

THORNE AND WILSON FOR RAILROAD BOARD

RETURNS ON COMMISSIONER IN- DICATE NOMINATION OF "PRAIRIE JIM."

EIGHTY-SEVEN COUNTIES REPORT ON SENATOR

Cummins Leads Savage by Almost 2 to 1—Belated Figures Cut Down Connolly's Lead Over Meredith to About 8,000 — Defeated Candidates Wire Congratulations.

Special to Times-Republican.
Des Moines, June 3.—Returns on Monday's primary from seventy-four out of ninety-nine counties in the state appeared to make certain the nomination of Clifford Thorne and James H. Wilson as railroad commissioners on the republican ticket.

Senator Cummins received 79,115 votes to 44,739 for A. C. Savage in eighty-seven counties on the republican senatorial contest.

In the eighty-four counties which had reported before noon Congressman Connolly had received 38,138 to 39,197 for E. T. Meredith in the democratic senatorial contest.

Lee Congratulates Clarke.
Governor Clarke last night received the following telegram from Judge Lee:

Ames, June 2.—Hon. George W. Clarke, Des Moines—Dear Sir: I congratulate you upon your endorsement at the primary election yesterday. You were fairly nominated and are entitled to the united support of the party in the election. I wish you success and will be glad to contribute whatever I can to this end. Yours very respectfully,
C. G. Lee.

Meredith to Support Connolly.
Mr. Meredith telegraphed to Connolly his congratulations today as follows: "You have won and I congratulate you. Call on me for any service possible. I sincerely hope for your election. I have tried hard during the campaign to do nothing which would cost you a vote this fall and my effort now will be to see that every supporter of mine gives you the same loyal support they have given me, and that has been as loyal support as was ever given any candidate."

THORNE AND WILSON.

Lead Candidates For Railroad Commission on Republican Ticket.
Des Moines, June 3.—On the face of the returns the two nominations for railroad commissioner have been awarded by the republicans of the state to Clifford Thorne and James H. Wilson.

In sixty-nine counties a total of 142,857 votes cast for the two candidates, each voter voting for two, as there are two places to be filled.
Dividing this total therefore, Messrs. Thorne and Wilson, who have 34,480 and 27,546 votes respectively, have more than thirty-five per cent of the vote for each of the two places which amounts to 24.9 per cent. Unless the position of the candidates be materially changed by the returns from the other counties politicians assume that Thorne and Wilson will be the nominees without going into the convention.

Ottosen, however, is close on the heels of Mr. Wilson, having within 3,800 as many votes in the sixty-nine counties.

Auditors to Convention.

It was thought when fifteen counties had reported their primary vote that the republican nomination for auditor of state had gone to F. S. Shaw of Tampa, as he has received 25 per cent of the total vote cast in those counties.

Supreme Court Contest.

In thirty-nine counties the supreme court candidates in the returns from thirty-nine counties. Seth Thomas is second, Sallinger third, Justice Ladd fourth, Congressman Prouty fifth and Justice Withrow sixth. F. S. Shankland, of Polk county, is running seventh on the basis of these returns, but thirty-odd votes separate the last three candidates, however, so the outcome is very problematical.

ALSO WON YOUNG JAY.

Brother of Girl Suing Roddeheaver Con-
victed by Sunday's Singer.
Chicago, June 2.—Walter Homer Roddeheaver, the "golden voiced choirmaster" for Billy Sunday, went a courting

Georgia Jay he made a convert of her brother Frank.
Young Mr. Jay told all about it yesterday as a witness for his sister in her \$50,000 breach of promise suit against the singer in Judge Lockwood's court.

"I thought Homer was the most wonderful man, mentally, spiritually, and every way in the world," the witness said. "I tried to live up to what I imagined he had been. I had not had any religion before I met him, and he changed me by his eloquence."

The youth also declared Roddeheaver had exerted a powerful influence over his sister.
When he flitted her she went into fits after fits of terrible hysteria. The doctor prescribed for her and recommended sleeping powders. I had to get so many for her I was afraid the druggist would take me for a dope fiend."

"FRISCO BANKER ENDS LIFE.

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NEW ANGLE TO CONTEST

Senate Committee Adopts Resolution
Directing President Wilson to Open
Negotiations With Great Britain For
Arbitration of Panama Tolls Dispute.

Washington, June 3.—By a vote of 8 to 6 the senate foreign relations committee today adopted the Sutherland resolution directing President Wilson to open negotiations with Great Britain for special arbitration of the Panama tolls dispute. The resolution now goes to the senate.

Senator Borah, republican, was not present when the vote was taken but later notified Chairman Stone he wished to vote against reporting the resolution making the vote 7 to 7.

Senator O'Gorman, republican, was the others voting against it. Senators Hitchcock, Williams and Saulsbury, democrats, and Lodge, Root, McCumber, Sutherland and Burton, voted for it.

STOPS BASE BALL RAID

Judge Foell Sustains Injunction Re-
straining "Chief" Johnson From
Pitching For Any Other Club Than
Cincinnati Reds—Malta Predicted
Raid by Federal League.

Chicago, June 3.—Judge Foell, in the superior court of Cook county, today sustained the injunction restraining "Chief" Johnson from pitching for any other club besides the Cincinnati Nationals and by his decision stopped what was predicted would be biggest raid on ball players ever made in history of the game.

May Raise Empress.

Montreal, June 3.—Lloyd's insurance underwriters, will decide whether it will be feasible to raise the foundered Empress of Ireland from the bottom of the St. Lawrence river, it was learned yesterday. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company, owners of the vessel, automatically relinquished all claim to it when it sank.

SCANDAL IN NAVY.

Officers on President's Yacht Involved
in Disgraceful Scene.
New York, June 2.—The most unfortunate United States navy scandal in years is out despite the earnest denials of President Wilson and the most extraordinary efforts of Secretary of the Navy Daniels to suppress what lies

STEAMSHIP INQUIRY TO COVER WIDE RANGE

INVESTIGATION OF SINKING OF EMPRESS OF IRELAND TO BE THOROUGH.

DEATH LIST INCREASED BY FINAL CHECK OF SAVED

One Thousand and Twenty-four Found to Have Perished When Empress Went Down—Canadians Pleased With Appointment of Lord Mersey as Member of Royal Commission.

Montreal, June 3.—The news that Lord Mersey, who presided over the British inquiry into the loss of life on the Titanic, is to be a member of the royal commission appointed to investigate the Empress of Ireland disaster, was received here with satisfaction.

Inquiry of Wide Scope.

Just when the commission can begin its work still is undetermined, but it probably will not be for about ten days. The inquiry will be of the widest scope and the government will be represented by counsel. It is announced, as it is probable there will be discussions of rules of navigation in Canadian waters.

Another change has been made in the number of dead. The latest figures given out in an official statement by the Canadian Pacific Railway Steamship Company show that 1,024 persons perished. The company has learned that there were 1,476 persons aboard the Empress instead of 1,387, as heretofore stated. Hence the increase in the death list. The total saved is now given at 452.

Boat to Be Carved For.

Captain Walsh, marine superintendent of the Canadian Pacific railway, arrived here today and issued this statement: "The Canadian Pacific railway will not relax doing all in its power in looking after all the bodies it may be able to get. With regard to the possibility of raising the Empress of Ireland the best possible expert opinion is being sought."

Storstad Rescued Many.

Capt. Ove Lange, Montreal agent of the Maritime Steamship Company, owners of the Storstad, in a statement declared that of about 450 persons who survived the disaster 359 were cared for on the Storstad. Of these, 225 were rescued by the crew of the Storstad, while thirty others rescued by the government steamship Eureka. The lifeboats of the Empress of Ireland are credited with saving 128 and bringing them on board the Storstad.

LINER DEAD TOLU 1,024.

Canadian Pacific Reports That Out of
1,476 Only 452 Were Saved.
Quebec, June 3.—The corrected figures regarding the Empress of Ireland disaster made public by the Canadian Pacific officials 21st night show that 1,024 persons who were on the ship are unaccounted for. There were 1,476 persons aboard the ship when it was struck by the collier Storstad. Of that number only 452 were saved.

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Called For—Deadweight Provided.
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T.-R. BULLETIN NEWS OF THE DAY

The Weather.

Sun rises June 4 at 4:30, sets at 7:28. Iowa — Unsettled weather tonight and Thursday; probably showers or thunder storms; somewhat higher temperature in east portion.

Telegraphic News.

Thorne and Wilson for Railroad Commission.
Cummins Leads Two to One.
Steamer Inquiry to Cover Wide Range.
Death List Now 1,024.
Militants Assault Editors.
Fleeing Mexican Army Bottled Up.
Mellen Charged With Being New Haven Boss.
PAGES TWO AND THREE.

Iowa News.

Model Epileptic Colony Planned.
School Goes Into Liquidation.
PAGE FOUR.

Editorial.

Carranza Must Submit.
A Wild Bet in Franklin.
Primary Is Sound.
PAGE SEVEN.

Story.

The Hollow of Her Hand.
PAGES SIX, EIGHT AND NINE.

City News.

Letter Figures Show No Changes.
Gilbert's Plurality Reduced Slightly.
Complete Election Figures.
Chicken Thief Confesses; Two Arrested.
Ansons Bat Out Victory From Ottumwa.
John Childs Name New School.
Court Reports Appointed.
PAGE TEN.

Markets and General.

Wheat Higher on Firm Cables.
Good Demand For Corn.
Hogs Giving a Lift.
Cattle in Fair Request.
Safety-at-Sea to Cause Strife.

SAYS MELLEN DICTATED

J. S. ELTON, DIRECTOR OF NEW
HAVEN, DECLARES PRESI-
DENT DOMINATED.

ADMITS BOARD ALWAYS DID AS MORGAN DESIRED

Hearings Resumed by Interstate Com-
merce Commission—Elton Admits
Directors Discussed Legality of
Many Mergers of New England
Lines.

Rebels to Get Ammunition.

Washington, June 3.—J. S. Elton, a director of the New Haven railroad, was the first witness today when inquiry into that system's financial affairs was resumed before the interstate commerce commission. Chief Counsel Joseph W. Folk, before beginning the examination of the witness, presented telegrams bearing on the New Haven payments of money to newspapers. Among them he said were many payments manifestly for legitimate advertising.

Legality Discussed.

"Did any of the directors at meetings ever ask if any of the transactions connected with the acquisition or consolidation of trolley concerns were in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law?" "Yes, I did some times."

GEORGE J. KRAUS DEAD.

Passing of Political and Business As-
sociate of "Big Tim" Sullivan.
New York, June 3.—George J. Kraus, for many years the political and business associate of "Big Tim" Sullivan, died yesterday in his home here, 83 years old. Kraus was one of the old-timers of the Bowery. Starting practically penniless he acquired money, power and notoriety in the amusement field until he at one time was said to possess several million dollars.

Two of Oldest Residents Pass Away Tuesday Night.

Special to Times-Republican.
Oskaloosa, June 3.—Lewis Cruzen, aged 79, and Amos L. Shangle, aged 83, two of the oldest and best known pioneer residents of Mahaska county, died within a few hours of each other last night. Both were widely known and prosperous. Cruzen came to Mahaska county in 1845, from Green county, Ohio. Shangle came in 1854 from Morris county, N. J. Shangle was a pioneer schoolmaster in Mahaska county.

MILITANTS ASSAULT IRISH EDITORS

"WOMEN" ATTACK HEADS OF BELFAST PAPERS AS CAUSE OF CRITICISM.

DR. FORWARD ALSO VICTIM OF ASSAULT IN LONDON

Medical Officer of Holloway Jail
Beaten by Two Women Armed With
Whips—Attendant at Dore Gallery,
London, Attacked by Woman With
Hatchet.

Belfast, Ireland, June 3.—Militants today assaulted managing editors of two of the leading newspapers of Belfast, which had criticized the militants' campaign. Two well dressed women, one of them a giantess, went to the Belfast Telegraph office and were ushered into the editor's room. Without speaking a word, the larger one walked up to Mr. Stewart, the managing editor, and with her clenched fist knocked him out of his chair. At the same time her companion hurled a mullage bottle at his head.

The women then went to the News Letter office and made a similar attack on Mr. Anderson, of that newspaper. He has since been confined to bed and is under surgical treatment.

Dr. Forward Again Assaulted.

London, June 3.—The suffragette today again assaulted Dr. Francis Edward Forward, medical officer of Holloway jail. Two women armed with horse whips sprang on the doctor as he left the prison and were punishing him severely when a policeman came to the rescue.

The women declared their action was "a protest against the forcible feeding for which this beast is responsible."

Uses Hatchet on Guard.

London, June 3.—A savage attack with a hatchet was made today by a young and stylishly gowned suffragette on an attendant at the Dore gallery who tried to prevent her from destroying valuable pictures on exhibition there.

Girls Chained to Gates.

London, June 3.—Two young militant suffragettes disturbed the tranquility of Buckingham palace yesterday afternoon. They chained themselves to the rails of the main gates, waved Women's Social and Political Union flags and shouted denunciations of the "tyranny of the women."

PARDON FOR BICKFORD.

Former State Treasurer of North Dak-
ota Escapes Prison Term.
Bismarck, N. D., June 3.—George B. Bickford, former state treasurer, who was convicted of embezzlement of state funds, was pardoned yesterday by the state bars.

Preliminary Races Begun.

Rye, N. Y., June 3.—The preparatory signal in today's preliminary races was blown and a blue peter ball was hoisted on the regatta committee boat promptly at noon. Both yachts were to the weather of the committee boat, standing toward Long Island on the starboard tack.

S. X. Way to Build New Block.

Special to Times-Republican.
Waterbury, S. D., June 3.—S. X. Way, a former resident of Wesley, Iowa, and now a resident of Waterbury, is planning to erect a modern business block in this city. It will be three stories in height and will be constructed for the occupancy of a 5 and 10 cent store.

American Polo Team Picked.

New York, June 3.—The official lineup of American players for the international polo match to be played at Meadowbrook, L. I., next week, was announced today as follows: Rene LaMontagne, No. 1; J. M. Waterbury, captain, No. 2; Devereaux Milburn, No. 3; Lawrence Waterbury, back.