first contest to come before the committee was that of Alabama, whose entire delegation is contested. It had been arranged yesterday that the dis-trict contests should be consolidated into one with the state at large and it was believed probable that all of

it was believed probable that all of the evidence would be heard within four hours. The consideration of the testimony, it was expected, would occupy the committee for the remainder of the day. The Foraker headquarters which, it

was announced yesterday, would be open in the Great Northern hotel, did not materialize according to schedule, but Charles L. Murtz of Columbus, O., made his appearance as the repre-sentative of the Ohlo senator. The boom of Senator Knox of Penn-sylvania was scheduled for official

aunching today on the arrival of Rep-cesentative James F. Burke of Pitts-burg. burg.

# BURIED ALIVE IN POST-OFFICE RESERVE VAULT

New York, June 5.—To be buried alive in the reserve vault in the Tren-ton, N. J., postoffice and to be dug out by fellow workmen because no one could be found who had the combina-tion, is the experience of Conover Thompson as steam fitter. Thompson was sent to the reserve vault to make some connections with the new building now being erected. He bored a small bole in the wall and was so intent upon forcing through a pipe that he did not hear the vault door close. He felt suffocated, called through the pipe, and was heard by fellow workmen. The door had been closed by Postmaster Alexander C. Yard, who had been called out of town. Thompson worked from the inside and fellow workmen from the outside until the hole was large enough for the steam fitter to crawl to freedom.

# **RECEIVE MR. TOWER**

Mr. rower has over invited to go to Pottsdam, where the emperor and em-press now reside, on Monday, and be the emperor's guest at the annual in-spection of the one-year volunteers. Later the ambassador and Mrs. Tower will lunch with the emperor and em-press in the new palace. Crown Prince

death

# MAN CAUGHT TRYING TO STEAL CROWN FROM IMAGE

New York, June 5.—In the very act of trying to break off the crown of the image of the Infant Jesus, in the church of the Most Holy Redeemer, in East Third street, nearly this morn-ing, Rene Bacl, who said he had no home, was caught by Capt. Shaw and two detectives of the Firth street po-lice station, who had been summoned by Father Englehart of the church. The crown at which the man was working is said to be worth about \$20,-000, being of gold, with jewel decora-tion, Bacl surrendered easily to the po-lice and when asked for his reason said: "Oh, the church has got more money then L have that's all."

said: "Oh, the church has got more money than I have, that's all." He was locked up, charged with bur-

He was locked up, charged with bur-glary. Baci said he entered the church ear-ly yesterday afternoon and hid through-out an evening service and until al-most midnight in the hollow of the statue. Then he made straight for the poor box, he said, but when he found an iron casing under the wooden sheath-ing covering it, he gave up trying to break into it, but he had succeeded in setting off the burglar alarm in the rectory next door with which the box was connected

EVIDENCES OF MURDER.

Grunert, for Them.

### TARIFF INVESTIGATION. Officers Search House of Mrs. Minnie

## Senate Committee on Finance Will

### Hold First Meeting in July.

Washington, June 5 .- The senate com-

Washington, June 5.—The senate com-mittee on finance, which was authorized to make an investigation of the tariff during the recess of Congress to be in readiness to take up a review of the tariff next winter, will hold its first meeting for this purpose about the middle of July. The exact date has not been fixed, but will be announced by Chairman Aldrich about committee will assemble at some cool resort, probably in New England, and will outline the work to be done. It will be necessary to secure a large amount of information concerning in-terpretations of the present tariff law both by the courts and by the board of appraisers, which duity will devolve upon a subcommittee. It has not yet been decided when hearings will be held. Some time in November probably will be fixed for that purpose.

# REVOLUTIONIZING INSANITY PLEA IN MURDER CASES

GILLETTE VERDICT SET ASIDE. New York, June 5.—The verdict against Walter Gillette, former vice president of the Mutual Life Insurance company, who has been convicted of perjury in connection with the life in. surance investigation, was set aside today by the appellate division of the supreme court. Mr. Gillette had been sentenced to six months' imprisonment. Dr. Gillette was indiced on charges of forgery and perjury. He was ac-cused of making false entries in the books of the Mutual Life Insurance company to conceal diversion of funds and falsely swearing before a grand fund. It was charged that this money was placed in that bank subject to the order of legislative agents of the Mu-tual Life Insurance company and the Equitable Life Assurance society. Dr. New York, June 5.-Judge Foster has taken the first stept toward revolution-izing the proceedure in connection with the disposition of murder cases where it is alleged that the defendant at the time of the commission of the act was of unsound mind. The case of Mrs. Charlotte Hitchcock, charged with hav-ing killed her husband. Robert L. Hitchcock, is on trial in Judge Foster's court. Counsel for the woman, who had been indicted for murder in the first degree, entered a plea of insanity. Judge Foster appointed Drs. Carlos MacDonald, Allan MeLane Hamilton and Frank W. Robertson, to examines into the case and if the experts re-port that in their judgment the woman was legally insame when she killed her

tual Life insurance company and the Equitable Life Assurance society. Dr. Gillette was tried on perfury case only. Before the sentence was imposed upon Dr. Gillette in the lower court, a physician testified Dr. Gillette was suffering from heart disease and that his imprisonment might cause his death port that in their judgment the woman, was legally insane when she killed her husband, the district attorney will re-commend that the indictment be dis-missed. Judge Foster will then sign an order committing Mrs. Hitchcock to the asylum for the criminal insane at Matteawan.

Grunert, for Them. Appleton, Wis., June 5.—Dist. Atty. Rooney, Dr. Cooney, and Police Officer Baker today searched the home of Mrs. Minnie Grunert, in which her lifeless body was discovered on Wednesday. They found a partly eaten rye bread cheese seandwich which had been hidden in the basement of the house. The bread and cheese seemed quite fresh. This discovery, the officers believe, shows that some one besides Mrs. Grun-ert was in the Grunert home on Wed-nesday. The supposition is that the slayer of the wealthy young widow killed her and then suspended her dead body from a hat rack hook in a little closet to hide the murder and to give the appearance of suicide. It is said that a vest button was found in the closet, matching the buttons on the vest worn by Paul Krause, a former hus-band of the woman, and that one but-ton is missing from that vest. GILLETTE VERDICT SET ASIDE.

EMPEROR WILLIAM WILL

Berlin, June 5.—The imperial chan-cellor, Prince Von Buelow, tomorrow will receive the farewell call of Charl-emagne Tower, retiring American am-bassador to Germany. Foreign Secy, Yon Schoen and Mrs. Von Schoen will give an official dinner to Mr. and Mrs. Tower on Bunday at the foreign of-fice and Emperor William will receive Mr. Tower in farewell audience on Monday.

day. . Tower has been invited to go to press in the new palace. Crown Prince Frederick William and the Crown Prin-cess will say farewell to the Towers on Tucsday, and on Thursday of next week