

Reosevelt and local shipping men think that with a few repairs she should be ready to make the trip north next sea-of 8 cents when the tariff rate was 11 1-10 cents. Henry S. Hartley is charged with se-curing through irregular billing conces-sions of 5 and 8 cents respectively on different shipments of cottonseed meal from Indian Territory. One of these shipments was to Humphries and Good-win of Memphis and another to David Rankin, a cattle feeder of Tarkio, Mo. cents St. Louis, Nov. 13 .-- Baptist ministers and laymen from all over the country attended the opening session of the National Baptist congress, which con-

BURLINGTON FREIGHT CASE. Kansas City.

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Antler did you not?'

Windsor, Vermont, Nov. 13.—A con-tract has just been placed with a local granite firm for furnishing the material for the sarcophagi in which the bodies of the late President William McKinley and Mrs. McKinley will rest in the mausoleum at Canton, Ohio. The fa-mous green granite quarried from fighting and seaworthy qualities of the mous green granite quarried from Ascutney mountain will be the material used.

Pueblo, Colo., Nov. 13.—George Gould and party arrived in this city about 4 o'clock this morning in a special train over the Missouri Pacific road. They

for proposed new buildings and

spent several hours looking over sites

provements of the Gould railroads here and left shortly before noon for Den-

ver. Mr. Gould expressed himself as well pleased with local conditions.

INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS.

Chicago, Nov. 13 .- The conference of

insurance commissioners was today turned into an executive session which was scheduled to last until evening. It

was abnounced before the session opened that it was improbable that any specific action would be taken before

Forty briefs from insurance com-panies in the west and south were read and discussed. All of them dealt with objections entertained by the companies to the forms of "standard forms" of

policy now under consideration by the committee.

A FIRE ON THE CARONIA.

Queenstown, Nov. 13 .- On the arrival of the Cunard line steamer Caronia off Roche's Point, at the entrance of the

harbor, this morning, it was reported that fire broke out on board of her during the voyage, but that it was es-

sible precautions were taken against eventualities, but there was never any

real danger and the momentary excite

the Caronia had passed Browhead, flames were extinguished before

vessel reached Queenstown.

ceded in drawing a revolver and firing a shet at the prefect of police. A faughter of Gen. Benevsky, ex-sovemor general of Amur province, has been condemned to 10 years' in-prisonment at hard labor for particina-tion in the plot to kill ev-Gov. Gen. Dubassoff of Moscow. Mile. Benevsky's hand was blown off while preparing it. This led to her detection and immiss-This led to her detection and impris-nament. Mile, Benevsky, who is beau-tiful, was married in prison to another itical prison

A revolutionist, supposed to be Ma-zury's accomplice; was killed today by falling four stories while trying to escape from the police over house tops.

COUNT WITTE RETURNS TO ST. PETERSBURG.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 13.—The arrival of Count Witte here yesterday created scarcely a ripple on the surface of Rus-ska politics. In contrast with his reception after his return from Portsmouth when a throng gathered at the failroad station to greet him and the street in front of his house was blocked the following day by the carriages A high personages coming to pay their respects to the man of the hour, the count was met at the depot by only Baron Alde and a few reporters and he received very few callers this morning. The rare arrivals were closely scru-linized by agents of the screet police on inized by agents of the secret police on account of the reported threats of as-assination. Count Witte denied himself to reporters and declined to make a statement regarding his reported in-tention of resigning his seat in the council of the empire and being a can-didate for election to parliament. The onstitutional Democrats are eager to receive him in their ranks in case he secides to be a candidate.

It is authoritatively stated that meawhere for relieving the Jews of many of their disabilities will be published a temporary legislation before the con-tration of parliament as foreshadowed a premier. Stolenty Premier Stolypin's communication Sept. 6. The full extent of the re-ms is still a matter for discussion by the cabinet, but they comprise per-mission for Jews to live in the country as well as in the cities within the pale as well as in the cities within the pale and the removal of certain restrictions placed on Jewish merchants and arti-sans in cities outside the pale. The full settlement of the Jewish problem is left to parliament, the government not being willing to venture deeply into the mailer for fear of stirring up a storm matter for fear of station, of anti-Semitic opposition.

CASE OF KARL HAU.

American Consul-General at London

Sends All Available Information.

London, Nov, 13.—At the request of the state department at Washington, he American consul general at Lon-on has forwarded all the information wallable respecting the case of Karl Hau, alias Stau, the lawyer of Wash-don charged with the murder of his mother-in-law at Baden-Baden. Both the embassy and the consulate gen-don the state of the sensistance as the embassy and the consulate gen-don the sense of the sensistance as the embassy and the consulate gen-don the sense of the sensistance as the embassy and the consulate gen-don the sense of the sensistance as the embassy and the consulate gen-don the sense of the sensistance as the embassy and the consulate gen-don the sense of the sense of the sense the sense of the sense of the sense till apparently willing to waive extra-dition but as usual the British authori-tes must be compiled with. This me-tes must be compiled with. This me-tes and the sense of the sense of the sense that extradition, should the hearing the sense of the sense of the sense the sense of the sense of the sense to sense of the sense of the sense of the sense to sense of the sense of the sense of the sense to sense of the sense of the sense of the sense to sense of the sense to sense of the sen London, Nov. 13 .- At the request of

ROBED THE BANK.

Walker, Mo., Nov. 13.-Three robbers here early today escaped with the con-tents of the safe of the Bank of Walk-fr. The amount secured is not known. The safe and front portion of the bank

Rear Admiral to be Made Chief of Burcau of Navigation.

Washington, Nov. 13 .- Rear Admiral

Washington, Nov. 13.-Rear Admiral Willard H. Brownson, who has just taken command of the American naval forces in the east, will, it is understood, soon be recalled to take what has come to be the most important post in the navy, namely, chief of the bureau of navigation, to succeed Rear Admiral Converse, when the latter retires from that office which, it is expected, will occur about the time that Secy. Bona-parte becomes attorney general. Ad-miral Brownson would, in the usual course, be placed on the retired list next year on account of age and give way as chief of the bureau to another officer. But in view of the fact that he is in perfect physical condition and at the height of his powers mentally, it is understood that he will be continued at least during the present administration.

INDICTED FOR PEONAGE.

Mobile, Ala., Nov. 13 .- Another indictment charging conspiracy to commit peonage was returned last night by the peonage was returned last night by the United States grand jury at Pensacola Ala., against W. S. Harian, manager of the Jackson Lumber company of Lockport, Ala.; Robert Gallagher Woods, foreman of the company; Oscar Sanders, an interpreter, and John At-well, a deputy sheriff of Walten county. The indictments relate to a conspir, acy to detain against their wills and commit to a condition of peonage two commit to a condition of peonage two foreigners whose location is at present

unknown. FUNSTON TAKES COMMAND.

St. Louis, Nov. 13 .- Brig. Gen. Frederick Funston today formally took command here of the southwestern diision, the headquarters of which have been moved to St. Louis from Okla-homa City. The headquarters of the northern division have been transferred to Chicago.

TO WRECK A BANK.

J. R. Zimmerman Pleads Guilty to

Charge of Conspiracy. Cleveland, O., Nov. 12.-J. R. Zinnier-man pleaded guility to the charge of con-spiring to wreck a national bank. In the federal court here today, and was sen-tenced to serve two years in the puni-tentiary, and to pay a fine of \$10,000. Zimmerman was the chairman of the board of directors of the Wooster, (O.) National bank, which failed about two years ago. National years ago.

SUB-TREASURY SHORTAGE.

Federal Grand Jury Will Investigate

That at St. Louis. St. Louis, Nov. 13.-The federal grand jury will convene here tomorrow and in-vestigate the shortage of \$61,500 in the St. Louis sub-treasury traced to the de-partment of receiving teller, D. P. Dyer, Jr. The teller's father, Col. D. P. Dyer, who is the United States attorney here, has at his own request, been temporarily relieved from taking part in the investiga-tion.

OPERATING RACING BOOK.

Washington, Nov. 13.-William Davis was put on trial before a jury in the criminal court today on a charge of oper-ating a racing book at the Bennings track. The action is in the nature of a test case to determine the legal status of the betting operations at Bennings,

NAT'L BAPTIST CONGRESS.

PLUM FOR BROWNSON.

TO ENTER ARMOR PLATE FIELD.

Norristown, Pa., Nov. 13.-The Alan Wood Iron & Steel company of Consho-hocken has decided to enter the armor plate field and bid for armor plate con-tracts against the other companies now furnishing the material to the navies of the world. The company has purchased the realty of the Conshohocken Quarry company, including the village of Con-naughtown, and will erect an armor plate mill on the newly acquired land.

vened here today.

GATHERING OF FOX HUNTERS.

Bardstown, Ky., Nov. 12.-The great-est gathering of members of the Na-tional Fox Hunters' association ever tional Fox Hunters association ever assembled on a similar occasion is here for the big chase which began early today and which will be followed by many festivities during the week. Scenting conditions for the chase were not the best, the weather being cold. clear and dry.

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF DEATH.

Washington, Nov. 13.—Official notice of the death of Maj.-Gen. Sharter reached the war department today from Maj.-Gen. MacArthur, commanding the Pacific di-vision, who will take charge of the funer-al arrangements. If desired by the family, without any orders from the department.

REICHSTAG REASSEMBLES.

Government Will be Interpellated on Its Foreign Policy.

Berlin, Nov. 13 .- The reichstag re-Berlin, Nov. 13.—The reichstag re-assembled today with crowded galler-ies in expectation of a speech from Chancellor von Buelow, who, it had been widely rumored, would take the first opportunity to discuss foreign af-cates fairs.

The chancellor did not make a speech but probably he will address the house tomorrow when Herr Basserman, Na-tional Liberal, intends to interpellate the government on its foreign policy. Von Buelow and his ministers will will Von Buelow and his ministers will have to meet several questions, among them the rise in the price of meat, the colonial administration, and the unrest of Poland on account of the school strike.

After the budget is disposed of, the commercial relations between Germany and the United States will come up

before parliament. The Socialist The Socialist Democrats dodged a question regarding the meat ques-and the radicals inquired whether the and the radicals inquired willing to open imperial chancellor is willing to open the frontiers to the free importation of cattle.

Lawrence, Kansas, speaker of the Kansas house, and a railroad contractor, testified for the state today at the hearing here of the Burlington[®] maxi-mum freight rate case. He told of the cost of construction, in an attempt to disprove the railroads claim that because of high operating and mainte-nance expenses it would be impossible to operate with a profit under the new freight rate law. Mr. Stubbs said it did not cost, at the very outside figure more than \$20,000 a mile to construct the Burlington lines in Missouri. The improvements in the way of ballasting and heavier steel would, he thought, bring the cost of constructing the main line up to \$25,000 a mile.



Visits Him in the Tombs and Finds

Him Nervous Wreck.

New York, Nov. 13 .- D. M. Delmas the California lawyer, engaged as chief counsel for Harry K. Thaw, said to-day that he had visited Thaw in his cell in the Tombs prison and found a nervous wreck. Mr. Delmas him

him a nerror of the source of ly of a highly nervous temperament." "It is true," said Mr. Delmas, "that some time ago Joseph H. Choate was approached in behalf of Mr. Thaw by his Pittsburg attorney, David B. Wat-son, Mr. Choate declined a retainer, Jchn E. Parsons also was approached, ment among the passengers who were aware of the outbreak of fire soon sub-

MANY MILES OF ICEBERGS.

tomorrow

Montevideo, Uruguay, Nov. 15.-The British steamer Oronso, from Valparaiso, reported having traversed 300 miles of ice-bergs in the neighborhood of the Falk-land islands.

CANVASSING THE VOTES.

New York, Nov. 13.-The board of al-dermen today began the canvass of the votes cast at the state election Nov. 6, and throughout the state the local boards began the same task.

SWEARING IN CONSCRIPTS.

Half of Them at Moscow Refuse to Take Oath of Loyalty to Czar.

Moscow, Nov. 13. -During the swearing in of conscripts here today, disorders broke out, over half of them refusing to take the usual cath of loyalty to the em-peror on account of the pharse pledging them to defend his majesty against all interior enemies. Troops were summoned hut bloodshed was finally averted.

STANDARD OIL MATTERS.

Washington, Nov. 13.-Atty.-Gen. Mondy today held a final conference with Messra, Morrison and Kellogg and Mr. Purdy, as-sistant to the attorney-general, on Stand-ard OI matters. While all concerned are reticent as to the action to be taken, there is a langer any doubt that add will reticent as to the action to be taken, there is no longer any doubt that sult with be entered within a few days against the Standard Oil company of New Jersey under the Sherman anti-trust law.

POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 13.—Burglars blew open the postoffice safe at Oakesdale, Wash., last night, securing about \$50. Postmaster Fred Miller states that a number of attempts have been made to blow up the safe recently, this being the first success.

N. Y. C. & H. R. TRIAL.

New York, Nov. 13.-The trial of the New York Central & Hudson River Rali-road company and the American Sugar Refining company, charged with grauting and receiving rebates on sugar shipments was today adjourned until tomorrow.

Did he say anything to you.

Your brother was with you all the time "Yes."

"Did you ever see John O'Brien or Bell before?"

"No." McWhirter then said that he and his brother were taken to the Antier room-ing house by Larry O'Brien. There he (McWhirter) was introduced to John O'Brien, the latter claiming to be a mining expert. Donaldson was intro-duced as a doctor. John O'Brien then showed the men some ore. A short while later O'Brien asked the doctor to resume the game that they were playresume the game that they were play-ing. Larry O'Brien asked to play and bought \$10 worth of chips at the start. TESTIMONY UNSHAKEN.

"Didn't Larry O'Brien buy \$1 worth of chips instead of \$10," asked Atty.

King, "and pay for them with a silver dollar?" dollar?" "No, sir; he did not. He bought \$10 worth, but did not pay any money." McWhirter then testified that he had never played cards before and that he did not know a jack from a queen, but he did know an ace when he saw one. Didn't you know what cards you Id? Didn't you have two jacks and held?

vo aces?" "I don't know what cards I had." "Do you know what cards Donaldsout

'No, sir." "After the game was played, didn't they explain the game to you?"

No. sir.' "Didn't you ask to play the game ver again?

"No, sir." "Didn't Donaldson have three sevens:

'I don't know; the game was never

finished." "You bet as the cards were dealt, did you not

"Yes, sir." "Didn't Jack O'Brien have a queen

"Didn't Jack O Drien have a queen and you an ace?" "I don't know what he had." "Didn't Donaldson turn his card and say, I win the money?" "No, sir; he reached across the table and grabbed the money and said, I back you this money." and grabbed the money and said, I have won this money."

FEELING AGAINST "DR. JIM."

At this point court adjourned until this afternoon, when McWhirter will be further cross examined. The hear-ing was set for 10 o'clock this morning, but Justice Bishop was delayed and it was after 11 o'clock when the wit-nesses were sworn and the taking of testimony began.

nosses were sworn and the taking of testimony began. The witnesses sworn in by the state were Mrs. Young, the landledy at the Anther rooming house, J. H. McAllister, deputy county surveyor; F. V. Fitz-gerald, and Miss Effie Fay; also Alex-ander and William McWhirter. The McWhirters have a very bitter feeling against Donaldson, which was shown this morning when they refused to ride up town in the same car with him.

MISSOURI PACIFIC TRAIN HURLED FROM THE TRACK.

St. Louis, Nov. 12.-A westbound Mis-souri Pacific passenger imin, while umning at full speed, was huried from the track by spreading ralls near Gien-or 27 miles were of here today and co, 27 miles west of here, today, and beyong cuts and bruises all on board miraculously escaped. The entire train plunged into an embankment and the track bed was torn up for 200 feet.

INDICTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT.

Augusta, Ga., Nov. 13.-E. R. Derry, secretary and ireasurer of the Augusts Real Estate and Building association, has been indicted charged with emisezing from the association a sum approximat-ing \$100,000. Mr. Derry 1s 60 years old and for years has occupied a high post-tion in business and church circles.

-THE-CHRISTMAS NEWS Will be Issued

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1906.

The theme of the issue will be

UTAH AND HER NEIGHBORS: Their Growth and Development During 1906, and Their Prospects for 1907.

The number will be issued in colors and enclosed in illuminated covers.

CHRISTMAS NEWS PRIZES.

In conformity with its custom in the past, which has proved so popular with the public, the Deseret News announces the following prizes for its Christmas issue.

First-A Prize of \$50.00 cash for the best Christmas Story submitted, not to

exceed 8,500 words, about seven columns, or one page, of the Deseret News. Second-A Prize of \$25.00 cash for the best Christmas poem not to exceed 1 200

words. The competition will close on Nov. 20th. 1906. All stories and poems submitted must be addressed the Deseret News. Christmas Department, Salt Lake City, Utah. They must be signed with a nom de plume, or a fictitious name, and a separate envelope must be forwarded containing the real name of the author.

Manuscripts not accepted will be returned on receipt of postage.