

HIGHWAY NOTICE.

STATE OF IOWA } ss
Crawford County }
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY AUDITOR.
Denison, Iowa, April 3, 1905.
To Shaw & Keahne, Frank Birkhofer, Eugene Gulick, J. W. Rockwell, Henry Michaelson, Claus Storjohan, Fred A. Maurer and C. W. Carr.
You, and each of you, are hereby notified, that the commissioner appointed to locate a highway, commencing at the North East corner of section 20 in Township 83 range 40 in Crawford County Ia running thence west on the line between sections 17 and 20—40.30 chains thence S 53 1/2 degrees W 3.67 chains N 72 degrees W 1.75 chains thence N 43 degrees W 2.00 chains to the section line thence West on the section line 33.75 and terminating at the Northwest corner of said section 20 has reported in favor of the location thereof, and all objections hereto or claims for damages must be filed in the Auditor's office in said county in Denison, Iowa, on or before noon of third day of June A. D. 1905, or such highway will be located without reference thereto.
EDW THEOBALD,
15-41 Auditor of Crawford County, Ia

Indiana Convention Ends in Riot.
Rockport, Ind., April 19.—The Republican convention to select a candidate for congress to succeed Senator Hemenway, former representative from the First district, adjourned in a state of riot, without agreeing upon a candidate. Chairman Durre's gavel was snatched from him, furniture was broken, books and missiles were thrown and several physical encounters took place. The supporters of John W. Brady of Princeton, who secured possession of the chairman's gavel, declared the convention adjourned to meet at Princeton next Saturday, while supporters of George A. Cunningham of Evansville, the opposing candidate, through their chairman, declared the convention adjourned to meet at Evansville Saturday.

Shoots Chorus Girl and Self.
Philadelphia, April 19.—Because she intended leaving the theatrical company, of which both were members, Edward Smedes shot Bessie Helen Davis at a theatrical hotel, where they were both staying, inflicting a probably fatal wound near the heart, and then attempted to kill himself. The bullet flattened against his skull and he was not badly hurt. The couple were members of the chorus in "The School Girl" company, of which Edna May is the star. The woman is known on the stage as Bessie Dale. She is twenty-three years old and her home is in Hebron, Neb. Smedes' home, it is believed, is in Vicksburg, Miss.

Baseball Scores Yesterday.
American League—Washington, 1; Boston, 0.
National League—Boston, 4; Brooklyn, 2.

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STILL AT KAMRANH BAY

RUSSIAN FELT COALING FOR LAST PART OF VOYAGE.

GETTING READY FOR FINAL DASH

News is Confirmed by French and British Steamers—it is Believed Rojstvensky's Squadron Has Been Divided, Part Having Gone North.

London, April 19.—The latest news from the far east shows that certainly a portion of the Russian second Pacific squadron was still coaling at Kamranh bay Saturday morning, April 15. This news was brought to Singapore by the British steamer Sul Sang and to Hong Kong by the French steamer Phu Yen. The former merely reports passing the Russian ships at 11 o'clock in the morning. The Phu Yen's officers saw twenty vessels coaling in the bay and it is suspected that the remainder of the fleet was inside the harbor. According to the Daily Mail's correspondent at Singapore, the Sul Sang, which was not molested by the Russians, sighted a big French warship two hours later, fourteen miles to the southward, evidently proceeding to Kamranh bay.

The piecemeal character of the news excludes the possibility of any accurate estimate of the movements of Admiral Rojstvensky's squadron, but it would seem to show that he has divided his forces, a portion of which went northward before Saturday. What has happened since then it is impossible to say, and there is no clear evidence even that the Russians have been within the three mile limit, which would bring them, according to international regulations, into infringement of French neutrality. The fact that they were visible to passing ships would appear to show that they were outside the limit.

Japanese sentiment, however, is greatly disturbed. The correspondent at Tokio of the Daily Telegraph says he has no hesitation in declaring that should occasion arise and her preliminary protests be ignored, Japan will regard any anchorage occupied by the Russian fleet as its naval base and deal with the situation accordingly.

It is impossible to locate Sampaloc point, off which, according to the Manila correspondent of the Daily Mail sixteen Japanese cruisers and other craft were scouting on Tuesday morning, but the Daily Mail thinks the Japanese fleet was maneuvering to prevent the Russians from entering the Pacific between the Philippines and Formosa.

Japanese diplomats and others in London consider the alleged breach of neutrality by France, in allowing the second Russian Pacific squadron to remain over time on the Cochinchina coast, as one of the most serious developments in the situation.

A dispatch from Shanghai to the Morning Post says: Two junks have been blown up by mines near Chusan. The appearance of mines south of Shanghai is causing great apprehension for the safety of European mail steamers.

The Daily Mail's correspondent at Singapore learns that Russian agents have cut the cable between roochow and Formosa.

Lull in Land Operations.

St. Petersburg, April 19.—M. Taburino, an Associated Press correspondent who has returned from Manchuria for a short vacation during the lull in operations there, says he does not expect serious fighting for at least a month or six weeks. He says the Russian army, which is occupying a line southward of Sipinghai, is busy with reconnaissances as far south as Changtuin, and has already been recruited to the strength it had before the battle of Mukden. Many of the wounded have returned to the ranks and the morale is excellent. The present position of the army is naturally strong and has many strategic advantages.

Wholesale Arrests in Russia.

St. Petersburg, April 19.—The police are making numerous arrests of workmen and "intellectuals" and the prisons are now full to overflowing. In former years those arrested before May day were chiefly "intellectuals," but this year the workmen are taking such a prominent part in agitation and disturbances that they form a majority of those arrested. Practically all the delegates to the Schidlovsky commission, which was created in February last to investigate the causes of discontent among the working classes, are in custody. Demonstrations and small riots are of almost daily occurrence.

Shonts Guest of Honor.

New York, April 19.—Theodore P. Shonts, chairman of the Panama commission, was the guest of honor at the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania society. President Shonts, in an address, said: "What the people of this country want is an honest return for the money which is to be expended, and that is what we propose to give them."

Kaleieff Sentenced to Death.

Moscow, April 19.—The supreme court began the trial of Kaleieff, who killed Grand Duke Sergius. Kaleieff was sentenced to death. The public was not admitted to the trial. The prisoner refused to plead, declaring he was not in the position of a criminal before judges, but was a prisoner taken in a civil war.

More Woe for Standard.

Topeka, Kan., April 19.—Attorney General Coleman said that he is willing to institute suit under the new anti-discrimination law against the Standard Oil company for the alleged discrimination in the price of gasoline made by that company at Emporia and other points if he can secure the necessary evidence. It has been alleged that the Standard company made a wholesale price at Emporia of 9 cents a gallon, while the rate at Topeka and other points in the state remains at 13 1/2 cents. At Emporia the Standard competes with an independent refinery.

Joseph Jefferson Weaker.

West Palm Beach, Fla., April 19.—Jefferson's condition remains unchanged, except that he is gradually growing weaker. His trouble is a complication of disease, from which he suffered last summer. His physicians regard his condition as critical in the extreme and it would not be surprising if he should pass away at any moment, yet he may rally and live for days, or even weeks. The veteran actor realizes that his end is near and looks forward to it without fear. All hope for his recovery has been abandoned by his family.

Shaw Gets Coachman.

Washington, April 19.—Instead of the gravedigger, originally assigned to him by the civil service commission for a coachman, Secretary Shaw is to have his first choice, Robert Sheppard, to whom the commission had objected because of the presentation by Sheppard of letters from political supporters. The matter was satisfactorily adjusted during a visit which Civil Service Commissioner Cooley paid to the secretary.

Passengers Shaken Up.

Trinidad, Colo., April 19.—The east-bound Sunset flyer, California limited, on the Santa Fe road, was wrecked within the city limits. The two rear Pullman cars jumped the track and ran on the ties for 200 feet. The cars were filled with passengers, who were roughly shaken up, but none seriously injured. The train was running slowly at the time of the accident. The cause of the wreck was a broken switch.

Third Trial of Nan Patterson.

New York, April 19.—The third trial of Nan Patterson, charged with the murder of Caesar Young in a cab in this city last summer, was begun before Recorder Goff. There were 200 talesmen in court for selection in the special panel; and three of them have been accepted.

A true man never frets about his place in the world, but just slides into it by the gravitation of his nature and swings there as easily as a star.—Chapin.

EQUITABLE AGENTS MEET

LEGISLATURE ASKED TO AMEND SOCIETY'S CHARTER.

ENDORSE MUTUALIZATION PLAN

Resolution Adopted Gives President Alexander Unqualified Support and Expresses Confidence—Hyde and Tarbell Have a Tilt.

New York, April 19.—After a session at the Hotel Savoy, lasting for nearly six hours, the 200 managing agents of the Equitable Life Assurance society from all over the United States adopted resolutions asking the New York state legislature to exercise its plenary power by enacting an "amendment to the society's charter," this amendment to give the policy holders admission to the directorate of the society.

The sessions were replete with developments. Several sets of resolutions were adopted. President Alexander made a brief speech. Vice President Hyde followed him, and in the course of his remarks referred to the sale by Second Vice President Tarbell of the latter's interest in the renewal account to the company, which brought forth a sharp retort from Mr. Tarbell. Then all three officers left the meeting and the agents devoted their time to discussion behind closed doors.

The first set of resolutions which came out declared that the agents pledged their "unqualified support" to President Alexander and expressed their "entire confidence that the president will continue unflinchingly and finish the work of mutualization that he has so courageously begun."

Resolutions were adopted by the agents giving their "unqualified approval of the firm stand taken by Vice President Tarbell in his support of the president on the mutualization issue."

The Frick committee of investigation was commended in another resolution.

The organization of metropolitan managers was dissolved by resolution and the agents declared that the surplus in the society's funds belongs to the policy holders.

Debate in New York Senate.

Albany, N. Y., April 19.—An all-day debate in the senate, characterized by charges against the management of the Equitable Life Assurance society, and the return of Superintendent of Insurance Hendricks, who for the first time since the Equitable investigation began, talked on that topic with anything approaching freedom, brought the affairs of that corporation into sensational notice. The subject came before the senate in the form of a resolution, introduced by Senator Brackett, to take from the insurance committee his bill to facilitate policy holders' suits for accountings. Being unable to get a favorable report on this measure, Senator Brackett secured a chance to voice his views by putting in this resolution and having it made a special order of debate for this morning. The resolution was defeated by a vote of 36 to 7.

SUIT AGAINST MEAT PACKERS

Attorney General of Montana Accuses Them of Violating State Law.

Helena, Mont., April 19.—Attorney General Galen filed complaint in the name of the state of Montana against the Cudahy Packing company, Swift & Co., Hammond Packing company and the Armour Packing company, commonly known as the "beef trust." The attorney general summoned them to appear before the district court of the First judicial district of Montana, April 25, to answer a charge against the packing companies of wilfully, lawlessly and feloniously combining and unlawfully fixing the price of meat. It is the purpose of the attorney general to thoroughly test the state's anti-trust law. The cases are a continuation of the suits formerly begun by Attorney General Donovan.

Missouri Interested in Oil Fight.

Jefferson City, Mo., April 19.—Herbert S. Hadley, attorney general, will go to Kansas City today for a conference with Commissioner Garfield, who is to deliver an address there tomorrow. Mr. Hadley intends to ask the commissioner to help him get facts for use in his fight with the Standard oil interests in Missouri. Mr. Hadley said: "Missouri has contributed dollars to the trust where Kansas has paid pennies. If the public understood how competition to the two big oil companies is killed in Missouri there would be resentment that would be heard from one corner of the state to the other. I want help from the government in our fight."

Garfield at Neodesha.

Neodesha, Kan., April 19.—James R. Garfield, commissioner of corporations, arrived here and immediately began an investigation of the local oil situation. President Young of the Prairie Oil and Gas company accompanied Mr. Garfield from Independence to aid him. They visited the refinery and then went to the offices of the Standard Oil company.

Gas Buoy Explodes.

Kingston, Ont., April 19.—A gas buoy in process of filling on board the government steamer Scout exploded, killing one and injuring four of her crew. Two of the injured probably will die.

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