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Hunters Sought Notoriety.

Mass Meeting of Negroes.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 22.—A special to the Republic from Nashville, Ill., says:

The two armed men, who by their threatening demands for food have terrified the inhabitants of this vicinity and led to the belief that they were William Rudolph and Fred Lewis, charged with the recent robbery of the bank at Union have been captured by a posse and found to be only wandering hunters seeking notoriety.

Mass Meeting of Negroes.

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 22.—A largely attended mass meeting of negroes was held this afternoon at the People's Tabernacle, addresses upon racial questions being delivered by both white and colored speakers, among them Captain Evan P. Howell Mayor of Atlanta, who said that the white and colored races of the South should work for the consummation of the highest good to all. Bishop H. M. Turner also spoke. Nearly 3000 people were present.

for First District.

### **COVERNOR IS IN NO HURRY**

Announces Probable Date for the Ballot.

#### CANDIDATES OF BOTH PARTIES

Chamberlain Sees No Necessity for Calling an Early Election for the Possible Emergency of a Special Session.

Possible Candidates for Repre-

sentative From First District. George C. Brownell, Oregon City, Re-

Claud Gatch, Salem, Republican. Binger Hermann, Roseburg, Republican. H. H. Hewitt, Albany, Republican.

M. A. Miller, Lebanon, Democrat. R. A. Miller, Oregon City, Democrat. Evan Reames, Jacksonville, Democrat. W. I. Vawter, Medford, Republican.

J. K. Weatherford, Albany, Democrat. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

"A special election for the purpose of choosing a Congressman from the First District to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Thomas H. Tongue will be the death of Thomas H. Tongue will be called between May 1 and June E," said Governor Chamberlain last night. In giving his reason for cailing the election at the time mentioned, the Governor said: "A greater number of citizens will be able to vote at that time. It is a season when the farmers can leave their work, and the roads are good enough to allow them to get to the polling places without great

"The new Congressman would not see much of a special session of Congress if one should be called immediate following the present one," suggested the reporter.
"That is true," answered Mr. Chamberlain; "but it cannot be helped. Between May 1 and June 15 is the natural time for Present your wife with a new carpet. A beautiful carpet, perfectly made, is the most satisfactory present in the world.

May I and June 15 is the natural time for an election in Oregon, and it is the time I shall call this election for. The present Congressional term expires in March, and it would be useless to elect a man to serve during the short time before this for the coming term he cannot take office before March 4, so it would be impossible for him to attend the present session. A special session, if it should be called, would adjourn be the time for an election in Oregon, and it is the time I shall call this election for. The present configuration in Oregon, and it is the time I shall call this election for. The present configuration in Oregon, and it is the time I shall call this election for. The present Congressional term expires in March, and it would be useless to elect a man to serve during the short time before this for the coming term expires. If a man is to be elected for the coming term expires. If a man is to be elected for the coming term expires. If a man is to be elected for the coming term expires. If a man is to be elected for the coming term be called, would be unlessed to elect a man to serve during the short time before this state of the coming term expires. If a man is to be elected for the coming term be called, would be unlessed to elect a man to serve during the short time before the state of the coming term be called. would adjourn before the Summer months a severe attack of the grip. set in. I do not believe it is possible for a Congressman to be elected in time to take his place before the next regular ses-

"If I should call an election now some sections of the country would not be rep-resented at all in the vote. I want this to be an election in which every citizen the state can take part. At this time the roads are bad in the country, and there are many good citizens from the country who could not take the trouble to go to polling places. Again, they are busy with their farming and other work, and could not well leave it. Be-tween May 1 and June 15 is the natural time for an election in this state, and I do not think the rule should be changed

in this case," Regarding probable candidates the Governor had little to say. He seemed to think that Evan Reames, of Jackson County, would be the Democratic candi-

date, but, aside from this, expressed no "All that I have to do with the contest," said he, "is to call the election. After the time has been set by me the political machinery will get to work, and the candidates will be named. I will name a time that seems to me to be the most conveni-

ent for the great majority of the people to cast their votes." Telegrams were sent yesterday by The oregonian to various possible candidates for the vacant office, asking their views on the question, and inquiring also if each recipient of the query would accept the nomination. Sunday being a day when people are hard to find, a number of the messages were not delivered. The following sanges were not delivered. The fol-

lowing answers were received:
"I think the election should be called early in order that Oregon may be fully represented in case of a called session of H. H. HEWITT. "I answer to your telegraphic inquiry:
Pirst. special election should be held on
the first Monday in June next. Second,
I am not a cavellaria.

I am not a cand "J. K. WEATHERFORD." "Replying to your dispatch, would say that I think a writ of election to fill the vacancy in the First Congressional Dis-trict should be issued at once, and that election should be held between the first and middle of May. I am in no sense I am in no sense a candidate for the office. As to whether I would accept the nomination if unanimously tenaered by my party, I cannot say, for the reason that I have not seriously considered the matter. I certainly would not make any effort to secure the nomination. If however, it should be the property of the prope nomination. If, however, it should be ten-dered under such circumstances as to show it to be the universal desire of my party that I become its nominee, it will then be time to give the matter serious onsideration. A. E. REAMES."
"The election should be held, if possible the second Monday in June, and, in fair-ness to all candidates, a new set of dele-gates to a nominating convention should be chosen by our party. I am not now a candidate. That I will not be I shall not say, for I am free to confess that I would greatly appreciate the honors of better a greatly appreciate the honor of being a Representative from the country of Lewis ntative from the

Paris Persisted in Being Gay. PARIS, Feb. 22.—In spite of the threat-ening weather, Parisians celebrated the opening of the carnival with the usual enparaded the principal boulevards and streets in the afternoon, escorting gro-tesque groups representing topical subtesque groups representing topical sub-jects, such as the interment of the Moulin Rouge, that once popular place of amuse-ment having recently ceased to exist. A vacant space in the procession was occu-

pied by a masquerader, carrying a notice that the police had forbidden the parading of this group. The space was to have been filled with a grotesque representa-tion of the Humbert family, but the Prefect of Police objected to the subject and

After dark the boulevards were packet Congressional Election with masqueraders and others, who carried on a lively battle with confetti, while the seats in front of the cafes were all occupied by amused onlookers.

#### DEATH OF COLONEL FRENCH Active in Civil War and in Business

BOSTON, Feb. 22.—Colonel Jonas H. French, identified with many business interests, especially the granite industry of New England, died of apoplexy at his Roxbury home today, aged 72. In 1809 he organized and became president of the Cape Ann Granite Company. During the 39 years he was identified with that com-39 years he was identified with that com-pany, he supplied material for some of the most notable buildings in the country. During the Civil War he organized the Thirteenth Massachusetts Regiment and under General B. F. Butler was in the New Orleans expedition. After the war he was Provoet Marshal of Louisiana under General Banks. For three years he was president of the Louisville, Evans-ville & St. Louis Rallway, and for tenville & St. Louis Rallway, and for ten years was a director in the New England Railroad.

Death of Well-Known Horseman. LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 22.—Zachariah E. Simmons, aged 78 years, died here to-night. He was original owner of George Wilkes and noted as a breeder of trotting horses. His horses are at present quart-ered at Ashland, Newburger and Jack Dawson being the only ones in training.
When he lived in New York he was a
sachem in Tammany Hall. With the
Morrises, who own Morris Park, and W.
C. France, he owned the controlling stock in the famous Louislana lottery. leaves a large estate.

General Foster Dying.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 22.—Major-General Robert S. Foster is dying at his home here. He commanded the first division of the Twenty-fourth Corps in the Civil War and headed off General Lee at Appomat-tox, causing his surrender. He was one of the founders of the G. A. R. and was the first junior vice-commander. He was United States Marshal for Indiana under Garfield and is now Quartermaster-General of Indiana.

Railroad Man's Sudden Death. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 22.—Lewis B. Eveland, for 16 years traveling passenger agent of the Denver & Rio Grande Rall-way, died suddenly this morning at his residence. He was twice treasurer of Kansas City and was one of the best-known rallroad agents in the United

known railroad agents in the United States. Bishop Merrill Sick

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—Bishop Steven M. Merrill, of the Methodist Episcopal church, is seriously ill at the Wesleyan Hospital here with pneumonia. It is said tonight that his physicians were con-ident that he would recover.

General Wheatou Recovering. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.—The condition of Major-General Wheaton was so much improved today that his physician announced that his complete recovery was only a matter of a few days.

D. O. Mills Has the Grip.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.-D. O. Mills, the sanker, who is in his 78th year, is ill with dition is said not to be serious.

Died in Church. CLEVELAND, Feb. Z-Ex-Police Judge R. P. Updegraffe died suddenly of heart disease in Plymouth Church toright, aged

English Actress Dead. JOHANNESBURG, Feb. 22. — Kate Vaughn, the well-known English actress, died here yesterday.

#### WHY NAVAL WORK IS SLOW Due to Seven Causes-Not Behind Foreign Nations.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.-The President has been in correspondence with Secretary Moody respecting the matter of delay in struction of naval vessels, and the Secretary in turn has called upon the chief constructor for a statement of con-ditions in various shipbuilding yards where naval work is going on. The Secretary has submitted a letter in the na-ture of a report to the President, including with it the chief constructor's report in substance these letters show that "while through a number of causes the building of warships has been delayed, and the dates of their completion have been and will be considerably beyond the dates originally set, the naval construcly behind the naval construction of England and Germany in the matter of time." Secretary Moody argues that it would be a mistake to offer a bonus for the completion of vessels ahead of contract time, and adds that two months ago he directed that no further extension of time be permitted, except by his own personal

The chief constructor's report shows that there are seven causes for delay in naval work, namely, inadequate to plans changes in armor or armament or de delays in delivery of armor and ordnance delays in Government inspection; delays in structural steel; delays due to inadequate facilities, and insufficient ability in the contractor's staff, and delays due to madequate supply of skilled labor. All of these subjects are treated in detail in the report, and the point is made that after all the apparent greater speed in English shippards is due to the fact that the vessels are delivered by the contractors in very incomplete condition to the vernment, which spends several years many instances in equipping the ship

#### CALCIUM SALTS CURE. Remedy for St. Vitus' Dance and Other Nervous Disorders.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.-Dr. Jacques Loeb discovered that muscular and nervous dis-cases, such as St. Vitus' dance, paralysis, locomotor ataxia and sleeplessne cured by administering calcium salts, that is, such salts as are found in well water and many foods. Announcement of this discovery in entific research has just been made.

one of the publications just issued by the University of Chicago Dr. Loeb tells of his experiments on lower forms of life, and the conclusion suggested in regard to human beings.
Simply stated, the conclusion is that the

presence of calcium salts in the muscles is what prevents their twitching, that practically all nervous diseases are caused by the absence of the calcium, and that, therefore, to restore normal conditions, and affect a cure, the treatment is to dose

## Eulogies by Congressional Colleagues.

#### ALL GIVE HIM HIGH PRAISE

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Burton, Bishop, Davidson, Mondell, Bellamy, Lawrence, Ransdell, Needham, Coombs, Reeves and Cushman Speak.

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Came	to OregonNovember 23, 1859
Gradu	ated Pacific University. June, 1868
Admit	ted to bar September, 1870
State :	Senate
Delega	ite to Minneapolis1892
	in Congress1898-1963
Died a	it Washington January 11, 1903
	at Hillsboro January 11.1993
	ned by Congress February 22, 1903

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Feb. 22.-The House of Representatives met at noon today in special session to hear eulogies on the late Representative Tongue, of Oregon. Representative Moody, after offering the customary resolution, took the Speaker's chair and presided throughout the day. Many of Mr. Tongue's colleagues from both the river and harbor and the irrigation committees, and those who accompanied his remains to Oregon, were heard in eulogy. The service was conducted with solemnity appropriate to the occasion, the remarks being brief but touching, lauding the acmplishments of the departed and deploring his death while he was yet rising as a power in the National Congress. Representative Bishop, of the river and harbor committee, was the first speaker. He said:

"As a member of the river and harbor ommittee, Mr. Tongue was most earnest in his advocacy of the improvements not only of the waterways of his own state, but of the entire Pacific Coast. Each appropriation secured for such improvee largely traced to his watchful care of the interest of the Pacific Coast. The improvement of the Columbia River at its mouth and at The Dalles was near his heart. He stated that if he could secure a deep waterway in the Columbia River from Celilo to the sea he would ask for no more honorable or enduring monument to his memory." Representative Mondell, of the irrigation committee, referred to Mr. Tongue as a

faithful worker." Mr. Davidson, who was one of the Congressional escort, reviewed the events of the funeral, closing with a testimonial to Mr. Tongue's ability as a public servant,

a most useful legislator. Congressman Bellamy, of North Carolina, recalled Mr. Tongue's ability, on the frequent occasions when he spoke, to hold the attention of the House, as few men could do. "He was no ordinary man," said he, "for the honor paid him when we here his remains to their last resting place was such as is shown an exalted ruler. Honesty and faithful devotion to duty were the predominating characteristics of Mr. Tongue." He added: "Mr. Tongue was broad-minded and liberal in his views, though ever alert to the needs of his own state." Said Representative Lawrence, of Mas

sachusetts: "He did not seek to advance the interests of his own part of the country by sacrificing the welfare of the whole country. He had withal the genius for head work." Representatives Ransdell, of Louisiana,

and Needham and Coombs, of California, spoke briefly in testimony of Mr. Tongue's sterling qualities as a man and as a successful legislator.

Chairman Burton, of the river and har bor committee. Mr. Tongue's most intimate friend, spoke eloquently and with emotion of his success in public life, where conscience and regard for duty ever swayed him. Mr. Burton said: "His name will be inseparably linked

with the irrigation law, under which millions of acres will be added to the National domain of arable lands, and which it is hoped will furnish additional trade and additional prosperity to our country. As a member of the river and harbor committee, his first solicitation was for his state and the Pacific Coast, but in time he came to realize the broader respon sibility which comes to men who lay hold upon the interests of this great country. While conservative and careful, he adopted that liberal policy which made him ar advocate of improvements of the great waterways which upbuild the commerce of the Nation."

Representatives Reeves, of Illinois: Sparkman, of Florida, and Dovener, of West Virginia, spoke particularly of Mr. Tongue's service on the river and harbon committee.

Representative Cushman, of Washington, briefly added his tribute to those tha had gone before, closing the eulogies on Representative Tongue

Tribute was also paid to the memory of the late Representative Rumple, of Iowa, and the late Representative Moody, of North Carolina. Upon the late Representative Rumple eulogy was pronounced by Messrs. Lacey, Conner, Cousins, Hepburn, Smith, Haugen and Thomas, all Iowa Republicans; Calderhead (Rep.

Kan.), Thompson (Dem. Ala.). Upon the late Representative Moody: Messrs, Klutz (Dem. N. C.), Pou (Dem. N. C.), Gibson (Rep. Tenn.), Thomas (Dem. N. C.) and Small (Dem. N. C.). At 4:25 P. M., as a further mark of respect the House adjourned.

#### FLOOD IN CONNECTICUT.

Ice Brenks in Doors of Houses-Sev-

DERBY, Conn., Feb. 22.—The breaking of three reservoirs in the town of Shelton early today caused damage estimated at between \$75,000 and \$100,000 and there were several narrow escapes from death. torrent tore a great gulley 110 feet long and 30 feet wide through Howe avenue. Logs and trees and huge cakes of ice were carried along and crashed into sev eral buildings.
The house of Walter Nichols was struck

by the flood. Nichols was away and his wife was awakened by the ice crashing against the door. A few minutes later the water commenced to flow into the bedrooms where six children were sleeping. Mrs. Nichols hurried to the door and held to one while her children werend to be it open while her children escaped to an upper floor. A few moments later she escaped just before the water forced in the door and flooded the rooms. The family remained prisoners in the upper part of the house until the water receded. Warren Wilber was awakened by a cake of ice crashing through his door. He ran to the street where the water was waist high and hurried to the nearest point of safety. Several times he was hit by ice and fallen trees and painfully injured. Ten minutes later the side of the build-ing was swept away and the bed in which he had been sleeping was carried away

In the flood. Street-railway tracks and telephone and telegraph wires were all torn down and strewn about in confusion. The reservoirs will need to be rebuilt and this, with the property lose, it is believed, will make the loss \$100,000. Several mills will remain idle until the gravel swept into the raceway is removed.

#### Newfoundland's Snow Blockade.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Feb., 22.—Relief parties with food today reached the trains which are snowbound in the interior and supplied them with provisions. The nearest train was freed today and started backward for St. Johns. The relief train is forcing its way forward, trying to clear the track to enable the other two blocked trains to move east also. sible to say when they will be released, as the drifts are very heavy.

#### Ohio River Getting High.

OWENSBORO, Ky., Feb. 22.-The Ohio River was slowly rising at 5 o'clock to-night. It lacks four feet of the highest mark since 1884. The bottoms are covered for several miles on the Indiana side. The crest of the rise will be reached tonight. Rivermen are fearful of a thaw. A few feet more and the damage will be

#### TO TRY NEW WAR BOAT One Has Wheels to Run on Bottom of Sea.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.-The submaring torpedo-boat P.ojector, a new type of ressel, which will shortly be put through a series of trials for the purpose of dem-onstrating her capabilities to the officers of the United States Navy, is being overhauled at City Island and put in condi-tion for the coming tests. The Protector was built in Bridgeport, Conn., by her inventor and owner, Captain Simon Lake. The vessel is designed for habor defence. 12 feet of water and weighs about 200 tone. She is built of steel and equipped with two wheels to enable her to travel along the bottom of the sea. Her motiv is electricity when submerged and gasoline when cruising awash. two torpedo tubes. One opening from her bow will admit of a diver leaving the boat to cut cables and mine connections. Her builder believes she can destroy sub marine defenses in any harbor. During recent trials she carried a crew of eight men and nine passengers. A speed of 12 knots was made easily on her surface run. 'Doer of things; an earnest, thorough and

#### ATTACKED A POWER-HOUSE Mob at South Bend, Ind., Foiled by

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Feb. 22.-An attempt was made by a mob of 150 men to wreck the power-house of the Indiana Railway Company, and do injury to the employes there today. There were seven men at the power-house when the attack Deitrich, was thrown bodily through a window, and seriously injured. J. A. Ovitt. and M. L. Lester, were badly pummeled and gashed by brickbats, stones and

The attack was planned for an hou reach the scene in force, but it proved illtimed, for a detail reached the place in time to effect several arrests. Among those arrested are two ex-employes of the company, named Warrell and Boesche, who went on a strike. They will be charged with conspiracy, riot and assault with intent to kill. The hose was turned on the fire under the boilers. Much damage was done to property.

#### Reception for a Priest.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 22-Six thousand people today gave a farewell reception to the Most Rev. E. J. Quigley, who next week leaves Buffalo to take up his work as archbishop of Chicago.

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#### Don't Like Lodge and Turner.

## MINDS MADE UP

Canadian View of Alaskan Boundary Commission.

#### SMALL PROSPECT OF YIELDING

ittawn Official Thinks United States Commissioners Would Concede Nothing, No Matter How Strong the British Case Might Be.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washngton, Feb. 22.-There have been rumors for several days, said to originate at the British Embassy, that the selection of Lodge and Turner for the Alaskan Boundary Commission was a great surprise to the British Government, and that they are not satisfactory, though it is doubted if any protest will be made. Several reports coming from Ottawa show that the Canadians are dissatisfied, and a special dispatch from the Canadian capital, published in a New York paper, quotes an unnamed official of the Canadian govern-

ment as saying: "We think it extremely unfair that Senators Lodge and Turner should have been put upon the commission, in view of their reiterated expression of opinion upon the Alaska boundary dispute. It is not long since Senator Lodge denounced the Canadian case as absurd and untenable, and declared that the United States would never consent to yield up a foot of territory in the disputed domain. He went so far as to declare that there was

nothing to arbitrate. "Senator Turner's views of the dispute, upholding, as he has done, the views of Seattle throughout, are also well under-

stood. "We know that when the treaty was first submitted to the United States Senate it was said to have no chance for ratification, but the President and Secretary Hay interviewed Republican Senators, and, on the promise that Commissioners would be appointed in whom the Senate might have confidence, the treaty was ratified. The next we heard was that Messrs. Lodge and Turner had been named as Commissioners. The reasonable feet long, Il feet beam, draws | inference is that their appointment was the result of an understanding with the Senate by which the commission was to be so composed that nothing would be yielded on the part of the United States, no matter how strong the British case

might prove to be. "How can men whose views are so pronounced be termed impartial jurists?"

#### READY TO ATTACK TURKS Macedonians at the Frontier-Austrin and Russin Act.

VIENNA, Feb. 22.-It is reported that the Macedonian leader, Boris Sarafoff, has had organized within the past fortnight several bands of well-equipped Bulgarian bandits in Macedonia, each consisting of about 250 men.

The Neue Frie Presse learns that 4000 armed Macedonians are concentrated near the celebrated Rila Monastery, 40 miles from Sofia, and are preparing to attack the town of Melnik, in the Turkish province of Seres.

There is an unconfirmed rumor that the Albanians have attacked the Roumanian Consulate at Mitrovetsa, Turkey,

Austria and Russia Demand Reforms CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 22.-The Austrian and Russian Ambassadors presented Saturday to the Grand Vizier identical memoranda embodying the demands for reforms in Macedonia. They afterward acquainted the Foreign Minister of the step taken. This course was adopted to give the proceedings a semi-official character.

The chief proposal made in the memoranda is the appointment of an inspector-general for three years with ample powers to act independently and to requisition troops in case of emergency. The plan also provides for the reorganization of the gendarmie and police under European instructors, for administrative and financial reforms and for a more equitable collection of taxes. These reforms do not affect the Sultan's authority or wound the religious susceptibilities of the Mus-

#### Russia Gags the Press.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 21.-The government, in a secret circular sent to the press, calls attention to the declaration published in the Official Messenger February 15, in which the newspapers are instructed to refrain from publishing ar-ticles hostile to Turkey in connection with the Macedonian situation. Today's circular says that the previous declaration clearly indicated the constant desire of the Czar to promote peacefully and earnestly reforms in Turkey, and it orders the papers to abstain from superfluous at-

tacks on the Turkish government.

Another circular forbids the mention of the participation of the Russian government and its local agents in the co

Saloon Hold-Up in San Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 22.-Three men, earing masks and armed with revolvers, held up the proprietor and seven other men in a saloon on the corner of Eighth and Minna streets last night and got away with \$25 in cash.

Twelfth Student Dies at Ithnen ITHACA, N. Y., Feb. 22.—Two deaths from typhoid fever occurred here today, one that of Francis E. Schwartz, a senior of the Cornell University College of Law,

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