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LIKELY TO VISIT AMERICA.

the Southern States.

SPECIAL CABLE.

the Lancashire Cotton Association will

accept the invitation extended by

LONDON, Nov. 26 .- It is probable that

snow failing to a depth of as much as 40 feet in some places in the district. "Did you ever remain there through the Winter, General?" asked Judge O'Day so-

displayed, the emissaries, when they re turned to St. Petersburg, were in high spirits. The news that the delegation had been given an audience by the Emperor spread like wildfire through the city tonight, and created tremendous excitement, rejoicing among the Liberals and amage ment among the uncompromising supporters of the old regime. Earlier in the day a report was current that an immediate effect of the Zemstvo meeting would likely be the realization of the plan for giving two elected Zemstvos representatives seats in the Council of the Empire. One of the prominent liberals who participated in the congress tonight declined to share in the jubilation of some of his colleagues, and expressed the ophion that victory was yet a long way off, although he said he believed it was sure to come in the end. "All the members of the congress," he said, "are large landed proprietors. A leveling process which would put the Mujik on an equality with them must be prejudicial to their personal interests. In Russia, men seem anxious to make sacrifices for an altruistic ideal. The same thing happened with the emancipation of the serfs, in the time of Alexander IL. when many nobles advocated the measure though it meant practically ruin for them personally." The Emperor is said to have been acquainted with Interior Minister Sviatopolk-Mirsky's irrevocable decision not to remain in the Ministry if the policy of liberaliam on which he went into office is abandone3.

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interest

The effort of the defense yesterday was increted towards casting a cloud of doubt upon the testimony of Barber and his companions, who made the trip into the mountains with him, to make the inves-tigation of the claims in township 11 south, tigation of the claims in township il south, range 7 cast, included in the cases under discussion in the present trial. In their cross-examination they laid particular stress upon the questions asked in rela-tion to the time of the explorations and the ground covered, it being their un-doubted intention to argue when the case is further along that, inasmuch as the estimate followed the surveyor's lines witnesses followed the surveyor's lines through a heavily wooded country it through a heavily wooded country, it would be impossible for them to swear that they had not missed the cabins and fields alleged to exist in the testimony read from the final proofs. That this is the intention of the defense is shown fur-ther by the questions asked on the re-direct examination by the proseculon, in which Mr. Heney drew from the witnesses that they had ecattered in their journeys and some had followed the lines while others had gone out into the forest, each within halling distance of the other.

Defense Gains a Point.

In the cross-examination of Mr. Barber the dofense elicited that the witness had spent four days in actual travel through the township, and upon the claims under icion. Two other days had been spent in traveling here and there, though no particular visits were made. Pictures were taken upon these two days, showing the claims across the valley and upon the mountain tops. In these trips he and his partners had started out from camp at 7 o'clock in the morning and had worked for nine and eleven hours a day. There were claims in the township where cabins had been built, but not on the land cabins had been built, but not on the land mentioned. These cabins had been in the valley of the Santiam, but outside of this there had been no signs of habi-

ttion of any kind. Robert G. Pierce, a woodaman, was called as the next witness by the prosecution for the purpose of corroborating the evidence given by A. W. Barber. Mr. Pierce testified that he had been with the surveyor on his expedition of June last and had gone over the ground. He had taken up a claim in the Santiam Valley and had lived there

the greater part of the time for ten the greater part of the time tor the years. In all that time, however, he had never seen or heard of Harry C. Barr, of Henry C. Young, Joseph Wil-sen, Emms Porter, Maud Wilt, George 1. Pettis, George A. Graham, Nellie Backus, Zenas K. Watson, F. H. Wol-zurout Thomas Wilking, Christie E. gamot, Thomas Wilkins, Christie Langtam, A. O. Austin, James A. Tay-lor, John F. Foster, William McLaugh-lin, James Wakefield, Mattie S. Lowell Hall, as he put it in his pocket, "not until or Alexander R. Brown. None of them had ever been in the district while he had lived there and none of them had ever lived there for any length of time

or had improved any land there. The testimony of this witness was corroborative throughout and agreed in every essential detail with the story told by the surveyor.

Witness Grew Wrathy.

On the cross-examination by the de-fense the witness showed a tendency to resent the questions of Judge Pipes The Judge asked him various things regarding the length of time he had lived on his claim each year, what kind of work he had done and how much and if he had raised anything while

licitously. "No, sir," replied the witness with emphasis

Does anything live there during the Winter?" queried the lawyer. "Nothing but a woodrat or something like that," answered Mr. Daly. "You can't find anything in there after the mid-

dle of September." "Did you find any agricultural land there?" was the next question.

"None," was the answer. "There is no agricultural land in the township." The next witness was William M. Brown, of Lebanon. Mr. Brown is a man with a decided air, a ministerial garb and a voice that can be heard in the corners. "I am now the postmaster at Lebanon," he announced, as he took his place in front of the jury. "I have been, up to the first of this month, the publisher of the Lebanon Criterion, since March, 1888." Mr. Brown had been called to prove the signatures on some of the papers submitted as testimony as well as to testify as to the proof of publication in the same cases. The defense was inclined to ad-

init all of the information without taking up the time of the court. "Can you tell," asked Mr. Hall, "from

whom you received the orders for the proofs of publication?" This was a little different in sound, and the audience began to listen while the attorneys for the defense pricked up their ears. Mr. Brown was not sure, but he thought

that the most of the orders came through the Oregon City or the Roseburg Land Office.

"Who paid you for the work?" asked Mr. Hall "I cannot say positively in all cases,"

answered the witness. "In the case of the Henry Young claim I received a per-sonal check from William Galloway. In the case of Alexander Brown from W

F. Hammer, the County Clerk of Linn County. The Mysterious Letter.

"I would like to have you identify this letter from Mr. Hammer." said Mr. Hall. The witness admitted that he had received it. "I would like to have this marked as

identified, if the court please," said Mr. Hall, "and then I want to withdraw it for the present. Mr. Brown has to go for the present. Mr. Brown has to go home and I wish to use the letter later as evidence." "I would like to see the letter," said

I introduce it as evidence." "Did you ever have any meeting with Horace McKinley?" next queried the pros-

"He called me up over the phone." com

menced the witness, but was interrupted by an objection from the defense. And it ing shown that he had no personal equaintance with Mr. McKinley, the witiss was excused without cross-examin-

Edwin Hobson, of Eugene, was the last witness of the day. Hobson is an old man who has evidently had a fittle busi-ness transaction at some time with some of the defendants, for his appearance did not greem to be appreciated. The wit-

(Concluded on Pass In.)

Procurator-General Will Not Talk. ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 25.-The Asclated Press correspondent today saw M. Pobledonosiseff, Procurator-General of the Holy Synod, who is credited with having informed the Emperor, in connection with the presentation of the Zemstvo memorial to His Majesty, that no middle ground is possible at the present moment. This remarkable man, who has had so much influence in the councils of the em

pire, is now a mere shadow, almost four score, and his tall, withered form seemed bowed beneath the weight of his finely chiseled, dome-like head. Nevertheless, fire still smolders in the sunken caverns of his gray eyes. An impression of wonderful virility still clings to the ghost like figure. He today received the correspondent of the Associated Press in a kindly manner, but absolutely declined to

discuss the Zemstvo movement, "I am an old man," he said. "Little time yet remains, but the days and thoughts still granted me are consecrated to church affairs. The world concerns me no longer." -

PICK EXHIBITS FOR FAIR. 1905 Officials Confer With Members of Government Board.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 3-(Special.)-

wit-at that Exposition. All the members of the Government Board were in attend-

YESTERDAY'S-Maximum temperature, 53 deg.; minimum, 46. Precipitation, 0.31 inch. Foreign.

Caar receives four representatives of Zematvos, and those working for a constitution greatly rejolce. Page 1. Ten thousand survivors of Turkish massacre are in sore straits. Page 3.

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Russo-Japanese War. Tokio orders Port Arthur be taken, no matter what the cost. Page 3.

General attack is probably in progress at Port Son-in-law of Marquis Ito declares apparent delay of Oyama is for strategic reasons

ussians find water problem at Mukden a serious one. Page 3. ussian ships begin passage of Suez Canal. luck.

General Chaffee recommende Vancouver mili-tary reservation be enlarged, and estimates out of land at \$0,000. Page 6.

mate committee considering means to develop merchant marine calls in naval and postal officers. Page 6.

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servelt traverses four states en route to St. Louis, and is everywhere warmly received. Page 1.

Page 1. Federation of Labor decides against Brewery Workers' Union on all but one minor point. Jimmy Michael, the noted bicycle rider, died on

liner while en route to America. Page 6. Commercial and Marine. General improvement in industrial lines. Page

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15. Rains in Argentina cause higher wheat petces, Page 15. Steel stocks reach high records. Page 15.

Steamer Elleric will receive Oriental cargo here. Page 5. Death of a passenger on the Alliance. Page 5. Schooner Honoipu may go on drydock. Page 5.

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Oregon prune exhibit at the St. Louis Expoel-tion brings quick returns. Page 4.

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owns take a game from the pennant-winners. Page 7. Only one favorite, wins in both Oakland and

Angeles races. Page 9, Portland and Vicinity.

onal Grange Convention comes to a close. Grand jury is considering the Blazier case. Page 11.

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Williams walts for additional evidence e fling charges against City Engineer Page 10. estalators fight shy of Charter Board meeting.

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Federated Trades Council contin cutt its prace plan. Page IL

At Steubenville, O., the station platform was banked with men, women and children, most of whom waved American flags.

Live Coon Given President.

A live coon was presented to the President at Dennison, where the special stopped for a few minutes. After the President had greeted the people, a man swung the coon over the ralling of the

car platform and shouted: "Take him; he will bring you good luck." When the President laughed and shook

his head depreciatingly, the man again shouted: "You must take him. I am a lifelong Democrat, and I wish you good

Attached to the chain around the animal's neck was a card bearing this inscription:

"Compliments of Tuscarawas County. Ohio, Plurality for Roosevelt, 2224; for Bryan, 613. Presented by P. O. Strope, Dennison, O."

The coon will be taken to Washington and placed in the National Zoological

When the train pulled into the station at Columbus, the President's car was surrounded by an immense crowd. The President was cheered heartly as he stepped

on the platform. He said: on the platform. He said: 'I want to any what a pleasure it is to me to be traveling through your great state, and parhage you will pardon me for travel of william E. Smythe's resolution for holding the remaining public domain for actual settlers and homeseekers by the repeal of the timber and atone act, the saying it, I enjoyed even more what you did on November 8."

Governor Herrick and Mayor Jeffries Governor Herrick and Mayor Jeffries stumpage, the receipts to go into the entered the car and formally extended to the President the greetings of the people desert act with liberal provisions as to of the state. A woman in the crowd reclamation. "It also advocated Mr. Smythe's reso

handed a member of the party a bunch of American Beauty soses for Mrs. Roosevelt

The President briefly addressed an en-The President briefly addressed an en-thusiastic crowd in the station at Rich-mond, Ind. When he appeared on the reclamation service as to plans and its car platform he glanced toward the end supervision as to construction. The Union of the station, where people still were

hurrying toward the car. President of All Americans.

"I was particularly struck by the clear "I want to say what a pleasure it is to be here. It has been some time since I was in Richmond, but I always cherish the warmest memories of the scientific labors. "I think that the work some time since I "I think that the work now being done by the reclamation service will do much to instruct us as to the ability of the the warmest memories of my visit to your the warmest memory must allow me to beautiful city. You must allow me to say that, naturally. I am very much pleased to be going through Indiana, in pleased to be going through Indiana, in the source of the sourc view of the way it looked at me a couple terprise. "The success of this work will depend of weeks ago. Now, gentlemen, the election is over. I am President of all the country, of all Americans of whatever party, and so far as strength is given me

party, and so far as strength is given me I shall try to be a good and decent Preslifent for the next four years."

by the West is doing much to the people of the ability of Uncl do things. The special frain arrived in the station at indianapolis at 8 o'cleck and remained for ten minutes. President Roosevelt stood on the platform of his car bowing to the land, Or., at the time of the Lewis and Clark Exposition, and will, I am sure, be a great success." people. When the applause had subsided, the President expressed his pleasure of

being able to visit Indianapolis.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. S .- Frank "I have always thought a great deal of Indiana, and I now have reason to think more of her than ever. I thank you all hanged here today.

tions to greet the President, but they League. He is a sober, steady and a gentlemanly ballplayer. He has a best of were afforded no opportunity to see him, as no stops were made except at the ends friends among the fass and he knows ballplayers. His uncle, W. W. McCree-die, is a highly respected attorney at of divisions. The people cheered and waved flags, however, as the train pas

Vancouver and is equally well known in Portland. Judge McCreedle was called up by long-distance telephone last night. He admitted that be and his nephew had To Look After President's Safety. ST. LOUIS, Nov. 25 .- Over 1000 Secret Service men will look after the the purchase of the Portland fran President's safety while he remains in this city.

----deal was not completed.

HOMESEEKER WILL BENEFIT. Newlands Sure Work of Late Irriga-

Lancanshire Cotton Men Would Tour tion Congress Will Count.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 35 .- Senator Newlands, of Nevada, has arrived in Waah-ington, having attended the National Irri-gation Congress at El Paso, en route. He regards the congress as one of the most important yet held, and says it will be fruitful of results. "It practically settled the controversy between New Mexico and Texas," said the

lution favoring the co-operation of the states with the Federal Government in

the work of reclamation by the organiza

of the Federal and State forces would thus enable the negotiation of bonds by the districts for reservoir and storage

which the work of this service is regarded

The next congress will be held at Port-

Noted Safeblower Hanged.

municipalities, Cotton Exchanges and Chambers of Commerce to visit the Southern States. Some objection is made, how between the United States and Mexico as to the waters of the Rie Grande by bring-Southern Manufacturers' Associations are ing the delegates from New Mexico, Texas not concerned in it. and Mexico into agreement as to the loca-tion of the greater dam and reservoirs at Elephant Buttes, in New Mexico. It de-It has been urged by some Lancashire

manufacturers that the invitation is in the clared by an overwheiming vote in favor interest of American growers and in oppofor sition to British cotton-growthe great support in view of the heartiness of the invitation, the zeal with which it is pressed and the high character of those responsible for it. The prevailing idea is desert land act and the commutation clause of the homestead act, and recom-mending in lieu thereof the sale of that nothing but good could come of an interchange of courtesics between people associated.

MAY ENTER THE CABINET.

Bonaparte Is Mentioned for Secretary of the Interior.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.-(Special)-Charles J. Bonaparte, a leading lawyer of Maryland, is favorably mentioned as a asible member of the new Cabinet. He is a great civil service reformer, a per-sonal friend of the President and the only Republican Presidential elector in that state. He was selected by the Pres-ident to aid in the investigation of postoffice frauds and later was sent. West to investigate timber and land fraude mentioned for the Interior De-

HEINZE AGAIN SCORES.

Judge Revokes Order Enjoining Him From Working Mine.

BUTTE, Mont., Nov. 25 .- Judge WIIham Clancy today signed an order re-voking his restraining order issued a week ago, enjoining F. Augustus Heinze from working the Minnie Healey copper mine as the result of the suit brought by the Amalgamated Con Company to recover \$1,000,000 for ore alleged to have been stolen. Judge Chancy, in his statement, de-clares that he was not in passession of

all the facts when he issued the re-straining order. About 1000 men are af-