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midnight and at noon today it is still snowing. It is now seven inches deep

and the indications are for continued

traffic is almost at a standstill in both Pittsburg and Allegheny, while the card

to and from the suburbs are making but few trips. The railroads are also

WEATHER IN WASHINGTON.

today and tomorrow. Street car

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#### TRUTH AND LIBERTY

Strike Trouble

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1902. SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.

## FIFTY-SECOND YEAR

Sugar Stock Deal is Closed.

One Half the Capital Stock of the Utah Sugar Company is Sold to Eastern Parties at Eighteen Dollars Per Share - It Means the Extension and Development of The Beet Sugar Industry.

deal

"Thomas R. Cutler has deposited with us for the use of Horace G. Whitney, secretary and treasurer of the Utah Sugar company, \$1,334,934.00."

This dispatch, received by McCornick & Company's bank this morning and igned by the National City Bank of New York, conveys the intelligence of the closing up of one of the largest financial transactions in the history of Utah.

It has been generally known for some months past that a deal was on foot for the sale of a large block of the stock of the Utah Sugar company to eastern parties. The negotiations have been conducted quietly, and three representatives from the east have been here at various times since November looking into the beet sugar industry. The officers of the company, however, said that nothing of a definite character could be given out. Within the last few days events have crystalized and last evening the following statement was given to the press by an officer of the company:

"Some time ago T. R. Cutler, general manager of the Utah Bugar company, received a proposition from a number of easiern capitalists who stated that they were about to enter into the beet sugar industry in the Rocky mountain region. As some of them had already had dealings with the Mormon people, they preferred to engage in the business with them by buying stock in stablished factory, managed by them, reasonable if it could be done at a not, they would build factories of their own.

iones of their own. "Negotiations were opened and the eastern men sent their representatives here to look over the field. Three gentemen have been here at various restances in the past three months exam-ling the plants of the Sugar company, and the Bear River Water company's property owned by it. Manager Cutler

also made several trips east. "The reports of the experts were fa cutlook in the Bear River valley where the company already has 1,000 acres of

sleeping when the train arrived at To-ledo. The band awakened him but it was too late then to get up. The bou-quets were thrown aboard and later in the morning the trainmen presented them to the prince. There was another crowd at Sandusky but the prince had fallen asleep again and did not come out. He has stood his rapid, trying swing through the country much bet-ter than many of his escort and is well and strong. He was tired last night but the long refreshing sleep which he got he long refreshing sleep which he got ompletely restored him.

There has been some apprehension aboard the train aboat possible delay in New York on account of the floods, and it has been practically decided that if it has been practically decided that if the train cannot be put through on the routes mapped out for it without extended delay it will be transferred to one of the southern lines. Thousands of people forced their way through gates at the Union station when the train bearing the prince and his party arrived in this city. Rear Admiral Evans was the first person to appear on the car platform. He was cheered wildly by the crowd, most of whom recognized the naval, hero. In the absence of Mayor Johnson, Acting Mayor Beacon informed Prince Henry that the people of Cleveland were very much disappointed in not be-ing able to have the honor of his pres-ence here for a long period. He said that the city was made up largely of German-Americans, all of whom had been enthusiastically in favor of giving him a recenting.

trol has cut no figure, as it is stipu-lated, and was in fact one of the re-quirements made by the eastern par-ties that President Joseph F. Smith should remain at the head of the com-pany: that Mr. Cutler should remain its magazer, that a majority of the settled, is laboring under a mistaken apprehension of the firsts. While the its manager; that a majority of the board of directors should reside in difficulty may not culminate in a general strike or tie-up, that act is never-Utah, and that the new board to be elected at the annual meeting, April 7, been enthusiastically in favor of giving theless entertained in all seriousness, him a reception. should hold office for a term of five Prince Henry expressed his gratitude reports to the contrary notwithstand-

Prince Henry expressed his gratitude for the kind words and said he regret-ted that a longer stop had not been ar-ranged. Mr. Bencon at the request of the crowd, urged him to appear upon the platform and make a brief address. "Send him in." said Prince Henry, when informed of the presence of a man who claimed to have been a value to the years. "These matters agreed upon, Mr. Cutler left for New York on Friday last with the stock certificates in his pos-Secretary Whitney received a dispatch at noon today from Manager Cutwho claimed to have been a valet to the

ler in New York, which confirmed the rince on a German man of war. The prince recognized him immedinews of the sale and stated that the ately and there was an enthusiastic hand-shaking. Prince Henry inquired into many details of his life since he amount was the maximum price agreed upon, \$18 per share, which will be grati-

fying to the stockholders, as it has been had served on his ship. Prince Henry then stepped out on the platform. Cheer after cheer rang uncertain for some days, especially since the recent drop in the price of out from the crowd, followed by calls sugar, whether or not the eastern par-

for a speech. The prince smiled and bowed, but pointed to his throat and remarked that he was too hoarse to attempt to deliver a speech After a stop of 15 minutes the train pulled out for the east at 9:25, followed

into the arrangement to sell their by tremendous cheering from the crowd, which the prince acknowledged stock, and return them that portion of their stock which was not used in the by repeatedly bowin MRS. GRIDLY PRESENTED,

Dunkirk, N. Y., March 5.-At Erls Mrs, Gridley, widow and daughter of Capt. Charles V. Gridley, who com-manded the Olympia at Manila bay, were admitted to the train by invitation of Admital Evans who was a class of Admiral Evans, who was a class-mate of Gridley at Angapolis. The ad-miral presented them to Prince Henry, who gave them a very cordial welcome. The special reached here at 1:39 o'clock. Five thousand persons saw the treat pass through The Lake City

the train pass through. The Lake City band serenaded the prince. OFF FOR NIAGARA FALLS.

this city on April 7, the number of directors will be reduced from thirteen Buffalo, March 5 .-- Prince Henry, spe-cial arrived here at 2:45 and left at 3 to seven, and their term of office ex-tended from one to five years. All three experts who examined the o'clock for Niagara Falls. About 2,000 people were in the station and several property of the Utah Sugar company usand more were unable to gain were especially enthusiastic over the admittance

Mayor Knight entered the car of the prince and a few minutes later Prince Henry appeared on the platform and

Not Settled. Claim That Rio Grande Western Trainmen Will Go Out

On Midnight of March 13 Unless Cotter is Removed-Waiting for Herbert

The man who nurses the thought that I them will be allowed their time as per which is one day's pay for he trouble on the Rio Grande Western, clauss each 24 hours." occasioned by Trainmaster Cotter's COTTER CHARGED. wholesale discharge of employes, is

"Mr. Cotter has violated the above agreement in every particular, ignor-ing the demands of employes to see ter produced against them, merely saying. You are no longer wanted. This is as much as any discharged man has been able to get out of him. this is directly in conflict with ing; and midnight of Thursday, the agreement referred to and the clause that has been quoted. That is precisely what we want to talk over March 13, is the time set for the various orders of operating trainmen to walk out from the company's service until with Mr. Herbert. If Cotter can viothe situation has been adjusted to the it suits him, why can't the men also any part of the contract because satisfaction of all concerned. The do the same thing?

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declaration is positively and definitely: made that not a wheel will move after that hour unless the demands of the men are met in the maintime. knows that this road has had for years It appears that the removal of Trainmaster Cotter is quite as great an object to the men as the restoration to service of the 50 or more discharged employes. The differences between heretofore have always treated with us during hours of trouble and have given us every opportunity his official and the trainmen are very ronounced in their character. Genprove our case; and even if some our members have been found guilty Generally sepaking the latter are loth to say anything or make any move that occasional neglect a reprimand of 30 days, or some such a matter, was conbears directly on the situation, in such a way that publicity will result. As to Mr. Cotter, he has been out of town for several days and his version of the sidered sufficient punishment to straighten out difficulties. That has been the portion of more than one good man. After his time had thus been trouble cannot be ascertained. To deny that there is trouble, however, served he would be restored to duty again and things would go on just as would be like denying that fire is hot or water is wet. Trouble does exist and will continue to do so until some though though nothing had ever happened, providing he behaved himself. But now the least little thing means our discharge. Our places are filled with WELBY POPULAR WITH MEN. Missouri Pacific or Wabash employes, some of whom may have been dis-General Superintendent Welby is al charged for offenses much worse than so out of the city on business and,

"Regarding the injustice of all this, "Regarding the injustice of all this, take the case of John Reed, our effi-cient Umekeeper, who has been with the Rio Grande Western for 11 long years. During that time Mr. Weby publicities in to employ all conductors therefore, his views cannot be obtained. In this connection, though, it may be stated that the relationship between stated that the relationship between him and the men on his division is of the kindliest nature. They claim they have ever been able to deal with him in such a manner that the best good years. During that time Mr. Welby authorized him to employ all conductors of all was subserved. In their present stress, however, they are looking to Manager Herbert for the relief they ask and his coming to Salt Lake withand brakeman examining them as to their fitness, etc., which he has done with great credit to himself and the road. In this capacity he has served road. In this capacity he has served as trainmaster, without the title, it is in the next few days is looked forward to with keenest satisfaction. true, but as trainmaster all the same Of course, it is not known just what and was ever held in highest esteem by the outcome will be on the arrival of all who came in contact with him. Why Mr. Herbert. But the men are appar-cutly arranging matters in such a way cording to the provisions of the

farther is done. We believe his actio

THE MEN'S SIDE.

The above is essentially the men's

Cotter is an unanswered question

NO FORMAL ACTION.

making appropriations for the execu bills of the government to be taken up by the senate.

until last November, when she a peared at his home but did not r Snowstorms reach long at cny one time. The judge's mother died of old age January 25 last, and Miss Sterling re-mained to keep house for the judge There was no restraint on her, and sho There was no restraint on her, and she went and came as she pleased, but the judge says as far as he knew the girl was of good habits, did net receive company so far as he was aware, and was always at home nights. He believ-ed the girl was all right. Yesterday afternoon when he came home. Miss Sterling was drying her hair out on the porch, and he advised her to go in out of the damp atmos-phere as she might catch cold. She did not get supper for him last night, and he saw no more of her until he heard her calf about 2:30 a. m. from the rear-Sweep the East.

Telegraph Wires Down in all Directions-Railroads More or Less Impeded-The Pennsylvania Compelled to Annul Trains-Street Car Service in Many Towns Demoralized - In Places Heaviest Storm of Winter.

New York, March 5 .- Another snow | snowstorm of the winter set in about storm which threatens to do much damage started at 4 o'clock this morning and at \$ o'clock two inches had fallen. The snow was wet and heavy and caused much inconvenience and considerable delay to traffic on elevated and surface lines. On the river the weather was so thick that ferryboats were unable to run at more than half. speed. The snow was accompanied by moderate wind. The thermometer stood at 29 degrees at 9 a.m.

suffering to some extent. The telephone wires are in bad shape. The storm following the flood has created a heavy demand on the Alle-gheny department of charities and the officials had great difficulty in supplying the sufferers with coal and pro-Telegraph service was further de-moralized by the storm. The Western visions. Union company lost twenty out of thir-ty wires between New York and Phila-delphia and ten wires south of Phila-delphia between 9 and 11 o'clock. The

company reported that it was losing wires in all directions on account of the heavy snow, which in some localitics was followed by sleet. Between Easton and Williamsport, Pa., twenty miles of Western Union poles are down. Up to 11:50 there was no sign of im-provement in the weather, the snow

continuing to fall heavily. The train service on the New York Central railroad, which was disorgan-ized by the floods, was further impeded by the snow. The trains from the west and north were in had shape. No at-tempt was made to run the Adirondack express. Of the Chicago express, due at 10 a.m., no report had been received

eporting its whereabouts or condition.

TWELVE INCHES OF SNOW. York, Pa., March 5 .- The heaviest snowstorm of the season set in here last night and the ground is now covered to a depth of 12 inches. fic is greatly impoded.

vall of a flood when the thaw comes.

formal hearing of the circumstances at-tending Miss Sterling's death, to have Dr. Mayo make an external examinaon the Frederick division of the Penn sylvania railroad have been annulled tion of the remains, and if he advised it, and Judge Laney wished, the jus-"wo trains were stalled on the Columbia bridge this morning. Between Hanover, Pa., and Frederick, Md., the tice would order an autopsy to be made. entire road is practically drifted shut. PITTSBURG'S HEAVIEST STORM. Pittsburg, March 5 .- The heaviest

Washington, March 5.-A combined storm of wind, show, rain and sleet prevailed here inst night and part of today and threatened for a time to assume serious proportions. Over an inch of snow and rain was seeipitated. The forecast officials ray that the storm is not sufficient to bring the Potomac again to the flood level.

SNOWING AT PARKERSBURG. Parkersburg, W. Va., March 5 .- The entral and western portions of the state are covered this morning with a heavy snow fall. It is still snowing. If the snow should melt quickly there would be cause for alarm among residents of the lowlands in the Ohio valley. up to 11 o'clock. It was stalled some-where along the line, with no means of RAGING IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Huntington, W. Va., March 5 .- A Snowstorm has been rights in southern West Virginia for twenty hours. In the Ohio valley snow is 14 inches deep. In the mountain districts it is 20 to 30 inches. All street car traffic is suspend-ed in Ohio sizer towns. Sallway traffic ed in Ohio river towns. Zaliway traf-

BLIZZARD AT TRONTOWN, O.

Ironton, Ohio, March 5 .- A blizzard is raging here. There are ten inches of snow and it is still falling. Street car traffic and C. H. & D. and Iron railway traffic have been suspended. Fears pre-

SENATE. Washington, March 5 .- At the conclusion of routine business in the sen-ate consideration was begun of the bill APOSTLE GRANT TO SPEND tive, judicial and legislative expenses. This is the second of the big supply

her call about 2:30 a. m. from the rea room, where she slept. He replied a

soon as he could, only to find the girl suffering from great pain in her back

and stomach, she said she thought a little whisky might ease the pain, and

the judge gave her some which ap-peared to have a quieting effect. Then the judge retired to his own room the front of the house, leaving

transoms open in case there should be a recurrence of trouble.

It came about 4:30 when he found Miss Sterling suffering worse than ever. He suggested and she advised

that he hurry at once for a trained nurse, Miss Annie Malin, of \$07 cast

Sixth South street, a relative of both the judge and Miss Sterling, and he

went over after Miss Malin shortly after 5 o'clock. They got back about 6 o'clock, to find the sufferer in convul-

ons, and as the nurse saw the patient

was in a dangerous condition, urged the judge to call a physician immedi-

ately. Dr. Hosmer was agreed on, and Judge Laney hurried after him. It was

seven or a little after when the doctor reached the house, and the unfortunate

woman had expired only a little while before. The floor of the bedrooin and

the back porch was found covered with vomit, and Dr. Hosmer discovered in

his, sardines, Swiss cheese and potato

From the general conditions the doctor expressed the opinion that promaine poisoning caused Miss Sterling's death.

But the doctor would not give any pos

itive statement until after an autopsy had been made. This is Judge Laney's

story of the case. He stated he had notified William Sterling, father of the

deceased, and her brother in Washing-ton county, and he expected the old

gentleman would come to Salt Lake im-mediately. He also stated that Miss

Sterling had complained some time previous to Miss Malin of a physical

trouble which may have proved a fac-tor in her death. The deceased was a

stout, robust young woman, previous's in the best of health, and it is consid

comiting did not relieve her in the at-

Justice Lochrie decided after an in-

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upon for the amount of stock the parties desired, approximately 75,000 shares, was from \$16 to \$18 per share. dependent upon several questions as to the company's assets, which could only be settled by a conference between Mr. Cutler and the proposed buyers.

CONTROL REMAINS IN UTAH. "The amount of stock proposed to be purchased represents precisely one-half the capital stock of the company. The offer for it was first made by the eastern gentlemen to the largest stockholders, and while it was accepted by them, the president, Joseph F. Smith, and the board of directors were unani-mous in agreeing that all the smaller stockholders should have the same privilege, if they desired to avail hemselves of it. Letters were, theree, sent out to the 800 or more stock holders. About 90 per cent of the stock decided to go in, and the other 10 per cent decided not to sell any of their holdings. Thus, if the deal is consummated, one-half the stock will be owned by eastern parties and onehalf by Utah men.

"The question as to who should constock.

# TRIED TO START A REVOLUTION

Extraordinary Attempt at One in Servia by Relative of Prince Karageorgevich, Pretender to the Throne-Leader, Alavantics, Fails and is Killed-Followers Arrested.

Belgrade, Servia, March 5 .- An ex- | wrong accompanied the general to the traordinary attempt to start a revolution was made this morning at the him. This motley procession pro-ceeded to the gendarmie barracks, where Alavantics paraded the gend-armes. Two of the latter, however, whose suspicions were aroused, esfrontier town of Shabab, by a raid under the leadership of Alavantics, a relative of Prince Karageorgevich, the caped and apprised their commander, Capt. Nikolics. The latter, when he arrived on the scene, called on Ala-vantics to produce some document as pretender to the Servian throne. The mly result was that Alavantics was killed and his adherents were arrested. Alavantics, with a handful of followers, authority for his actions, whereupon the would-be revolutionist leader fired a revolver at Capt. Nikolics, slightly arrived at Shabab from Mitrowlez, wearing the uniform of a general in the Servian army, and called to the frontier guard to follow him. The latwounding him. Nikolics promptly shot and killed Alavantics, whose followers ter, not suspecting that anything was were then arrested,



THE PRINCE GETTING TIRED

Norfolk, Va., March 5 .- Street cars | perse a mob at Church and Charlotte guarded by troops are running at long Intervals here today, but no passengers Are being carried. All is quiet, and Mayor Besman stated that there is no necessity yet for declaring martial law. Four additional companies of the Seventy-first infantry, have been ordered out, and this will place the entire command in the field, two battalions being stready in service. The strikers were bisy last night barricading the tracks, but this morning the obstructions were removed by the troops. At midnight the soldiers were called upon to dis- grows graver as the day advances.

Ohio until his arrival in Cleveland at

9:10. His train, which left Milwaukee

round in readiness for the spring saluted the crowd. The Orpheus so-clety and the Seventhy-fourth regiplanting of beet seed. It is thought the most important development in the extension of the industry will take ment band sang and played respective-ly a number of popular German airs. place in that field.

The Utah Sugar company has \$500,000

reasury, and when the time comes for

it to enlarge its operations, it will no

doubt be done through the sale of this

town hall, where Alavanties ordered

the men of the fire department to join

company stated that an attempt

but the police denied this.

ties would accept the valuation of the

sugar which the company has on hand.

The secretary will immediately mail

checks to all the parties who entered

EFFECTS OF THE DEAL.

asked what changes, if any, would be

made as a result of the sale, stated

that the industry would certainly be

pushed and developed more rapidly than ever before in its history in Utab,

the old and the new owners alike. It

s also stated that at the annual meet-ing of the stockholders to be held in

An officer of the company on being

EASIER MONEY.

ng institutions here.

SEATTLE ELEC-One important effect of the sale of the Utah sugar stock will doubtless be to decidedly ease the local money market. Bankers, brokers and others who have TION RETURNS known of the approaching deal fo some weeks past, state that in antici-

pation of so much money being brought into Salt Lake, the demand for all commercial stocks in the list had been very Seattle, Wash., March 5 .-- Complete active of late, and every stock had adnunicipal election returns are as folvanced quite heavily solely on this ac-

count. The large stockholders who have disposed of a part of their hold-ings are among the wealthiest men of the city and state, and their money Humes, Rep., 6,609; Godwino, Dem. 5.996; Hume's majority, 613. Riplinger, Rep., for comptroller and practically the rest of the Republican ticket polled will all be lodged in the various bank-

vote of 7.851. Stoel, Dem., for comptroller and prac tically the rest of the ticket polled a of unissued stock remaining in its vote of 4,286.

#### Cincinnati Celebrates.

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 5 .- The centennial of the incorporation of Cincin-rati was celebrated today with approlate exercises by the muncipal au rities , the chamber of commerc other organizations. On order rom the war department, a salute o 21 guns was fired at noon from the batteries at Fort Thomas. At the city hall in the afternoon addresses were made by Mayor Fleischmann and thers. The celebration concludes made banquet tonight in the of commerce with Presi with a chamber dent M. E. Ingalls as toastmaster Gov. Nash responds for Ohio and Go

Durbin for Indiana, while Judge John A. Fulton responds for Gov. Beckham Kentuck; Former Atty .- Gen. Judson A. Harom will deliver an address on "Cincinnati and Her Century."

#### Big Fire at Aiken, S. C.

Alken, S. C., March 5 .- Fire here today destroyed nine buildings. comprising a block in the center of the city. A gale was blowing and the flames were fought under great difficul-

ties. There were no fatalities. Sunnyside Sanitarium was among the buildings destroyed and several per-sons were injured. Many nothern peo-ple were in the building at the time. In addition to the sanitarium the following structures were burned: Ly ceum hall, the Alken Recorder office and the residences of Mrs. Quash, the Misses Ford and Judge Loomis, A numher of stables were destroyed. The fin-ancial loss is not large. The names of those injured have not yet been learned but it is certain that none of them is seriously hurt.

From Baldwin - Zeigler Expedition. streets. Bayonets were used, but it is

Copenhagen, March 5 .- Letters dated not known that there were many casfrom Franz Josefland August 17, have ualties. W. B. Rudolph, Tom Murphy heen received here from the Danes who accompanied the Baldwin-Zeigler Arctic expedition. The vessels arrived at Franz Josefland after trying experiences with all on board well. The America intended to winter at Franz Josefland and then proceed northward dynamiting the tracks had been made, until stopped by the ice, when the The Suffolk party on board was to start toward the North pole. Mr. Baldwin hoped that the America would reach \$3 degrees military company arrived this forenoon and on the same train were 15 strike breakers from Knoxville. These met men were taken to the barn by the troops. The arrival of the imported men innorth

#### Anti Danish Isles Sale Petitions. tensifies the feeling, and the situation

Copenhagen, March 5 .- New petitions are being circulated by the opport of the sale of the Danish West Indian Islands to the United States for pre-sentation to the rigsdag. They probawill have no effect.

#### A Mande Gonne Story Denied.

Paris, March 5 .- The officials of the foreign office and of the British em Cleveland, O., March 5 .- Prince Henry ; ferred at Chicago shortly after midforeign office and of the British em-bassy here unite in denying the truth of the report circulated in the Unite! States yegterday that Miss Maude Gonne had aroused the English colony by her revolutionary speeches and that the British ambassador, Sir Edmund J. Monson, had made formal complaint against her utterances, claiming they were treasonable. was too tired to appear for any of the night to the tracks of the Lake Shore receptions informally tendered to him & Michigan Southern, and left at once by the cities through which he passed for Cleveland, Buffalo and Niagara. At arly this morning in northwestern Ohlo until his arrival in Cleveland at \$:10. Bis train, which left Milwaukee at 10:10 cleicok last fight, was transwere treasonable.

that will place the company temporari-ly out of business, or at least put it at a great disadvantage as is shown by the following letter sent to the "News" teday by a representative member of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen who presents the matter as viewed by the various orders of operating forces:

on are met in the meantime.

kind of an adjustment is made

#### MIDNIGHT THE 13TH.

"The strike is more imminent than It has been decided among the ever uen in the employ of the Rio Grand Western railway to the up the system at midnight, March 13, in case Trainmaster George F. Cotter is not re-moved. He has, in the estimation of the employes, of the system, become altogether too obnoxious in the discharge of his duty, rendering final de-cisions without giving the employes oncerned an opportunity to take their cases to the general superintendent, Mr A. E. Welby who has been with us for years and who has proved himself a board-minded and fair official giving in each case a just and impartial decision. Mr. He is held in the highest esteem by all of the road's employes. His manner of dealing with subordinates commands the respect of the latter in nearly all During the middle of February of the present year an agreement was entered into, by the manager, J. M. Herbert, the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and Order of Railway Conductors from which clause 26 cited as

follows. "'If a trainman be taken off his run for any cause he shall be given a hearng at which he shall have the right to have a trainman in the employ of the ompany, of his own selection, to appear and speak for him, and shall have the right to appeal from the decision of the local officials to the general officers of the company. Should no decision be rendered within 15 days - he shall receive his regular pay until the decision is arrived at. The accused party, if he so desires, shall be allowed to see all evidence produced against him. Parties being found not guilty of charges preferred against

## PERMISSION TO INVEST \$60,000.00

not yet spoken.

ing person.

Judge Hall this morning gave Mrs. safe investment of a part of the money Susanna B. Emery-Holmes, guardian of the estate. The ground is situated of Louisa G. Emery, permission to invest \$60,000 in improvements on lot 5,

and was recently purchased by the es block 2, plat I, which belongs to her Mrs. Holmes to erect several residences ward. The petitioner states that she on the lot for rental purposes. The has funds on hand, belonging to her amount proposed to be invested. \$50,000 said ward, Louisa Emery, amounting to that corner, and the petitioner thinks more than \$100,000 and she thinks that that it would be a very profitable inthe proposed improvements would be a vestment.

**YOUNG WOMAN'S STRANGE DEATH** Miss Jessie Sterling, a Washington County Young Woman, Dies

Under Mysterious Circumstances at the Residence of a Relative, Judge H. S. Laney.

ly of Washington county, Utah, died suddenly this morning, under mysterious circumstances, at the residence of Judge H. S. Laney, 683 east Sixth South street. The remains were removed to the morgue of Joseph William Taylor, and an official investigation is being made by Justice Lochrie this afternoon, as the young woman died without medical attendance, and

Miss Jessie Sterling, aged 24, former- | effect that all had not been right there Sheets called Undertaker Tay lor's attention to the talk that had been passed around, as especially calling for udicial investigation, and the matter being cleared up this afternoon The particulars in the case as stated to members of the press early this af-ternoon by Judge Laney, are as fol-lows: Miss Sterling came from Washington county a year ago, and found employment in this city at some of the restaurants as a waiter. She is a sec ousin of Judge Laney, but did not

agreement entered into with Mr. Her-

The reading of the bill was concluded o'clock, all of the committee "We are all very destroys that Mr Herbert shall look into this commotion amendments having been agreed to without debate. The bill was then and adjust the trouble by removing Mr

passed without division. The bill providing for the commuta-Cotter to some position that he may more ably fill. We are not desirous of tion for townsite purposes of home-stead entries in certain portions of Okcreating trouble with Mr. Herbert for we know him to be a gentleman of ahoma was passed. business experience and wide capacity The unfinished business, the shipping

Feeling assured that he wants the conbill, then was laid before the senate and Mr. Clay of Georgia, delivered a ract with the employes lived up to ve await his coming and action with speech in opposition to the measure. no little interest. He shall have suffi-lent time of notice before anything

#### HOUSE.

Washington, March 5 .- The chaplain will be favorable and we anticipate that it is not far away." of the house in his invocation today referred feelingly to the death of Repre-sentative Polk of Pennsylvania, which occurred suddenly at Philadelphia last night, and prayed for the bereaved

side of the story. Their grievances wil doubtless be fully and fairly investi-(a mily The conference report upon the pengated according to that gentleman's best judgment. Whether he will go so sion appropriation bill was called up by Mr. Barney of Wisconsin. far as to accede to the dismissal of

After a brief debate, the report was adopted.

But that he will do something to miti-The Senate amendments to the bill to gate conditions is fully believed. A strike would not be popular at this time. Besides, it would be disastrous extend the time for the redemption of internal stamps were disagreed to and the bill was sent to conference. Messrs Payne of New York, Dalzell of Pennthe men, the company and the pub All would suffer the consequences sylvania, and Richardson of Tennessee, were appointed conferees on the part of such a course. That it will be avoidded is the sincere hope of every thinkthe house. The house then went into committee of the whole and resumed consideration of the hill to classify the rural free delivery service and place There appears to have been no formal the carriers under the contract system, Mr. Sperry of Conn., the first speaker or definite action on the part of the brotherhoods so far as the today, opposed the bill, maintaining News" is able to ascertain, although that the present system should be conthe claim is as above stated, that the stike will come on March 13 unless tinued.

#### Gov. Dole Calls Special Election.

the conditions contended for are brought about by or before that time. On what this claim is based beyond what is here set forth the "News" does San Francisco, March 5.-The Ocean-ic Steamship company's steamen Ala-meda arrived this morning from Hononot pretend to state. It is certain that with the following advices dated ulu an order to "walk out" must come from the regular authorities; and it appears to be just as certain that those whose Feb. 26

Gov. Dole has issued a proclamation calling a special election for April 9 to elect a successor to the A. F. Gil-fillan, a member of the house of repreight it is to declare such a strike have contatives, who met death in an acci ient in Philadelphia last December. Prince Cupid Kalamianaole may run as he Home Rule Republican candidate. One Col. Lake, who is said to have organized the Ninth Ohio regiment dur ing the Spanish war, has been arrested and convicted on a charge of gross cheat, by a woman from whom he collected rent money without authority.

#### Alleged Murderer Landed in Jail.

on the corner of First and State streets New Orleans, March 5 .- Ed Batson of Spikard, Mo., who is charged with the murder of the six members of the Earl family near Welch, La., and who was recently arrested at Lawrence, Mo. was safely landed in the Parish prisor here today. He will stay in New Or leans until his trial is called. Gov Heard is exerting himself to give the prisoner adequate protection. Batson says that he is innocent.

### PORTLAND MINING CO, ASSESSED

#### Headquarters in Council Bluffs but Holdings in Colorado.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, March 5 .-- City Assessor Everett has included in his assessment roll the property of the Portland Mining company, whose headquar-ters are in this city, but whose proper-ty holdings are in Colorado. The Iowa code makes a provision for taxing corporations having their principal business within the state. The loca representative of the company refused to make a statement of its taxable property and the assessor has decided to assess the company on the basis of its alleged actual value of \$2,000,000 as provided by the law. The recent Burns-Doyle suit for possession of a million dollars of stock in the Portland company, the assessor says, formed a basis for calculation on the value of its property. The action of the city is expected to precipitate a law suit.

Brussels, March 5 .- The international because of gossip of neighbors to the make her presence here known to him sugar convention was signed today. by an exploding lamp.



It was learned at the Church offices | Mrs. Grant and one or two of his chiltoday that Apostle Heber J. Grant dren back with him. His brother, Mr. would in all probability return home to B. F. Grant, stated today that after consultation with the authorities, he had cabled Apostle Grant a ticket spend conference. When he left for his mission in Japan last July it was through the San Francisco steamship office, and his arrival may therefore be his intention to return if everything was favorable, and possibly to take | expected within three or four weeks.

## DYNAMITERS BLOW BANKS OPEN

Washington, Ind., March 5 .- The | car, The loss is covered by insurance, First National bank of Montgomery, Columbus, O., March 5 .- Safe-blowers eight miles east of this city, was burearly today dynamited the postoffice glarized last night, the vault blown by safe at Westerville and made away with \$1,200 worth of stamps and several dynamite and \$10,000 in cash and bonds hundred dollars in money. No clue. stolen. The robbers escaped on a hand

## WILL JOON ASK FOR FRANCHISE

President Bamberger Says Will Lay Steel on South Temple Street as Soon as Permitted-Consolidated Railway &

Power Co. Takes First Step to Shut Out Tracks.

President Simon Bamberger of the | chise for uptown in Salt Lake, similar petitions will be presented to the au-thorities in Ogden and the other set-Salt Lake & Ogden Railroad, on his return this morning, states that no untlements north of Farmington. necessary time would be lost in get-When asked when the line would be ompleted, Mr. Bamberger emphaticalting down to work on the construction

stated that construction would be of an electric line between Salt Lake under way this summer. In the meantime the Consolidated and Ogden. He stated that he would Railway & Power company has com-menced work laying a double track proceed to instruct the attorney for the road to draw up the petitions for the curve to connect with the old Rapid Transit tracks on Third West. The various franchises required and procurves are being put in the center of the street and the old track which runs parallel to the sidewalk outside viding they were granted, rails would be laid from the depot on Third West along South Temple street uptown, where a loop would be formed. If the the Oregon Short Line depot will be necessary franchises are granted Mr. Bamberger says that work will be comtorn up. Superintendent Read this morning

menced at once on the laying of the rails so that they will be ready in time stated that this work was being done to accommodate the Elks, who will be for the paving gangs which are sched-uled to start on that street in the near here next fall. The promoters of the new electric line to Ogden, however, say that it is being done to head off With the asking for the electric fran- the laying of track on their part.

BIG LEAGUE MEETING TODAY.

Detroit, Mich., March 5 .- The mag- | Loftus; Detroit, Messrs. McNamara, Cook and Angus; Cleveland, J. F. Kilfoyle; St. Louis, C. J. McDiarmid; Philadelphia, B. F. Shibe and Connie nates of the American league are in session today at the Griswold house. The adoption of a playing schedule Mack: Baltimore, Harry Goldman and Joe Kelly: Chicago, Charles Comlakey. Before the meeting President Johnand playing rules for next season is the principal business before them, acson said he thought last year's playing rules would be re-adopted. cording to President Johnson. When President Johnson called the meeting to order at 11 o'clock every

When the subject of expansion of the American league was brought up, President Johnson said: "There will be no change in the Amerclub in the league except Boston was represented, and Johnson held the proxy for that city. Following are ican league circuit this year. Of that I am certain. The matter will not be considered at the meeting as far as I

#### Congress of French Miners.

Calais, March 5 .- The national congress of French miners has passed a resolution by a vote of 124 to 105, to the Pittsburg, March 5 .- Fourteen frame houses at Schoenville, a suburb of Pitisburg, were destroyed by fire at 4 Schock this morning, rendering 150 people homeless. The fire was caused effect that the miners must proceed to obtain an eight-hour day by an immediate general strike, without further

negotisting with the government.

# those present:

Washington, Fred. Postal and T. J. know, more than informally.

#### AN EXPLODING LAMP. Causes the Destruction of Fourteen

Frame Buildings.

#### Sugar Convention Signed