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CRUSHED HIS SKULL

CHARLES YOUNGREN RUN DOWN BY A TRAIN IN SOUTH MINNEAPOLIS

WILL SWEETEN SUGAR FOLKS

Minneapolis Business Men Will Try to Get the Council to Reimburse Owners of St. Louis Park Sugar Mill if It Will Build a Sewer as Far as the Lake of the Isles—News From the Mill City.

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Charles Youngren, a laborer employed in the bridge department of the Milwaukee railroad, was almost instantly killed yesterday by being run down by a train while at work in the railroad yards near the Short Line junction. Youngren and another laborer were carrying heavy timbers along the track. An I. & M. train came towards the pair and Youngren's companion told him to step off the track, but Youngren evidently became confused, for he stepped directly on the track in front of the approaching train. He was knocked down and the pilot of the locomotive struck his head, crushing the skull. Coroner Nelson viewed the remains.

Youngren was fifty-nine years of age and has resided in Minneapolis for thirty years. His home is at 117 Twentieth avenue south, and he is survived by a wife and two grown daughters, besides several relatives in the city.

BEET SUGAR SOP.

City Will Reimburse Company if It Advances Sewer Money.

The Board of Trade met last night to listen to the report of the committee appointed to meet with the representatives of the Minnesota beet sugar factory. The committee reported that the sugar company would build the desired sewer from their factory to the city limits, and advance the money for the construction of the sewer from the city limits to the Peavey fountain, if the city built the sewer from Twenty-seventh street and Lake of the Isles to the fountain, and provided that the city council refund to the beet sugar company the money expended for the laying of the sewer from the city limits to Peavey's fountain within two years.

The proposition on the part of the beet sugar company was accepted.

ELKS START A LIBRARY.

Tonight's Meeting Will Be in the Nature of a "Book Social."

The nucleus of a great Elks' library has recently been started in Minneapolis. When a member of the Spokane, Wash., Lodge of Elks visited Minneapolis recently he presented the local lodge with a handsome dictionary as a token of the esteem in which No. 44 is held by the brother Elks of the coast city. Then it occurred to some one that the Spokane presentation was a very good suit to follow, and that if kept up the Minneapolis lodge could soon have, in addition to one of the finest lodge halls in the country and the next to the largest lodge, a library and reading room of far-reaching possibilities. No Elk can get in tonight without bringing a book.

PRATT SUCCEEDS PEAVEY.

Deadlock in Minneapolis School Board Is Broken at Last.

The board of education met at noon yesterday, and after taking four informal ballots on the selection of a successor to F. H. Peavey, the deadlock was broken and Robert Pratt, former mayor of Minneapolis, was elected to fill the vacancy.

The board decided to circulate petitions indorsing the Leech lake forestry reserve plan.

Hotel Clerk in Trouble.

Richard Connor, a well dressed man, who has been employed as a clerk at the Brunswick hotel, Hennepin avenue and Fourth streets, Minneapolis, was arrested last night by Detective Nick Smith on a warrant charging him with grand larceny.

Welcomed President Hanson.

The Retail Grocers' association held a special jollification meeting last night in honor of the former president of the association, now secretary of the state association, and president of the national association, P. G. Hanson.

MINNEAPOLIS BREVITIES.

William Hall, one of the men indicted on the charge of attempting to hold up and rob the cashier of the Occidental mill, yesterday changed his plea to guilty, and was sentenced by Judge Simpson to four years and three months in state's prison.

Judge Harvey yesterday resumed the hearing on the application of Mrs. George N. Merriam to have a guardian appointed for her husband on the grounds that he is wasting and dissipating his estate. Among the witnesses was Miss Josephine Merriam, who testified to the dissipated habits of her father, but nothing especially new was developed.

The indictment against John S. Olson, who was accused of stealing a sum of money from his former partner, was yesterday nolled.

Roland Hartley, of Minneapolis, arrived in Minneapolis yesterday from Cass lake to head a theater party which was given last night in honor of Fred Hartley, who plays the part of Junot d'Abrantes in Julia Arthur's play, "More Than Queen."

Mrs. J. E. Villaume, of New Richmond, was knocked down and painfully bruised at Hennepin and Washington avenues early yesterday afternoon by an unknown scorcher, who escaped the police. Although badly shaken up by the fall, Mrs. Villaume was able to return home unassisted.

REPUBLICANS ORGANIZE.

New Congressional Committee Meets and Selects Officers.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The newly organized Republican national congressional committee held its initial meeting today for the election of officers and adoption of general plans. Representative Babcock, of Wisconsin, was elected chairman for the third time, with Representative Sherman, of New York, as vice chairman; Representative Overstreet, of Indiana, secretary, and W. B. Thompson, treasurer.

Mr. Babcock was empowered to name the executive committee, which was given authority to carry on the work in the absence of the full committee. For purposes of general conference, however, the full committee will assemble once a month during the session of congress.

A resolution was adopted asking that early conventions may be held in various districts in order that the new committee may learn the nominees and officers, and bring about general co-operation. The resolution as to early conventions is as follows:

"Whereas, In past years the committee has been embarrassed in many sections of the country by late conventions, having no regular organizations to deal with in such sections until it was too late to organize an effective campaign, be it

"Resolved, That in the interest of an effective and successful campaign the early nomination of candidates for congress is earnestly recommended."

MR. BRYAN'S TRIP.

Delivered Speeches at Points in Massachusetts Monday.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Feb. 5.—William J. Bryan this afternoon addressed a mass meeting in the Casino, attended by people from all parts of Western Massachusetts. Mr. J. M. Crosby presided. Mr. Bryan was introduced as a private citizen first and then as the next president of the United States. After the cheering subsided Mr. Bryan, in a rather husky voice, responded that he was rather embarrassed by the introduction, which he declared had been too flattering. His observation has always been, he said, that the only difference between public men and ordinary citizens is in their hands. Public men don't work too hard. The generals never do; it is the privates who do all the work.

MR. BARD SAFE.

He Will Be Elected Senator by California Legislature.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 5.—Today's session of the legislature was devoted to routine business. A secret meeting of the Burns forces was held for the purpose of discussing the senatorial situation. It was decided to throw the entire Republican support for the senatorship to Thomas R. Bard, who received the caucus nomination. Eighty-three of the eighty-five Republican members of the legislature are now pledged to vote for Mr. Bard tomorrow.

After today's meeting Col. Burns' followers submitted a statement to the public, in which they claim to have been unfairly dealt with by those who nominated Mr. Bard. However, to promote harmony, and for the good of the party, Col. Burns withdrew from the contest. Mr. Bard's election tomorrow is thus assured.

MR. SEWALL'S SAY.

Col. W. J. Bryan Declined to Discuss It.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., Feb. 5.—W. J. Bryan today declined to discuss the interview with Arthur Sewall, candidate for vice president with Mr. Bryan four years ago, in which Mr. Sewall said that Mr. Bryan would be the candidate again, but could not be elected.

Columbus Wants Democrats.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Mr. C. C. Philbrick, a newspaper man and a member of the board of trade of Columbus, says that his city is an active candidate for the headquarters of the Democratic national committee during the coming campaign. He has been talking with prominent Democrats, presenting reasons why that city should be selected.

Personally Conducted Tours to California in Pullman Tourist Sleeping Cars.

Via Chicago Great Western Railway to Kansas City and Santa Fe route to Los Angeles and Southern California. Only line having new Pullman tourist sleepers equipped with wide vestibules, steam heat and gas light. One of these new sleepers leaves St. Paul at 8:10 a. m. every Monday, via Chicago Great Western for Los Angeles and Southern California via Kansas City, and reaches Los Angeles the following Friday morning. These tours are personally conducted by an experienced official, who accompanies the train to its destination. The cars are well equipped for a long journey and are as comfortable as the standard sleepers, while the price for a double berth is only about one-half. Full information furnished by J. P. Elmer, G. A. P. D., Fifth and Robert streets, St. Paul.

The Cripple

Who is crippled by accident or deformity hardly understands the meaning of the word "crippled" as compared with the victim of rheumatism. He is not only bent and twisted, but also racked with pain so cruel that he envies the cripple who stumps along on a wooden leg, whistling as he goes. Rheumatism is known to-day as a blood disease. It can only be cured through the blood.

That powerful blood-purifying medicine, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, cleanses the blood of the acid poisons which cause rheumatism. When the blood is cleansed the rheumatism is cured.

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Mr. R. J. McKnight, of Cades, Williamsburg County, S. C., writes: "I had been troubled with rheumatism for twelve years, so bad at times I could not leave my bed. I was badly crippled. Tried many doctors, and two of them gave me up to die. None of them did me any good. The pains in my back, hips and legs (and at times in my head), would nearly kill me. My appetite was very bad. Everybody who saw me said I must die. I took five bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and four vials of 'Pellets,' and to-day my health is good, after suffering twelve years with rheumatism."

The sluggish liver can be cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

TO SENATOR NELSON

LEAGUE OF AMERICAN PRODUCERS SENDS AN OPEN LETTER TO WASHINGTON

DISCRIMINATION IS CHARGED

The Minnesota Man Asked to Resist the Proposed Unfairness to Northwestern Flour Involved in the Proposed Twenty-Five Per Cent of the Existing Tariff—Move in the Interest of Sugar Trust.

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 5.—(Special.)—The following open letter was telegraphed today to Hon. Knute Nelson, senator from Minnesota, by Herbert Myrick, chairman of the League of Domestic Producers, Marquette building, Chicago:

"In behalf of the farmers of the Northwest, permit us to call your attention to the fourfold discrimination against Northwestern breadstuffs exported to Puerto Rico, which is involved in the proposed 25 per cent of the existing tariff. Coffee being admitted free, that plan imposes reduced duties on only one quarter of the island's exports, making the average duty on all Puerto Rico's exports to this country only 3 per cent ad valorem. But Northwestern breadstuffs and other American merchandise exported to Puerto Rico paying one-fourth of Dingley rates, which average 50 per cent ad valorem, would be taxed 12½ per cent, or four times what Puerto Rico pays to get into this market. Now, if you admit Puerto Rican coffee free and impose full duties against her other exports to this country, it figures out 12½ per cent ad valorem, the same as our breadstuffs and merchandise must pay to get into Puerto Rico. This would be fair on both sides. Surely, you will hotly resist the proposed discrimination against Northwestern flour and other exports, especially when such discrimination is for the benefit of sugar refiners' trusts, tropical fruit trust, etc."

KEHR MURDER TRIAL.

Prosecution Springs Unexpected Witness on the Defense.

LA CROSSE, Wis., Feb. 5.—The second week of the Kehr murder trial opened this morning. Theodore Galster, who was with William Kehr the night Kehr was fatally stabbed, was on the stand. Galster is not especially bright mentally and the night of the fighting was so badly scared that he had no distinct recollection of what happened, who attacked Kehr or who did the stabbing. He was cross-examined by six attorneys for the defense. Galster's testimony was soon badly mixed and knocked into a cocked hat.

The defense thought the prosecution was completely annihilated, as it was supposed that besides the four defendants Galster was the only person who saw the stabbing, but District Attorney Morris here sprung a surprise. He introduced Henry Haller, porkpacker, who witnessed the whole affair, but did not interfere as he was unarmed. He heard the talking and cursing, and had no difficulty in identifying the defendants now on trial. The stabbing occurred down in the tenderloin district. A number of women inmates have identified the defendants, and they will testify that Miller and his three associates were in several houses of ill-fame before and after the stabbing.

GREEN GOODS.

Winona Men Receiving Tempting Offers Through the Mails.

WINONA, Minn., Feb. 5.—(Special.)—Of late the mails of local business men have been flooded with green goods letters. Last week B. A. Gernes received one, and out of curiosity answered it. Today he received a reply, and inclosed was a bright new dollar bill, which purported to be a sample of the money made. It was readily received at a local bank. The bill cost Gernes a two-cent stamp, and now recipients all over the city are going up against the scheme.

ST. CLOUD MAN'S DEATH.

Nicholas Kraemer Commits Suicide by Hanging in Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 5.—Nicholas Kraemer, formerly a cigar manufacturer of St. Cloud, Minn., committed suicide today by hanging himself. He was sixty years of age, and had been mentally unbalanced for some time.

Funerals at Hastings.

HASTINGS, Minn., Feb. 5.—(Special.)—The remains of Christoph Schoepf, who died at Appleton, Minn., on the 3d inst., arrived here today, and were placed in the vault at Lakeside. He was a native of Bavaria, and aged seventy-six years. Mr. Schoepf was one of Hastings' early and well known citizens, and leaves two daughters and three sons, Mrs. Pauline Hagen, of Northfield; Mrs. Johnson, wife of Ald. J. P. Johnson, of this city; George B. Schoepf, of Minneapolis, and Antone and Henry J. Schoepf, of Appleton.

The funeral of Michael Moore, of Rosemount, who died on the 3d inst., was held from St. Agatha's church, Vermillion, today, the Rev. William McGolrick officiating. He was a well known farmer and universally esteemed. His age was eighty years. He leaves five sons, John C., Richard, Edward and Thomas, of Rosemount, and William, of Vermillion.

Northfield Municipal Election.

NORTHFIELD, Minn., Feb. 5.—Much interest is beginning to be manifested in the coming spring elections. At present the forecast seems to be something as follows: M. W. Skinner for mayor, because of the excellent administration of affairs during his term of office and the number of improvements made. In the First ward, Ald. Wyman and A. R. Gress will doubtless be candidates; in the Second ward, J. C. Davison and H. A. Boe will probably contend for a place in the council, while in the Third William Ebel will undoubtedly succeed himself. A city recorder and city treasurer and a special judge of the municipal court will also be elected this year. The new city charter will be voted upon. Notices have been published for the Republican primaries for three wards, to be held at 7:30 p. m., Feb. 24. The city convention for the Republicans will occur at the city hall at 7:30 p. m., Feb. 26.

Hits Blind Pig Industry.

WILLMAR, Minn., Feb. 5.—Judge Qvale, of the district court, passed sentence on the six parties convicted of illegally selling intoxicating liquors. Fred Magnuson, who pleaded guilty, and Henry Scott and James Hackerson were each fined $50 and sentenced to thirty days in jail and to fifteen days additional in default of payment; George Crandall, $100 and seventy days in jail; Noble Schegel, $100 and sixty days in jail; Martin Klevjer, $100 and forty days in jail, on the indictment by the grand jury, and $100 and thirty days in jail on the conviction of the justice court, having failed to sustain his appeal, and Sam Stabler, $100 and ninety days in jail. The last three to stand committed to sixty-five days additional in jail by default of payment of $100 fine. The judgments of the court, it is expected, will have an exceedingly depressing effect on the "blind-pig" industry.

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New Masonic Lodge.

VERNON CENTER, Feb. 5.—Last week Vernon Center Lodge No. 228, A. F. and A. M., was duly constituted and consecrated by Worshipful Grand Master Alonzo Brandenberg, of Fergus Falls. Representatives were present from Mankato, Lake Crystal, Good Thunder, Amboy and Mapleton lodges, A. F. and A. M. In all about 100 took part in the ceremonies and festivities. The consecration ceremonies were followed by the election and installment of the following officers: E. D. Cornish, W. M.; H. C. Kraus, S. W.; J. D. Blanchard, J. W.; T. T. Warkam, secretary, and William Louer, treasurer. The installation ceremonies were followed by refreshments, which, in turn, was followed by toasts and speeches into the small hours.

Died of Bright's Disease.

SANDSTONE, Minn., Feb. 5.—(Special.)—Charles F. Anderson died at 11:15 a. m. today. Mr. Anderson has been a resident of Sandstone for fourteen years. He has been in the saloon business for the past ten years. He leaves a wife and five children. A large circle of friends mourn over his departure and sympathize with the bereaved ones. He died of Bright's disease, and was confined to his bed only two weeks.

Conference of Ministers.

WINONA, Minn., Feb. 5.—(Special.)—An informal conference of ministers of the United Church of America will be held in Winona at the Scandinavian Lutheran church, beginning Feb. 15 and continuing three days. Ministers from Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota will be in attendance. Rev. P. Dreyer, of Harmony, Minn., will conduct the meeting.

MINNESOTA.

Brainerd—The suit of Mrs. Amanda Jones against the Anaconda Copper Mining company has been settled in this city by an attorney representing the copper company for $3,500. Mrs. Jones lost her husband in a mine accident.

Lake City—The ladies of the G. A. R. will give a dance Feb. 22 for the benefit of the poor families in town.

Carlton—Judge Bradley is growing more feeble, his physicians report, and it is regarded as only a question of time until he passes away.

Mankato—J. G. Hamlin, supervisor of the census for this district, is preparing a list of districts and dividing the work of taking the census. He has also issued a statement giving a great deal of information as to methods to be employed, similar to that given out by other supervisors all over the country. Five hundred and seventy-five enumerators will be required to canvass this district.

Aitkin—Edward Morrison was found on the Cluff farm, near here, half naked, badly burned and frozen to death. No one is able to tell how the accident happened.

Aitkin—Real estate transfers for the first month in the new year aggregate $21,000 for the county.

New Ulm—The annual meeting of the Brown County Agricultural society was held a few days ago. Fred Crone was elected president. The association is in fair condition financially and a strong effort will be made this year to reduce the indebtedness.

Duluth—Dr. Z. K. Brown, after a long illness, died at St. Mary's hospital. Dr. Brown was a well known physician and a native of Virginia, where the remains have been taken for interment.

ST. LOUIS FIRE.

Loss Is Still Estimated at Between $1,000,000 and $2,000,000.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—Owing to the extent of yesterday's fire and the great confusion resulting, the work of ascertaining the exact amount of damage to the building and stock of the many firms and individuals that suffered will be a long and tedious one. In many instances books and papers have been destroyed. The ruins have not cooled enough yet to permit the examination of the contents of safes and vaults.

The total loss is today variously estimated at from $1,000,000 to $2,000,000.

No deaths have resulted among those injured yesterday, and the indications are that all will recover.

James Cummings, the private watchman of Penny & Gentle's department store, who was arrested last night on suspicion of having some knowledge of the origin of Sunday's disastrous fire, was released today. On investigation it was found there was nothing to justify his arrest.

ANOTHER BIG DEAL.

St. Paul Directly Interested if Statement Be True.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Another movement is about to be made by the syndicates that are attempting to control all of the important railroads in the country. The Harriman-Vanderbilt-Morgan - Pennsylvania combination, having about finished it work of consolidation in the territory east of Chicago, has turned its weapons upon the Western field of transportation. The managers of the controlling pool are trying to corral the only independent roads between Chicago and St. Paul—the Wisconsin Central and the Chicago Great Western—in order to obtain absolute control of the Chicago-St. Paul district.

President Hill, of the Great Northern, who is a prominent member of the Baltimore & Ohio end of the syndicate, is negotiating for the purchase of the Wisconsin Central; in fact, it is the prevailing opinion in financial and railroad circles that the syndicate already has obtained control of this line.

N. P. Rumor Denied.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The six months truce between the Northern Pacific Railway company and the Oregon Railway and Navigation company, whereby both companies agreed to suspend construction work in the "Clearwater country" in Idaho, expired today, but has been renewed for another six months.

Reports from Tacoma that the Union Pacific has secured a contract for operating privileges over the Northern Pacific from Portland to Tacoma was denied today by an official of the Northern Pacific. President Mellen, of the Northern Pacific, it may be noticed, was quoted as far back as last July that he had made an offer of special privileges to the Union Pacific.

Chicago's Big Labor War.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—The big labor war which will probably tie up all building operations in Chicago began today when the contractors enforced the new rules governing workmen. On some of the jobs the men refused to go to work at all when they arrived at the usual hour in the morning. The trouble spread rapidly during the day and by evening nerly 2,000 of the 7,000 men who have been employed recently had stopped work.

"Oregon" and "Umatilla."

These latest products of Pullman's shops are models of elegance and beauty. They are finished in solid mahogany, upholstered in tan and oriental tapestry, with an oval roof, and lighted with Pintsch gas. Nothing to compare with them in point of beauty has ever left St. Paul.

They now run daily on the Minneapolis & St. Louis night trains to Omaha, making the run in 12 hours.

Coaches finished with solid mahogany, with large smoking compartments fitted with wicker chairs and leather lounges, having commodious toilet rooms at each end, is another exclusive feature of the Omaha service on the M. & St. L. R. R.

The parlors cars "Ambrosia" and "Elsinore," just from the shops, are a revelation to the traveling public. They leave St. Paul at 9:2[illegible] m., reach Omaha at 9:40 p. m. A complete cafe serves a la carte meals. Seats in parlor car only $1.00.

IN FAVOR OF CLARK

TESTIMONY IN THE MONTANA SENATORIAL CONTEST OF THE SPICY SORT

UGLY ALLEGATIONS ARE MADE

Witnesses Assert That They Were Offered Money to Assist in Keeping Mr. Clark From Taking His Seat in the Senate—Speaker Stiff's Statements Are Flatly Disputed—Some Strange Stories Told.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The two most important witnesses before the Clark investigating committee of the senate today were Representative Jaqueth, of the Montana legislature, and A. H. Cook, ex-state auditor. Mr. Jaqueth is one of the members in whose name Mr. Whiteside claimed to have received $5,000 for voting for Mr. Clark for the senate, and Mr. Cook had been represented by Speaker Stiff, of the Montana house, as having tried to induce him to vote for Clark for a money consideration. Both denied this charge. Mr. Jaqueth said he had never before seen the envelope in which the $5,000 said to have been intended for him had been placed. Mr. Cook declared that he had never but once talked with Mr. Stiff concerning the contest for the United States senate, and that then Mr. Stiff had brought up the subject, suggesting that he might cast his vote for Mr. Clark for the senate for $50,000, but that he (Cook) had said that he was not interested in the senatorial contest to this extent.

A half-dozen other witnesses were examined, all by the defense, and each in refutation of some testimony offered by the prosecution.

George Casey, of Butte, was the first witness of the afternoon session. He stated that he had spent last winter in Helena in Mr. Clark's interest, and that Mr. McDermott had paid part of his expenses. He denied ever having made promises of pecuniary assistance to Representative Murray, of his state. Mr. Casey testified to the purchase of $7,000 worth of sheep by himself and Representative Lockhart, of the Montana legislature, which had been paid for with money borrowed by Mr. Lockhart at the bank of Clark and taken to Butte.

FIGHT ON CLARK.

James M. Rhoades, receiver of the land office at Miles City, told of a proposition which he said had been made to him in Helena last winter by John R. Toole, a member of the Montana house of representatives, to assist in preparing for the contest of Mr. Clark's seat. He had asked Mr. Toole's assistance. Toole had told him that he would grant the help, but in return he wanted his (witness') help. Mr. Toole had said to him that he and his friends had just been beaten by Mr. Clark in the contest for the United States senate; that Mr. Clark's right to the seat would be attacked; that for this purpose the testimony would be wanted; that he (the witness) was wanted for this purpose because it was believed that he could help; that money would be furnished for his services; that he must know men who had been connected with the senatorial contest, and whose votes could be secured for a consideration, and that Mr. Clark must be prevented from taking his seat "by fair means, if possible, and if not, by foul means."

"Did you understand," asked Senator Turley, "that you were to go to witnesses and offer them money to testify falsely here?"

"I did," was the reply.

"Did you become indignant?"

"No, sir; I feared that to do so would lose support in the Rosebud bill."

Mr. Toole had told him that he wanted a Republican for this work, because he feared he could not trust a Democrat.

SPEAKER STIFF DISPUTED.

A. B. Cook, a railroad contractor, of Helena, was introduced to impeach the testimony of Speaker Stiff, of the Montana house of representatives. He contradicted Mr. Stiff's testimony flat. He had not offered Mr. Stiff $20,000, nor had he tried later to get him to accept the proposition, nor held out inducements to believe that he could get $50,000 for his vote. He admitted that he had invited Mr. Stiff to visit the Montana club, but denied that after getting Mr. Stiff into the building he had taken him to a quiet room and opened up a conversation on the senatorial question, pressing Mr. Stiff to vote for Mr. Clark for a consideration.

State Representative C. F. Ingersoll, of Custer county, Montana, said he had not received any consideration for his vote for Mr. Clark for the senate, and that he had never told any one that he was to get $10,000 for his vote for that gentleman. He is a Republican, and he had only voted for Mr. Clark upon the petition of the leading members of his party in his own county.

TREATY IS SIGNED.

England Agrees to Amending of Clayton-Bulwer Contract.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Hay-Pauncefote treaty amending the Clayton-Bulwer treaty regarding the Nicaraguan canal was signed at the state department this morning.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The Journal and Advertiser's Washington correspondent states that in return for the British renunciation of rights under the Clayton-Bulwar treaty the state department has promised a free port in Alaska for Canada.

Copper Mine Litigation.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., Feb. 5.—Proceedings were begun today in the superior court by F. J. Matchette, of Milwaukee; Frank Ostrander, president of the Northwestern National bank, of this city, and M. C. French, to restrain E. A. Arnold, J. B. Arnold and N. B. Arnold, as officers of the Consolidated Copper Mining company, from disposing of any of the property of the company, which includes 20,000 acres of land in this county.

CASTORIA.
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Ashland—The Chequamegon Ice company has purchased Lake Levine, one mile from Hurley, to furnish ice to neighboring towns and cities south of the range.

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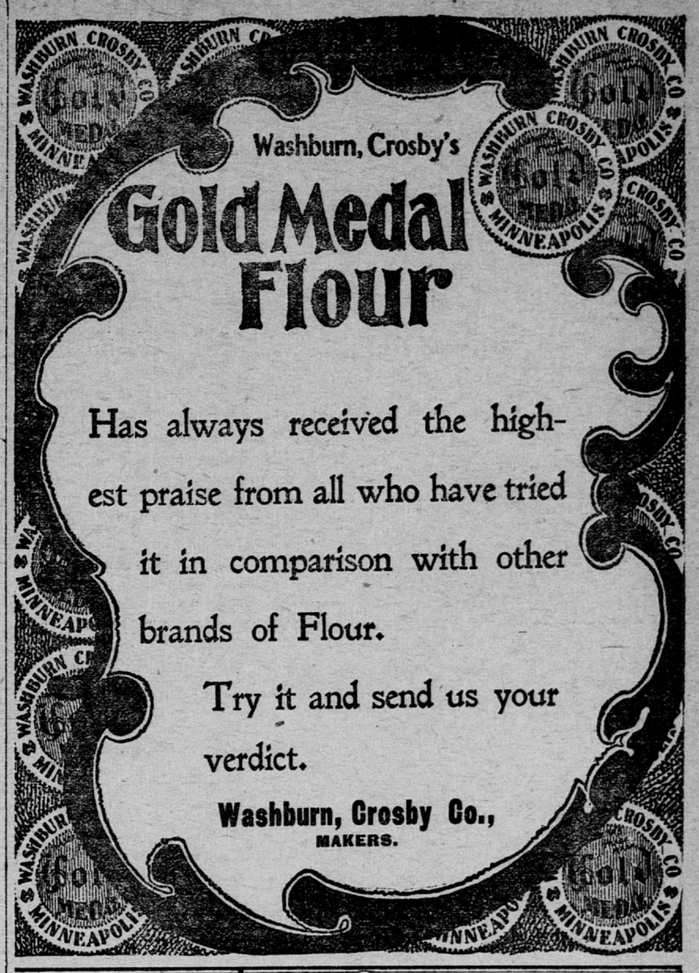

PLANS FOR PEACE

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that time very satisfactory progress had been made, considering the bitter estrangement of the factions, and the seemingly irreconcilible differences in their contentions of the most important points at issue.

It soon became evident that the meeting could not deal with the question of a transfer of state offices, or even with the respective claims to these positions. All it could hope to accomplish was the removal of some of the obstacles which stand in the way of securing an adjudication of these questions by some tribunal upon which the principals can agree. The Democrats at first were inclined to press their demands to the limit, requiring the withdrawal of troops from the state building at Frankfort, the recognition of Beckham as governor without any further action by the legislature on reports of the contest board by which Goebel and Beckham were declared to have been elected; after which the main points in controversy were to be adjudicated by due process of law. Something of sentiment moved the Democrats to make the claim for the recognition of the legality of the actions of the legislature since Gov. Taylor issued his proclamation adjourning that body to meet at London, Ky., the wish to establish the title of William Goebel as governor at the time of his death.

REPUBLICAN POSITION.

The Republicans showed no disposition to make such extreme concessions. They have elected to stand on the legality of Gov. Taylor's proclamation, though the abatement to some extent of their belligerency at Frankfort was reflected in their arguments. This had been expected since the release of Alonzo Walker, after Gov. Taylor's military officers had refused to recognize a writ of habeas corpus in his case, and the intimation thrown out today that the military guard placed upon the state building at Frankfort Feb. 2 would not be so rigorously enforced hereafter.

The re-establishment of the civil authority and the suppression of the military seemed the most promising ground to work upon, and the efforts of the conferees were turned in this direction.

When the recess was taken at 9 o'clock all the participants were very reluctant to talk about what had been done. The negotiations, it was said, had not progressed far enough to make expressions of opinion as to their probable outcome of value, while a public discussion of the matters under consideration might endanger the cause of the peacemaker. That progress had been made, however, was freely admitted, and the participants in the conference were all hopeful that the object of the meeting would be attained.

CENTER OF INTEREST.

The meeting between the representatives of the rival administrations of Governors Taylor and Beckham was the center of interest in the political situation today. This conference, which was begun last night at Frankfort, with such promise of a peaceful result, began shortly before 5 o'clock at the Galt house.

Lieut. Gov. John Marshall and Attorney David Fairleigh came down from Frankfort on an early train and spent the morning in consultation with legal advisers of the Republicans. Later they were joined by Gen. Dan Lindsey and T. H. Edelin, who came from Frankfort about noon; Judge Robert Barr and Postmaster T. H. Baker, of this city. These six represented Gov. Taylor at the conference.

For the Democrats there were present Senator-elect Blackburn, ex-Gov. J. D. McCreary, Judge Robert J. B. Breckinridge, Democratic candidate for attorney general, and Col. Phil Thompson. Immediately upon arrival in Louisville each delegation withdrew for private conference. At noon Mr. Fairleigh sent for Col. Thompson and informed him that his side would not be ready to submit propositions until 5 o'clock this afternoon. The Republicans then left the hotel, and the Democrats remained in conference in their rooms.

BECKHAM'S BUSY DAY.

The day was a busy one for Gov. Beckham. Arising early, at his headquarters at Zelbach's hotel, he spent the first hours of the day with close personal friends in his apartments at the hotel. Among these were Judge Frank Daugherty, of Bardstown, the governor's home; W. B. Kniskern, of Chicago, general passenger agent of the Chicago & Northwestern, the governor's brother-in-law, and some twenty or more Nelson county gentlemen.

At 10:30 o'clock he started for the residence of Col. James Fetter, to see his mother, Mrs. Julia Beckham, who came down from Chicago this morning. It was the first meeting between mother and son since the latter became governor. Each was greatly affected.

After returning to his hotel numerous important conferences occupied the remainder of the day. A large number of telegrams and letters of congratulation were received by the governor today. Among them being the following:

Culpepper, Va., Feb. 5.—Gov. Beckham: We deplore death of Gov. Goebel. Offer 900 men to see justice meted out. Answer.
—C. E. Smith,
Colonel Virginia State Guard.

Iola, Kan., Feb. 5.—Gov. Beckham: The Democrats of the nation are at your back. Stick.
—J. B. Gosporn,
Democratic State Central Committee.

NEW NATIONAL GUARD.

A good deal of interest centered about Adjt. Gen. Castleman and his new national guard. The general was not at all well, and was confined to his bed all day. Recruiting for the battalion of the First regiment, which it had been decided to raise, was actively carried on, but beyond this there was not much doing in this branch of the Democratic state government, the most peaceful trend of events having checked preparations of this kind. The general expressed a purpose to avail himself, in case it should become necessary, of the services of separate troops which have been or are being organized in a number of Kentucky towns to support the Democratic state officers. In addition arrangements have been made to utilize city police and deputy sheriffs if they should be needed.

The Republican legislators who were here yesterday had disappeared by morning. Some of the state officers, however, were in town, among them Attorney General Clifton J. Pratt and Commissioner of Agriculture Throckmorton. Neither would talk about the political situation.

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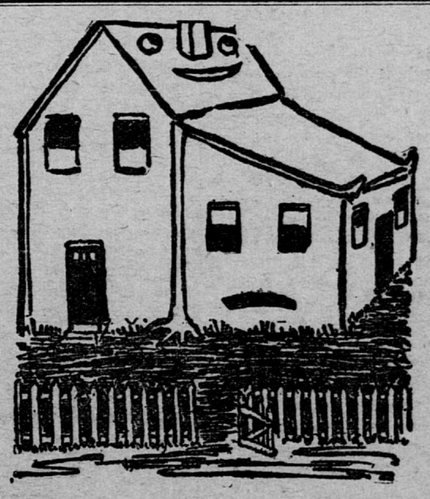

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