

P. C. CHENEY DEAD.

Ex-Governor of New Hampshire and ex-United States Senator.

DOVER, N. H., June 19 .- Ex-Governor hency, of Manchester, died here Besides having been Governor of New Hampshire, Mr. Cheney had served as United States Senator, having been ap-pointed in 1886 to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Austin E. Pike, and as United States Minister to Switzerland un-der President Harrison. Since 1892 he had been a member of the Republican Nammittee

H. Maitland Kerney Reported Dead. NEW YORK, June 19 .- The World sava:

'A report reached the White Star Line pler late last night that H. Maitland Kerey, ex-agent of the line, had died in South Africa, where he went as a commissioned officer in a British regiment. It was impossible to verify the rumor, and Mr. Kersey's friends were not inclined Mr. Kersey was the agent of Lord Dunraven at the time of that noble-man's efforts in connection with the America's cup. He retired from the line and went to the Klondike, where he became general manager of the Yukon Steamship Company. He married in 1882 Miss Ivy Wandesford a California singer, who sub-He married in 1882 Miss Ivy sequently obtained a divorce.

Member of Shelby's Brigade.

MARSHALL, Mo., June 19 .- Major Lee Hughes, aged 71 years, a member of the cond Missouri Cavalry, General Joe elby's famous brigade in the Confederate Army, is dead at his home here.

Rev. August Klug.

NORFOLK, Neb., June 19 .- Rev. August Klug, pastor of the Lutheran Church at Hadar, Neb. fell dead here while on his Winona, Minn., attend the Lutheran synod. He was 72 years old.

Henry Invier.

NEW YORK, June 19,-Henry Xavier, known all over the country among horti-culturists, especially by raisers of grapes, died today in Mount Vernon, N. Y., aged 75 years. He was a Frenchman.

Judge A. J. Myntt.

WICHITA, Kan., June 19 .- A. J. Myatt, of Wichith, ex-Probate Judge and Solicitor of the recent State Court of Visitation, died this morning at Colorado Springs, Colo.

Future of the Colorado Fuel & Iron.

PUEBLO, Colo., June 19 .- A special dispatch received by the Star-Journal, from New York, says: The Colorado Fuel & Iron Company will

remain an independent corporation. Pres-ident Schwab, of the United States Steel Corporation, emphatically stated that the corporation never had any serious inten-tion to seek control of the Colorado Fuel a Iron Company. The Colorado Fuel & Iron Company will be let alone in its own field west of the Missouri River.

Pressmen's Convention.

WASHINGTON, June 19 .- The printing pressmen, in their National convention today, nominated the following officers, who will be voted on tomorrow: President, M. T. Higgins, Boston; vice-presidents, James E. Callery, Philadelphia, and E. A. Balser, Washington; second vice-presi-dents, D. J. McDonald, Boston; R. J. Unger, Denver; R. T. McGrath, New York.

A BUTTE WEDDING.

Marriage of Senator Clark's Son to Miss Foster, of That City.

lffs, BUTTE, Mont., June 19.-In the presence States. On the other hand, if such action only of the relatives and a few intimate only of the relatives and a few intimate friends of the young couple, Miss Mabel the United States Government may, by existing law, exclude any or all imports Duffield Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Foster, was this evening married from Russia. to William Andrews Clark, Jr., son of Senator W. A. Clark. The ceremony took

A PURELY COMMERCIAL MATTER. place in the drawing-rooom of the resi-Cassini Says No Political Signifidence of the bride's parents on West cance Can Be Attached to It.

Granite street. The room was handsome-WASHINGTON, June 19.-Count Cas-sini, the Russian Ambassador, in disly decorated for the occasion, the pressing today the latest phase of the tarvalling colors being green and white. The Rev. S. C. Blackiston, rector of St. John's iff issue which has arisen between Russia and the United States, said that the is-Episcopal Church, performed the cere-There were no attendants, and the sues do not seem to him to be very grave,

and he is hopeful that they will bride's father gave her away. She wore isfactorily adjusted. He said that the a handsome gown of white chiffon, en train, with the traditional bridal veil. Her ornaments consisted of a valuable neck-no political significance could be attached no political significance could be attached lace of pearls, the present of Senator to a matter of purely commercial nature. Clark, and a collar of pearls and dia-

"Each government undoubtedly is actmonds, the gift of the groom. Only 40 ing according to its view of what the persons in all witnessed the ceremony. Though the wedding was so strictly pri- situation requires, and not in any general Foster residence was the most largely at-tended affair of the kind ever seen in the Northwest. The presents were nu-merous and valuable and filled an entire room. The father of the groom presented his son with a check for \$190,000 Mr and exchange shall be mutual and reciprocal, and if this view prevails, there is no doubt that American goods will continue to be Mrs. Clark left on the Eastbound North-ern Pacific express late tonight. They welcomed in Russia." will spend some time in New York and 'Russia's action," he said, "certainly

On their return they will reside in Butte, European movement against American where Mr. Clark is a successful lawyer. goods."

SAN JUAN DAM.

Canal Commission Engineers Discover a New Site.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, June 4 .- The engineers of the Isthmian Canal Commission, after borings, have condemned two of the proposed sites for the dam across the San Juan River, in the event of an interoceanic canal being constructed, but have discovered another proper and convenient site. At this point a stratum of rock extends across the river a few feet below the bed, and extends into the banks on each side.

There are over \$300 acres of cotton planted this year in Nicaragua. The planters now estimate that they will be able to sell the product at 41% cents per pound, Nic-aragua currency, or about 11% cents, gold, at the present rate of exchange.

The Government of Nicaragua has accepted the resignations of the directors of the National colleges of Nicaragua, Maysa and Granda, and has closed those The National College of institutions. Leon remains open

Rioting at Rio Janeiro.

RIO DE JANEIRO, June 19 .- Great indignation and excitement have been aroused here by the charging of an in-creased fare on the Sao Christovao Street Railway. Some cars were burned by rioters Monday night, and on Tuesday fur-ther excitement was fomented by the disgrunited elements of the population. The police and cavalry charged at Ouv-idor and in the business district, killing four persons and wounding 20. The disturbances continued today, and several persons were injured, but the excitement Denver: R. T. McGrath, New persons were injured, but the excitement secretary-treasurer, W. J. Webb, is abating. There is no political signifinance. cance in the rioting.

provisions has been purposely broken. for the rioting at Lattimer, Pa. Secre-tary Sherman took sharp issue with "the such extreme action is taken in the case, there will be no trade treaty between Russia and the United States, and, as far remarkable language" used by the Minas Russia is concerned, the customs tar-iffs, which are practically prohibitive, would apply to all imports from the United

later, and registered an absolute dissent from some of his views. Chinese affairs are treated only in the initial stages of the trouble. None of Mr. Conger's interesting dispatches notes the action of the Empress Dowager in compelling the Emperor to decree her high regent.

INCREASES ITS CAPITAL.

Amalgamated Copper Company Preparing to Buy Butte Mines.

TRENTON, N. J., June 19 .- The Amal. gamated Copper Company filed papers to-day increasing its capital stock from \$75,-000,000 to \$155,000,000. The purpose of the ncrease is to purchase the Butte & Boston and Boston & Montana Companies which is permitted by the decision of the Court of Errors and Appeals yesterday refusing to continue the temporary injunc-tion. The certificate was signed by more than 1000 stockholders of the Amalgamated Company, giving their consent to the increasing of the capital stock. Among the signers were these: Marcus Daly, 50,000 shares; E. G. Bogert, 30,450; Leonard Lewisohn, 30,000; C. H. Clark, 13,500; Lanburg, Thalman & Co., 10,736; Thomas Mofflift, 8740; Henry Clews & Co., 8380; John W. Sterling, 6900; F. J. Bosworth, William Rockefeller, 6500; Hugh 6300: Grant, 1000.

Transferring the Properties,

BOSTON, June 19.-It was announced here this afternoon that the National Shawmut Bank had received a majority of Boston & Montana and Butte & Bos-ton copper shares deposited for the purpose of the carrying out of the transfer of those properties to the Amalgamated Copper Company. It appears that the decision of the Court of Errors and Appeals was broad enough to reach the last ob-stacle to the consolidation of Amalgamated and Boston & Montanz and Butte & The National Shawmut Bank immediately began giving receipts in exchange for Kidder, Peabody & Co.'s re-celpts for Montana and Butte shares, and will deliver Amalgamated shares for the receipts as soon as possible.

Rockefeller Wants an Omaha Bank.

OMAHA, Neb., June 19 .- A report is surrent that the Standard Oil Company negotiating for the purchase of one of the banks of this city. Several bankers were seen today, but declined to discuss the matter, and denied any knowledge of the negotiations or that they had received offers. President Kountze, of the First National Bank, said there was a of such a purchase by the Standard Oil inferests. It is understood that that company is to establish a chain of banks along the Missouri River, and that the Kansas City and Omaha deals are now penoing.

Colonel Haskell's New Position.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 19 .-- Colonel W. E. selected by William R. Hearst to fill the position of business manager of the New York Journal, and will take charge of the business affairs of that paper July 10. Mr. Haskell's paper in Minneapolis will be placed in good hands. Charles E. Hasbrouck, as business manager, will have charge of the property, in association with forbidding the prices of transferable Hasbrouck's present, engagement is as tional organization. and the S certificates any longer to be quoted in the business manager of the Denver Times. Mr. Merriwether this afternoon at the territory.

know the undercurrent of affairs are aware that the Administration was opposed to Lodge having this place from the beginning. He is a little too much given to twiating the lion's tail, or baiting any other foreign government with whom he personally disagrees. Lodge will not be made chairman of the committee on foreign relations, and that he has come to realize this was shown in a dispatch Washington which stated that the importance of the next session of Con gress would lie in Philippine legislation; and on that account the Administration and indicated to Senator Lodge its desire that he should remain at the head of the committee on Philippines, where he is at present, in order to carry out such Philippine legislation as will be necessary in the next Congress. statement was made that Senstor Frye would become chairman of the foreign relations committee. It was also said that many Republican Senators had re quested Senator Lodge to remain at the head of the Philippines committee. This was no doubt true. Whether or not Frye will accept the place offered him is still an unsolved problem. The probabilities are that he will, if James McMillan will consent to become chairman of the committee on con

in a National organization strong enough | mitted that the Senator stated in the le to name a party nominee, was launched here this afternoon. The conference was called by Lee Merriwether, of St. Louis, ter that under no circ he be a candidate for the Preside assured Mr. Shaw that he was in favor of his being a candidate, and believed that the State of Iowa owed it to the Govwho, with 22 other St. Louis leaders in the public ownership party of that city, came to Kansas City yesterday after a ernor to support him and send a delegavisit to Mr. Bryan at Lincoln, where the intentions of the delegation had been laid before the Nebraska statesman. Mr. tion to the National convention to that end. He further stated that he l that the delegation could be easily se-Bryan, it was stated, had expressed symcured.

pathy with the movement, if he had not gone so far as to support it. At the co Negro Question in Alabama ference there was represented Populists of all persuasions, public ownership advo-cates, free-silver Republicans, socialists, NEW YORK, June 19.-Henry D. Clay-on, of Alabama, one of the Democratic cates, free-sliver republications sources, single-taxers and Bryan Democrats. It was stated that it was pro-posed to form a third party in Missouri, which should finally be taken up by the dissatisfied in the old parties leaders of the House, and a member of the Democratic National Committee, is quoted in a Washington special to the Tribune as follows concerning the eral movement in the South for the dis-franchisement of the negro; from other states. A committee or organi-'We of the South are not afraid to zation was appointed and instructed to re-port today. The committee, which repregrapple with this negro question as it should be grappled with. Democratic susented each element present, today subpremacy has been maintained in the South

mitted a set of resolutions embodying the following as the new party's principles, and they were adopted: Public ownership of all public utilities, as railroads, telegraphs, etc.; while awaiting the legislation to secure public own ership, rigid public control of freight and passenger rates and severe penal-ties for rebates and other discriminations by railroads; taxation of railroads and other public utility corporations in the same proportion as the values of farm and other property; direct legislation by the initiative and referendum, to the end that the people may initiate good legislation and veto bad legislation; a graduwhich receives Government protection, shall bear its just share of the cost of government; that whatever is used as money shall be full legal tender, issued by the general Government in sufficient volume for business purposes, and that vol-ume offered in proportion to population; just election laws throughout the state; me rule for cities, and abolition of the present system for using the police standing army to carry primary el

in the interest of dishonest politicians representing still more dishonest special privilege corporations; election of United admission to the Union, in this city, Au-States Senators by popular vote. This afternoon the convention organized

will be asked to take his theme from the by electing J. H. Cook, Fusion Po chairman; J. H. Hillis, Middle-o oulist. life of this Missourl statesman. Road Populist, vice-chairman, and F. S. Kowalski, public ownership member, sec-retary. Resolutions eulogizing the work of the late H. S. Pingree, of Michigan, were adopted. J. H. Cook, chairman of the American Can Company was charged today and the plant closed. the Populist State Central Committee, tin can trust recently purchased its busi stated that he would soon issue a call to some of the state Populist committees, at least those in Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska and Colorado, inviting them to take up the work of uniting the reform forces the country into a new third party with E. R. Johnstone, the present editor. Mr. the ultimate purpose of effecting a Na-Egypt, with the exception of Port Said

and the Suez Canal district, to be infected

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spite of negro suffrage, and that su

South Carolina. As to the reduction of

our representation in Congress and the electoral college because of negro dis-franchisement, I regard that as political

Bow in the Italian Chamber.

ROME, June 19 .- During the budget de-

Sonnino, ex-Minister of the Treasury, se-

ject of the recent strikes in Italy, and at-

tributed the appalling economic condition existing today in the country to the gov-

uproar which followed this attack forced

Roosevelt and Mark Twain Invited.

KANSAS CITY, June 19 .-- Vice-President Roosevelt and Mark Twain have been

invited to attend and address the celebra-

fon of the 80th anniversary of Missouri's

Can Factory Closed by a Trust.

working force employed at the plant of

ness and will move it to Kansas City.

Plague in Egypt.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 19.-The Ru

sian Plague Commission has declared

a temporary suspension of the sitting.

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ernment's attitude in this matter.

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WASHINGTON, June 19.-Adjutant-General Corbin will leave here tomorrow for the Philippines, where he is to make a special inspection of military conditions and needs for the personal information of the President and the Secretary of War.

Nut and Bolt Works Closed Down.

MUNCIE, Ind. June 19-The Ranubite Iron Company today closed down its big nut and bolt works here because half of the employes struck yesterday when Su-perintendent Adams put a colored man to work among them in the finishing department.

Degree Conferred Upon Conger.

MEDFORD, Mass., June 19.-Tufts Col-lege today conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws upon Edwin H. Conger, United States Minister to China.

SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT NEWS.

Philippines.

All the volunteers are expected to arrive before June 26. Page 1. Cailles' entire force will surrender next Mon-

day. Page 1. Corbin starts for the Philippines today. Page 1.

Foreign.

Captain Reichman's report on the operation of the Boer army is made public. Page 3. A pro-Boer meeting in London was a scene of

disorder. Page 3. The United States is said to have notified Denmark to sell its West Indies or fortify th Page 3.

Domestic.

The third-party movement was launched at Kansas City, Page 1. No duty has been collected on Russian oil un-

der the new ruling. Page 1. A rumor is circulating at Denver that the

railroads are to be turned over to the Ge premacy will be all the more secure when ernment. Page 2. the blacks are wholly distranchised as we witness in Mississippi, Louisiana and

Thomas G. Barker, accused of trying to kill Rev. Keller, told his story in court. One hundred thousand persons are analous to

file on Oklahoma lands. Page 2. Sport.

Portland defeated Spokane-2 to 1. Page 3. Seattle outbatted Tacoma-7 to 2. Page 3. The trial yacht races will be held at Newport July 1 and 3. Page 3.

Pacific Coast.

Wool sale made at Shaniko, Or., representing \$165,000, Page 4.

Alumni exercises at University of Oregon yesterday were among most notable in history of institution. Page 4.

olumbia River fishermen notified that salmon cannery trust is about formed. Page 4. ocur d'Alene mincowners clash with the

smelting trust. Page 4.

prest fire near Olympia, Wash., destroyed \$10,000 logging-camp equipment. Page 4. Marine.

Singular fate of a big flevt of ships. Page 10. eamship Deutschland makes a new record on the Atlantic. Page 10. gust 10. Mr. Roosevelt is the author of a biography of Thomas H. Benton, and

Ten French ships headed for Portland. Page 10, O. R. & N. steamer T. J. Potter to be thrown open to the public today. Page 10.

Portland and Vicinity.

Carnival of 1901 is assured, over \$12,000 having been raised. Page 12.

LA CROSSE, Wis., June 19.-The entire City Council cancels interest on mortgage taxes from 1888 to 1893. Page 8.

Arrangements completed for the visit of the river and harbor committee. Page 10/ Tiny Hanson convicted of horse stealing.

Graduating exercises at Bishop Scott Acad-

emy. Page S. Fruit crops in the fifth horticultural district. damaged 28 per cent by the frost of June 4. Page 8.

Donald Morgan wine prize for best essay on dumb animals. Page 10.

pulisher of the Times, has been

MINISTER DE WITTE MISTAKEN Judge Somerville's Opinion of the Russian Retaliatory Duty.

NEW YORK, June 19 .- The attention of Judge Henderson M. Somerville, chair-man of the board of classification of the United States General Appraisers, was Was called lately to the statement of M. de Witte, the Russian Minister of Finance, on the Russian sugar decision. Judge Somerville wrote the opinion of the majority of the board in the decision made last April, holding that the laws of Russia bestowed an indirect bounty on the exportation of her sugar products, with-in the meaning of section 5 of the present

tariff act. He stated among other things oned about M. de Witte's re when question cent observations:

"The question as to the construction of the Russian haw governing the produc-tion and exportation of sugar is purely a The legal aspects of the sub. legal one ject seem, however, to be entirely over-looked in the political and fiscal attitude it has assumed under the retaliatory tariff war which Russia is waging against American industries. The criticisms of Secretary Gage's action in this matter

are exceedingly unjust and are mani-festly based on a shallow view of the law governing the official duties of the

Secretary of the Treasury. In the first place, M. de Witte is mistaken in the as-sertion that the Secretary based his rul-

ing merely upon the report and opinion of the American Consul, Mr. Halloway. He had before him the Russian law and

regulations in all their intricacies of pur. pose and phraseology, and passed fully on the merits of the question. "The policy of Russia in refusing to discuss the subject has been followed up by a recent order of the Minister of Fi-

made since the board's decisio