

They Murdered Natal Policemen En-

INSURANCE MATTER.

act in the matter, as it saw fit.

WHOLESALE COURT MARTIAL

Four Officers and 112 Soldiers on Trial

At Kieff.

Kieff, Russia, April 2.-Four officers and 112 soldiers of a sapper battalion, who declined to obey orders in December last

ILLINOIS BANK FAILS.

would only prolong a settlement of th bank's affairs.

CONSUL AT BIRMINGHAM.

decided to appoint Albert Halstead as American consul at Birmingham. Eng-land, to succeed his brother, Marshall Halstead, resigned. Mr. Halstead is a well known Washington newspaper cor-respondent, and is the son of Murat Hal-stead.

RENEWED DISORDERS AT LENS.

OHIO ABOVE DANGER LINE.

Cincinnati, April 2 .- The Ohio rive

Washington, April 2 .- The pre

by court-martial here.

onstrators, are being tried

BUSINESS PART OF

The first operator to sign the new agreement was Lewis Findlay, the mines at Colliers, W. Va., who signed

watre is anticipated. At the same time, the dry benchers are jubilant at the prospects, and feel sure of good crops,

the signing of the scale demanded. I ticipated that few operators in outhwestern district, composed of Mis ouri Kansas Arkansas Texas Indian ry and Oklahoma will grant the scale for the present, and a prolonged strike may follow. In Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, the same question is an ticipated.

Wellington O'Counor, president of the the Indiana miners' organization, an unced today that all the operators Indiana, south of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, except two, and several in the central part of the state, had signified their willingness to sign the

Chairman Kolsen of the Indiana oper ators, said that not over two per cen of the tonnage in Indiana will sign the All the mines in Indiana are closed today, except one or two very small wagon mines that supply local There has been no trouble.

### IN THE ANTHRACITE FIELDS.

Philadelphia, April 2.-Reports reids state that the order of the miners scale committee directing that mining suspended until an agreement could be reached with the operators, is being obeyed almost to the man. In all three icts preparations were made by the operators for a resumption this morning. Whistless were blown at the regular hour and everything was in readiness for the men to go to work, but these the men to go to work. t the ere was no response by the min ers and the day took on a holiday

temen, engineers and pumpm who are not affected by the suspension order, reported as usual, but it was ap-parent that the scores of empty coal cars which had been hurried to the ries would not be needed unless greement was reached between agreen President Mitchell and the coal press their conference to be held in New York tomorrow.

That a great many miners believe here will be a bitter struggle between the workmen and their employers was evidenced by the departure yesterday and today of scores of miners from the Schuylkill region. A majority of these men are foreigners who will go to their tomes in Europe and there await the At many of the collieries in the Lu-

tern-Wyoming district, the mules were taken from the mines, thus indicating that no effort would be made immediresume mining Quiet prevails throughout the dis-

#### A COMPLETE SHUTDOWN.

Kansas City, April 2 .- There was a mplete shutdown today in the bitu minous coal fields included in the Southern Miners' association in Misfourl, Kas., western Arkansas and the, territories. A few mines operated by fon-union mon resumed as usual. No disorder was reported. dmost every district the general

was expressed both by operators miners that an amicable settlement their difficulties would soon be hed and that the strike would be foot duration. Nevertheless, the of she aers said they would remain out una satisfactory scale is signed, and there was a fully store was a general movement to careall available coal. City Southern, however, has an order to the effect that no asted an oal mined along its line since Thurs-ay last shall be confiscated. This will mean the distribution of at Teast 250 day t coal in towns where there is a

## OBEYED STRIKE ORDER.

Reading, Pa., April 2 .- Official information received in this city today is to the effect that the Reading company miners obeyed the strike order to a man. The anthracite coal around the colliers was cleared up today and sent to market.

SCALE COMMITTEE READY.

Des Moines, April 2.--The joint scala committee appointed by the miners and perators to fix a basis of settlement of City tabernacie.

gaged in Collecting Poll Tax. Pietermaritzburg, Natal, April 2,

The 12 natives condemned to death for the murder of policemen during the uprising in February, against the col-lection of poll tax, the postponement of which execution led to the dispute be-tween the imperial and colonial governments, were shot today,

# THE RUSS SUPPRESSED.

#### Edition Confiscated for Travesting the Lenten Prayers

St. Petersburg, April 2.-The edition of the Russ published today was confiscated by the police owing to the publication of a sacriligious travesty of the Lenten prayers, written by M. Amhitiatroff, the famous feuillettonist, who was exiled to Siberla in 1902, owing

to his publication of a pamphlet, re-flecting on the imperial family, and who was subsequently amnestied. line of the Lord's prayer, supposed to be offered by the imperial family was made to read: "Let the people pay our debts, but not as we pay our creditors."

### PLOT TO ASSASSINATE SPANISH ROYAL FAMILY

Madrid, April 2 .- Madrid, via th Frontier .- The Spanish authorities have discovered an anarchist plot at Lebrija, 29 miles from Seville, the notorious center of the black hands, to assassinate the royal family during the visit of King Alfonso, the dowager Queen hristiana, and the sister of the king he infanta Maria Teresa, to Seville uring holy week.

censorship prevents the sending of details regarding the conspiracy.

## ZION CITY PROPERTY TRANSFERRED TO GRANGER

Chicago, April 2 .- The open revolt against John Alexander Dowie, which took place yesterday, was followed today by the transfer of all the public property of the church of Zion to Alex-ander Granger, whose dismissal had directed by Dowie in a telegram

from Mexico. A warranty deed and a bill of sale were filed today in the Lake county court at Waukegan, Ills., by W. C. Voliva, the present head of Zion, who was appointed by Dowie some months ago, by which all the lands standing in the name of Dowle and his wife, ar

made over to Granger, for the benefit of Zion City and the followers of Dowie generally. Voliva holds from Dowie a power of attorney, and by virtue of it he has turned over to Granger every thing portable in Zion City, even to the bed of Dowie. All the effects of "Shiloh House, the Dowle residence, the horses and carriages, the machinery in the mills

and everything in the name of Dowie outside of personal belongings of the residents of the town has been taken away from the control of the deposed "first apostle." Dowie, who is known as "Elijah II" and "First Apostle," of the church in

Zion City, is in temporary exile in Mexico, whither he went partly to re-gain his shattered health and partly to carry forward one of his plantation schemes. His wife and son, it is schemes. claimed by the residents of Zlon City have allied themselves with Volvia, who was called by Dowie from Australia to conduct the affairs of Zion City when Dowle's health became shattered.

The action deposing Dowie from ac-tive control of Zion City and its religious and business affairs, was taken at a meeting held yesterday in the Zion Recorder Goff Instructs April Grand at the miners' convention. Orders were at once wired to Colliers to resume Jury to Take Them Up. work. CELEBRATING IN ILLINOIS.

New York, April 2.-Recorder Goff, at the impaneling of the April grand jury in the court of general sessions today, in-structed the jury to take up insurance matters. These matters, he said, had been directed to his attention by Judge O'Sullivan, who presided over the March grand jury. He said it appeared to him that the March grand jury had been prop-erly instructed by both Judge O'Sullivan and Dist.-Atty. Jerome, that there was reasonable ground for the belief that there is available evidence, showing that crime had been committed in the insur-ance matter. He instructed the grand jury that it had untrammeled powers to Springfield, Ills., April 2 .- This being holiday among United Mine Workers, because of the annual celebration of the establishment of the eight ho day, no coal mines are being operated. President Perry, of the United Miners of Illinois, made the following statement today:

"I have been busy all morning, and wering telephone calls, from operators all over the state, who are willing to sign the scale of 1963 as demanded by the miners. The prospect that a large that it had untrammeled powers to number of minas will be in operation tomorrow is satisfying.

"Williamson county operators are among the signers though they have BANNOCK, MONT., BURNED hitherto been among those who were strongest in declaring that they would not pay the advance." Helena. Mont., April 2.—The business of the town of Bannack, one of Montana's first mining camps and the first capital of the territory. In Beaverhead county, was practically wiped out by fire Sunday. The fire is supposed to have been of in-cendiary origin. The total property loss is about \$10,000, including the following: Clemens' saloon and dance hall, \$4,600; Rybellne's butcher shop, \$2,000; postoffice, \$2,000; Archie Gibson's residence, \$1,000.

#### OBSERVED IN KANSAS.

Pittsburg, Kas., April 2 .- Today in this mining district was spent by the miners in celebrating the passage of the eight-hour law. All mines are the eight-hour law. All mines are idle. The miners feel that an agreement will soon be reached, but they will not go back until a settlement has been made.

WILL PAY PRICE.

Pomeroy, Ohio, April 2 .- There will be no miners' strike in the Pomeroy Bend district. The operators will pay the price demanded and will sign the scale this week.

CELEBRATING IN ARKANSAS. Fort Smith, Ark., April 2.—Five thousand miners in this state and 6,000 in the Territory are idle, according to a statement made today by Secy. Branckney of the southwestern miners' association. Only engineers, firemen and pump men went to work today. In the varaious camps the miners today celebrated the eight

Peoria. Ill., April 2.—The bank of Teas Smith & Co., at Pekin. Tazwell county, failed to open for business today, having assigned to U. J. Albertson, as trustee. Trustee Albertsen issured a statemen to-day, in which he urged the creditors of the bank to avoid useles litigation as it would only prolong a settlement of the confer with the miners with reference would only protong a settlement of the bank's affairs. No official statement of assets and lia-bilities has yet been made. The liabilities, due to depositors, and other banks, are said to be in excess of \$60,000, against which there are assets of about \$250,00, a portion of which is worthless. The failure is due to these large sams of money ad-vanced to the Smith wagron works, and the Smith plow shops, at Pekin, two large industries. These had been carried to such an extent that the bank could no longer continue in business. Neither has yet been affected by the failure. The bank was founded by Teas Smith in 1868 and had continued since as a private bank, with D. S. Smith as president, and Con-rad Luppen as treasurer. tion in the district.

## EXPOSITION AT BRUSSELS.

An International One Will be Held in 1910.

Brussels, Abril 2.-The report that an international exposition will be held in Brussels in 1910 is officially con-The most notable feature will firmed. be exhibits from the Congo.

#### BURGLARS LOOT CHURCHES.

Kieff, April 2-Burglars broke into three saints churches last night. They made a complete haul of all the jewels and dug out the gems from the ikons and chalice. Even the gold work of the ikonistasis and altar and the buillon from the em-broidered vestments were taken.

#### FOLK ON PASS EVIL.

Lens. France. April 2.-Renewed strike disorders have occurred in the mining re-gion. The strikers at Gangor today des-troyed a house with dynamite. There were no casualities. At Fouquieres and Hames, the strikers erected barricades which were charged by cavalry. One striker was wounded. Des Moines, Ia., April 2 .-- Gov. Folk, who arrived here today to be present as the Jefferson day banquet which will be wounded. Four thousand strikers marched in the procession today at Buray, department of the Nerd. Troops and miners who had re-fused to strike barricaded the roads and drove back the strikers. There are now about 41,000 men on strike. The salvabe work has not resulted in finding any other survivors of the district of March 10. held tonight, dictated an interview for publication in which he declared that every state in the Union should enact maci anti-pass and state-wide primary laws, Gov. Folk called on Gov. Cummins a. the state house and later addressed the Iowa legislature

Concerning the free pass evil, Goy, Folk said:

Folk said: "The free pass is the most hideous, insidious specie of bribery, and the sooner the practise is stoped the bet-ter it will be fore the public welfare. The primary system is so manifestly the right, proper and honest method of making marty nominations. It is bench. making party nominations, it is hardly

at this point passed the danger line during the night and at 5 o'clock today reached 50.2 feet. Fears of a disas-trous spring flood have about subsided. necessary to comment on it."

ase, under the law, if any change h made

### HEAVY VOTE WANTED.

Chicago, April 2 .- The utmost efforts were made today by all political parties to bring out as heavy a vote as possible tomorrow. The fight in several of the wards has reached a stage of in-tensity seldom equalled in this city. These advocates of municipal owner-ship and those opposed to it are using even inducement which can be when every inducement which can be relied upon to influence voters. The munici-pal ownership league today appointed watchers for every polling place in the city to look after the interests of "the little ballot" as the ticket upon which are printed the three propositions re-garding municipal ownership has been named. Other factions opposed to mu-nicipal ownership have made similar arrangements. The chief fight centers around the proposition to sell \$75,000,000 of certificates for the purpose of purchasing the street railways. A 60 per cent vote is needed to carry this proposition

Yesterday in many of the pulpits of he city exhortations were delivered to oters to take an active part in the contest for a higher saloon license.

## HOSTILITIES IMMINENT.

Said to be Between Russian

Chinese Troops Moscow, April 2 .--- The Russkoe

Slovo has received a sensational telegram from its correspondent at Harbin, Manchuria saying that hostilities are imminent between the Russian and Imminent between the Russian and Chinese troops. He intimates that the Chinese, influenced by Japanese are moving forward, that the situation is so tense that the Russian demobiliza-tion of troops has been stopped, and that Gen. Groidoff, the Russian com-mander in chief has issued instrucmander-in-chief, has issued insi tions to prepare for eventualities. instruc-

#### KILLED THE DEPUTY SHERIFF.

April." When informed that she was very ill and the worst was feared, she Orleans, Ind., March 31 .- Deputy Sheriff Harry Smith was instantly killed and would repeat the same thought as to living until the dawn of spring, and would say over and over again, 'I shall Constable Robert McCabe was seriously Constable Robert McCabe was seriously shot tonight about six miles southeast of Orleans by John Robey and Oliver Haycock, brother-in-law, who came here recently from Crawford county. The of-ficers were called to the Robey home by neighbors to quell a fight and arrest the participants and the tragedy followed. At this hour the body of Deputy Sheriff Smith has not been recovered. Robey and Haycock are well armed and concealed in the house, and a posse from Orleans and Paoli, numbering over 200 men, has sur-rounded the building. live until April; I shall live until Small wonder, then that there was concern in the Derr household yester-day when that month was ushered in. And it was not at all singular that the apprehension was heightened whet when with the coming of the day the aged patient labsed into a state of coma. It was soon evident that her condition had become very grave, and that the end was not far away. For hours her

#### CONFISCATE TOLSTOI PAMPHLET.

sleep was calm and peaceful, and while slumber yet touched her weary eyes, closed to open no more in this world, Moscow, April 2.-The police have confiscated a pamphlet written by she passed across the dark river into another life. Count Tolstol, entitled "Is It Possible?"

#### KENTUCKY FUTURITY NOMINEES

light year, and was the widow of Wil-light year, and was the widow of Wil-light Derr. She was a native of New Jersey, and came to Utah in 1864, and settled at 349 west First North street. Lexington, Ky., April 2 .- The Kentucky Trotting association has given and continued to live there until the day of her death. She was known as a good and true woman, devoted to her faith and people, and leved her family, relatives and many friends. She leaves five children. Her remains may be beind from her late rapidence from the list of the mares nominated in the \$21,000 Kentucky Futurity for foals of 1906 to the public and the total is 1,200 mares. The largest nominator is the Malres. The largest nominator is the Walnut Hall, farm of L. V. Harkness, Donerall. Ky., which named 70 of its matrons in foal to Moko. Walnut Hall and Mobel. Next in order is the Em-pire City Farm of William Simpson & Son. Cuba, N. Y., with 51 mares, most of them to foal to McKinley, 2:114. Thirty sity states and terriformed when they will be moved to the home of her son, George W. Derr. 125 First street, from where the funeral will take place

Thirty-six states and territories are in the list. Kentucky as usual is the largest nominator with 429 mares. New ork, Illinois, Massachusetts and Ohio follow in the order named. Among the famous racing stallions who appear in the list of sires are Cresceus, Directum. Charley Herr, Kinney Lou. Arcon. Kremlin and the pacers Joe Patchen, John R. Gentry, Searchlight and Ruthing of a controversy has arisen be- | ben Stein,

OVER THE STATE REPORTS. Logan-Sunday it rained all day. At

it began to snow and is still ing. There is about four inches ight nowing. ground.

Ogden-A light snow began to fail yesterday afternoon; about four inches the beautiful.

Morgan-Snowed all day yesterday and still at it, About eight inches. Brigham City-Snow began falling about 8 o'clock last evening. It is still enoving and the state of the still showing, and there is about half a foot on the ground.

Provo-It began snowing at about clock last evening, and fully 10 inches ell. It is clear now. Heber City-It is quite clear here iow, but there are three or four inches

f snow on the ground. Park City-It is cold and cloudy and

Park City-It is cold and cloudy and looks like more snow. In the last two days about three inches of snow feil. Aita-"Snow?" Well, rather. It has cleared up now, but we have at least two feet of new snow on the ground. It began Saturday afternoon and kept up until this morning. up until this morning. Bingham-At the New England mine

there is snow to a depth of 14 inches. The worst feature of the storm, which began Saturday, was the wind. The roads above the Highland Boy mine are blocked, but the work of clearing them has already begun them has already begun. Tooele-It is clearing now, but it

snowed all night. About five inches

Manti-Snow and rain yesterday Cloudy today Nephi-Snow began falling early Sat-

urday night. It is still snowing. This morning the snow was measured and it was found that 14 inches had failen. Salina-About three inches of snow on the ground. Cloudy today with Cloudy today with occasional snowfall.

Richfield-Weather threatening. Plenty of rain but no snow

Beaver-Rain and snow. As fast as the latter fell it melted. There is no snow on the ground now. Cedar City-A very light snowfall yes

terday. Not more than an inch. It is

St. George-A cold wind has been blowing for a couple of days. There has been a little rain but no snow.

## J. W. WARNER DEAD.

Veteran of the Civil War Passes Away Aged 78 Years.

(Special to the "News,")

Provo, April 2,-John W. Warner, a veteran of the Civil war, died here this morning of an affection of the heart. from which he had been suffering for several weeks. Mr. Warner was a na-tive of Ohio. During the Civil war he was captain of company M. Third Ohio cavalry. In '74 he moved to Colorado. He came to Provo about six years ago, He is survived by a wife and several children. Among the latter is Judge M. M. Warner of Salt Lake.

## INSANE GIRL COMMITTED.

#### Mrs. Olivia M. West Died at Ogden This Morning.

#### (Special to the "News,")

Ogden, April 2 .- At 1 o'clock this norning, at the family residence, rear 2758 Lincoln avenue, Mrs. Olivia M. West, wife of Fred West, died from a complication of troubles following complication of troubles following childbirth. Mrs. West was 30 years of age. She leaves a husband and five children. She was getting along nice-iy when some trouble set in which re-sulted in her death. She was born at Huntsville, Utah. April 7, 1876. Funer-nal announcement will be made later. Clara Evans, the young girl taken in-to custody some days ago for insanity, has been committed to the State Menbeen committed to the State Mental hospital,

Senator Smoot Believes Controversy That Has Arisen Will Soon be Settled. (Special to the "News.") Washington, D. C., April 2 .-- Some

at 11 o'clock.

A STRANGE STATEMENT. "I Will Live Until April," Said Mrs. Derr, and on April 1 She Died. Between four and five months ago Mrs. Elizabeth Derr, mother of George W. Derr, was taken seriously ill. Her sickness continued without interruption through the winter. When mem-

April

bers of the family spoke to and sympa-thized with her she would say. "Oh, never mind; don't be alarmed; I am

The deceased was in her sevent

viewed from her late residence 9 until 10 o'clock on Wednesday

MANTI RESERVE GRAZING.

not going to die yet. I shall live April." When informed that she

hour day. Several officers were here today to to signing the 1903 scale, with the three cent flat advance provided for in the Perry resolution, which also per-mits any company to sign that scale and resume work if it will sign for all its miners without reference to loca-