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The Pianola is certainly a most ingenious invention, and I feel quite sure that nothing has more closely approached hand-playing. I was greatly delighted to hear it play the Chopin Study at my own tempo. It seems to me greatest in brilliant show-pieces. I want you to send one to my sister, who will be greatly surprised to hear my Chopin Study when I am so many thousand miles away.

MORIZ ROSENTHAL.

M. B. WELLS, Northwest Agent for the Aeolian Company

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CLOSED THEIR BANK

Gilbert Bros., of Salem, Not Able to Pay.

DEPOSITS ARE ABOUT \$125,000

Henvy Withdrawals Lately on Account of Rumors of Impending Litigation by the Heirs of William Cosper.

SALEM, April 23.—Gilbert Brothers' Bank in this city failed to open its doors this morning and a notice was posted stating that this course had been taken because of pending litigation and for the purpose of protecting depositors. The report yesterday of the commencement of a suft against Gilbert Brothers brought a crowd of about 40 people to the doors at the bank this morning, about a dozen of the persons present being depositors. There was no demonstration or excite-

Mr. Gilbert has declined to make a statement other than what was published in today's Oregonian. He has said, however, that the assets of the bank are sufficient to pay all liabilities. From a semi-authoritative source it is learned that the deposits will aggregate \$125,000, and it is said that when the bank closed Monday evening there was but about \$1000 in cash on hand. Heavy withdraw-als have been made in the last week. Gilbert tried to get money with which to pay depositors today, but failed because the suit brought in Portland seemed to question his title to the collateral se-curity he had to offer.

F. N. Gilbert last Saturday transferred his residence in this city to A. Bush, the consideration being \$5000, and today A. T. Gilbert assigned to John Hughes a \$500 mortgage executed by Adam Ohmart. It mortgage executed by Adam Ohmart. It is also said that some creditors are being Democratic candidates have been elected. preferred by being given collateral se-curity. This evening an order of the United States Court was served upon Mr. Gilbert, restraining him from in any way expending or conveying the firm's funds and securities.

The most touching feature of the sit-uation is that it ties up some \$1500 of money saved by school children. An eight-year-old girl was peeping through the curtains at the bank today when a

positors will get their money until a receiver has realized on the firm's assets. So far as can be learned the deposits are not large in the aggregate, and but few business men had money in the bank. For several months Gilbert Brothers have been paying interest on time deposits, as high as six per cent being offered. Many people deposited their savings in order to secure the interest, so the persons in-terested are, in the main, in the posi-tion of loaners rather than depositors. The largest depositor, so far as learned, is Ed Hatch, a Polk County farmer, who has \$3000 in the bank. The public schools savings bank kept its money at Gilberts', and these savings aggregate about \$600. Names of depositors learned today through scattering reports are: Branson & Ragan, \$400; G. A. Back, \$2000; young daughter of the late W. H. Bagyoung daughter of the late W. H. Bag-ley, \$7500; Ed. Hatch, \$3600; Ladies' Aux-iliary of the Y. M. C. A., \$500; W. H. Barr, \$350; Dr. L. A. Port, unknown amount; Mrs. Muths, widow, \$1800; Mrs. Iwin, \$1800; A. B. Buren, \$500. There are reports of quite a number of depositors who have \$500 and less tied up in the bank.

Inquiry among business men elicits the information that those who keep track of such matters have known for some time that litigation was threatened which would probably affect the bank and many withdrew their accounts during the past two months. There are conservative business men who have dealings with Gilbert Brothers, and who assert their confidence in all depositors being paid in full. This, of course, will depend upon the Casper heirs failing in their suit, in which they seek to recover \$300,000 from the firm.

Gilbert Brothers are rated by the com mercial agencies at \$80,000, and this is supposed to be a fair estimate of their financial standing. It is alleged by the Casper heirs that bad securities were turned over to William Casper, leaving the inference that Gilbert Brothers kept for themselves all the best securities. If the helrs are given preference over other

A. T. and F. N. Gilbert have conducted a banking business in this city for the last 20 years, doing principally a brokerage business. They handled the Cooper money, stimated at from \$50,000 to \$100,-000, and loaned money and bought warrants for several local capitalists. About 10 years ago they became interested in a bank in Moscow, Idaho, and were reported to be making money rapidly in their business there. A. T. Gilbert's methods of doing business have not been considered safe, as he paid a high rate of interest on time deposits and cashed drafts for commission men under circumstances that are not considered sufficient by other banking houses.

A. T. Gilbert, who has conducted the Salem bank, is also engaged in the plano business here, employing a salesman to effect sales of instruments. His brother conducts a like establishment in Portland.

RUN ON MOSCOW BANK.

It Was Shortlived, However-Business Men Helped Check It.

MOSCOW, Ida., April 23.-A run on the First National Bank of Moscow was started this morning, and for a time it looked as if a panic was at hand. A meeting of business men was called. Representatives of nearly every firm in the city attended. Resolutions were adopted expressing confidence of the community in the bank, and a committee was ap-pointed to work with depositors, and inluence them to leave their deposits unouched. Those who attended the meeting at once gathered together all the funds

available and made deposits. While this was going on there had been a steady string of depositors at the paying teller's window. By 10 o'clock the run had been checked, and several of those who had drawn out their funds earlier in the morning brought the money back, so by noon the deposits were greater in the aggregate than they had been when

funds to pay off all the depositors in full. By noon today, however, all the excitement seemed to have died out and the bank, which during the early hours of the day had been crowded with peo-

ple, either depositing or drawing money, was deserted by everyone except the bank

officers,

The run this morning was brought about by the circulation of a statement that a sult commenced in the United States Court, in Portland, against Tilmon Ford, as executor of the estate of William Casper, deceased, and Gilbert Brothers, might cripple the bank, 3ilbert Brothers being heavy stockholders in the institution. The bank officers say that even if the Gilberts were rulned by the sult it could not affect the bank's standing. All that would happen in that standing. All that would happen in that event would be that their bank stock would be bought up. The Gilberts are creditors of the bank, not debtors to it.

ALABAMA ELECTION.

Large Majority for the Constitutional-Convention Movement.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 23.-The people of Alabama today voted on the proposition to call a convention to assemble in this city May 21 to draft a new state constitution. An exceedingly light vote was polled throughout the state, but the returns indicate that perhaps fivesixth of the counties have voted in favor of a convention. The principal change which the convention has in view is in the suffrage, the courts, the terms of pub-lic offices and the abolishment of much local legislation. There has been apathy in every county during the campaign. The Democratic state committee made a brief campaign, and speakers were sent out, but nowhere were the people greatly interested. At today's election 55 dele-gates from the state at large were elected, and 100 from the countles, each county being allowed as many delegates as it has members in the House of Representatives. There will in no event be more than four or five Republicans or Populists in the

At midnight it appears that the constitutional convention movement carried by 30,000 majority. In several counties where the negro vote predominated the negroes aligned themselves with the Populists and defeated the Democratic nominees for delegates. The City of Mobile went against

Indications of Bribery.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 23.-The committe appointed yesterday to review the evidence taken by the two investigating committees relative to the conduct of Senator Eldridge reported today. The re-port says there is probable cause to be-Ilttle miss?"

She replied: "I've got \$25 in there and I wish I had it out."

It is quite certain that none of the depositors will get their money until ecceiver has realized."

The session of the Legislature will continue for several days, notwithstending the fact that the continue for several days, notwithstending the fact that the continue for several days, notwithstending the fact that the continue for several days, notwithstending the fact that the continue for several days, notwithstending the fact that the continue for several days, notwithstending the fact that the continue for several days in the fact the continue for several days in the fact that the continue for s

Lennox, Edward W. Giddings and E. A. Foreign Minister, asking if it would be agreeable for him to come to St. Petersknown capitalists; N. B. Scott, of Wheeling, W. Va., and Mrs. Dell Kearney, of New Mexico. They hold a bond and lease on the Strong mine and were operating the property when the explosion occurred. Strong's responsibility is based upon the allegation by the plaintiffs that the mine was blown up at his instignation. the mine was blown up at his instigation. They claim that Strong was dissatisfied with the lease and desired to obstruct the lessees in their operation of the rich

At the time of the explosion the miners in the Cripple Creek district were on strike. Two strikers, Nicholas Tully and Robert Lyons, were accused of having caused the explosion, and were found gullty and have served sentences for the crime. JQohn E. Allen, a miner, has made deposition, on which the present suit s based, to the effect that Strong paid him \$1000 to blow up the mine. His deposition completely exonerates Tully Lyons from complicity in the affair.

RESIGNATION OF KIPLEY.

Chicago's Chief of Police Steps Down and Out. CHICAGO, April 23.-Chief of Police

this claim be true, there would seem to be a good chance for depositors to get a large proportion of their money, unless it has been evident from statements made by the Mayor that he did not intend to reappoint Chief Kipley, and as the appointment is to be announced next Monday, the chief decided this afternoon to take matters into his own hands. He called upon the Mayor and asked him in specific terms if he was wanted for another term. The Mayor was as specific as the chief, and told him that he had no intention of reappointing him. The chief then went back to his office, wrote out his resignation, sent it to the Mayor, and, calling up all the police stations in the city, announced that he was no longer chief of police. Mayor Harrison declined to discuss the retirement of Kipley or give the name of his successor.

Capuchin Mission Destroyed. NEW YORK, April 23.-The Times will

say tomorrow: "News has just reached here of the complete destruction in Maragnone, Bra-zil, of the Roman Catholic Mission, established there a few years ago by the Capuchin Fathers, by a band of hostile Indians. The mission, which was organized in 1896, was situated in a desolate place, but the missionaries had been successful in their efforts to evangelize the natives and had already founded two orphan asylums. It is known that four of the Capuchin Fathers, all Italians from the Province of Milan, seven Capu-chin Sisters and more than 100 of their little charges, were massacred." little charges, were massacred."

To Develop Nitre Beds

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—A syndi-cate composed of local capitalists has just engaged Professor Emery E. Smith, of Stanford University, to make a thor-ough examination of the nitre beds in the vicinity of Lovelocks, Nev., with a view to developing the beds. The syndicate is composed of some of the most conserva-tive business men in this city and should Professor Smith's report warrant it, a big company will be formed to develop the Lovelocks field.

AN ANGLO-GERMAN ALLIANCE

War Scare Said to Have Caused the French Premier's Visit to St. Petersburg-Series of Entertainments.

and son, the latter a refired United States Army officer now residing at Hampton, Va.

Colonel C. W. Hazzard. Reported Object of Delcasse's

Trip to Russia.

Colonel C. W. Hazzard.

PITTSBURG, Pa. April 22.—Colonel Chill W. Hazzard, editor and proprietor of the Monongahela Republican, and one of the most forceful citizens of Western Pennsylvania, died last night at his home in Monongahela, Pa., of paralysis, aged 62. Colonel Hazzard was a past supreme regent of the Royal Areanum, a Knight Templar and thirty-second degree Mason.

LAKE ENGINEERS STRIKE.

degree Mason.

Trouble for the Vessel Interests of the United States Steel.

CLEVELAND, April 23.-The negotia tions which have been in progress for the past two days between officials of the United States Steel Corporation vessel ST. PETERSBURG, April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the French Minister of Forman April 22.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, the Proposition concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse, th eign Affairs, is apparently not formed treat with the engineers as a body, Im-

A. T. GILBERT



MANAGER OF SALEM BANK WHICH CLOSED ITS DOORS YESTERDAY.

STRONG MINE EXPLOSION.

Trial of the Damage Suit Begins

of Denver.

DENVER, Colo., April 22.—The trial of the suit against Sam strong, the millionaire mine owner, for \$300,000 damages in consequence of the blowing up of a shaft house on the Strong mine at Victor, Colo., in May, 1894, began here to day before Judge Palmer in the District Court. The suit is brought by William Lennox, Edward W. Giddings and E. A. Colburn, of Colorado Springs, all well-known continuists. No. 2 Seet. When the suit agreeable for him to come to St. Peters-known continuists. No. 2 Seet. When the contents of the plan to the Russian Ambassador at Paris, Prince Curouxif, who, however, laughed increduously, pronouncing the project a hoax. M. Delcasse is said to have been not satisfied and to have wired Count Lamsdorff, the Russian Poreign Minister, asking if it would be greeable for him to come to St. Peters-known continuists. N. P. Seet. When the contents of the plan to the Russian Poreign Minister, asking if it would be greeable for him to come to St. Peters-known continuists. N. P. Seet. When the contents of the United Mineworkers of America, arrived this strong their demands by about its perceived from an unnamed source what purported to be a plan for a British-German war against France, supposedly in some colonial district. M. Delcasse, it is stated, communicated the contents of the plan to the Russian Ambassador at Paris, Prince Curouxif, who, however, laughed increduously, pronouncing the project a hoax. M. Delcasse is said to have been not satisfied and to have wired Count Lamsdorff, the Russian Poreign Minister, asking if it would be seven and after a conference with the contents of the information the engineers prepared a new scale interesting their demands by about its percent demands by about its pe

gion of Honor. Count Lamsdorff enter-tained M, Delcasse at dinner today. The French Ambassador, the Marquis of Mon-tebello, and the chiefs of the French Em-bassy and members of the French staff were present. The French Ambassador will give M. Delcasse two official dinners during his stay here, to one of which lit-erary celebrities will be invited. M. De Witte, the Russian Minister of Finance, will also entertain M. Delcasse at dinner. It is understood that the Czar will re-It is understood that the Czar will re-ceive the French Minister of Foreign Affairs, but will not invite him to dinner.

Gave Offense to Russia.

BERLIN, April 23.-Discussing M. Del visit to St. Petersburg, the National Zeltung remarks that "the com-mon action of France and Germany in the present expedition gave offense to Rus-

DR. GUZMAN DEAD.

Secretary of the Bureau of American Republics.

WASHINGTON, April 23.-Dr. Horatio Guzman, secretary of the Bureau of American Republics, and for many years Minister from Nicaragus, to the United States, died here today, aged 50 years. Dr. Guzman was appointed Minister to the United States in 1889, and served 10 years n that capacity. He also served as a lelegate from Nicaragua to the International American Conference of 1889-90. He was well read and thoroughly versed in French, Spanish and American literature, and these accomplishments were instrumental in securing for him the position of translator in the Bureau of American Republics after his term as Minister had expired. Soon after he was made secretary of the bureau, a position which he held at the time of his death. When Director Rockhill was sent to China as Special Commissioner, Dr. Guzman was placed in charge of the bureau but his illness, which has been of long duration, prevent-ed him from assuming the active duties of the office. Dr. Guzman had suffered from cirrhosis of the liver for several years, and had resorted at intervals to the use of narcotics for relief. In early life he had attended school in Massachusetts, and later received the decree of doctor of medicine from the University of Penn-

George M. Allen.

DENVER, Colo., April 23.—George M. Allen, recently assigned to the rurfree delivery service, with Denver as his headquarters, died this evening at the St. James Hotel. Mr. Allen reached the city a week ago in feeble health, with a slight attack of pneumonia. Mr. Allen was for 18 years editor of the Terre Haute (Ind.) Express. During President McKinley's first administration he was assistant to the First Assistant Postmaster-General, but failing health induced his transfer to the free delivery service.

Rev. Dr. J. C. Fletcher,

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 23.—Rev. J. C. Fletcher died at his homt in this city today at the age of 78 years, of paralysis. Dr. Fletcher has held import-ant diplomatic positions in Brazil, Italy and Portugal. He was a classmate of In the aggregate than they had been when the bank opened in the morning. The train from Colfax brought a quantity of gold, said to be \$15,000, and dispatches have been received from A. N., Bush, of Salem, Or., one of the heavy stockholders in the bank, announcing that he will reach Moscow tomorrow with ample

valley Coal Company, chief tonight in a victory for the company. The 1200 employes went on a strike early last week because a jig tender in the breaker was discharged for neglecting his work. Fred Dilcher, national organizer of the United Mineworkers of America, arrived this tax rate for the next fiscal year was fixed evening and after a conference with the local leaders of the United Mineworkers, it was decided to call the strike off. Hereafter, the United Mineworkers will not SIMMARY OF IMPORTANT NE district executive board,

Ohlo Strike Broken.

COLUMBUS, O., April 23.-The big strike of 2500 miners in Sub-district No. which commenced Monday morning, as broken by the signing of miners' scale by M. J. Schenck & Company, of Bellaire, Belmont County. The action of Schenck & Company, it is believed, will be followed immediately by the other operators along the Ohio River.

CINCINNATI, April 23.—Two thousand union machinists of this city today made a demand for an increase of 12½ per cent in wages, a nine-hour workday and other

ROW AT WEST POINT. Cadets Almost in a State of Insubordination.

WEST POINT, N. Y., April 23.-A court of inquiry, consisting of Captain James K. Thompson, Fifteenth Infantry, Captain Edward Anderson, Seventh Cavalry, and Captain William Lassiter, First Artillery, today began the investigation of a charge of breach of discipline on the part of several cadets of the military academy. The cadets became disgruntled over the action of Colonel Mills, the super-intendent, in punishing one of their number, Cadet Raiston, for his failure to report a breach of discipline in the mess hall while the cadets were at supper a few nights ago. The cadets are said to be almost in a state of insubordination. The aggreeved cadets assembled on the parade-ground under cover of darkness and indulged in hideous yells directed at the superintendent. They also removed the sunset gun from its position at the north end of the parade-ground and dragged it over in front of Colonel Mills' quarters, but were prevented from firing it by the appearance of several sentinels, who promptly reported the incident.

APOSTOLIC DELEGATE.

Mgr. Tarnassi, Nuncio at The Hagne, Will Succeed Martinelli.

ROME April 2.—It is understood here that Monsignor Tarnassi, the present Nuncio at The Hague, has been selected as apostolic delegate to the United States, Bishops of Newark and Portland. NEW YORK, April 23.-Very Rev. John

O'Connor, Vicar General, has been appointed to the Bishopric of Newark, made vacant by the death of Bishop William Wigger. Archishop Corrigan Inte today received a cablegram from Rome to that effect. The cablegram also contained the announcement that the Very Rev. William O'Connell, at present rect the American College at Rome, has bee appointed Bishop of Portland, Me.

May Build to Mexico.

ST. LOUIS, April 23.—President and General Manager B. F. Yoakum, of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad, has returned from New York, where he con-ferred with the directors and investors concerning the various works of extension which the 'Frisco is now engaged. I denied the reported purchase of the Mex. ican Central by the "Frisco," but ad-mitted that his company contemplated extending its lines to Mexico, possibly from Brownwood, Tex.

NORTH POLE SEARCH

Arctic Expedition to Sail From Vancouver.

CAPTAIN BERNIER PLANS A SHIP

The Vessel Will Be Provisioned for a Five Years' Voyage-Tyrrell, tha Explorer, Will Accompany the Party.

VANCOUVER, R. C., April 23.—Plans are ompleted for the construction of the essel to be built here for Captain Joseph Bernier, who intends starting on a North Polar expedition to be absent five years. The vessel will cost \$80,000. J. R. Tyrrell, the Canadian explorer, will accompany Bernier. The new vessel will have a perpendicular double stern post rudder to permit of unshipping the rudder or propeller at any time. She will also have a flush deck, so as to avoid frequent flooding of the forward deck. She will have three masts with a sail area of 7000 square feet, her rig resembling that of a three-masted topsail schooner. The masts will be about 100 feet high, but the topmasts are made to take down, reducing the length to 60 feet when needed. The vessel will be provisioned for a five years' voyage, with a crew of it, including six actentific men, consisting of a surveyor, astronomer, geologist, artist, photographer and doctor.

REFUSED TO PARTICIPATE.

Russian Students Will Not Take Part in Examinations.

ST. PETERSBURG. April 21.-The rector today informed the students that General Vannoffsky, the Russian Minister of Public Instruction, had refused to defer the examinations until Autumn or to make further concessions to the students. Although the popular professor, M. Petroicky, pleaded against an action which would render it difficult for a liberal Minister to carry through his benevolent in-tentions, the students decided by a vote of 684 to 649 against participation in the examinations. They resolved, however, not to create obstruction, and the minority agreed to submit to the will of the ma-jority. The electro-technical, the civil engineering, the women's medical and the women's academic institutions will also decide against taking the examinations. The sincere friends of the students regret the steps taken in this respect, believing that the students should allow the recall of the absentees to come as an act grace from the government, and should not attempt to force concessions

LONDON, April 22.-A special dispatch from Vienna says the Caar has signed a decree expelling Count Leo Tolstoi from Russia, and that the decree has been

SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT NEWS.

Philippines.

The natives of Samar are terrorized by insur American troops will begin a vigorous campaign on the bland. Page & Changes are announced in the transport service. Page 3.

China. onger justifies the acts of the missionaries at Pekin. Page 2.

Great Wall. Page 2. Chaffee and Von Waldersee are disputing as to who shall guard a Pekin gate. Page 2 Federal Government. The President has pardined three men con-cerned in New Orleans bank frauds. Page 3,

Minister Loomis had a conference with Secretary Hay. Page 2. The Cuban commissioners will sak for absolute Independence. Page 3. Three new Brigndfer-Generals are to be ap-

pointed. Page 3. Foreign.

Captain Bernier, of Vancouver, B. (search for the North Pole. Page I. war scare is said to have caused Delegme to visit Russia. Page L. A British Parliamentary committee will in-quire into ship subsidies. Page 2.

Domestic. The primary election in Alabama gave a large majority in favor of new constitution.

The flood at Cincinnati will reach its highest

mark today. Page 2. The men who held up the Choctaw train arq still at large. Page 5.

Pacific Coast. Salem bank of Gilbert Bros. failed to open. tors in defunct Vancouver bank have

olutions censuring the administration adopted by Oregon conference of United Evangelical Church, Page 4. fames J. Hill and J. Plerpont Morgan are be

Page 4.

hind deal to secure Dunsmuir collieries in British Columbia. Page 4. Commercial. New York stock murket transactions. Page 11, Portland market quotations. Page 11.

Domestic and foreign commercial news and quotations. Page 11. Marine. teamer Vulcan sunk in the Willamette. Page 10.

erman ship Otto Gildemetster condemned, Page 10. More grain ships reach port. Page 10. Portland and Vicinity.

ounty Commissioners at loggerheads on the method of awarding contracts for supplifortland players were unfairly treated at the

meet expenses of the reception to President McKinley, Page 12. fudge Bellinger orders defendants in the Gil-bert case to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed. Page 8.

Executive committee votes to raise \$5000 to

Dr. Voni Grueningin, who killed Berstaecher, released on buil. Page 12. Subscriptions to Y. M. C. A. building fund amount to \$28,500. Page T. fortland's daily output of lumber 1,200,000 feet, worth \$12,000. Page 10.

Little prospect of success for Onfray's salmon

mbine. Page 7. loard of Public Works refers City & Suburban's application to repair streets to City

Corthern Pacific will restore the North Coast Limited train next month. Page &