

certain conditions to about twenty-five officers who, on being examined for promotion, were found to be incapacitated for service by reason of physical disability contracted in the line of duty, and who were accordingly retired with the rank to which their seniority entitled them to be promoted.

HARMONY PREVAILED

Concessions Made by Delaware Democrats in Caucus.

INDORSER JUDGE GRAY

RESOLUTION FOR INDOREMENT, BUT NO INSTRUCTIONS.

Both Factions Satisfied With Settlement of Disagreement—Six Delegates Will Be Uninstructed.

DOVER, Del., June 7.—Indications point to a harmonious democratic state convention. Peace to a great measure is due to concessions made by both the Gray and the White man.

MR. LIVINGSTON'S VIEW OF THE COMING POLITICAL ISSUE.

"It seems to me that if the Parker campaign is managed rightly there should be no difficulty in securing his nomination," said Representative Livingston today after returning here from Georgia, where the state convention recently instructed its delegates for the New York judge.

"But we must consider the fact that the Parker holding 200 votes he can probably, under the present rule, prevent the nomination of any one.

"It should be remembered that the instructions of the Georgia delegates are not ironclad. The delegates are instructed to vote for Parker as long as there is a reasonable chance of his being elected."

JUSTICE STAFFORD'S DUTIES.

Work He Will Have to Do After Taking the Oath.

When Wendell Phillips Stafford qualifies as associate justice of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia he will be assigned to preside in Equity Court No. 2 and in the Probate Court. Justice Gould will transfer from Equity Court No. 2 to Criminal Court No. 2 and will also attend to the business of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia.

ARREST OF BLANCHE RYAN.

The State Department has been notified by the Department of Justice that its agents have arrested at Little Rock Blanche Ryan, a woman of \$5,000 worth of diamonds in Chihuahua, Mexico, for whom the police have been searching about four months.

DOMINICAN REVOLT CRUSHED.

Minister Powell reports to the State Department by mail from Port au Prince May 25 that the insurgents in Monte Christ district suffered a crushing blow at the hands of the government troops and are escaping to Haiti, the president of which country has refused to furnish arms and ammunition and has massed a force on the border to turn them back into San Domingo.

ATTEND MISSOURI ENCAMPMENT.

Brig Gen. Henry Jackson, retired, and Capt. Edgewood W. Evans, 8th Cavalry, have been assigned to attend the encampment of the Missouri militia, from July 17 to 26.

MOVEMENTS OF NAVAL VESSELS.

The Navy Department has been informed by cable of the arrival of the gunboat Wilmington at Hong Kong.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Addison T. Smith, private secretary to Senator Heyburn, will leave late this afternoon for St. Louis, where he will join the senator and visit the exposition.

BUTCHERS TO GO TO RIVER VIEW.

Arrangements are completed for the second annual excursion of the Master Butchers' Association of this city, which will take place tomorrow.

MEMENTO FOR MISS ROOSEVELT.

ST. LOUIS, June 7.—As a memento of her appearance at the Olympic games, where she awarded the senior A. A. U. championship medals last Saturday, the department of physical culture of the university has arranged to present Miss Alice Roosevelt, eldest daughter of President Roosevelt, with a handsome souvenir which is composed of three medals and a buckle, joined by ribbons of the exhibition colors.

MALTING PLANT DAMAGED BY FIRE.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 7.—The malting plant of William Gerlach & Co., at 8th and Chestnut streets, was badly damaged by fire today. The plant occupied half a block, and was valued at \$200,000.

ATTORNEYS IN CONFERENCE.

Mr. Andrew A. Lipcomb this afternoon held a long conference with United States Attorney Beach in reference to the alleged embezzlement by Mr. Lipcomb's ex-employer in the Washington Beneficial Endowment Association case, Thomas M. Fields, of about \$10,000.

WANTS STATEMENT.

Communication regarding estate of the late Martha P. Myers.

In referring to the recent alleged defalcation by Willard H. Myers, a communication was received today by the register of wills from C. M. D. Browne of 144 R street northeast, husband of Julia Myers Browne, oldest heir under the will of the late Martha P. Myers.

BANANA CROPS COME OFFEN.

From the Mexican Herald.

There is a very interesting and important idea abroad concerning the harvesting of the banana crop, said Edward M. Watson, who has been for seven years on a plantation in Honduras.

AFTER ELECTION.

From the New York Times.

When we are through with the excitement of politics and whether glad or sorry that the issue has been decided, we shall be able to look back on the opportunities which await us as about the best business in which we can engage.

LOOSE CLOTHES FOR MEN.

Appearance of Length Sought—Solid Colors Predominate for Shirts.

From the New York Sun.

Men's dress is still made loose fitting. The best tailors here and in London seem to think that their responsibility ends when they make coats fit over the shoulders.

DO WE EAT TOO MUCH?

From the New York Tribune.

Many scientific investigators of the average diet of civilized people long ago arrived at the conclusion that most people eat too heartily.

INTERESTING REPORT SUBMITTED—OLD DIRECTORY IS RE-ELECTED.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 7.—The annual meeting of stockholders of the Pennsylvania Telephone Company was held in the general office in this city today.

A GREAT MUSICIAN AT NINETY-NINE.

From the London News.

Manuel Garcia, the famous teacher of singing and inventor of the laryngoscope, was born on March 17, 1805, so that today he has completed his ninety-ninth year.

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