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MUST HAVE ABSOLUTE QUIETNESS

Patient will Recover Unless Untoward Conditions Not Now Looked for Intervene

STATEMENT BY GOV. LILLEY'S PHYSICIANS.

As Soon as Possible the Governor is to be Removed from the State where Quiet Rest Can be Assured—Dr. Janeway of New York in Consultation with Family Physicians—Official Bulletin Issued.

Hartford, April 6.—Governor George Leavens Lilley, who lies seriously ill at the executive mansion in Farmington avenue, will recover unless untoward conditions not now anticipated intervene. This was the conclusion reached by his physicians in consultation with Dr. Janeway of New York this afternoon. To bring about the governor's complete restoration to health it will be necessary to take him away. In the statement given out Dr. Graves said:

Statement by Dr. Graves.

"Dr Janeway never makes statements to the press, but he stated that the diagnosis had been correct and that the prognosis is good. The statement which was given out this morning still holds true and Dr. Janeway is of the opinion that Governor Lilley's condition is not alarming and if he can keep quiet he will soon become more comfortable and within a short time can be removed from the state to where he can have absolute peace and quietness. Governor Lilley has been better today than he was yesterday. Dr. Janeway has returned to New York and Dr. Beach will not remain with the governor all night, as there are two trained nurses in attendance.

Illness Not Accompanied by Hysteria.

Dr. Graves said that he himself would return to Waterbury tonight. He further stated that the illness of the governor was not accompanied in any way by hysteria. On the contrary the governor is mentally alert and in excellent spirits. He does not entertain the idea that he is very ill or in even a serious condition. In this his doctors are encouraged because their patient is so cheerful in his enforced activity.

Governor Now Realizes His Limit.

Dr. Graves said that the governor, in speaking of his illness, said: "I see that I did not know my limit but I know it now, and realize that I must take time to rest to get well."

Physicians Issue Official Bulletin.

The official bulletin issued at the executive mansion just prior to Dr. Janeway's arrival and which the latter has endorsed, was as follows:

The governor is resting comfortably and passed a very good night last night. Not because of immediate alarm, but in order that nothing that can be done shall be left undone, we have decided with the family to call in Dr. Janeway from New York, who will see the governor this afternoon.

(Signed)
Charles C. Beach, M.D.
Frederick G. Graves, M.D.

Incipient Stage of Bright's Disease.

It is understood that the two conditions which gave rise to alarm, valvular trouble of the heart and the slight congestion of the kidneys, were brought on by the rather low vitality of the patient because of the nervous exhaustion from which he has suffered the past ten days. In neither case, it is understood, are these particular conditions serious. The congestion of the kidneys is possibly an incipient stage of Bright's disease, but as the physicians are aware of it in the present stage it can probably be counteracted. Every precaution is being taken to note the changes in this respect.

Lieut. Gov. Weeks to Act.

Governor Lilley will sign papers tomorrow, and it may be that he will continue to act as governor this week while the general assembly is in session, and will then relinquish his duties to Lieutenant Governor Weeks.

Necessary to Keep Governor in Good Spirits.

Executive Secretary Goodwin, who was with the patient much of the day, says there is no occasion to be alarmed as to the governor keeping in good spirits, which all believe is a factor in the progress towards renewed health. No bulletins will be given out tonight, but for a few days the physicians will prepare a statement once or twice a day.

The expression of sympathy of the general assembly and the flood of messages of inquiry and sympathy have been an excellent tonic to the patient.

Prayer Offered in Superior Court Room

The entire state has been greatly interested all day in news from the bedside. One of the special incidents in this connection occurred in New Haven, where at the opening of the superior court Rev. G. W. Barhydt of Branford offered the prayer for a governor who is ill in the full form of the Episcopal church ritual. Probably this prayer was never before read in a Connecticut court room.

Place of Rest Not Yet Determined.

Waterbury, April 6.—Dr. Frederick G. Graves, surgeon general on Governor George L. Lilley's staff, returned to his home here early this evening from Hartford, where he went yesterday to confer with Dr. Charles C. Beach, over the condition of Gov. George L. Lilley. Dr. Graves said that beyond his statement to the Associated Press he had nothing to say and preferred to let Dr. Janeway answer all inquiries as to the patient's case and prospects.

He said that it had not yet been determined where Governor Lilley would go to rest. The governor would probably not plan to leave Hartford until early next week, or later, and Dr. Graves could not tell when Dr. Beach would consider the patient well enough to stand a journey of any distance.

Two trained Hartford nurses are in constant attendance at the executive mansion, Dr. Graves said, and everything that can increase the patient's comfort or hasten is recovery is provided for him. At the weekly union Lenten service of the Episcopal churches here, the Rev. John N. Lewis offered prayer with the congregation for the governor's recovery.

TRIAL OF MRS. SAMPSON FOR KILLING HER HUSBAND.

Her Twenty-Year-Old Brother an Interesting Witness.

Lyons, N. Y, April 6.—Frank S. Allyn, the twenty-year-old brother of Mrs. Georgia Allyn Sampson, who is charged with the killing of her husband, Harry Sampson, was an interesting feature on the witness stand today in the trial of his sister before Justice Rich in the supreme court. In a thin, weak voice that could scarcely be heard beyond the jury box, young Allyn told how Harry Sampson staggered into the Allyn dining room on the morning of the shooting and fell dead in the presence of Mrs. Allyn and himself without uttering a word. The witness said that on running to the telephone he found the rifle behind the Sampson dining room door leading to the pantry. It was cocked and a box of cartridges lay on the edge of the wainscotting.

Allyn was still on the witness stand when court adjourned until tomorrow.

The prosecution outlined its case today and from three physicians, Dr. George P. York, Dr. Edwin M. Rodinburger and Dr. Cyrus Jennings, the coroner of Wayne county, developed evidence that no powder marks were found around the wound in Sampson's breast or around the bullet hole in the shirt which he wore. Dr. Rodinburger thought that the edge of the bullet hole in the shirt was slightly charred.

Mrs. Frank Allyn, mother of the defendant, will probably be called to the stand either Wednesday or Thursday.

GOVERNMENT MERGER SUIT

Against the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

Boston, April 6.—In order that the company might join with other defendants in the government merger suit against the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, the answer of the Rhode Island company, which has been brought into the case, was filed in the United States circuit court today by the attorneys of Charles S. Mellen, its president. The answer sets up the same claim as that of the other companies, that the three judges before whom the government seeks to have the case tried on its merits do not constitute a circuit court. The claim has already been disallowed by the three judges, and as a similar decision is expected in the case of the Rhode Island company, it was the opinion at the federal building today that the answer was filed merely in order that the Rhode Island company might be included with the others in case the suit should reach the supreme court.

Vice President Sherman Slightly Indisposed.

New York, April 6.—Vice President James S. Sherman was in town for several hours today, having come down from Albany, where he visited political friends last night. Mr. Sherman expected to remain in the city over night so he could attend a dinner of the Staten Island club at St. George tonight, but a slight indisposition decided him to send his regrets to the Staten Islanders and he left for Washington early this afternoon.

CARS FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN IN NEW YORK SUBWAY.

The Experiment Should Be Tried, Says Chairman Wilcox.

New York, April 6.—Cars for women and children in the subway will probably come now, as the result of a letter from Chairman Wilcox of the public service commission to Frank Hedley, general manager of the line, in which the latter was told that the "commission is the opinion that the experiment of reserving cars for women and children should be tried." The letter was in reply to a query made to the commission by Mr. Hedley regarding the matter.

"The experiment of the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad company with these cars," Mr. Wilcox says, "seems to prove that the suggestion has merits, therefore it would be wise to have a similar trial on the subway."

DEPARTMENT STORES ACCUSED

Of Instigating Opposition Against Increase of Duty on Hosiery and Gloves.

Washington, April 6.—Accusing the large department stores of having instigated the opposition of many women and "hysterical men" against the increase in the duties provided by the Payne tariff bill on women's gloves and hosiery, Representative Payne, chairman of the house ways and means committee, today in a statement which will be printed in the Congressional Record asserted that the importers who oppose the duties were interested in firms abroad which make gloves and hosiery. He presented various arguments in an effort to justify the increased rates from the republican standpoint of protection, contending that the different in cost of labor in the United States and abroad was not covered by the duties levied by the Dingley law.

CHICAGO CITY ELECTION.

Politicians Surprised in Make-up of New Council.

Chicago, April 6.—In the city election today the "little ballot," containing propositions for a tax levy to erect a tuberculosis sanitarium, and the annexation of Evanston and Cicero, was carried by large pluralities, but politicians were surprised in the make-up of the new council. Fewer than half of the registered voters went to the polls. The republicans elected I. N. Powell city treasurer by a plurality of ten thousand, but the republican candidate for city clerk was defeated by F. D. Connery, democrat, who won by about 3,000 votes.

Chicago, April 6.—Final returns show that democrats and republicans each elected 17 aldermen. With holdovers the council is republican by a majority of 12 members.

New York Artist Shot in Chinese Restaurant.

New York, April 6.—Hyman Huberman, 21 years old, said to be an artist, was shot in the abdomen shortly before midnight tonight in a Sixth avenue Chinese restaurant. He was taken to a hospital in a dying condition. Lung C. Him, a Chinese waiter, who was arrested as the assailant, claims he acted in self defense.

Cabled Paragraphs.

Monte Carlo, April 6.—In the motor boat races today the Delabaye IX. won the 50-kilometer event (31 miles) for cruisers over 24 and under 36 feet. The time was one hour 13 minutes and 35 seconds.

L'Orient, France, April 6.—The Brazilian steamship Richard Paul was wrecked by an explosion off this coast. A pilot boat from Concarneau saved the crew. No details of the accident are available.

Kamemetz, Russia, April 6—Thirteen schoolboys were drowned near here today through the floods that cover the country. They were on a bridge over the Smotrich river at the village of Orinina when the structure collapsed and they fell into the water.

London, April 6.—King Edward has definitely expressed the wish to act as godfather to the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hubert Ward, who was born in London March 24. Mrs. Ward is a daughter of Whitelaw Reid, the American ambassador. His majesty has suggested in a letter which followed his telegram of congratulation that the christening take place in the chapel royal, where the Wards were married. The date has not yet been fixed.

ORGANIZATION OF THE WILLIMANTIC TRUST COMPANY

Matter of Extending Time for Such Organization—Hearing at Hartford.

(Special to The Bulletin.)

Hartford, April 6.—If the joint committee on banks is willing to extend the time for the organization of the Willimantic Trust company, a new charter for which a measure has been introduced will not be asked for, but if the committee comes to the conclusion that six years is long enough in which to determine whether or not it is going to be possible to make use of the charter obtained by George E. Hinman in 1903 and refuses to report favorably on the proposition to renew it for another term, the supporters of the bill under which it is desired to organize another trust company in the Thread city will appear to press their case.

This is what Attorney C. A. Capen of Willimantic, appearing for the men who have applied for the new charter, told the committee this afternoon. He said that Willimantic was now a city of 18,000 people and had but one national bank and one savings bank, and that it was felt that a trust company could prosper there, that there was room for it and ample room—without injury to either of the existing banking institutions.

He referred to the fact that a few years ago the city had two savings and two national banks and to the direful day on which it became apparent that half the number in each case was about to end its career in disaster. The city had grown to a very appreciable extent since that time, Mr. Capen said, and the bank deposits are now a half-million less than was the case when there were four banks, but the probable reasons for this are easy to find. He told the committee that it was greatly hoped in Willimantic that the present charter would be continued in force and that he had been authorized by the parties interested in another to withdraw their bill if this should be the case. If not, he would like to be heard and to have them heard later on.

Mayor Dunn appeared in the committee room at this point and told the committee something of the history of the Willimantic Trust company charter which was obtained by Mr. Hinman while he (Dunn) was a member of the house in 1903. It had been obtained against his opposition, for it originally contained much broader powers and rights to engage in various businesses which didn't seem to him to properly belong to trust companies. It also contained a provision that the capital stock of the company should be $50,000 and that only $25,000 of this should be paid in, while he believed that the whole of the capitel stock should be paid in.

Mayor Dunn was defeated in his opposition when the charter was granted, but two years ago he got it amended when an extension was asked, introducing an amendment in the house, after the charter had passed the senate, calling for all of the $50,000 capital stock to be paid in and this was passed. The bill was recommitted at that time and the committee took out various other features which were objectionable. As the charter is now worded there can be none of that dickering or trading with it which is so objectionable, and the law is now in good shape. So that while the mayor had twice appeared against it, he was now appearing in favor of the extension which the present owners asked.

George E. Hinman came into the committee room at this juncture and Senate Chairman Goodwin asked him if the incorporators at the present time were the same who had appeared in the original law as incorporators and was told that they were.

"This charter has been held some time, gentlemen," said Mr. Hinman, "and the holders haven't seen their way clear to organizing a trust company under it. They hope, however, to be able to do something before a great while. The gentlemen interested in the other charter which has been mentioned this afternoon have shown a disposition to come in with us now and let us all take hold and put the matter through at last.

"There is plenty of room for a trust company in our growing little city, without doing injury to any interest now existing there and we are very hopeful that this charter may be renewed this once more and we may have the added time to do something with it."

Senator Goodwin asked if there would be objection to limiting the time to which the charter would be extended, in case the committee should decide to do that, to December 1, 1910, and Mr. Hinman replied that there would be none. He understood that the committee was making a rule of making such extensions only until the date mentioned and felt that if they were going to be able to do anything at all with the charter they would be able to do within the next few months and certainly before the date referred to.

20,000 FEMALES TO PARADE.

Monster Demonstration in Favor of Increase in Duty on Hosiery.

Philadelphia, April 6.—Between fifteen and twenty thousand women and girls from the knitting mills of Pennsylvania will parade the streets of Washington in a monster demonstration in favor of an increase in duty on imported hosiery, according to plans formulated here today by members of the National Associaiton of Underwear and Hosiery Manufacturers. It is estimated that twenty excursion trains of twenty cars each will be needed to convey the paraders from Reading, Easton and Philadelphia, to the national capital.

Steamship Arrivals.

At Genoa, April 5: Europa, from New York.

At Naples, April 3: Virginia, from New York.

Payne Tariff Bill Lively Debate

CONFUSION, WRANGLING AND PERSONALITIES.

HOUSE MEMBERS AT HIGH TENSION

Prepared to Fight to Last Ditch for Demands of Constitutents—Sum Total of the Day's Work.

Washington, April 6.—Wrangling, confusion, captious objections, personalities and language bordering on vituperation marked the first day's discussion of the Payne tariff bill for amendment in the house regular today. With practically a full attendance, the members were wrought up to a high tension and were prepared to fight to the last ditch for those things which their constituencies were demanding.

Lumber and Hides.

The entire day practically was consumed in discussing the lumber and hides schedules. Led by Mr. Tawney of Minnesota, the advocates of free lumber in the rough went down to defeat by the narrow margin of six votes, following the striking out of the countervailing duty on lumber.

An overwhelming majority was mustered against an amendment by Mr. Scott of Kansas, taking hides from the free list and fixing a duty upon them of 10 percentum ad valorem.

The Barley Schedule.

The barley schedule came in for a lively discussion, and when the bill was laid aside for the day there were pending two amendments, one raising the rate in the Payne bill from 15 to 29 cents a bushel and the other fixing the date at 10 per cent. ad valorem.

What the Day's Work Amounted to.

The sum total of the day's work, with the exception of the elimination of the countervailing duties on lumber, which was a committee amendment, was to leave the bill in identically the condition which the committees reported it. This grants free raw hides and a duty of one dollar per thousand sawed lumber.

At 4.58 p. m. the house adjourned until 12 o'clock noon tomorrow.

WOULD-BE BLACKMAILER GRABBED BY DETECTIVES

He Had Seized Fake Package of Money and Started to Run.

Atlanta, April 6.—Charged with attempting to blackmail Asa G. Candler, president of the Atlanta chamber of commerce, banker, and reputed to be Atlanta's wealthiest citizen, out of $35,000 by "Black Hand" methods, Daniel W. Johnson, Jr., 18 years of age, and a member of Dr. Candler's Sunday school class, was arrested tonight at the instance of postoffice inspectors and lodged in Fulton county jail.

Johnson admits writing the letters but declares he was the catspaw of three strangers, two of whom, he claims, forced him to write the demands for money under penalty of death. He furnished the officers with a description of the three men. Last Friday Mr. Candler received a letter in which he was asked to place $35,000 under the steps of a church on Monday night, April 5, "or you and your family will meet a horrible death at our hands." Sunday he received a second letter warning him to comply with the demands. Mr. Candler called Postoffice Inspector Sutton in consultation and it was decided to trap the blackmailers. Mr. Candler drew $35,000 in cash from the bank of which he is president so as to guard against any possible betrayal of his plans. On Monday night he made up a package and placed it at the point designated, the real money in the meantime remaining at his residence, guarded by detectives. Two detectives kept watch near where the fake package was placed but no one appeared during the night for the package.

This morning Mr. Candler received a telephone message demanding that he place $1,000 at a secluded spot on Moreland avenue between Annabel street and Walker alley. Again a fake package was prepared and placed at the spot designated tonight, and Johnson appeared out of the darkness, grabbed up the package and started to run, but he was in the grasp of two detectives before he was aware that he had been observed. After a grueling examination he made a confession, admitting having writtn the two letters.

TORNADO IN MISSISSIPPI.

Illinois Central Depot at Aberdeen Demolished—Five Persons Killed.

Aberdeen, Miss., April 6.—Five persons are known to have been killed, four others injured and still others are buried under the debris of the Illinois Central depot, which was demolished by a tornado which swept through the city of Aberdeen tonight.

The storm, while of short duration, was of great velocity and besides demolishing the depot damaged a number of other buildings. Immediately after the storm passed relief parties were hastily formed and the searching among the wreckage of the depot began. At midnight five bodies of those killed had been recovered and four of the injured.

Connecticut Tax Collectors' Association Formed.

Hartford, Conn., April 6.—Thirty-eight of the tax collectors, representing as many towns and cities of the state, met here today and formed a tax collectors' association. Tax Commissioner W. H. Corbin addressed the members of the new association, after which the following officers were elected: President, F. T. Reeves of Waterbury; vice presidents, J. M. Donnelly of Bridgeport and Otis J. Hart of Hartford. Mr. Hart was also elected treasurer of the association.

Farmer Lynes Released on $5,000 Bonds.

New Canaan, Conn., April 6.—Coroner Doten in the inquest over the death of Wallace Spencer rendered a verdict late today holding William Lynes responsible, preferring a charge of manslaughter against him. He was released on $5,000 bonds. Spencer, a farmhand, who had been discharged by Lynes, attacked the latter in his barn last night, and in the fight that followed Lynes crushed Spencer's skull with a pitchfork.

New London County Meeting Adjourned Three Weeks.

(Special to The Bulletin.)

Hartford, April 6.—There was no business of moment to be done by the New London county meeting today and only a few members gathered at room 66 at 2 o'clock. The meeting was called to order and adjourned to three weeks from this date when it is hoped to have a report from the county commissioners concerning some county matters

Assassin of Petrosino Caught

HE RETURNED TO SICILY FROM NEW YORK FEB. 26.

NAME IS CARLO CONSTANTINO

Palermo Police Believe They Have the Real Murderer — Formerly Kept a Store in New York.

Palermo, April 6.—The police of this city believe they have in custody the real murderer of Joseph Petrosino, the chief of the Italian bureau of the New York police force, who was killed in this city on the night of March 12.

His Name is Carlo Constantino.

The man is Carlo Constantino, and he comes from Partinico, a town fourteen miles from here. Antonio Passanante of the same town and Vito Cascioferro of Bisacquino, a village twenty-seven miles south of Palermo, are regarded as accomplies in the murder.

Got Rich in America.

Constantino and Passanante returned to Sicily from Brooklyn on February 26. The former emigrated to America two years ago. He is an illiterate man, but he returned well off and deposited $6,000 in the Bank of Sicily. In an examination at the hands of the police he contradicted himself frequently. After the murder of Petrosino he sent cipher cable despatches to America, but he refused to explain what they meant.

Black Hand Operator in New York.

New York, April 6.—Lieutenant Gloster, in charge of the Italian detective bureau at police headquarters, said this afternoon that Constantino once kept a store at Seventy-first street, near Second avenue, up until February 26, on which day he sailed back to Italy. Gloster declared that the man was a Black Hand operator.

FINED AND SENTENCED.

Wallingford Man Who Attacked His Wife with Penknife.

Wallingford, Conn., April 6.—Frederick Gregory, who assaulted his wife on March 25, and then cut his own throat, was tried before the local court today on a charge of assault with intent to kill. He was fined $50 and costs and given six months in jail. The jail sentence of six months was suspended and Gregory placed in charge of a temporary probation officer. Gregory was also given the opportunity of paying the fine and costs in installments.

The assault took place in the Gregory home on the night of March 25, when, on being refused money by his wife, he attacked her with a penknife, inflicting cuts on her head and wrist, and then turned the knife on himself, cutting his throat. He was taken to the Meriden hospital, from which place he was released today.

CAPTAIN AND CREW RESCUED.

Ten Men Landed in Baltimore by the German Steamer Walkure.

Baltimore, April 6.—Captain F. E. Dodge and the crew, ten men in all, of the Nova Scotian barkentine Luarca, 682 tons, from Turks Island, salt laden, for Providence, were brought to this city this evening by the German steamer Walkure, Captain Baake, from Vizaga Patam, India, via Bermuda. The Luarca left Turks Island March 13, and encountered head gales and heavy seas. She sprung aleak and last Friday morning, when the Walkure came up, she was abandoned in a sinking condition. Shortly before the rescue Captain Dodge fell down the companionway and broke his leg.

VENEZUELANS UNEASY

At News of Deposed President's Contemplated Return.

New York, April 6.—The Red D liner Philadelphia, which arrived from Venezuelan ports today, is the first steamer to bring the mails from Venezuela since the bubonic plague and the trouble with the Castro government occurred.

Passengers aboard the Philadelphia said that affairs had been in a normal state in Venezuela since the advent of the Gomez administration, but that recently the people had again become uneasy at the news of Castro's contemplated return.

Death of Adjutant General Thomas W. Scott.

Fairfield, Ill., April 6.—Adjutant General Thomas W. Scott died today of heart failure at his home here. General Scott in the Civil war served in the Eighth and the Ninety-eighth Illinois infantry. Jefferson Davis was captured by a detail under Scott. He was promoted several times and in 1865 was appointed brevet major of United States volunteers for meritorious conduct in battle.

North Carolina Constable Killed by Negro Prisoner.

Wilmington, N. C., April 6.—News reached this city today of the killing last night of John Long, a constable and storekeeper near Waiteville, N. C., by Sam Watson, a negro whom he had under arrest and with whom he was on the way to jail. Sheriff Richardson, with bloodhounds, has gone in pursuit of the negro. Feeling is high and summary vengeance may be dealt him if caught.

St. Louis Goes Republican After Eight Years of Democratic Rule.

St. Louis, April 6.—Early returns indicate that St. Louis went republican today after eight years of democratic rule. Returns from 144 out of 403 precincts give Frederick H. Kreismann, republican mayoralty nominee, 19,060 votes, and William G. Woerner, democratic nominee, 15,693. It is predicted the entire republican city ticket, with possibly one exception, was elected.

New Shoe Factory at Marlboro, Mass.

Marlboro, Mass., April 6.—The W. L. Douglas Shoe company today leased the factory of John O'Connell & Sons and will operate it as an auxiliary to the Commonwealth Shoe company's plant, which was leased last December. The Douglas company will employ one thousand hands in Marlboro.

Arrested on Charge of Conducting "Blind Tigers."

Lakeview, O., April 6.—Mayor Charles Miller and four other citizens were arrested here today on the charge of conducting "blind tigers." The mayor was elected on a "dry" platform.

Students on Strike for Extra Vacation.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 6.—Two hundred engineering students at the University of Minneapolis went on strike today for a week's extra vacation.

Condensed Telegrams

President Diaz of Mexico accepted the nomination for another term.

The House Bill to Provide for the next census will be reported to the senate Thursday.

The Senate Confirmed Charles Dyer Norton of Illinois to be assistant secretary of the treasury.

The Turkish Chamber of Deputies, after a stormy debate, approved the Austro-Turkish protocol.

The Spanish Cabinet has decided to introduce in the cortes a bill granting general amnesty to political offenders.

Charles Gaar, capitalist and business man of Richmond, Ind., is mysteriously missing, having disappeared more than a week ago.

Christopher Holland was found guilty in Toronto of attempted fraud on nine banks of Canada and sentenced to five years in Kingston penitentiary.

Former Gov. W. A. Paynter of Nebraska dropped dead while arguing the daylight saloon bill in the office of Gov. Schnellerberger at Lincoln.

On Motion of Counsel for the New York Electric Lines company the supreme court dismissed that company's suit against William B. Ellison.

The British Steamer Oak Branch struck a derelict in the Straits of Westminster and was wrecked. The captain and 20 persons are missing.

After Spending Two Years gathering evidence that filled three printed volumes, the government began its final fight to dissolve the Standard Oil company.

The Leather Industries of the country have opened headquarters in Washington for the purpose of making a fight before congress to restore hides to the free list.

For Violating the Speed Laws on their motorcycles, Joseph W. Bailey, Jr., 16 years old, son of the junior senator from Texas, and two companions were arrested.

In a Battle between members of the Chavez and Padilla families over the boundary line of their adjoining ranches, in Mexico, three of the participants were killed.

Ferdinand Ward of New York, the Napoleon of Finance a quarter of a century ago, was made the defendant in supplementary proceedings over a claim of $2,000 against him.

HARTFORD VOTES FOR LICENSE.

Overwhelming Victory Over Anti-Saloon Element—City Goes Reublican.

Hartford, Conn., April 6.—After one of the bitterest fights in the history of the city, the license element won an overwhelming victory over the anti-saloon element at the local election today, carrying the city for license by over 4,000 majority. The city ticket was carried by the republicans.

The total vote for license was 11,175—7,921 for license and 3,252 against. Of the city officers the republicans elected 32 councilmen and the democrats 8, and seven aldermen to the democrats three. School consolidation, which has been defeated in previous elections, was defeated again today, 5,659 to 2,909. The establishing of a technical high school, which came up before the electors in the form of an appropriation of $600,000, was defeated 4,626 to 2,378. An appropriation of $240,000 for a new municipal building was defeated 4,100 to 3,095.

VIOLATION OF LIQUOR LAW.

Measure of Interest to Saloon Keepers Who Have Been Arrested.

Hartford, Conn., April 6.—The legislative committee on excise today listened to the people interested in the measure which would stop the courts from granting certificates to saloon keepers who have been arrested for violation of the liquor law.

Among the speakers were H. H Spooner, Rev. J. E. Newton of New Haven, William Henry Harrison Hewitt, and in opposition to the measure was N. D. Kendall, a brewer.

Mr. Spooner explained regarding the Model License league, and pointed out that the distillers and liquor dealers are not opposing restrictive legislation, but that the brewers are. He said that the Model License league is favored by the distillers, who believe that reform is necessary if their business is to be continued at all.

Mr. Kendall opposed the measure on the ground that not to allow the granting of certificates would work a great hardship on the saloon keepers, and that the judges of the courts are best fitted to decide such questions.

STATE MILITIA LAWS.

Bill Providing for Change in Laws Withdrawn by Its Author.

Hartford, Conn., April 6.—The bill which was introduced by Representative Williamson of Darien, and which provided for a complete change in the laws relating to the state militia, was withdrawn today by its author. Representative Williamson had previously stated that the measure was introduced by request, and that he was not at liberty to divulge the name of the author. It was learned today that it was the work of Lieut. Frank J. Bloomer of the First infantry of Hartford.

Mr. Bloomer appeared at the capitol today and withdrew the bill, but did not state what his motives were in introducing it.

Among other things it provided that the adjutant general should be appointed by the commander in chief and with the consent of the senate, and should hold office for four years. It further provided that the office must be conducted at a cost not to exceed $2,500 per year, which military men say would be impossible.

Thirteen Philadelphia Firemen Overcome by Fumes of Chemicals.

Philadelphia, April 6.—Thirteen firemen were overcome by the fumes of chemicals at a fire tonight in the manufacturing plant of McIlvane Brothers, manufacturers of soap and insect powders. The damage to the building and contents is estimated at $25,000. All the injured firemen were removed to hospitals, where it was stated they would recover from the effect of the fumes.

Vancouver Longshoremen's Strike is Ended.

Vancouver, B. C., April 6.—With the arrival of additional men from Winnipeg, the longshoremen's strike ended today. Work on all steamers was resumed. A large percentage of old hands returned to work.

U. S. Cruiser Prairie at Newport.

Newport, R. I., April 6.—The United States cruiser Prairie, Commander Frank W. Kellogg, commanding, arrived at the naval station here from southern waters today. The Prairie will ship a draft of apprentices for the Asiatic and Pacific stations.

ROOSEVELT MEETS KING OF ITALY

Introduced to Each Other on Italian Battleship Re Umberto in Messina Harbor

INSPECTION OF EARTHQUAKE RUINS.

Mr. Roosevelt Congratulated the American Workers on the Speed Made in Hut Construction—Women Kissed Their Hands to the Ex-President—Children Strewed Path with Flowers—Takes Steamer for Mombasa.

Messina, April 6.—Theodore Roosevelt and King Victor Emmanuel met today on the Italian battleship Re Umberto in Messina harbor. The meeting was characterized by the utmost cordiality, and the king took the occasion to express the gratitude of himself and the Italian people for the generous assistance of the American people to the earthquake sufferers. At the close of the interview Mr. Roosevelt went ashore and inspected the ruins of the city, the desolation of which moved him strongly. He then boarded the steamer Admiral, which just at sunset hoisted her anchors and proceeded on her way to Mombasa.

Met King at the Gangway.

The Admiral arrived at Messina about 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and was saluted by the Re Umberto, with the king on board, which reached here in the morning. Almost immediately Captain Pfister, the former Italian military attache at Washington, and now aide to Admiral Mirabello, was taken to the Admiral in a launch, and inquired for Mr. Roosevelt. To him he said the king sent his compliments, and would have great pleasure in receiving the former president of the United States. Mr. Roosevelt's face lit up with a pleased smile, and, accompanied by his son Kermit and Ambassador Griscom, he proceeded at once to the battleship. The king met the party at the head of the gangway and he greeted the ex-president effusively, shaking him warmly by the hand. He did not wish, he said, to allow the opportunity to pass of making the personal acquaintance of so distinguished a man. Above all, he wanted personally to thank the ex-president for the help extended by America at the time of the earthquake. "You are now able," he added, "to understand better what a terrible disaster it was."

Invited by King to Visit Rome.

Mr. Roosevelt replied, thanking the sovereign for the compliment paid him in inviting him to come aboard the Re Umberto. He said that the American people did not wish thanks for what they had done, as they had merely tried to do their duty, and knew no better way to confront the immense need than by their work and contributions. The conversation then turned to the hunting trip in Africa.

Before leaving, the king saluted Mr. Roosevelt, wishing him a happy and successful trip and much good luck in the way of hunting. He asked Mr. Roosevelt to promise that he would visit Rome on his return, when the queen would be pleased to make his acquaintance.

Mr. Roosevelt was charmed with the courtesy of the king and declared that it was the most interesting half hour he had spent since he left the United States.

Inspection of Messina Ruins

The inspection of the ruins then began, the party including Mr. Roosevelt and Kermit, Ambassador Griscom, Lieutenant Commander Belknap, Earl Dodge, Winthrop Chandler, Lieutenant Allen Buchanan and Ensign J. W. Wilcox of the United States gunboat Scorpion, Surgeon Donelson and Ensign R. W. Spofford of the U. S. S. Celtic, and John Elliot, an artist, son-in-law of Mrs. Julia Ward Howe.

Workers Congratulated.

In the American quarter Mr. Roosevelt congratulated the American workers on the speed with which they had constructed the huts. He shook hands with the men from the American navy who are directing the work, leaving them highly delighted at the chance which brought them before the ex-president.

Considerable trouble was experienced in making their way through the city, and rain, which soon began to fall, added greatly to the difficulties of the journey, as the mud was very deep. In the hut where the American workers made their headquarters a glass of wine was offered to Mr. Roosevelt, who, raising the glass, said: "I drink to all the men, of whatever nationality, who have worked and are working to relieve what befell the Sicilian people."

The people of Italy, he added, would have energy enough to rebuild Messina, but it was the work for Titans.

Ex-President Moved to Emotion.

The ex-president's departure from the city to go aboard his steamer was marked by scenes that moved him to emotion. Although it was raining heavily by this time, the people gathered in crowds. The women kissed their hands to him, the children threw flowers in his path, and the men cheered wildly. It was a spontaneous greeting to one who had been their friend. Turning to one of the members of his party, Mr. Roosevelt said: "I am glad and proud as an American citizen that my country could do something to help this immense disaster, for which even all the assistance in the world would be insufficient."

THE LICENSING AND INSPECTION OF PLUMBERS.

Substitute Measure Looking for Better Work in General.

Hartford, Conn., April 6.—A substitute measure has been presented to the committee on public health and safety in place of the one introduced regarding the licensing and inspection of plumbers.

The substitute measure modifies the original in a number of ways, and was given a hearing by the committee this afternoon.

Those in favor of it were represented by Attorney J. Birney Tuttle and a number of journeymen plumbers, workmen and master plumbers were heard in favor of the substitute measure. The proposed legislation would create a system of examination, licensing and inspection of plumbers and their work in cities or towns having over 10,000 population. Examiners would be appointed in different communities.

The measure is opposed by a number of manufacturers throughout the state, who claim that it would interfere with their business. It was explained, however, that the plumbing was not intended to include piping and steam fitting work.

Those in favor of the measure stated that it would make good work done by plumbers more general, and that it was in the interests of sanitation.

Toward the close of the hearing those in opposition pointed out that the statutes at present provide that such inspectors may be appointed by the different towns and cities throughout the state.

COAL CONFERENCE TODAY.

It is Said Demands Made at First Meeting Will Be Withdrawn.

Philadelphia, April 6.—President T. L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers and his committee from the three anthracite districts were in consultation here tonight at the headquarters of the Central Labor union to arrange the preliminaries for their conference tomorrow with the coal operators over the renewal of the wage agreement. It is understood that practically all the demands made at the first conference will be withdrawn and that of the new demands the principal one will be for a method by which grievances can be settled quicker than by the present conciliation board. The district officials seem inclined to make concessions to the operators, provided the latter meet them half way.

One of the officials admitted that recognition of the union would be waived provided certain other demands are granted by the operators.

ANNUAL TAX INCREASED.

Affects Stock of Corporations Formed Under New Jersey Laws.

Trenton, N. J., April 6.—The state senate today passed the Freelinghuysen bill increasing the annual tax on the capital stock of corporations formed under the laws of New Jersey. The bill applies to corporations with $50,000,000 or more capitalization, and increases the tax from $50 a million to $150. This would provide an annual revenue to the state of about $300,000. The bill affects about 200 corporations. It would compel the United States Steel corporation to pay the state about $85,000 a year, in addition to the $47,000 paid now.

Persian Shah's Commander in Chief Assassinated.

St. Petersburg, April 6—Persian despatches received here state that a revolutionary soldier assassinated the shah's commander in chief, Ain Ed Dowleh, near Tabriz, with a bomb. Ain Ed Dowleh was former grand vizier.

PRACTICALLY WRECKED OFF CAPE HATTERAS.

Serious Plight of Schooner—Crew Refused to Leave Vessel.

New York, April 6.—The plight at sea of the schooner A. and M. Carlisle was told tonight by Captain Von Litner of the steamer Prinz Joachim, just in from West Indian ports. The schooner's mainmast is broken off close to the deck and her mizzen topmast is gone, and thus practically wrecked the vessel is laboring in the seas some miles off Hatteras. Captain Von Litner fell in with the Carlisle on April 5 in latitude 33.29, longitude 13.49. Two manila lines were run to the schooner and the Prinz Joachim towed her for two hours. Then the hawsers parted.

Captain Von Litner circled around the schooner and advised Captain Horner that on account of having a perishable cargo he would be unable to make another attempt to tow his vessel. He offered to take the crew, but they refused to leave the vessel.

The Carlisle hails from Philadelphia and sailed March 17 for Charleston.

GEN. CASTRO IN VIOLENT RAGE.

Hears that He Will Not Be Allowed to Land at Trinidad.

Paris, April 6.—A despatch to the Journal from BasseTerre, Guadeloupe, says that General Castro, learning that he will not be allowed to land at Trinidad, has decided to leave the ship at Fort De France, Martinique.

The news that he would not be allowed to land at Trinidad threw Castro into a violent rage. Prior to leaving Pointea-Pitre he left a vigorous protest with the British consul against the instructions of the British government. He showed particular annoyance at the prehence of an American cruiser which will escort the Guadeloupe to her final destination. To the Journal correspondent he said: "The existing Venezuelan government has certainly asked for the intervention of the United States of America, which means that a revolution is imminent in Caracas. I shall abstain from taking part in it."

Senor Castro will send his family to La Guaira.

OCTOBER 12 LEGAL HOLIDAY.

To Be Known as Columbus Day—Hearing at Connecticut Capitol.

Hartford, April 6—Eulogies of Christopher Columbus were pronounced today by speakers from all parts of the state before the committee on judiciary at the capitol, in the hall of representatives, when the resolution making October 12 a legal holiday to be known as Columbus day, in honor of the discoverer of America. The hall was filled with Italians and many others from the various sections of the state and references to Columbus and to Italians as good citizens brought forth rounds of applause. The measure was introduced by Representative Hayes of Waterbury, and he opened the discussion and called on the various speakers. He said he had introduced the resolution at the instance of a large part of his constituents and of people in other parts of the state.

Many speeches were made in favor of the resolution and none in opposition.

Body of Second Victim of Drowning Accident Recovered.

Newmarket, N.