TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

BUSINESS.

Yesterday's bank clearings were $9,667,100; balances $862,929. Local discount rates were between 4½ and 6 per cent. Domestic exchange was quoted as follows: New York, 45c discount bid, 35c discount asked; Chicago, 20c discount bid, 20c discount asked; Cincinnati, Louisville and New Orleans, 25c discount bid, par asked.

Wheat closed lower at $1.16⅝ asked Dec.; $1.17½@1.19 No. 2 red. Corn closed lower at 49⅝c asked Dec.; 53⅝@54c No. 2 mixed. Oats closed at 23c asked Dec.; 23@23½c No. 2 mixed.

Spot cotton was unchanged in the local market.

WASHINGTON.

United States Consul MacWade, stationed at Canton, China, is dismissed from the diplomatic service, the result of an investigation into charges of unbecoming conduct.

WAR IN THE FAR EAST.

U. S. S. Grafton, flagship of the British Pacific squadron, is held in readiness to pursue the Russian cruiser Lena if the latter should be compelled at once to leave San Francisco.

Probabilities are that the Lena will disarm at San Francisco to remain until the end of the war.

Rations are growing short at Port Arthur, but the soldiers, inspired by the example of General Stoessel, have not lost courage.

Russians at Port Arthur complain that the Japanese refuse to allow the burial of their own dead and violate the Red Cross flag.

General Kuropatkin has at last transmitted to the Emperor a detailed account of the fighting at Liao-Yang.

It is estimated that the Russian losses at Liao-Yang were, altogether, somewhat less than 17,000.

LOCAL AND SUBURBAN.

Friends toasted Health Commissioner John H. Simon as a candidate for Mayor at a banquet last night.

In a quarrel over divorce, Edward Schultz, a retired brewer, was shot and seriously wounded by his bride of less than a year.

A reproduction of the Louisiana transfer was the feature of the observance of Louisiana Day at the World's Fair yesterday.

Miss Etta Louise Carter resigned as secretary of the Board of Lady Managers of the World's Fair.

Strange woman deserted a baby on a Market street car.

Republicans are somewhat disappointed at the reception of their candidate, C. P. Walbridge, in his tour of the State.

Captain R. H. Pilcher of Custer City, S. D., will celebrate his hundredth anniversary at the Fair to-day.

H. O. Taylor has the best aged Jersey bull exhibited at the World's Fair Cattle Show.

The National Association of Electrical Contractors adjourned so that its delegates could take part in the St. Louis Day celebration.

The International Electrical Congress adjourns until to-morrow, to give its delegates an opportunity to help celebrate St. Louis Day.

At the closing session of the Interparliamentary Union conference the delegates favored a better organization of the various groups.

GENERAL DOMESTIC.

J. C. Hurst of Breathitt County, Kentucky, returns to his home, taking with him the body of William Hapmton, from whom he became separated in St. Louis nine days ago, and whose dead body he found on the table of a St. Louis medical hospital, whose name he does not know.

The Missouri State University opens at Columbia, the attendance on the first day indicating that President Jesse's prediction of 1,800 may be fulfilled.

Doctor E. B. Craighead, president of the State Normal School at Warrensburg, has been offered the presidency of Tulane University, New Orleans, and it is thought he will accept.

Crop experts think the corn crop has not been damaged by the frosts of the present week.

Governor Peabody of Colorado is renominated by the Republicans.

The Bankers' Association, in session at New York, defeats the resolution to create a fidelity fund to insure against the dishonesty of employes.

Three hundred naval reserves of Illinois will participate in the Illinois exercises September 21 and 22 at the World's Fair.

The body of a young woman who probably had been murdered was found in a trunk on the lake front at Cleveland, O.

Judge Parker goes to New York on board the yacht Sapphire to begin a series of conferences with party leaders.

SPORTING.

Zinda and J. W. O'Neill are probable winners to-day.

Frankie Howe was disqualified in the sixth round of his fight with Nick Santora.

Browns and Tigers break even in doubleheader for fifth time in six days.

Three favorites came home first at Delmar. They were Lady Lou, Worthington, Dolinda, Extol, Lubin and The Hebrew.

A Baltimore physician fights Tom Sharkey, the pugilist, because the latter insists on buying drinks for a crowd of visiting Eagles, whom the physician is entertaining.

Ralph Rose, the young California hammer-thrower, seeks to fight James Jeffries for the heavy-weight championship of the world.

Marine Intelligence.

New York, Sept. 14.—Arrived: Oceanic from Liverpool.

Antwerp, Sept. 14.—Sailed: Steamer Rhynland for Philadelphia.

New York, Sept. 14.—Arrived: Cevic from Liverpool. Sailed: Steamers Majestic for Liverpool; Citta di Torino for Naples and Genoa; Helligolav for Christiania, Copenhagen.

Queenstown, Sept. 14.—Arrived: Steamer Carpathia, New York, for Liverpool, and proceeded.

Copenhagen, Sept. 11.—Arrived: Hekla from New York via Christiansand and Christiana; Oscar II via Christiansand.

Glasgow, Sept. 14.—Arrived: Anchoria from New York; Sarmatian from Boston.

Plymouth, Sept. 14.—Arrived: Molike from New York for Cherbourg and Hamburg (and proceeded).

Liverpool, Sept. 13.—Arrived: Iberian from Boston for Manchester.

Queenstown, Sept. 14.—Sailed: Ivernia (from Liverpool) for Boston.

St. Vincent, Cape Vincent, Sept. 14.—Arrived: Serapis from San Francisco, etc., for Hamburg.

Liverpool, Sept. 14.—Sailed: Noordland, Philadelphia, Queenstown; Teutonic, New York for Queenstown.

New York, Sept. 14.—Arrived: Aurania from Liverpool and Queenstown.

RETAINED AS MANAGER.

Colonel Cummins to Continue in Charge of Exhibition Features.

Joseph S. McIntyre, receiver for the Cummins Wild West Show at the World's Fair, informed Colonel Frederick T. Cummins yesterday that he will be retained under the receivership as general manager of all the exhibition features, an office which he has held since the first day the show has been produced.

Colonel Cummins is a native of Tennessee. Since arriving at man's estate he has given many years of his life to the study of the American Indian in the West and Southwest.

He was manager of the Indian Congress at both the Omaha expositions and the more recent Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, and has always made his attractions profitable and interesting.

FOUND FRIEND ON DISSECTING TABLE

William Hampton Disappeared From J. C. Hurst at Union Station on Train's Arrival.

SEARCH TOOK SEVEN DAYS.

Body Found Surrounded by Medical Students in an Institution Whose Name and Location Hurst Did Not Learn.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 14.—J. C. Hurst of Breathitt County, after becoming separated from his companion, William Hampton of Simpson, Ky., in St. Louis, after searching for him for seven days and finally finding his dead body upon the dissecting table of a hospital whose name or address he does not remember, to-day returned to his mountain home, bringing with him Hampton's corpse.

Hampton's body was buried at Simpson late this afternoon.

Hurst is United States Commissioner of the Breathitt County District, having succeeded Judge J. B. Marcum, who was assassinated at Jackson more than a year ago. Hampton was a merchant at Simpson, and prominent in the Republican party of Breathitt County.

While in this city awaiting the train to Simpson, Hurst stated that he and Hampton went to St. Louis Tuesday, September 5, arriving there about 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

"Upon leaving the train," said Hurst, "Hampton discovered that he had left his hat in the smoking compartment, and I volunteered to get it for him, telling him to await me where he was.

HAMPTON WAS MISSING.

"The time consumed in going through the train, finding the hat and returning to the rear of the train, I should think, was about five or six minutes, but upon reaching the place where I left Hampton he was missing.

"I thought that he had just gone a short distance, and began looking around through the big station in an effort to locate him. After several hours I grew alarmed and began a systematic search of the city.

"Early Wednesday morning I visited the Fair grounds, where I fully expected to find [illegible], thinking that would be the first place he would go.

"For six days I walked the streets of St. Louis, visiting the Fair grounds each day, in the hope of finding him. I also made daily trips to the various hotels and hospitals, thinking that in some of these institutions I would surely get some tidings of him.

BODY ON DISSECTING TABLE.

After a tedious search of one week I found the dead body of Hampton on a dissecting table of a hospital, where the knife was being used by medical students. Upon finding the body I sent a telegram to Mrs. Hampton, in Breathitt County, and left immediately for Kentucky.

During the weary search of a week, Hurst, he says, did not notify the police of St. Louis or ask them to assist him, thinking that he would certainly find the man alive and well. It was impossible, he said, to learn the name of the hospital where the body was found, as Hurst was told by the men in charge that it was a temporary institution. Not being acquainted with the names of the streets he does not even know what street the place is on.

WILL UNRAVEL MYSTERY.

It is given out here to-night by friends of Hampton that efforts will be made to learn the cause of his death, and the Police and Detective departments of St. Louis will be asked to locate the hospital where the body was found.

Hurst stated that he would return to St. Louis after the funeral of his friend and do everything in his power to unravel the deep mystery surrounding his death. Hurst is a brother-in-law of Judge D. H. Redwine of Jackson.

Identification of Hampton's body was made through letters and papers found in the pockets of the clothing.

W. A. HAMPTON DIED IN THE CITY HOSPITAL.

W. A. Hampton of Simpson, Ky., who was taken to the City Hospital September 6 and confined as an alcoholic and observation patient, died at 1 p. m. September 9. The hospital records show that Hampton was 39 years old, married and a trader by occupation. He was patient No. 4725, and was assigned to division No. 39.

Hampton was brought to the City Hospital at 9:30 a. m. on September 6 in a city ambulance.

Portraits in Fire.

The great Pain will have as the feature of his fireworks exhibit in the Stadium, World's Fair grounds, to-night pyrotechnical portraits of President Francis and Mayor Rolla Wells.

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS WILL CELEBRATE TO-DAY.

Visitors Will Help Residents in Observance of City's Day at the Fair —To Re-elect Officers.

Wishing to be loyal to the city in which they are holding their convention, the National Association of Electrical Contractors, in session in the Century building, will hold only one session to-day. The meeting will take place this morning, and the afternoon will be spent by the members of the association at the Fair.

Delegates spent last night in seeing the Pike. They were accompanied on this tour by the women members, who met them at 6 o'clock at the Missouri building.

The session yesterday was executive and the proceedings of the session were made known only to the members of the organization.

The election of officers will take place to-morrow, and it is generall understood among the members that all of the present officers will be re-elected.

A faultless dentifrice must be antiseptic, cleansing, preservative and harmless. SANITOL is the only Tooth Powder pronounced faultless by chemists.

FRENCH COMMISSION'S RECEPTION.

President Francis and Commissioner General Picard Guests of Honor.

President Francis, Commissioner General Picard of France and Governor Blanchard of Louisiana will be the guests of honor to-morrow at a reception to be given by the Comite de l'Exposition Francaise de la Louisiane in room 213 of the Anthropology building at the World's Fair.

The reception will be from 4 to 6 o'clock and will be attended by many of the peace delegates, foreign jurors, the Louisiana party and many Exposition officials and foreign Commissioners.

The Garde Republicaine Band, by special courtesy of the French Commission, will be stationed on the Administration quadrangle just outside the Anthropology building, and will render a programme at the reception, which will include the French and American national hymns, the "Marseillaise" and the "Star-Spangled Banner," respectively.

A. D. Edgar Dies.

Helena, Mont., Sept. 14.—Alfred D. Edgar, who has been general agent of the Northern Pacific Railway since the road was built into Helena, died to-day of dropsy.

LONG-FAULCONER WEDDING TAKES PLACE AT MONTGOMERY CITY, MO.

MRS. CLARENCE COLUMBUS LONG. REV. CLARENCE COLUMBUS LONG.

Mr. and Mrs. Long were married yesterday afternoon at Montgomery City, Mo. The bride was Miss Leola Houston Faulconer.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Montgomery City, Mo., Sept. 14.—The Reverend Clarence Columbus Long and Miss Leola Houston Faulconer were married at 2 p. m. to-day by the Reverend C. A. Mitchell. The wedding ceremony took place in the Baptist Church, and Mr. Mitchell was assisted by the Reverend T. M. Green.

The bride is the daughter of Doctor C. R. Faulconer, a retired physician and prominent business man of this city. She is a niece of Judge Houston W. Johnson of this judicial circuit.

Mr. Long is a minister of the Baptist Church. He is now making a study of advanced branches in Missouri State University, and with his wife will live in Columbia this year.

ALL ST. LOUIS WILL ATTEND FAIR TO-DAY.

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ment on the Plaza of St. Louis, Mayor Rolla Wells, President D. R. Francis of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition and General John C. Bates, U. S. A., will review the parade. As the stand will accommodate but thirty persons, a limited number will be invited to be present on the memorable event.

TO FURNISH EMPLOYES TICKETS.

Additional list of houses which will close St. Louis Day and furnish employes admission tickets: Louis Kiesel Coal and Wood Company, S. C. McCormick & Co., American Refrigerator Transit Company, Davenport Upholstery and Decorating Company.

Additional list of houses which will close on St. Louis Day:

G. D. McDougal, the Association of Master Plumbers, Ben Mayer, May S. Putnam, Press System Land and Irrigation Association, Alex. Fleming, Aug. Gundlach, Ellen L. Gillespie, Nettie E. Weber, M. Mahony, Circuit Court Eighth Judicial Circuit of Missouri, Daniel Freedman & Co., George W. Ehrig Grocery Company, Aug. Wagner Commission Company, F. Beyer & Son, the World Evangel, Batada Ghia Real Estate Company, Mrs. Carrie Percival, J. Summers, Ernest Schlueter, Aug. W. Taube, Insulate Electric Company, H. Suffeld, Louis Meier, J. Wolfson, Chapman Art Company, C. E. Hamlose, B. Frankel & Co., Joyce & Fry, Climax Nut Lock and Manufacturing Company, United States Circuit Court, United States District Court, George T. Matthews & Co., Union Premium and Mercantile Company, Henry Kastrup, Joseph Kosbowski, M. Frinkelstein, Lindell Hotel Company, Miss M. A. Cheshore, Armour Car Lines, C. H. Namendorf, Geyer Avenue Pharmacy, Missouri American Electric Company, D. Criss, E. Fh., Gustav Vogler's Bakery and Confectionery, O. S. Maynard, A. Gilbert & Sons, Abel Gerhard Plumbing Company, Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf and Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railways, H. M. Starkloff, M. J. Lawler, Merchants' Transportation Association, Alfalfa Meal Company, Monroe & Co.

FEDERAL COURTS CLOSE.

Judge Amos M. Thayer has issued an order closing the United States Circuit Court and also the offices of the Clerk of the Circuit and District courts on St. Louis Day.

The calisthenic drill of the children of the various Turner societies, which was announced to take place on the Plaza of St. Louis, will be abandoned. It is more than probable that the large crowd would interfere too seriously to permit of a successful exhibition.

PARADE OF ALL NATIONS.

One of the most impressive sights of the programme to-day will be the Congress of Nations, which will be held in the Stadium at 5:30 o'clock in the evening. There are gathered in the World's Fair grounds the greatest collection of strange people ever seen at any one Exposition. There are the Patagonian giants from South America, in their native dress; the hairy Ainus, the primitive people of Japan, who were brought from their homes on the inland seas of the little Empire of Sol spreading islands; the bloodthirsty cannibalistic head-hunters of the South Sea Island; the tiny pygmies from the depths of the African forests with their native customs and their barbaric rites; the dog-eating Igorrotes from the Philippines, headed by their hereditary chief, Antonio, who has but recently returned from his visit to Washington, on which occasion he offered to lay at the feet of the President of the United States the heads of all the enemies of the United States Government who might be found in the fastnesses of his native land; the North American Indians of a dozen tribes in gaudy war paint and brilliant blankets; the Eskimos from the far North; Turks, Arabs, Chinese, Japanese, Arabians, Hindoos and representatives of every other of the known races of the world.

These strange people will enter the Stadium in one grand parade, after which will be given a number of native dances of the various countries by all of those nationalities possessing artists who are devotees of Terpsichore.

WATER CARNIVAL AT NIGHT.

After the countless lights upon the great buildings surrounding the lagoon have been flashed before the eyes of the people who will gather in honor of St. Louis Day, there will be a brilliant water carnival, which will begin at 8 p. m. and will form a fitting climax to the other events of the great day. All of the electric craft and craft propelled by human power, gondolas, launches and the skiffs and sailing vessels of the natives of other lands will participate in the grand parade upon the water.

GENERAL MUSIC PROGRAMME.

One of the features of the day will be the ceremonies conducted by the President of the World's Fair and the distinguished visitors, and the great chorus of 2,000 voices, accompanied by Weil's Band, in which the audience is expected to join, will render a song service at the Louisiana Monument at 11 a. m. The chorus consists of pupils from the high schools and the advanced parochial schools of the city, while the speeches will consist of an address by President David R. Francis of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, Mayor Rolla Wells of St. Louis and other prominent citizens of the city of St. Louis.

GRENADIER GUARDS BAND.

A part of the St. Louis Day programme which no lover of music can afford to miss will be the appearance of the noted Grenadier Guards Band of London. This band, consisting in all of sixty pieces, is one of the most famous musical organizations the world has ever known and has been in existence for almost a century. In England the Grenadier Guards Band is known as the "King's Own," and is always at all state functions. The British Guards Band has been seen in America but once before, and possibly never will be seen here again, the brief leave of absence of six weeks which it secured in order to discourse music at the World's Fair being a special mark of esteem which the King of England has shown the greatest of all world's fairs. The Grenadier Guards Band will be heard in Plaza St. Louis from 10 a. m. until 12 m. and from 4 until 6 p. m. on St. Louis Day.

GARDE REPUBLICAINE BAND.

Another famous band which will participate in the exercises is the Garde Republicaine, the national band of France, which is under the direct control of the French Government, occupying a position similar to that held by the Marine Band of this country. The Garde Republicaine is a massive organization with a membership of eighty-five musicians. It has been in America but once before, in 1902. On account of the size of the band, there is but one place at the World's Fair grounds which can properly accommodate the organization, and that is the Machinery Gardens. The Garde Republicaine will give one concert on St. Louis Day, from 7:30 p. m., and this concert will be of more than ordinary interest to the lover of the best in music.

MEXICAN NATIONAL BAND.

In the Cascade Gardens, from 4 to 8 p. m., the Mexican National Band, which was sent to the Fair by President Diaz as Mexico's contribution to the gayety of nations at the World's Fair, will be heard in concert of more than ordinary interest. The Mexican Band is composed of eighty-two of the best musicians of the Republic of Mexico, and for many years has been one of the features of the great functions in the capital of that country. The Mexican Band is another organization which every visitor to the Fair should hear.

AIDS DESERVING PERSONS.

Executive Commissioner George N. Kingsbury of Rhode Island sent $10 to Secretary Morgan of the Merchants' Exchange, with which to buy tickets for deserving people St. Louis Day. Mr. Kingsbury will pay for his admission at the gate, and all of the employes of the building will do likewise, the commission furnishing the funds.

The California Commissioners, J. A. Fischer and Frank Wiggin, have provided all of their employes with souvenir tickets, and it is expected that other Commissioners will do likewise.

Packages of coffee will be given to all visitors to the Brazilian Pavilion.

WEATHER AND OTHER CONDITIONS SMILE ON ST. LOUIS DAY.

Fair weather, with a rising temperature is the official weather prediction for to-day—St. Louis Day at the World's Fair. According to the Government Weather Bureau, there is no indication of rain. The sun and conditions generally will smile on the greatest day of the greatest of world's expositions.

BUSY SCENES AT THE FAIR GROUNDS.

At the Administration building and in the entire World's Fair grounds yesterday preparations were made for St. Louis Day, and not a detail necessary to the success of the great event and the arrangements for the comfort and safety of the enormous throngs expected was neglected.

Every entrance gate at the Fair will be manned, and the full force of the Admissions Department will be on duty. All the gates will be kept open all day.

Colonel Kingsbury stated yesterday that the whole force of 700 guards would be on duty all day. Souvenir tickets for St. Louis Day were distributed about the Administration building yesterday to employes with a lavish hand. They were the gift of Exposition officials to the clerks and other employes of their respective departments.

Secretary Stevens called up every diminutive messenger boy in his division and presented him with a souvenir ticket bearing his signature. With each ticket went a "badge of honor" to be worn by the holder.

Director of Exhibits Skiff invested a liberal share of his salary in souvenir tickets. These he distributed to the employes in his division.

To the humble employes of the field force of the Civil Engineering Department belongs the honor of being the only Exposition employes who, as a body, formally resolved to pay their own way to-day to their daily labors on the grounds.

While no employe of the Exposition has been requested not to use his pass into the grounds to-day, Secretary Stevens states that all of those employes who report for duty to-day without the badge of honor will be expected to put in a full day's work.

SPECIAL FIREWORKS DISPLAY AT STADIUM TO-NIGHT.

The special fireworks display by Pain, in the Stadium, for the evening of St. Louis Day, will begin promptly at 7:45 and will be the costliest and most elaborate since the opening of the Exposition. Mr. Pain has just arrived from New York with a number of entirely new and novel features, different from anything heretofore seen at a fireworks display in St. Louis.

Among these features will be the following new devices: "St. Louis," "On Horseback," a colossal head of "Pax," an elaborate creation entitled "Roses of Beauty," a bunch of magnificent roses of gorgeous coloring; the features of a beautiful St. Louis woman, the "Chinese Pagoda," the largest single set piece ever done outside of those at the dedicatory ceremonies of the Exposition in 1902. The display of devices concludes with a unique novelty entitled "Our Empire," which is produced by a mammoth combination shell which, at 1,000 feet in the air, releases a large bomb with red, green, blue and white stars, representing the United States, followed by a gold shell representing Cuba and a silver shell for Porto Rico, and finished with a number of smaller shells for the Philippines. In addition to the devices pyrotechnic portraits of President Francis of the Exposition and the Exposition flag, Mayor Rolla Wells of St. Louis and the city's coat of arms will be burned.

The production of aerial pyrotechnics include combinations of shells, showers of pearls, field of cloth of gold, flight of rockets, ascent of mammoth prismatic whirlwinds, electric shower mines, large Louisiana Purchase Exposition batteries, salute of aerial maroons, peacock-plume bombs, eruption of Sindbad's jeweled cave, the pyrotechnic cuttle fish and the silver-white falls with grove of jeweled palms 600 feet long, will be much more elaborate than at any previous displays and along entirely new lines.

General admission to the Stadium will be absolutely free. There is ample standing room for thousands of spectators. Twenty-five cents will be charged for each seat. An Exposition band will furnish music from 7:30 until the conclusion of the fireworks.

Negro Snatches Visitor's Watch.

Samuel Arntz, a visitor from Minot, N. D., was robbed of his watch at Union Station last night, soon after he stepped off his train, by an unidentified negro. The negro approached him and asked the time. When Arntz drew his watch the negro grabbed it and ran.

St. Louis Day—World's Fair.

Use Wabash Shuttle Trains from Union Station and avoid the crowd. Trains leave every fifteen minutes.

BRITISH FLAGSHIP READY TO CHASE RUSSIAN CRUISER.

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entire charge of the case of the Lena to the exclusion of the Federal officials.

When asked about a sensational story of a fight in mid-Pacific, told by Count Ouchtomski and telegraphed from St. Paul, Japanese Consul Uyeno said that he did not know of such a Japanese Count. He regarded the story as entirely improbable. He was not at all inclined to place any stock in the sensational rumor. Collector of the Port Frederick Stratton expressed his disbelief in the story of a stern chase across the ocean.

BESIEGED RUSSIANS LIVE ON BLACK BREAD.

Chefoo, Sept. 14.—A Chinese who left Liao-Yi Promontory on September 9 says that the general assault on the stronghold, which, in some quarters, was reported would occur on September 10, did not take place.

He declares that the Russians are giving most of their attention to the force on the northeast line, which include Kiulienchan and Kikwanshan.

The Russian soldiers are living on black bread, and seldom get soup. There are only a few head of cattle in Port Arthur, and these are reserved for the historic officials.

Hardly a day passes that Lieutenant General Stoessel, commander of the Port Arthur forces, generally accompanied by General Balasheff, does not ride over the entire line, having alterations made here and giving suggestions there and complimenting or censuring his troops. His indefatigable efforts and his composure do much to sustain the spirits of the garrison, and this in spite of their hard fare and the sleeplessness which results from being constantly on the qui vive.

A communication has been received by the Russian Consul here from General Balasheff, chief of the Red Cross at Port Arthur, requesting that the same be made public. The General charges the Japanese with gross violation of the Red Cross. He says on Japanese dead have been found notes, written in Russian, requesting that their bodies be buried, but when Russian burial parties attempted to fulfill these requests they were fired on. Such instances, General Balasheff adds, are numerous, and the Russians are now afraid to trust the Red Cross flag. He states that the Japanese also protect movements of their troops by the unlawful use of the Red Cross flag.

LADY MANAGERS WITHOUT SECRETARY.

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speaking tube to the upper regions to Miss Todd, and after this finality the fate of the visitor, who sometimes she fidgeting for several minutes in the waiting-room, is made known to him.

PROTEST WAS MADE.

Protest has been made by both visitors and employes of the double-headed authority which has existed in the management of business affairs and the reception of visitors at the home.

When Miss Egan some time ago protested against the occupancy of her business office as secretary of the board being invaded by Mrs. Manning's private secretary, she brought down censure on her head from Mrs. Manning's friends, which led to her being voted out of the board at their last meeting in July. Miss Egan claimed that as there was plenty of room in the big building given them for their sole use by the Exposition Company, she should be entitled to her own office. The request was not granted.

The matter was finally brought up in a weekly meeting of the board, and it was voted that Miss Todd should move her desk and her papers into Mrs. Manning's apartments. This was done, but the flurry it raised in having it done finally resulted in Miss Egan's dismissal from the board.

As Miss Egan is still a member of the board, and her friends claim that the procedure which voted her out of office was illegal, or not according to parliamentary law, that she will be asked to resume her duties as secretary on her return from Chicago to-day. Whether Miss Egan will accept or not, if tendered the position, is not known.

As the board established a precedent in electing Miss Carter to office at the last board meeting, a board meeting will have to be called to elect a new secretary.

If this is done it will save the National Commission the trouble of calling a meeting of the board to approve the department jurors, which the National Commission has refused to confirm until approved by the full meeting of the board. If the president calls a meeting for the purpose of electing a new secretary to fill Miss Carter's place, it is expected that the juror question will be settled at that time.

There are more than a sufficient number of members of the board in the city at present to represent a full board meeting. Mrs. William Coleman, treasurer of the board, arrived yesterday from Indianapolis.

Mrs. Hanger of Little Rock, Ark., is expected within a few days, and Miss Egan is due here to-day. Besides these there are at present in the city Mrs. Manning, president; Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. Buchwalter, Mrs. Ernest of Denver, Mrs. Everest and Mrs. Annie McLean Moores.

Miss Carter is one of the best-known and popular young women employed at the World's Fair. For three years she has been employed in various departments of Exposition work, the last position she held being that of private secretary to Miss Florence Hayward, Superintendent of the History Section of the Exposition.

ST. LOUIS-CHICAGO WIRELESS TELEGRAPH IS OPENED.

Successful Tests Made From De Forest Tower on World's Fair Grounds.

The formal opening of the De Forrest Wireless Telegraph between the World's Fair and Chicago was made at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Five jurors were appointed to observe the test—Doctor Hertzog and Doctor Langzorff of New York and Gaston Rous of Paris were at the tower on the World's Fair grounds and W. J. Hammer of New York and Professor Kelsey of Purdue University were at the Chicago end.

The test was successful and messages sent were repeated back by long-distance telephone.

Sleeper to Roanoke, Va., 8:44 a. m., Daily.

Sleeper to Norfolk, Va., 12:45 noon daily via Vandalia-Pennsylvania Lines.

Seeking Pacific Terminus.

Victoria, British Columbia, Sept. 14.—President Hayes and party of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway have arrived here on the great steamer Quadra from Port Simpson, where they inspected the locality regarding its suitability for the Pacific terminus of the line. None of the party had anything to divulge as to the decision regarding the terminus, except that it will be made known at the proper time when they return to the East.

Goes to the West Shore.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—G. K. Thompson, general Western passenger agent of the West Shore Railroad Company, announced the appointment to-day, effective October 1, of Harry S. Haskins as traveling passenger agent, with headquarters at Chicago. Mr. Haskins is city passenger and ticket agent of the Minneapolis and St. Louis road at St. Paul.

CATARRH OF THE BOWELS AND DIGESTIVE ORGANS.

Pe-ru-na Cured a Case of Three Years' Standing After Other Remedies Failed.

"Mother's Improvement is Remarkable. She is Not Like the Same Person," Says Her Son.

MRS. MARY M. MARSHALL, TIPTON, MO.

MRS. MARY M. MARSHALL, Tipton, Mo., writes:

"I suffered three years with catarrh of the digestive organs and bowels. I was unable to find relief until as a last resort I was induced to try Peruna. I began the use of Peruna when I was confined to the bed, and can say that I experienced a benefit from the first dose. I have taken five bottles in all, and I believe I am cured of my trouble, and am enjoying as good health as an old lady of my age could expect. My age is 77. I recommend your medicine to sufferers whenever I meet them, and others of my friends are doing it with great success. I will always feel grateful to you for your grand medicine and kind advice, and trust that many others may be as greatly benefited as I have been. All letters of inquiry cheerfully answered.

In regard to the above Mrs. Marshall's son adds:

"I must say with all candor that my mother's improvement is remarkable. She is not like the same person. She began taking your Peruna and following your dietary regulations, and has steadily improved during the four weeks' use of Peruna. I think that is wonderful considering her case is of three years' standing."

Catarrh of bowels produces slight ulcers, and these ulcers eat their way through and cut off the small veins or arteries. This causes hemorrhages. It is useless to try to stop this hemorrhage without curing the catarrh.

Dyspepsia medicine, diarrhoea medicine and constipation medicine is of no good whatever when catarrh is the cause. The catarrh must be treated. The cause being removed, the derangements will disappear.

We have on file many thousand testimonials like the ones given above. We can only give our readers a slight glimpse of the vast array of unsolicited endorsements we are receiving every month. No other physician in the world has received such a volume of enthusiastic and grateful letters of thanks as Dr. Hartman for Peruna.

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PRESBYTERY CLOSES SESSION.

Central Illinois Organization Adjourns at Paxton.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Paxton, Ill., Sept. 14.—The annual meeting of the Central Illinois Presbytery of the United Presbyterian Church, held at the church in this city, closed this afternoon.

An Evangelistic Committee was appointed to encourage evangelistic effort. At the Woman's Missionary Society meeting Miss Bate A. Hill of Newton, Ia., who has been in India six or seven years as a missionary, delivered an address.

Delegates were present from Piper City, Hoopeston, Harmony, Carlock, Washburn, Spring Creek and this city.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Lillie M. Parr of Harmony; first vice president, Mrs. J. T. Hemphill of Washburn; second vice president, Mrs. R. M. Knox of Hoopeston; recording secretary, Mrs. Rufus Keator of this city; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Lydia Chapman of Carlock; treasurer, Mrs. R. A. Jennings of Piper City.

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