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FLAMES

## NOMINATIONS MORE

## Batch of Democrats.

New on Trial, and Promises Very Fairly-Initial Trip of the

## Cruiser Detroit.

More Appointments. WASHINGTON, April 3 .- The president today sent the following nominations to the senate :

William Edmund Curtis, of New York. to be assistant secretary of the treasury. vice Genio M. Lambertson, resigned.

Charles S. Hamlin, of Massachusetts. to be assistant secretary of the treasury,

vice John H. Gear, resigned. James H. Reickels, of Illinois, to be comptroller of currency.

James F. Meline, of the District of Columbia, to be assistant treasurer of the United States.

L. Stobo Farrow, of South Carolina, to be second auditor of the treasury.

John B. Brawley, of Pennsylvania, to be auditor of the treasury for the postoffice department.

James J. Willie, of Florida, to be deputy fifth auditor of the treasury.

Henry W. Eglor, of New Jersey, to be collector of enstoms for the district of New Jersev.

collector of customs for the district of Michigan.

John Tracey, of New York, to be in a short time. superintendent of charities for the District of Columbia, vice A. J. Warner resigned.

#### Smokeless Powder.

WASHINGTON, April 3 .- A Virginia stock exchange from Leonard Mason, who has not been fortify them against foreign attack. known as a chemist to ordnance experis. ceived from the California Powder company, and the firm is engaged in developing the powder recently tested with appropriate any money for the equipment of the powder laboratory which General Flagler desired to establish at Frankford must necessarily delay the discovery of a successful powder. The navy has been a little more fortunate in this particular, and has a laboratory at Newport in charge of a chemist who spends most of his time in developing a smokeless powder, which has already been tried with results that exceed in merit the best of the smokeless powders tried abroad. The composition of the navy powder is kept a secret, and many of the military attaches of foreign legations in Washington have besought Commodore Simpson to furnish them with his formula.

#### The Cruiser Detroit.

eral Howard says his visit is to observe different posts in the south. Oregon Fruit at Chicago.

whether the installation of fresh fruit exhibits will be allowed, pending the Engines Sent to the Rescue From progress of the fair, during the latter months, when the crops of this year mature. While there is no positive assurance that this will be permitted, Mr. Myers desires to say that it is quite probable that allotted spaces may be

eral O. O. Howard, chief of the depart-

terday, is on his inspection trip. Gen.

so devoted by the withdrawal of reason to believe that a great market will be open to shippers of car lots of fruit for sale in Chicago during the sum- \$100,000. mer. More substantial results will be

the exhibits, as the test of flavor and richness is one that Oregon boasts and pickle works are threatened. relies upon for the merit of superiority. At all events, there are splendid opportanities open to fruit-growers of Oregon.

#### ELECTRIC FLASHES.

At a fire in the Grand Hotel, Point Dudley O. Watson, of Michigan, to be Arena, Cal., Gus Greaves and another man jumped from a hotel window, and a gale, and sparks are flying in all direcreceived injuries from which they died tions. People for a dozen blocks around nis to Denver and Omaha.

George Kaltenbach, a German specu- the roofs.

smokeless powder which the army has ing a tour of the Southern army posts to and malthouse; the Godfrey and Clark had, however, a succession of days when tested up to date. The test was recently see if they have good water and perfect paper warehouse, Cupp & Volghtley's the temperature would be greatly below made at the Frankfort, Pa., arsenal with drainage, in view of the possibility of a planing mill and lumber-yard, 15 dwell- the normal. This closes the fourth conexcellent results, and a request was sent cholera invasion this spring. He is also ings and the Hope cotton mill. The secutive months during which the temfor additional and larger quantities of inspecting Southern harbors and inthe powder. The composition came quiring what should be done properly to river, and 12 large tenement houses are

It is just made public that William R. Another successful sample has been re- Shaw, an old and respected cashier of city. Lincoln National bank, Bath, Me., is a defaulter. A shortage of about \$12,000 now appears in the cash account, and it good results. The failure of congress to is supposed there is upward of \$4,000 temporarily covered up by changing sums to the credit of depositors.

James W. Hamilton, colored expreacher and convicted wife-murderer, was electrocuted in the Sing Sing, N. Y. prison at 11 o'clock yesterday. The at Point Conception, on the southern crime for which he suffered the penalty California coast. The coal took fire on was premeditated morder committed at March 19th. On the 30th an explosion Winfield, L. L. in May, in 1892, of An- occurred which tore up the deck in all tation. Spring plowing and seeding which I prayed. The only hope I have of Off-Joe Creek within the next few w nie Brooks, a pretty colored girl, whom directions, and the ship was soon ablaze. he betrayed and was forced to marry At midnight, seeing the fire was still three years before. They did not live increasing, the crew alundoned their together and Hamilton tried in vain to efforts to control the flames and took to colored ends of buds, but usually by the secure a divorce from her. He decoyed the boats after securing the best of their her from Flushing, L. L., where she was effects. Captain W. Drummoud, his wond and cherry trees are in full bloom. employed, to Winfield, where he cut her son and 15 men occupied one boat, throat.

#### Murder and Suicide.

OAELAND, April 3 .- About 9:30 o'clock navy department selected the course in machinist, and requested her to return tent, and may be heard from at any average speed of 17 knots during a run he raised a pistol which he carried in of four consecutive hours at sea will his hand and shot her in the right March 31st, when it was decided to have to be made to fulfill the terms of temple. She attempted to get away abandon the ship and make for Point the contract. For every quarter of a knot from him through the front door, but Conception, which was found by obserover 17 the contractors will be paid before she could do so he shot her again s25,000 premium. The builders are satis- in the head. Rock then ran out of the Francisco, which was but 200 miles. fied a speed of at least 18 knots will be back door and 'down into the cellar, However, northwest winds seemed to be where he placed the pistol to his temple and fired. When the officer reached him he was just gasping his last. The woman is still alive and conscious but is very weak. It appears that the man and woman had been living together in San Francisco for some time, although they were not married. They have two children, one a girl 5 years, and a boy 2 years of age. About a month ago the woman left Rock because he wanted her to support him and the children, and she came to Oskland to keep house for Knauth. Ever since that time he has been trying to get her back. Rock was about 40 years of age. Among his effects was a sealed letter to the Californian. Bonita passed going north. All of the Bock and the woman are said to be sixteen men stood up in the boat and cousins.

Pa.

Neighboring Cities-The Steel Ship King James Burned

at Sca.

PITTSBURG, April 4 .- A big fire is individual who robbed the Denver ank old exhibits and the substitution of the raging in Alleghany. It started in God- of \$21,000 two years ago. new and fresh ones. At least, every ef- frey & Clark's warehouse, a fourfort will be made to have this privilege story building. It spread rapidly granted, and it is hoped that all parts of to Eberhardt & Ober's malthouse, the state will do their utmost to make elevator and warehouse. At 3:30 such a display as will be very creditable these buildings were entirely des- from two to six degrees, and the rainial to the pomological industry. Not alone troyed, and the fire is still spreading, was about normal except at Portland. in this way will a splendid opportunity with a high wind blowing. The entire where there was a deficiency of 28 per be presented to Oregon, but there is fire department is at work, and Fittsburg has been asked for help. Godfrey & Clark lose \$65,000; Eberhardt & Ober,

3:40 p. m.-The fire has spread to 12

3:50 p. m .- The Hope cotton mills, Cupp & Voightley's planing mill, Heinz' pickle warehouse are all burning, and two blocks between Sycamore and Chestnut streets are abase. The Illinois leather works, the Globe varnish works, and the factory of Heinz and Co. will probably go next. The wind is blowing are busy extinguishing small fires on

man appears to have made the best Major General O. O. Howard is mak- Eberhardt & Ober's warehouse, elevator any low temperatures of any note; but flames are now spreading toward the perature has been below the normal. threatened. The occupants are moving out. Engines have been sent from this

> 4:20 p. m .- The fire is believed to be under control. The rumor that a child was burned to death is not verified.

#### One Boatload Saved.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 4 .- A boat containing the first mate, 13 men and two apprentices of the four-masted steel ship King James, coal laden, from Newcastle, England, for San Francisco, has landed

the second boat. April 1st # gale came present prospects point to a most sucup, and after it had spent itself the cap- cessful and prosperous year. BALTIMORE, April 3.—The cruiser De-troit started from Newport, R. I., this morning Carl Rock came to the house where Emilie Schnidrathscheim mate, William Muldoon, says that Cap-tain Brummond was very cautions, and spring opens to the stockmen most families for her official trial morning for her official trial trip. The was keeping house for C. W. Knauth, a he would not carry sail to any great exmall, hi hour. After leaving the vessel they put fair prices rule the market. themselves in tow of her till 3 s. m., SEATTLE, April 5 .- [Special to THE CHRONICLE.]-The political pot has been boiling for some time and Seattle has many aspirants in the field for positions. the best course to follow, and they headed southeast, and on the night of April 2 about 7 o'clock the mate came in sight of the Point Conception light.

waved their coats to try to attract their

attention, but to no avail, so they came

erison, William Seaman, Harry Bruce,

Peter Peterson, Christie Larcen, Frank

Keeyon, Stephen Brezon, John Wil-

pected to appear soon, and a close watch

is being kept for her. This was the

Supposed Roslyn East Robbers.

Baker City, April 4. - There was a

Washington officer called to their assistance Sheriff Conde and his deputies. Conde and Francis went to Haines and called at Wm. McCarty's residence. The President Submits the Names of a personally the sanitary condition of the A Fierce Fire Raging in Alleghany, The detective stopped at the gate, and A Well-Known Actor Suicides by Jumpwas covered by Winchesters in the hands of Tom and William. The offi-THE NEW SMOKELESS POWDER Frequent inquiries are made as to MANY BUSINESS BLOCKS BURNED our was relieved of his rifle and a step- WAS COMING TO THE COAST until his father and uncle escaped. A posse of men were sent out and are in hot pursuit. Deputy Kinnison and Farley went to McEwan and returned in the evening with George McC--and lodged him in jail. The Wastton officers believe Tom McCarty '- ....

> Weather Review for March. The month cold and generally class

greeable. The temperature was deficient cent.

The month opened with snow on the ground in northeastern Washington and in eastern Oregon south and east of the Blue mountains; snow fell in these secground, except about Baker City, where there was one inch : on the higher elevations and mountain, quite deep snow

#### BAROMETRIC PRESSURE.

or storm areas. Six of them passed eastward over British Columbia, the seventh of the part played by himself. Here he horseback, Delaney's friends who passed eastward over northern Califor- met with indifferent success, opening at

lator in the coffee market, who lives in 4:30 p. m.-The flames are spreading was from two to six degrees before the Paris has just cleaned up a cool million to three dwellings on Main street. Up March normal, the greatest deficiency by a bull movement in the New York to this hour the loss is \$250,000 to \$300,- being at Walla Walla, and the least at 000. Among the buildings destroyed are: Roseburg. The month was devoid of

### PRECIPITATION.

The precipitation has been about the normal, except in the interior valleys of western Oregon, where it is below the of days than is usual.

### WEATHER.

There was an excess of cloudy weather and a marked deficiency in sunshine. CROPS.

have been delayed. The ground is too wet for garden making. The fruit buds are swelling. Some varieties are showing close of March the peach, apricot, al-Winter wheat has rooted and stooled

while the first mate and the others took well, there has been little winter frozen ;

Senttle News.

B. S. PAGUE.

Local Forecast Official.

WAS CAUSED BY OPIUM of my emotions that I can keep the go by and the days pass, I feel I growing weaker under the awful m had only succeeded in separating I ing Off a Steamship. and me for a matter of time, and th still have her affections, but now the

To Fill a Professional Engagement-Killed Himself in a Fit of Despondency.

NEW YORK, April 4 .- It was John W. Summers, the well-known actor, who committed saicide by jumping overboard 'Father told me I must give ye from a Pacific Mail Steam hip on the and I can love you no more as I ma passage from Panama to San Diego, Cal., his will.' Oh! God, I am thankin last week. He was born in Kentucky sorrow at this time can come but on 38 years ago. He went to Se . Francisco a lifetime. I feel the climax of my while a youth with the i sention of has been reached and my doom ied making a fortune in the gels mines, but How sweet would have been my a instead went on the stage. Mr. Sam- if I had only followed her to the gra mers soon returned to the Lost, and proving himself a clever actor found no

difficulty in obtaining good positions in the best theatrical companies. He Sturgis, Union county, was led an was a member of A. M. Palmer's Madison Square theater for some time, also one of the Frohman companies. Four years ago, being in Chicago with a play and accused him of being reponsi written partly by himself, he became a star. The company was sent to England, a pistol she compelled him to se where it met with good success in the carriage with her husband and days play, which was termed "A Noble Outcast." Mr. Summers afterward, on his procured a license and compelled as The month had seven low pressures, return to this country, changed the marry the girl. On the way but a name of the play to "Jerry," the name carriage was attacked by armed neg the Windsor in this city early in the flew up the road, Delaney in present season; his company was dis- jumped out and joined them. banded at the close of the engagement. girl was shot through the head, Mr. Summers concluded to try his fortune again on the Pacific coast, and have become a mother. The father sailing from here March 10 for the isth- also mortally wounded. Mrs. 0 mus, was on his way to San Francisco, when, it is supposed in a fit of despondency superinduced by the opium habit, committed suicide. Mr. Summers whe twice married, his first wife being Anna Boyle, from whom he was divorced

six months ago. His second wife, also an actress, is at present connected with a traveling company.

### Smith's Letter to His Mother.

CHICAGO, April 3.-The inquest on the is Judge William Lochren, of St. h. normal and where it is deficient from body of Ross Smith was held in Evans. Minn. one to two and one-half inches. The ton this afternoon. The facts elicted Reley Hannersly, of Josephine con precipitation was unusually well dis- were those already told by those dis- has struck a pocket on Jump 023 tributed, it raining on a greater number patches. Among the personal effects creek which contains a large amon found upon him was the following letter soft quartz, which will run \$100,000 to his mother -

hardly know what I am doing. I am been determined. From 60 pound barely able to move about today. My the quartz he has pounded out \$425. sorrow is more than I can stand. I have prospectors here pronounce it the h The cool, cloudy weather and frequent asked help from Him on high, but, as est rock they have ever seen. \$ rains have retarded the growth of vege- usual, I got the opposite of that for active prospecting will be done on Jun



for the statement that President Ca land has decided on a man for pen commissioner, and that his name be sent to the senate within 45 hs He declined to give the name, but h a hint be dropped it is believed then the ton. It is a pocket in a fuel "I am nearly mad with suffering and I ledge, the extent of which has not a

receiving comfort is to get such as

from entering my mind. As the h

I wrote in my last latter that Mr. G

gone, a natural result from the pos-

in which Mr. Clark's actions and dem

have placed us. I went out to an

this week for the first time since she

cieved her father's cruel letter, and

told me she could no longer give me

affection that had been mine darin

last five years. I asked her why

love had been withdrawn, and she

MORGANFIELD, Ky., April 5 .- 1

Abbie Oliver, a beautiful young lady

eight months ago. Last night ;

mother of the girl entered the place

business of Henry Delaney, adrug cler

for the girl's condition. At the point

They drove 15 miles to Morphy

into the carriage. They followed it

died this morning. She would

recognized the pursuers, and warn for their arrest were issued. All be

to prominent families. More blood

Senator Palmer of Illinois is anth-

is expected.

reached in this way, probably, than by dwellings. The lumber-yard of Cupp & tions during the month; but at the close Volghtley is also on fire, and the Heins of the month there was no snow on the

covers the ground.

The mean temperature for the month

TENPERATURE.

#### Decision on Boycotting.

TOLEDO, O., April 3 .- Judge Hicks, of the federal court, this morning delivered a decision on the application of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & North Michigan railroad to make permanent his temporary injunction issued against the Lake Shore & Michigan and other connecting lines on March 11, restraining them from refusing to accept from or deliver freight to the Ann Arbor road on account of a boycott issued against the Ann Arbor road by Chiefs Arthur and Sargent, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen, who were on a strike on that road. The decision turned on the arrangement for contempt of eight Lake Shore engineers and firemen, who struck in preference to hauling Ann Arbor cars turned over to the cal as the men feared and does not asfiled on behalf of the men.

After Judge Bicks' decision was probable. rendered he proceeded to read the decision of the circuit court, consisting of himself and Judge Taft, on motion of the Ann Arbor company, asking a temporary injunction against Chief Arthur, restraining him from issning any boycott order against that road. The decision, which was written by Judge Tait, grants the injunction prayed for, and declares if the members of the brotherhood, in obedience to rule 12 of they are guilty of criminal conspiracy against their country.

#### No Yote This Seasion.

WASHINGTON, April 3 .- Washington on to the shore, south of Point Concep-Lake Shore road. The courtroom was will have but one senator until congress tion lighthouse, and landed on the crowded. The decision was not as radi- meets again, unless there is a special ses- beach. sion of the legislature. It is not likely Those in the captain's boat were Capsume to compel the men to work against that a vote will be taken on the seating tain W. Drummond and son, Second their will. Notice of appeal was at once of the senators, as no voting quorum can Mate David Ireland, Edward Flynn, be found. An early adjournment is James Christie, John Perry, Alvin Rob-

### Villard's Resignation.

New York, April 4,- In regard to liams, F. Muller and two others, names the report that Henry Villard was to reunknown. The captain's boat is extire from the board of directors of the Northern Pacific, President Oakes says: "The written resignation of Villard has King James' first trip. not, as stated, been handed in. Neither has there been any intimation from him nor has any one spoken for him of his intention of resigning. A possible plan fury of excitement on the streets yester- on the Richardson case claim that they that body, boycott Ann Arbor freight, will be presented at the meeting of the day afternoon when it became known will have no difficulty in presenting board of directors April 20 for funding that Deputy Sheriff Banks, accompanied evidence to show that he removed the the floating debt of the company. Vil- by Detectives Farley and Eaton of rail for the purpose of obtaining the relard has stated to his friends that he Washington, arrived in the city to ar- ward. In fact, they are of the opinion General Howard's Tour of Inspection. Mounts, Ala., April 3.-Major-Gen-from the Northern Pacific management." rest Tom. William and George McCarty. that by a little more urging he will make supposed Roslyn bank robbers. The a clean breast of the whole affair.

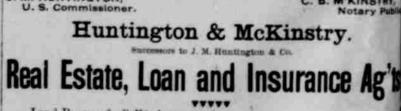
The register of the land office, at this place, resigned his position on the 1st inst., and it is generally believed that Hon. A McDonald will be the successful They let go anchor when within three or man in securing this position. Mr. four miles of the point, and decided to wait until daylight before attempting to McDonald was the register of The Dalles land office under Cleveland's adminismake a landing. About 3 in the morntration and was succeeded by Capt. ing a three-masted steamer passed going Lewis. He seems to have the endorse north. The first mate ordered a blue ment of the united democracy and the light sent up, the last one they had left, high position which he occupies in the but the steamer paid no attention to esteem of the citizens of this city is all their signal, although they had to in his favor. There is a doubtful feeling change their course in order to avoid in the minds of the Allen men, regardrunning the boat down. About 5 a. m., while two miles from shore, the steamer ing the probabilities of United States senate seating Mr. Allon.

It is reported that the Union Pacific are soon to place their line of steamers again on the Sound. It will be remembered that the Union Pacific withdrew their line of steamers upon payment by the Northern Pacific to the Union Pacific of quite a large sum of money monthly. This will increase the basiness of the Sound country.

Carter H. Harrison has been elected mayor of Chicago by 20,000 plurality over Samuel W. Allerton, candidate on the citizens' ticket. The entire demoeratic city ticket is also elected by about the same plurality. Cregier, on the labor ticket, did not receive 3,000 votes. The democrate carried the west and south town tickets, but the republicans saved the north town.

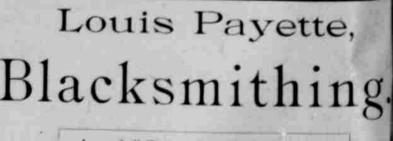
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