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OUIT THE UNION OR LEAVE THE DISTRICT

General Bell Presents That Alternative to Employes at Cripple Creek.

SIGNING OF THE ACREEMENT.

Employers Agree Not to Hire Help of Any Kind That is Affiliated With Unions.

MINES ARE NOW RESUMING WORK

Town is Quiet and Safe, bat the Search for Agitators and Criminals Still Continues.

Cripple Creek, Colo., June 10.-The exeltement and disorder throughout this district resulting from the terrible dynamite outrage at Independence last Monday by which over 20 men were killed and crippled, are gradually subsiding, and an attempt is being made today to restore normal conditions, Work was resumed this morning at some mines employing non-union men, which had been closed since Monday, the Stratton-Independence, owned by an English company, being the first to respen. The Portland mine is closed by order of Gen. Sherman M. Bell, military commander, and its 400 employes will be compelled, Gen. Bell said, to abandon the union or leave the district.

Employes in all branches of business in this city, without an exception, so far as yet canvassed, have signed the agreement prepared by the Citizens' alliance, "not to employ help of any kind that is in any way connected with the district trades assembly, or the State Federation of Labor, the American La-ber union, or the Western Federation of Miners, or any kindred organiza-

Committees today continued making a house-to-house and store-to-store canvass, many times retracing their steps if a proprietor or partner happen-I to be out at the first visit.
This agreement of the proprietors has

caused consternation among the clerks and employes in shops and stores, where members of the Retail Clerks', Bar bers', Carpenters', Bartenders', Cooks' and other trades unions, as all will have to resign to hold their positions.

The union cards which have been de-

act business will no longer be a neces-lity-in fact it is intended the cards will

be surrendered as soon as the commit-tee's report can be acted upon.

The present scale of warges will pre-vall and individual unions will be tol-erated, it is conceded, if they are confucted on conservative lines, and do not give aid, directly or indirectly, to the Western Federation of Miners.

This warfare against unions as at present organized and associated will be extended, promoters of the move-ment say, to every city and town in the

The authorities now in control of affairs declare that there has not been time for months when life and property were safer than they are today. The believed to have been the lawless element have fled or are imprisoned, no

body anticipates further disturbances. The search for agitators and crimihals still goes on. Many persons ar-rested have been released with a word of caution or advice after being examined by the military provost marshal of the Citizens' court of investigation.

Sherman M. Bell, military commander, has ordered that 97 memoers of the Miners' union shall be taken outside of Teller county on a special train this afternoon, in accordance with the recommendation of the citizens' committee. This committee was in session nearly night investigating the cases of 100 other union men who are confined in the Victor armory and submitted another report to Gen. Bell today, recommending further deportations.

"Within 48 bours this district will be rid of all agitators and other objection.

"Within 48 hours this district will be rid of all agitators and etner objectionable men," said Gen. Bell today, "One deportation after another will be made until none of the men who have terrorized the district so long will be left here. We intend to continue arresting men who are not wanted here and they will be run out as fast as possible. The unionists are scared and many are The unionists are scared and many are leaving the county of their own volition to avoid arrest and incarceration. There are still some desperate characters among the hills, however, whom we in-tend getting, no matter what the cost. In running them down there may occur some fights, but I do not took for any serious trouble.

serious trouble."

Squads are out souring the hills in search of certain men who are wanted in connection with the Independence assussination. Telegrams have been sent to sheriffs and chiefs of police at outside points asking them to watch for these persons, whose names are not made nublic.

made public.

Sheriff Edward Bell has issued an order that all saloons in the district must remain closed until Monday, June

THE PORTLAND MINE.

Prest. Burns Says Half His Miners Were Non-Union.

Denver, June 10.-In an interview published here concerning the closing of the Portland mine at Victor by order of Gen. Sherman M. Bell, who is in command of the Teller county military district, James F. Burns, president of the Portland company, said that nearly one-half of the Portland force were not members of the miners, union

members of the miners' union.
"There were about 400 as good miners as ever handled a pick working there," said Mr. Burns, "They are, most of them, men with families, and they are neither law-breakers nor agitators. I would not refuse a man work because he did not belong to the union, nor because he did, I wanted the best miners, and kept weeding out the poorer ones without reference to unions. I am a firm believer in what they call the open shop.' If other mine owners had adopted by plan there would not be an igle mine in the camp today, and there would not be a disturbance wor-

PERDICARIS' CASE.

Sultan's Representative's Son Goes To Negotiate for His Release.

Paris, June 10, 1:15 p. m.-The foreign Paris, June 10, 1:15 p. m.—The foreign offfice has received lengthy advices from the French minister at Tangler. He says Mohammed El Torres, the sultan's representative at Tangler, has chosen his own son, who bears the same name as his father, to proceed to the mountain retreat of Raisull, the bandit chief, and present the final terms to secure the release of Messrs. Perdicaris and Variev.

The son has already departed on his mission. The journey will take a day or two. The officials expect a successful outcome. They say Mohammed's choice of his son shows the sincerity of Mo-rocco's efforts. The minister pays a high tribute to the cautious reserve and constant courtesy observed by the American and British admirals, which is construed as indicating that there is no likelihood of precipitating naval action.

CHINESE GUARD PUNISHED. Failed to Report Presence of Russian Ship Laying Mines.

Chefoo, June 10, 6 p. m.—The Associated Press correspondent at Teng Chou, Shantung promontory, reports that the Chinese guard there has been punished by the officials of Teng Chou for failing to report the presence of a Russian vestil large pulsar special large pulsar special properties. laying mines among the Miao Tao

D. & R. G. TRAIN BANDITS. Two in Garfield Creek Canyon

Make Their Escape. Newcastle, Colo., June 10.-The two survivors of the band of train robbers who dynamited an express car on the DEPORTATIONS.

Cripple Creek, Colo., June 10.—Deportations are the order of the day. Gen.

Denver & Rio Grande railway near Parachute Tuesday night escaped during the night from a ridge in Garfield Creek canyon, where they had been



George Bruce Cortelyou, secretary of commerce and labor, who is said to be President Roosevelt's choice for the chairmanship of the Republican national committee, by virtue of which position he will have practical control of the campaign, is not yet forty-two years of age. He owes his rise to prominence largely to the fact that he made such a close study of stenography as to become one of the best verbatim reporters in the United States. In 1895 he became stenographer to President Cleveland and in February, 1896, was made executive clerk to the president, President McKinley in 1898 appointed Mr. Cortelyou his assistant private secretary and in 1900 promoted him to the private secretaryship. In that position President Roose-

FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 1904. SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH. COLORADO'S STRIKES HAVE

COST OVER \$23,000,000.

This During the Past Sixteen Months-Western Federation of Miners Charged With Responsibility for One that has Affected Every Business and Trade in the State and Caused Much Bloodshed.

Denver, June 10 .- The Republican today estimates the cost of the strikes in Colorado during the past 16 months under the administration of Gov. James H. Peabody to aggregate \$23,036,000. An itemized statement is given as follows

Colorado city strike: State's expense, \$26,000, Loss to men in wages, \$750,000, Cripple Creek strike: State's expense, \$400,000, Loss in wages to union men, \$4,000,000,

Loss in wages to other labor, \$3,000,-

Denver and Pueblo smelter strike: Loss to smeltermen and miners, \$350,-

Loss to dependent labor, \$200,000, Telluride strike: State's expense, \$175,000, Loss to union miners, \$1,750,000 Loss to dependent labor, \$850,000. Coal miners' strike: State's expense, \$35,000. Loss in wages to miners, \$4,000,000. Loss to steel works employes, \$1,000,-

Loss to men in allied trades, \$1,500,000. Loss to men in affect trades, \$1,500,000. Loss to employers, through idle capi-al, interest, profits, etc., \$5,900,900. Total, \$23,936,000. The Western Federation of Miners is

charged with responsibility for the strike that has affected every business

surrounded by pursuers. They cannot have gone far, and it is believed they will soon be located. Bloodhounds are being used to trail the fugitives, who are supposed to be John Emmerling and Charles Scrubbs, railroad section men, who quit their jobs last week. The

third member of the band, who was killed yesterday, was identified as J. H.

Ross, also a section man. who quit work on the road at the same time as the other two. Ross shot himself in the head after he had been wounded by the posse chasing him.

MISS LENA MORTON DEAD.

Ex-Vice-Prest. Morton's Daughter

Dies in Paris.

Paris, June 10.-Miss Lena Morton

daughter of Levi P. Morton of New

York, died this morning from the ef

York, died this morning from the effects of blood poisoning following an operation for appendicitis. Miss Morton's family were at the bedside when she died. The operation in itself did not arouse serious apprehension, but the appearance yesterday of blood poisoning gave the case a grave turn. Miss Morton railled slightly during the afternoon, but later her case became hopeless and she sank gradually until her death occurred early this morning.

her death occurred early this morning. No funeral arrangements have yet been made, but it is probable that the body will be embalmed and taken to New York for interment.

The deceased was 27 years of age and

was the elder of two unmarried daughters of former Vice President Morton

She was educated here while her father was U. S. ambassador to France. She

was a linguist, highly cultivated and

was a general favorite. Her father and mother and her sister, the Duchess of

Valencay, remained at the private san-itarium in which the operation was per-formed until death occurred.

Friends of the family fear the blow will seriously affect Mrs .Morton, who

has recently been slightly indisposed.

NORMAN C. JONES KILLED.

Was Struck by a D. & R. G. Train

In Colorado Springs.

Colorado Springs, Colo., June 10.—Norman C. Jones, of Manitou, one of the pioneers of Colorado Springs, was instantly killed today by a Denver & Rio Grande train in this city. He was walking upon the track and evidently did not hear the approach of the train, being hard of hearing. Mr. Jones was one of the most widely know, charge

one of the most widely known characters of this community. He was the dis-

coverer and original proprietor of the "Caves of The Winds" at Manifou and has been in almost constant litigation

n an effort to recover ownership of them since they passed out of his

Princeton Track Team Captain.

Princeton, N. J., June 10 .- R. E. Wiliams, of the class of 1905 of Chicago

has been elected captain of the Prince-ton track team for the ensuing year

In the recent inter-collegiate meet at Franklin Feld, Philadelphia, Williams

INDEPENDENCE EXPLOSION.

The Coroner's Jury Begins Its

Investigation.

Victor, Colo., June 10.—The jury empanelled by Coroner George R. Hall has commenced hearing testimony on the Independence explosion. Engineer James Dooner, who is in charge of the engine of the Golden Circle train, which was just pulling in at the Independence station at the time of the explosion, testified as follows:

"At 2:27 on the morning of the 6th

sion, testified as follows:

"At 2:27 on the morning of the 6th we were pulling in with the train when an explosion came. I was slowing down to make the stop. We stopped about 75 feet from the depot and men ran up and informed us that the depot was blown up. We lighted some torches and went down and found considerable debris on the tracks and one

siderable debris on the tracks and one dead body. I then moved the engine nearer to the depot, and we picked up

what wounded men we could find and backed in to the Victor depot. We got a telephone message there that there were more wounded men and the dis-patcher gave orders for us to return

to Independence for them. I think we took 11 dead men to Victor on the two I did not make any examina

trips. I did hot make any examina-tion of the depot ground until we re-turned the second time. Then Conduc-tor Watson went through the depot and something like 75 yards up the hillside. We did not have sufficient

time to make a thorough examination and we did not see signs of any infer-

The testimony of the remainder of

the train crew was practically the same

Want Artistic Buildings.

Et. Louis, June 10 .- In response to a

protest from the California and Illinois

commissioners, the proprietors of "Mo-

rocco," an amusement enterprise at the world's fair, have been ordered to make their buildings more artistic, or

remove them. The commissioners objected to an unsightly building adjacent

trips.

nal machine.

as that of the engineer.

to the state buildings.

on second place in both the mile and

hands years ago.

half mile races.

and trade in the state and caused much | officers of the federation for calling

The strikes originated early in 1903 in an attempt on the part of the federation to force the introduction of an 18-hour day in the mills and smelters of Colorado city, Denver and Pueblo. Within a few weeks after taking office, Jan 1, a few weeks after taking office, Jan 1, 1963, Gov. Peabody sent troops to Colocado city and with the exception of brief periods the national guard has been on duty at one point or another ever since. At present troops are stationed in Teller and San Miguel counties, in which martial law obtains, and in Las Animas county, where martial law was suspended last Monday.

The Cripple Creek miners' strike began 10 months ago. The men were earning on the average \$7.25 for eight hours' work. They had no complaints of their own, but went on strike in

hours' work. They had no complaints of their own, but went on strike in obedience to an order of their executive officers for the purpose of shutting off the ore supply of the mills and smelters at which an eight-hour day was not granted. In this connection it should be noted that by an overwhelming vote the people of the state had adopted a constitutional amendment asking an eight-hour day for men working in mines, mills and smelters, but by some means the passage of the law necessary to make the amendment effective was defeated at the ensuing

strikes. In Cripple Creek about 4,000 union In Cripple Creek about 4,000 union miners were called out. Had the question been submitted to the men themselves on a secret ballot it is asserted that 90 per cent of them would have voted against going out. Many of them have renounced the union and returned to work, the mine owners, with the avertice of the Portland country. exception of the Portland company, re-fusing with the exception of the Port-

land company, refusing employment to members of the union.

Western Federation of Miners admit the loss to the Cripple Creek unions through the strike has been \$4,000,000 and the total loss in that district \$8,000,-The loss through the suspension o

work in the Telluride district, which was also a sympathetic strike, is estimated at \$2,000,000.

mated at \$2,000,000.

President Campbell, of the Colorado
Mine Operators' association, said, that
while the cost of the state militia being in the field would possibly reach
\$1,000,000, the loss to the metalliferous
miners who stopped work and others
forced to quit would be five times that
amount. amount. The strike of the southern Colorado

coal miners, who are members of the United Mine Workers of America, was ordered for different reasons and has no relation to the strikes at the gold mines.

een done and how much more is likely to be done in the future, and it, within 20 days, the defendant shall offer the amount, and the complaint, in exchange, give the company the right to operate perpetually, there will be no in-L. O. Hoffman of Price was admitted this morning to practise in the United

H. C. HILL GETS \$36,150. Property on First South Wanted by O. S. L. Assessed by Jury.

In the condemnation suit of the Oregon Short Line Railroad company against Harry C. Hill and the Citizens' Coal company, which was tried in Judge Stewart's court yesterday, the jury this morning returned a verdict in favor of defendants for the total sum of \$36,150. The property condemned by the railroad company is all of let 3, block 80, plat A. Sait Lake City survey, located on the north side of First South street near Fourth West. The value of the land condemned was assessed by the jury at \$30,500 and the improvements \$1,200, making a total judgment in favor of defendant Hill of \$31,00. The value of the improvements owned by the Citizens' Coal company was fixed at \$1,750 and the value of its leasehold interest at \$2,700, a total in the company's favor of \$4,50. Judge Stewart's court yesterday, the the company's favor of \$4,750,

AFTER MANY YEARS.

Msr. Mary J. Stringham, Aged 65, Sues For Separate Maintenance.

A suit for separate maintenance was filed in the district court today by Mary J. Stringham against George Stringham. In her complaint Mrs. Stringham alleges that she is 65 years of age and that for more than two years past her husband has failed to support her, al-though perfectly able to do so. She al-leges that he owns properly in this county of the value of \$5,000, and she asks that he be compelled to pay her \$40 per month for her separate main-tenance and that she be decreed to be the owner of two cows now in the pos-session of defendant;

Mrs. Bradfield Seeks Divorce.

Annie E. Bradfield today filed suit for divorce in the district court against Gilbert Bradfield on the ground of fallure to support. They were married in this city on Feb. 19, 1594, and have one child, of which plaintiff vsks the cus-She also asks \$50 as attorney

WILL SPEAK MONDAY.

Prof. Paul Will Address State Teachers at University.

The speaker at the State Normal institute this morning was Supt. D. H. Christensen, who gave an interesting address on German schools and the experimental psychologists. President Paul of the L. D. S. U. will speak next Monday morning at 8:30 on the subject of the teaching of English. It is said that the speaker's thesis will con-tain criticism of the methods of teaching the subjects of grammar and literature, and will suggest a remedy for the faulty instruction. The professor is known to entertain positive and radical views on the subject, and teachers of English are expecting a breezy session.

REV. BARNETT RESIGNS.

Pastor of East Side Baptist Church Going to California.

Rev. Frank Barnett, pastor of the East Side Baptist church for the last three and a half years, has resigned, as the altitude is too high for the healthful condition of his threat, and it a necessary for him to remove to see level. Mr. Barnett was forced to spend part of the winter just passed, in California, where he did so well that he is likely to locate there. He has been a source of strength and power to his church, and the members are in more or less dismay at the idea of his leaving; but owing to the circumstances, they can not well object. Under Mr. Barnett's pastorate the church debt was paid off, and the size of the church roster has largely increased. The resignation takes effect Sept. 1. ful condition of his throat, and it

BOOK VANDALS.

Clipping and Defacing Valuable Articles in the Public Library.

Librarian Miss Sprague of the free public library, is keeping a close watch on parties who are in the habit of defacing books and magazines which are be referred to the master in chancery i facing books and magazines which are to determine how much damage has issued in the reading rooms of the li-

brary and should the effenders be apprehended they will be subject to a fin of \$50. Recently a number of valuable magazines have been defaced in a very bad manner and every effort will be used by the library officials to stop such

used by the library officials to stop such practises.

Yesterday it was discovered that an acticle on "Homer" had been clipped bodily from a Century Encyclopaedia by some person who was evidently very anxious to possess the valuable record. On other occasions pictures have been altered from the contraction. been elipped from the art magazines and such actions are very damaging to the property of the library and the order has been given out that they mass cease. The defacing is done in the reading rooms and not by persons who take books to their homes. Should it be done by persons who take books to their homes, it would be a very easy matter to trace the matter down and find the guffty-party.

TEACHERS' DIPLOMAS.

Twenty-Two of Them Granted by State Board of Education.

The state board of education held a neeting in Supt. Nelson's office yesterlay afternoon, and awarded diplomas and certificates to 22 teachers in this state. the largest number over granted sertificates at one time by the board,

Grammar grade diplomas were grant-Grammar grade dipiomas were granted by the board to the following teachers: Alice Hiliam, Sylvia Cohn, Adeline Thackery, Mamie White, Edna Harker, Ruth M. Paimer, Neille S. Frobes, A. B. Kesler, Rose K. Thomas, Evelyn M. Jensen, Louise King, Edith Van Cott Palmer of Sait Lake City, A. A. Kerr, Ogden, Encch. Jorgensen, Provo; E. M. Whitesides, Laytop, The following received state teachers' certificates: Farine Buckbee, Mary Wanless, Elvies Christian, Sait Lake, Ella Fitzgerald, Ogden; G. N. Child, Lehi, P. M. Nielson, Pleasant Grove, A. temporary high school certificate was granted to Charles Spooner of this city. Tharles Spooner of this city.

MR. M'EWAN CANED.

Handsome Gift to Retiring Secretary Of Tabernacle Choir.

At last night's Tabernacle choir practise Robert T. McEwan, for 18 years secretary of the choir, was presented with a handsome gold-headed cane, suitably inscribed, as a token of his faithful services. The presentation was made by Prof. Stephens, who referred made by Prof. Stephens, who referred in kindly terms to Mr. McEwan's connection with the choir and to his untiring efforts in its behalf. The gentleman responded as best he could, thanking his associates for their good feelings and assuring them that his connection with the choir had been among the most pleasant years of his experience. Sid Phillips succeeds Mr. McEwan as secretary.

TELEPHONE CONSTRUCTION Vast Amount of Work Now Under Way In State of Idaho.

There is an immense amount of teleshone line building going on, particuarly in southern and northwestern Idaho. The Beil company is building between Twin Falls and Milner, and thence up to Kimama, which will complete a line to the latter point from Shoshone Falls. In the country between Twin Falls and Kimama 20,000 acres have been taken up for settlement re The company is placing matera line from Pocatello to Ameriial for a line from Pocatello to American Falls and intervening points. Then numerous lines are being strung to many points in Washington county, and up in the Coeur d'Alene country, the same thing is being done. A new exchange is being installed at Bellevue, Ida., where there are 50 subscribers, and an additional circuit is being strung at Malera Alina is her a being strung at Halley. A line is being built to Sand Point, 70 miles from Coeur d'Alene City

In this state, a new circuit is being strung to Bingham, with large copper wires. The construction gangs are rapidly getting away with the dead over-head wires in this city, and great coils of it may be seen at the street corners. This wire is worthless and is thrown away, and in its stead, the orial cable s being substituted. The Bell people do not propose having any more such experiences as befell them in that April snow storm. There are 125 new orders for phones o file in the office of superintendent of construction

WILL POWERS RUN?

Yesterday's Developments Puts Him In an "Awkward Position."

Will Judge Powers be a candidate for Congress?

His friends are asking. A number of hem waited on the judge this morning and assured him that he could have the nomination by acclamation if he would accept it. They believe, further, that he will run. The good nature that he displayed yesterday, after his defeat, was cheered to the echo, and his party friends now insist upon him accepting the population for Congress But the the nomination for Congress, but the judge himself is rather backward. He will not declare himself at present. It is admitted that Jackson's tenacio and emphatic declaration as printed the account of the convention process

KILLED HER BABY.

ings, put the judge in a very ward position" to say the least.

Mother Threw it Out of Window To Save it from Fire.

New York, June 10,-Frantic with fear at a fire in a six-story tenemen house on Stanton street, Mrs. Benjamb Apfel, threw her only child, a bay of four months, from a window of be apartment to death on the pavement apartment to death on the pavement three stories below. Mrs. Apfel was revented from leaping to the street after her child by firemen who had elimbed to the third story on scaling ladders and whose arrival an instant earlier would have saved the child from death. More than a score of persons who occupied apartments on the three upper floors of the building and who had been mable to escape through the flame-swept halls, were taken in safety from the fire escapes by means of scales. from the fire escapes by means of scaling ladders. The financial loss by the fire, which started from the explosior of an off stove, was trivial.

Wreck on the Rock Island.

Topcka, Kan., June 10. A Rock Island rassenger train, southbound, was wrecked four miles south of McFarland this forenoon. Spreading of the rails was the apparent cause. The locowas the apparent cause. The loca-motive, two express vars, a mail and a baggage car went into the dirch. It is reported that two express massengers were injured, but not fatally. There

JAPANESE FLEET IN BALTIC OCEAN.

It May Appear There and Russia Is Resolved to Take no Chances.

TO PROTECT ST. PETERSBURG.

Fortifications in Various Places Are Strengthened and Guns of New Pattern Mounted.

ANTICIPATINGPORTARTHUR'S FALL

Plans for the Departure of the Squadron There When Fall Becomes Imminent, Have Been Completed.

St. Petersburg, June 10 (f p. m.) - Re-

mote as now appears the chance that the Japanese fleet will ever se in a position to venture up the Baltie and make a demonstration against the Russian capital, or that a European power will be drawn into the war, Russia is a evidently taking nothing for granted. The possibility of the fall of Port Arthur or a disaster to the Baltic squadron after the latter sails for the far east has been considered and no precaution will be ommitted, to protect St. Petersburg against attack. The fortifications of Riga (in the southern part of the Gulf of Riga), and Reval (at the entrance of the Gulf of Finland), have been strengthened, some new guns of the latest pattern have been mounted in the fortress of Cronsradt and a chain of water batteries, running out on either side of the shores of the Gulf of Finland, will guard the entrance to the mouth of the Neva. This system of fortifications was sufficient to discour age the attack planned by the British fleet during the Crimean war. In addition, however, shore batteries have been constructed near Cranfenbaum (on the Guif of Cronstadt, 19 miles from St. Petersburg) probably a precaution against landings, as the forts are able to stop the advance of a hostile feet. The approaches to Cronstadt are also being mined and merchant ships are being forbidden to enter the port without a pilot to conduct them through the mine fields. Owing to the extensive work in progress at Cronstadt, in connection with the preparation of the Baltic squadron, the central basin, herenstructed near Crantenbaum (on the tic squadron, the central basin, here-tofore reserved for merchant ships, has been appropriated by the navy. Rigid

The Grand Duke Viadimer, com-mander of the military district of St. Petersburg, has just completed an ap-

Petersburg, has just completed an approximation of the shore batteries.

The Russian rules for the treatment of prisoners of war were promulgated today. They are of a most humane character, following the most advanced ideas on the subject of the care of prisoners. A war bureau for the collection and distribution of every possible kind of interpretion concerning prisoners has of information concerning prisoners has been established by the Russian Red Cross society, under the presidency of Prof. De Martens (professor of inter-national law at the University of St. Petersburg and recently president of The Hague court, which decided the Plus fund claim).

The Novoe Vremyn editorially scouts the the featured by a section of the

he idea fostered by a section of the Scitish press that the fall of Port Arthur will end the war.

The government is considering the question of increasing the scale of penwill end the war,

sions for soldiers' and sailers' widows. READY FOR PORT ARTHUR'S FALL

St. Petersburg, June 10.—(4:14 p. nt.)

There is reason to believe that the plans for the departure of the Port There is reason to believe that the plans for the departure of the Port Arthur squadron in the event that the foil of the fortress becomes imminent have been completed. They involve the co-operation of the Vladivostok squadron. After the blockading fleet has been engaged the uninjured Russian ships will effect a juncture with the Vladivostok squadron and make their way to Vladivostok. The fact that the Korean strafts are mined and guarded by a Japanese torpsalo boat flottile, which has been established to the satisfaction of the admiralty here, greatly increases the difficulty of the operation, but the Russians probably will prefer to take change of getting through rather than of making a 2,00 mile journey around Japan. The attempt may occur at the first favorable opportunity. The squadron is useless tringt may occur at the first favorable opportunity. The squadron is useless for the defense of Port Arthur, while if preserved entire or in a major portion even the fall of Port Arthur would be robbed of much of its importance, from the standpoint of Russia's future plans. The repairs to the Russian battleship Pobieds are now practically completed.

CAPE MAY CUP.

It is Returned to the New York Yacht Club.

London, June 10 .- The Cape May cup London, June 10.—The Cape May cup returns to its original home on beard the American Line steamer St. Louis, stiling from Southampton tomorrow. The Royal Yacht squadren obtained the trophy from King Edward and it is now consigned to the New York Yacht club. The Royal Yacht squadron was obliged to decline the challenge for the Cape May cup of Commodore Morton of the Plant, of the Larchmont Yacht club, with his schooner yacht Ingomar, be-With his schooner yacht Ingomar, be-cause King Edward's cutter Britannia, which held the cup, is too antiquated to return the trophy to the New York to return th trophy to the New York Yacht club. The conditions of the cup require that is must be defended by the latest winner.

Russian Minister Shot.

atest v inner.

Berne, Switzerland, une 10,-The Rua-sian minister here, M. V. V. Jadovski, was shot in the head here this after-noon and seriously injured. His would-be assessin is believed to be a foreigner. is under arrest. His identity has not ben ascertained. M. Jadovskis' assallant was a Rus-

stan named Linitzki. He had been in Berne for some weeks, and complained that the Russian authorities had confiscated an estate belonging to him.

M. Jadovskis' wound, although it at

first appeared to be severe is not dan-

GEORGE B. CORTELYOU, PROBABLE NEXT CHAIRMAN OF REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE.

velt continued him until his designation in February, 1003, as the first secretary of the new department of communes an

effective was defeated at the ensuing regular session of the legislature. This is the reason given by the executive

ELIZ. HUNTER'S DAMAGING STORY. Witness in Murder Case Tells of

Conversation Held With Rice Before the Crime.

BEUTLER'S MONEY THE THEME.

Defendent Was Anxious to Know Where Umbrella Mender Lived and Where the Gold Was.

Eight witnesses for the state were examined this morning in the case of the State of Utah vs John Rice, charged with the murder of Fred Beuter on Feb. 25, 1897, which is on trial before a jury in Judge Morse's court Nothing sensational or startling was disclosed in the testimony but it was merely introduced as a foundation to strengthen the confession of Muncey who will probably be placed on he stand late this afternoon. The testimony of Elizabeth Hunter, who was still on the stand when court adjourned for the noon recess, is perhaps the most damaging yet introduced against Rice by the state. She told of a conversation with Rice several days before the crime in which he asked her where Beutler lived and also asked about his

money and she told him that he had an old sock full of coin. The witness is the daughter of Mrs. Beutler and was formerly the wife of Mitchell, who was arrested at the time of the murder on suspicion of being implicated in the crime. She did not know where Beutler had moved at that

know where Beutler had moved at that time so did not give Rice any information on that subject but she did tell him about the money.

The first witness called to the stand this morning was Mrs. Ann Chapman, a lady 82 years of age. She said that she was visiting at Mrs. Holt's on the night of the crime, and that she saw was men outside her window who acted. men outside her window who acted two men outside ner william who acceut rather suspicious. She identified one of them as Abe Hunter, who is charged with Rice of the murder, and said that the other looked like Rice. Her direct hand a said that the other looked like Rice. examination was conducted by Asst. eximination was County Atty. Whitaker. On cross-ex-amination by Atty. Hamilton, the wit-ness would not say positively that it

was Hunter she saw through her win-Mrs. Emma B. Holt and Mrs. W. B. Holt, who lived next door to Beutler testified that on the night of the murder they heard a scuffle in Beutler's room at about 8:30 o'clock and heard a noise as though someone was being strangled and was choking. Jesse Holt, who was at home ill at the time also heard the noise which lasted only a very few minutes. R. N. Holt also testified as to the scuffle which took

W. B. Holt said that he was told of W. B. Holt said that he was told of the scuffie at about 8:30 o'clock and telephoned for the police. He entered the room after the crime had been committed with Detective Sheets and saw Heutler's body on the floor and saw rags stuffed in the old man's mouth. Mrs. Farrar testified that on the night of the crime Beutler came to her and asked her to keep his watch. her and asked her to keep his watch for him because he feared that he would be robbed.

The witnesses examined by the state yesterday afternoon were T. E. Taylor, Deputy Sheriff W. B. Booth, J. A. Silver, E. D. Helt, former Patrolman R. Deputy Sheriff W. B. Boots, J. A. Silver, E. D. Helt, former Patrolman R. L. Shannon, former Police Capt. John Eslinger and Dr. W. F. Beer. The latter told of the examination of Beutler's bedy and of the wounds on the throat. The other witnesses told of finding the body and of certain conditions surrounding the scene of the crime.

FEDERAL COURT. Judge Marshall Renders Opinion Today In Smelter Fumes Case.

Judge Marshall in the federal court this morning rendered an opinion in the case of David McCleery et al vs. the Highland Boy Mining and Smelting company. The plaintiff asked for a permanent injunction against the operation of the smelter near Murray, al-leging that the fumes have not only rulned crops on his premises, but have prevented cattle from grazing in that

The opinion states that the case will