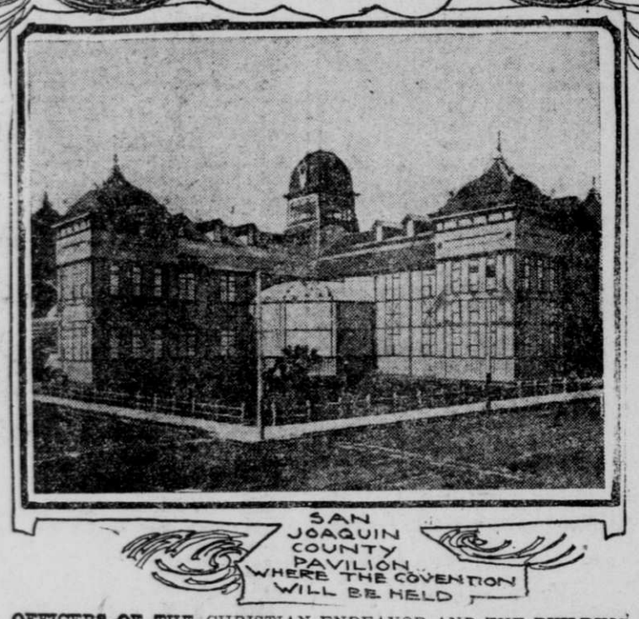
ENDEAVOR DELEGATES THRONGING TO STOCKTON

Preparations for the Great Convention Which Opens To-Day Entirely Complete and Indications Point to a Successful Session.



OFFICERS OF THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR AND THE BUILDING IN WHICH THE CONVENTION WILL BE HELD.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

STOCKTON, May 16.—The first body of Christian Endeavor delegates to the State Convention, which opens to-morrow evening, arrived to-day. The presence of State Secretary Francis W. Reid, who arrived on the noon train, was the signal for much enthusiasm, as he is the one who practically directed the affairs outside the city.

The first delegation came in this morning from Columbia, Tuolumne County. Another delegation arrived later from Newman, Stanislaus County. The San Diegans started at 10 this morning, thirteen strong, the farthest delegation away in the State. Los Angeles will start to-night with seventeen delegates. State President Coulthurst will arrive to-morrow morning, and Hudson Spiller, the orator, in the afternoon. They will be met at Lodi and Lathrop by local committees.

The pavilion will be a revelation in decorations. The grand chorus held its last rehearsal last evening with a full attendance. All the committees have everything in hand. When the visitors arrive they will enter the side entrance on San Joaquin street and find themselves in front of little stalls, which they will enter and at a counter they will be asked to register their names. Many have written in advance for their accommodations. To all such cards have been sent which they will present to the reception committee, members of which will show them to their rooms. Others will pass from the registration booth to the booth of the entertainment committee, where they will be assigned to rooms by members of the reception committee.

Mrs. J. B. Tipton has charge of the booth of the reception committee. The headquarters of the 1900 committee is in the first gallery on the east side of the pavilion. The place is a scene of great activity, as the final details of the management of the great meeting are considered. South of this room is what is called "the rest room." It has been tastefully fitted up with rugs, lounges, settees, chairs and tables. Stationery will be provided for the accommodation of those who wish to write letters, and it will be a pleasant place in which friends may meet and those who may be wearied of attending the convention may take a quiet rest.

It is stated by the friends of J. W. Ross, president of the 1900 committee, that he can have the presidency of the Christian Endeavor if he wants it. By the constitution it must fall to a layman and to a member of the Christian Church Endeavor, in denominational succession. State Treasurer Warren of Santa Barbara is the logical candidate, but it is understood that he does not want it, although he may come in the convention. J. W. Baker of San Jose is a new man mentioned.

Chairman Ross, in relation to his candidacy, said:

"I am not a candidate of my own accord, although my name is mentioned. The prime reason is that I cannot find time to attend to the office. You may say that I cannot see my way clear to-day to accept the office were it tendered to me, which I do not know will be the case."

One of Mr. Ross' suporters said, however, that he could easily get it and that he would no doubt be tendered the honor.

Whether there will be any changes in the constitution of the organization at the convention is not known. It is possible that the constitution may be amended so that the president will be paid a salary and be required to devote his entire time to the work.

To-morow's convention will be the first held under the rule that all members of the societies are delegates. In regard to the officers under the president there is nothing certain. There is no "politics" being done and the geographical conditions usually settle the selection of officers lower than president.

The big concert to-night at the pavilion, which was preliminary to but not a part of the convention, was attended by thousands.

FLORY NAMED FOR GOVERNOR OF MISSOURI

Kansas City Convention Throws Off the Yoke of the Bosses.

Election of Dyer of St. Louis as Delegate at Large to Philadelphia Arouses Tremendous Enthusiasm.

KANSAS CITY, May 16.—Delegates at large to the National Convention at Philadelphia—D. M. Houser and D. P. Dyer of St. Louis; James L. Minnis of Carrollton; C. G. Burton of Nevada.

Alternates at large—Lewis Woods and J. C. Chastine of Kansas City, O. M. Wood of St. Louis, H. H. Walker of St. Joseph.

Electors at large—J. W. Moore of California, Joseph Black of Richmond.

Governor—Joseph Flory of St. Louis.

Lieutenant Governor—E. F. Allen of Kansas City.

Secretary of State—E. L. Porterfield of Springfield.

State Treasurer—W. E. Fleming of Webster Grove.

Auditor—Alf Bloebaum of St. Charles.

Attorney General—Samuel O'Fallon of Oregon.

Railway and Warehouse Commissioner—C. C. Crouse of Pierce City.

Chairman of State Central Committee—Thomas J. Aikens of Humansville (re-elected).

The Republican State Convention of Missouri to-day, in a continuous session, lasting from 9:45 a. m. to 4:45 p. m., named the delegates at large, alternates at large and Presidential electors to Philadelphia and selected a full set of State officers. The nominations for Governor and Lieutenant Governor were by acclamation and there were but slight contests for the other State officers.

The big fight of the convention was expected to come over the selection of delegates at large, for which there had originally been seven avowed candidates. However, but five names were presented—those of Houser and Dyer of St. Louis, Minnis of Carrollton, Burton of Nevada and Nathan Frank of St. Louis.

The name of Major John L. Bittinger of St. Joseph, Consul to Montreal, who was yesterday considered a strong candidate, was not presented. Major Bittinger, like Major William Warner, United States District Attorney, of Kansas City, who yesterday withdrew his name to prevent impending strife, was sacrificed to a sentiment that Federal office holders should not attend the National Convention. The vote resulted: Houser 994, Burton 943, Minnis 903, Dyer 646½, Frank 610½, and the first named four were declared elected.

Nathan Frank, who was the only man for whom National Committeeman Richard Kerens took a firm stand, and who was in addition demanded by the Zeigenhein machine of St. Louis, was deserted at the last moment in order to make a place for Dyer. Thus for the first time in twenty years the Republicans of Missouri broke away from "bosses." This fact was emphasized by the delegates when Dyer's selection was made known by the most enthusiastic demonstration of the convention. Delegates waved their hats and stamped their feet and shouted for Dyer in a manner that stopped proceedings for several minutes.

Nathan Frank was nominated for elector at large, but requested that his name be withdrawn. The convention voted to name negroes for alternates at large and the quartet was selected by acclamation.

The resolutions indorse Mr. Kerens for re-election as National Committeeman.

Webster Davis, who was expected to be a factor in the convention and who was yesterday made the occasion of an hour's wrangle, took no part in to-day's proceedings aside from that of a spectator.

KANSAS REPUBLICANS.

W. E. Stanley Nominated for Governor Without Opposition.

TOPEKA, Kans., May 16.—The Republican State Convention here to-day nominated candidates and delegates with unexpected unanimity. The only balloting was on candidates for electors, for Congressman at large and for M. A. Low for delegate to Philadelphia. The factional war in the party was not involved in the vote on electors, but the followers of Cyrus Leland, National Committeeman, made a fight on Low and were overwhelmingly defeated. Low will likely be named as National Committeeman to succeed Leland. The resolutions unqualifiedly indorse the national and State administrations and pledge the delegates to support McKinley.

The ticket named was as follows:

For Governor—W. E. Stanley, Sedgwick County.

For Lieutenant Governor—H. E. Richter, Morris County.

For Associate Justice—W. A. Johnson, Ottawa.

For Secretary of State—George A. Clark of Geary.

For Treasurer—Frank Grimes of Wichita.

For Auditor—George E. Cole of Crawford County.

For Attorney General—A. A. Goddard of Shawnee County.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction—Frank Nelson of McPherson.

For Insurance Commissioner—W. V. Church of Marion County.

For Congressman-at-large—Charles F. Scott of Allen County.

For Presidential electors-at-large—A. W. Smith, McPherson; I. F. Bradley, Wyandotte County, and O. P. Ergenbright of Montgomery County.

Delegates-at-large to Philadelphia Convention—M. A. Low of Shawnee, W. S. Metcalf of Douglas County, A. C. Dubois of Elk County, B. H. Tracy of Pottawatomie County, E. W. Wellington of Ellsworth County, Frank Martin of Reno County.

Alternates—G. W. Ford of Bourbon County, A. D. Walker of Jackson County, E. W. Nimocks of Barton County, J. J. Mitchell of Wabaunsee, Frank Shane of Phillips, O. F. Lewis of Crawford County.

TO KEEP POPULISTS IN LINE.

Why Towne Was Nominated for the Vice Presidency.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Senator Butler, chairman of the National Committee of the People's party, was asked to-day if it were true, as has been reported, that both Mr. Bryan and Mr. Towne had expressed a preference that the People's party national convention should not nominate a Vice Presidential candidate. He replied:

"I have been told that it is true, but it was the judgment of the convention that the best way to elect both of them was to nominate. It must be remembered that neither Mr. Bryan nor Mr. Towne is intimately acquainted with the present situation as to the Populist vote of the country. Mr. Bryan could not be elected by disbanding or appearing to disband the organization of the People's party. To have done so would have lost him ten Populist votes for every gold Democratic vote that he would have won back to him. In short, the convention did the thing that was necessary to be done to insure the election of Mr. Bryan."

WYOMING'S DELEGATES.

Men Who Will Represent the State at the Republican Convention.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., May 16.—The following delegates and alternates were elected by the Republican State Convention:

Delegates—United States Senator F. E. Warren, United States Senator C. D. Clark, Congressman A. Mondell, Governor Richards, Colonel Jay L. Torrey, George H. Gobel.

Alternates—E. W. Stone, Thomas Bebb, F. E. Rounds, J. G. Cosgriff, Ad Spaugh, John McGill.

Hon. Frank W. Mondell was unanimously renominated for Representative in Congress. The platform adopted strongly indorses the administration.

Instructed for Bryan.

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 16.—The Democratic State Convention to-day elected Senator B. R. Tillman, Governor B. M. McSweeney, Wylie Jones and A. C. Latimer delegates at large to the Kansas City convention. The platform demands the reaffirmation of the Chicago platform at Kansas City and denounces the foreign policy of President McKinley. The delegates are instructed for Bryan.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

NERVOUSNESS OF WOMEN.

What Peruna Has Done for a Brilliant Actress.

MISS JULIA MARLOWE.

In a recent letter to The Peruna Medicine Co., Miss Julia Marlowe of New York City has the following to say of Peruna:

"I am glad to write my endorsement of the great remedy, Peruna, as a nerve tonic. I do so most heartily." *Julia Marlowe.*

Nervousness is very common among women. This condition is due to anemic nerve centers. The nerve centers are the reservoirs of nervous vitality. These centers become bloodless for want of proper nutrition. This is especially true in the spring season. Every spring a host of invalids are produced as the direct result of weak nerves.

This could be easily obviated by the use of Peruna. Peruna strikes at the root of the difficulty by correcting the digestion. Digestion furnishes nutrition for the nerve centers. Properly digested food furnishes these reservoirs of life with vitality, which leads to strong, steady nerves, and thus nourishes life.

Peruna is in great favor among women, especially those who have vocations that are trying to the nervous system. Peruna furnishes the lasting invigoration for the nerves that such people so much need. Thousands of testimonials from women in all parts of the United States are being received every year. Such unsolicited evidence surely proves that Peruna is without an equal as a nerve tonic and vital invigorator.

Buy a bottle of Peruna to-day. If you do not receive all the benefits from Peruna that you expected, write to Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio.

STREETS WERE COVERED WITH FILIPINO DEAD

Desperate Valor of American Troops Entrapped at Catubig.

Insurgents Paid Dearly for Losses Inflicted Upon the Men of the Forty-Third Infantry Regiment.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—The officials of the War Department, after waiting for nearly a week to hear something from General MacArthur at Manila confirmatory of the press report of the bloody three days' engagement at Catubig, which resulted in the heaviest loss of life the American army has sustained in any one engagement in the Philippines, yesterday cabled MacArthur a request for information. The answer was received to-day confirming the press reports and adding some interesting details.

General MacArthur transmitted a report from Henry T. Allen, a major of the Forty-third volunteers, who commanded the United States forces on the island of Samar. It appears that this force was divided in several ports in Samar, and, while details are still lacking, it is believed that this particular force, which was besieged at Catubig, was commanded not by a commissioned officer but by a sergeant, either George or Hall, both of whom were killed. Catubig, where the engagement occurred, is a seaport town of nearly 10,000 inhabitants.

General MacArthur's cablegram is as follows:

MANILA, May 16.—With reference to your telegram of the 14th the rumored engagement in Samar reported in the cablegram of General Otis on May 4 has been confirmed by reports recently from Henry T. Allen, Forty-third Regiment, U. S. V. Infantry, commanding on Samar Island. The detachment of thirty-one men stationed at Catubig was attacked on April 15 by 600 men with 200 rifles and one cannon. Our men were quartered in a convent, which was fired the next day by burning hemp thrown from the adjoining church. The detachment tried to escape by the river, but the men getting into the boat were killed and the remaining men entrenched themselves near the river and held out two days longer, facing most adverse circumstances, until rescued by Lieutenant Sweeney and ten men. Over 200 of the attacking party, many of whom are reported to have come from Luzon Island, are reported killed and many wounded. Lieutenant Sweeney reports that the streets were covered with dead insurgents.

Following is a list of our losses:

Killed—Sergeants Dustin L. George and William J. Hall; Corporals Herbert H. Edwards and John F. J. Hamilton; Cook Burton E. effected six weeks ago by the British Con-Treffle Pomslow, Otto B. Loose, Stephen Appert, Joseph Noell, John R. Kuhn, Ralph H. Zim, Edward Braman, Chester A. Conklin, W. E. Collins, J. J. Kerins, Henry Dumas, Philip Saling and George A. Slack—all of Company H, Forty-third Regiment, United States Infantry.

Wounded—Privates Lester Ruchworth, Harry C. Lee, Michael J. Faron, James H. Clancy, Company H, Forty-third Regiment, United States Volunteers; Corporal White, Forty-third Infantry.

A copy of Henry T. Allen's report was forwarded by mail yesterday. The Iloilo (Panay) cable is broken by an earthquake and it is difficult to procure more definite information.

MACARTHUR.

DEWEY REALIZES HE IS OUT OF THE RACE

Admiral Admits That the Presidential Nomination Is Beyond His Reach.

Special Dispatch to The Call.

NEW YORK, May 17.—A dispatch to the Journal from Washington says: Admiral Dewey returned from his Western trip to-day, and while he will not talk politics it is understood by his friends that the Presidential nomination is admitted by him to be beyond his reach. The admiral is highly elated by the popular ovation that met him at every step, is convinced that he has the love of his countrymen everywhere in this broad land, is satisfied with this and is indifferent as to the future.

The statement of political principles that it was believed in some quarters would be forthcominfg on the admiral's return has not been prepared. It probably never will.

"Will you be a candidate for President before the Kansas City Convention?" he was asked to-night.

"There is absolutely nothing of a political nature that I care to say. You may say to the Journal, if you care to, there is no person in the country more indifferent to the future than I am," he replied.

Maine's Prohibition Ticket.

PORTLAND, Me., May 16.—The Prohibition party held State and district conventions here to-day. Grant Rogers of Richmond was nominated for Governor. D. P. Parker of Portland was nominated for Congress.

DIES VERY SUDDENLY.

M. de Miranda of This City Expires at San Miguel.

SAN MIGUEL, Cal., May 16.—Word was received here this morning of the sudden death of M. de Miranda of San Francisco at the hotel at Bradley. Deceased was an oil expert and was in this section prospecting for oil. He had retired in the evening apparently in good health, but at 11 o'clock he got up, dressed and went out on the veranda at the hotel, where he expired in a few minutes. A post-mortem examination disclosed the fact that death was caused by heart disease. Deceased was a native of France, about 60 years of age.

Crushed to Death.

LOS ANGELES, May 16.—James Colores, a Mexican, was killed, and G. Orosco, another Mexican, severely injured by being crushed beneath a mass of fertilizing material at the works of the Bradley Fertilizer Company on Alameda street this morning. It is not known just how the accident happened.

Roberts to Be Retried.

SALT LAKE, May 16.—County Attorney Putnam to-day decided to retry B. H. Roberts on the charge of unlawful cohabitation Tuesday, the 29th inst. The matter was called to the attention of Judge Norrell upon the opening of court this morning, and his Honor ordered that the case be set down for the date named.

Dies of His Injuries.

SEATTLE, May 16.—Engineer W. J. Farr, injured in the Seattle and International Railway wreck yesterday, died this morning.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS IN CONDENSED FORM

ST. LOUIS—The Presbyterian General Assembly will convene to-day.

ROME—The disturbances in the Chamber of Deputies have resulted in a royal decree proroguing Parliament.

NEW YORK—The infant son of Commander and Mrs. Booth-Tucker of the Salvation Army died from pneumonia.

AUBURN, Cal.—Arrangements are completed for the reunion of old Placer County pioneers at Auburn next Saturday.

BOSTON—By the narrow margin of two votes the Legislature decided against abolishing the death penalty in Massachusetts.

LONDON—The Queen visited Nettley Hospital. She distributed flowers to the wounded and conversed with many of them.

SAN JOSE—The local lodge of Elks will have charge of the Fourth of July celebration here and the event will be a brilliant one.

SAN JOSE—The acreage to the Cured Fruit Association is coming in slowly, yet yesterday's business reached nearly 400 acres.

NEW YORK—An unknown man jumped from the Brooklyn bridge. When he came to the surface he was picked up by a passing tug.

TIENTSIN—More "Boxer" outrages are reported sixty miles north of Tientsin, where a number of native Christians have been massacred.

WASHINGTON—Admiral and Mrs. Dewey returned to Washington from their Western trip. They drove at once to Beauvoir, their summer home.

BERLIN—The Sultan of Turkey will send to Crown Prince Frederick William, by a high Ottoman dignitary, the Intiaz order, set in diamonds.

CINCINNATI—The forty-first annual convention of the Society of American Mechanical Engineers convened yesterday with an attendance of 300.

LONDON—Joseph H. Choate, the United States Embassador, was the special guest at dinner last evening of the Ancient Company of Fishmongers.

WASHINGTON—Orders will probably be issued by the Navy Department directing either the Philadelphia or the reconstructed Ranger to proceed to Panama.

MINNEAPOLIS—Minneapolis men have incorporated a million-dollar stock company to operate fisheries and packing establishments along the coast of Alaska.

GREENWICH, Conn.—Fire destroyed five business blocks, the Catholic Church, one of E. C. Benedict's stables and a few other buildings, causing a total loss of $150,000.

NEW YORK—General Benjamin F. Tracy severed his connection with the law firm of Tracy, Boardman & Platt and became the counsel for the firm of Coudert Bros.

MENOMINEE, Mich.—Heavy rains last night and to-day extinguished the fire at Fisher, which since Monday threatened the town. The loss is estimated at $500,000; insurance, $100,000.

ST. LOUIS—R. M. Barker, a striking conductor, was shot in the thigh during an attack on a Citizens' line car on Easton avenue last night. The wound is not considered dangerous.

BERLIN—The Prussian Government has announced that the Diet will receive next session a bill to facilitate the obtaining of rural help in agricultural districts and to punish with especial severity breaches of contracts.

CHICAGO—President Julia A. Roca of the Argentine Republic will visit the United States incognito. President Roca's intention is to study the American people and their customs.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa.—As a result of drinking wood alcohol at a picnic Lawrence Smith, Peter Broeck, Joe Poloszinski and the latter's mother are dead at South Fork and Joe Smith is in a critical condition. All were Poles.

NEW YORK—A young man believed to be August H. Pless of 40 Vandewater street jumped from the Brooklyn bridge and was drowned. Pless has been very despondent of late because of being jilted by a girl.

SAN JOSE—Attorney Samuel B. Terrill, who was indicted on eight counts for forgery and embezzlement, was to-day acquitted on a charge of embezzling $400 from the Christopher Faull estate, of which he was trustee.

NEW YORK—According to Acting Commissioner McSweeny, the largest number of immigrants ever received at an American port in one day arrived at the Barge office to-day. They came in six ships and numbered 5582.

WASHINGTON—At the instance of Rear Admiral Remey, in command of the naval forces on the Asiatic station, the Navy Department has reconsidered its decision to recall to the United States the gunboats Concord and Bennington.

NEW YORK—The only memorial in this country of Thomas Paine, the revolutionary hero, a monument at New Rochelle, N. Y., is to be perpetuated by money contributed by delegates to the late middle-of-the-road Populist convention at Cincinnati.

BOSTON—Plans which have been perfected for the celebration next week of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of the American Unitarian Association, the leading organization of that body of Christians, promise to make the occasion memorable.

TACOMA, Wash.—Officers of the Red Cedar Shingle Association have notified all the mills that over 90 per cent had signed the closing agreement and mills were to be shut down between May 16 and June 4. Five thousand men will be laid off for three weeks.

ST. CATHERINES, Ontario—Fire destroyed the works of the Canada Cycle and Motor Company and the Welland-Vale Company. The loss will amount to nearly half a million dollars, partly covered by insurance. Over 500 men are thrown out of employment.

LONDON—Dublin University has returned Sir Edward Carson to the House of Commons without opposition on his appointment as Solicitor General, in succession to Sir Robert Bannatic Finlay, appointed to succeed Sir Richard Webster as Attorney General.

BERLIN—The Budget Committee of the Reichstag concluded the debate of the navy bill after deciding that the measure is to come in force simultaneously with the amendments to the stamp law and the customs tariff, providing the means for the increased naval expenditures.

BOISE, Idaho—A storm assumed the proportions of a tornado at Weiser, causing damage to the town amounting to $5000. The roof was torn from the Vendome Hotel, the Courthouse and school house were damaged to the extent of $1000 and several other buildings were more or less damaged.

CHICAGO—Willie Collier, the comedian, one of the group of mourners gathered about the open grave in Graceland Cemetery, read the burial service over the body of Frederick Grosvenor Stanley yesterday afternoon and conducted the full funeral rites usually enacted by an Episcopal rector.

ANACONDA, Mont.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Anaconda Copper Mining Company the following were elected trustees for the ensuing year: Marcus Daly, H. H. Rogers, William Rockefeller, Albert C. Burrage, William L. Bull, William G. Rockefeller and E. C. Bogert.

BERLIN—H. de la Roche Vernot, second secretary of the French Embassy in Berlin, has been recalled to Paris because Emperor William had complained to the French Embassador, the Marquis de Noailles of the secretary's improper public remarks during the recent visit of Emperor Francis Joseph.

PITTSBURG—Fire this afternoon destroyed the Grand Army Home for Soldiers' Widows at Hawkins Station, on the Pennsylvania road, near here. The forty inmates, ranging in years from 50 to 90, escaped without injury. One old lady, Mrs. Tence, aged 95 years, may die from the shock. Loss $20,000; cause of fire unknown.

YOKOHAMA—The financial situation is growing more and more precarious, and the Japanese Empire is at present standing on very thin ice. The loaning Japanese banks are offering rates of interest for deposit, while, significantly enough, the foreign banks are at the same time cutting their rates down 33 per cent.

LONDON—The Queen's Bench division of the High Court of Justice gave judgment in favor of the crown in the case of the Government against the Jewish Colonization Association on a claim for succession duty amounting to £21,250,000 on property valued at upward of £8,900,000, settled by the late Baron Hirsch in 1892 upon the Colonization Association.

DENVER—The convention of Western Miners' Federation and Western Labor Union passed a resolution urging all labor unions to unite in support of one political party, as the only means by which laboring men may hope to secure the rights they consider their due. No party was named, but private expressions from the members show that Mr. Debs and his party hold first place with them.

CHICAGO—From a girl 15 years old, under arrest at the East Chicago Avenue Station, said to be the daughter of a wealthy South Side family and whose identity is kept a secret, Police Inspector Heidelheimer has obtained a confession which he believes will result in the arrest of the persons who committed many of the burglaries that have been committed on the North Side within the last few months.

PHILADELPHIA—As a result of the Wanamaker-English episode, a sub-committee of the Municipal League has issued a call for a meeting to complete arrangements for a mass meeting to be held Saturday evening "to protest against the attempt upon the part of high city officials to restrict the right of free speech and free criticism by threats to use official power in an assault upon private character."

WASHINGTON—Secretary Root sent to Chairman Hull, of the House Committee on Military Affairs, an exhaustive collection of opinions on the question of the "Army Canteen," gathered by Adjutant General Corbin from every branch of the military service. Secretary Root, in the course of a brief indorsement, says: "I think the enactment of this bill would be injurious to the temperance, morals and discipline of the enlisted men of the army."

NEW YORK—Among the passengers who arrived on the new North German-Lloyd steamer Grosser Kurfurst from Bremen was Dr. Johannes Trojan, editor of the German comic satirical weekly, Kladderadatsch. Two years ago Dr. Trojan was confined six months at Weichselmuende fortress for lese majeste, committed in having allowed to be published in the Kladderadatsch a cartoon showing Alexander the Great, Hannibal, Caesar and other famous heathen field marshals in a state of great hilarity over the assertion of Emperor William that only good Christians could be good soldiers.

SUSTAINS NEBRASKA'S ANTI-TRUST LAW

State Supreme Court's Ruling in the Case of the Standard Oil Company.

LINCOLN, Nebr., May 16.—The Supreme Court to-day ordered that the briefs of attorneys for the Standard Oil Company be stricken from the files, for the reason "that they contain improper and offensive implications" toward the court. The court also sustained the demurrer of the Attorney General to the petition of the Standard Company. This in effect upholds the constitutionality of the Nebraska anti-trust law and advances the suit, which is one to disbar the company from the State, to the point where the court will take testimony to prove that the Standard Oil Company is a trust.

Killed in a Mill.

SEATTLE, May 16.—Edward Gay, aged 20, was cut by a saw in Kerry's mill today and died in an hour.

A HOT TIME

With the red tag sale and the Nome or Alaska boom, both on in full force, it makes stir-about times at the great headquarters for cash buyers at the big Market-street store, where people most do congregate when they want the best the world can offer and at the right price. You read the red-tag announcement last week. This sale still continues.

BLACK SATEEN . red tag price 8c
This is excellent value at 15 cents; mostly black and white stripes; credit stores get 25 cents for it.

WOOL YARN . . . red tag price 65c
This is the dollar grade this year; we close 100 lbs., mostly black, at above price; see to it at once.

FANCY BASKETS . red tag price 50c
This embraces 20 kinds of fancy waste baskets, marked down from $1.25; the choice now at 50 cents.

CHAIR SEATS . . red tag price 8c
Regular 15 cents; 14 and 15 in., perforated seats; popular kinds; 50 dozen only to move at red tag prices.

WOOL SUITS . red tag price $3 50
Complete for boys 16 to men's size, 35, none large; could be sold for $10 in large sizes; 40 patterns; not a bad style among them; come to-day if you can.

LAWN MOWERS . . . . . red tag price $3 25
Just the time and just the chance for just the mower to do the work; easy to run and last on and on; used to bring $10 each; cheaper now.

TURTLE NECK SWEATERS . . . . . red tag price 75c
These are navy, wool for big boys or girls for bicycling—28, 30, 32; the price to-day regular $1 50, we cut it in two.

FINE KID SHOES . red tag price 95c
This takes a modern style coin toe kid shoe, mostly lace; size, girls' 12 to ladies' 8 (all sizes); the whole school goes at this price this week; about 700 pairs in all.

UNION SUITS, MEN'S . . . . . red tag price $2 00
These are combination suits underwear; fine $4 suits; size 44, for large man; silver gray; a little soiled; who takes them?

MEN'S SILK UNDERWEAR . . . . . red tag price $2 50
4 suits; size about 40; made of pongee silk for an order; $5 a suit is the price; these go at $2.50; fine to wear under woolens.

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Handsome 25-cent glass sugar bowls	15c
Pretty 35c glass pitchers; now	20c
Daisy rifles; a few dozen; only	75c
Two-bit stencil brushes; closing	10c
Manioca; a pure food delicacy	15c
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