JAPANESE SEIZE MANCHURIA TRADE

Commerce From the United States and Other Countries Is Almost Entirely Blocked.

DISSATISFACTION IS GREAT

Under the Portsmouth Treaty Goods From Island Kingdom Are Admitted Through Two Ports Without Payment of Duty.

PEKING, June 17.-Widespread and growing dissatisfaction is being manifested by American and European merchants, banks and shipping firms against the Japanese administration in Manchuria, The Japanese occupation continues un der the Portsmouth treaty until next April and in the meantime foreign com-merce is almost blocked, the Japanese merchants gaining advantages which make it increasingly difficult to compete with them. Foreign goods enter Manchuria through the port Niu Chwang. where the regular Chinese customs duties are levied, while the Japanese import through walny and Antung without duty. Mukden and Antung are nominally opened for foreign trade, but foreigners are not permitted to go inland without Japanese passes, while many Japanese merchants, miners and prospectors are allowed to enter the country free. For-

Japanese control of the railway gives them special advantages. Antung and Mukden at present are practically worthless bases for foreign practically worthless bases for foreign trade, because of the difficulty in dis-tributing goods from those points. The foreign merchants are further handi-capped by the circulation of war notes to an amount estimated at between 50,-

are placed in the way of shipping goods to the interior from Niu Chwang, as the

merchants complain that obstacles

000,000 and 75,000,000 yen, which can be used only in Japanese trade.

Large and flourishing settlements of Japanese are located at Mukden, Antung and other places.

Consul-General Sammons visited Mukden, Antung Japanese with the

den and Antung to arrange with the Chinese the details for the opening of those points to foreign trade, under the American treaty of IRC. It is believed the Chinese are stubbornly trying to insist on regulations similar to those whereby Tatunytun and Shuntung were recently opened, which gives China a greater con-trol of foreign settlements than in the old treaty ports.

SUFFERING FROM ELEMENTS

Drouth in North of Chi Li, While South Is Swept by Floods.

PEKIN, June 17 .- While the northern portion of the province of Chi Li is suf-fering from the most severe drouth since 1500, the southern extremity is experienc-ing serious floods, caused by heavy rains. The Hankow-Peking Railway for 30 miles below Shentinfu has been destroyed and traffic has been suspended since last Fri-Some weeks will be required to re

NOTED CHESS MASTER DEAL

PILLSBURY PLAYED IN MANY INTERNATIONAL MATCHES.

Record With His Eyes Blindfolded Has Never Been Equaled in History of Game.

PHILADELPHIA, June 17.-Harry Nelson Pillsbury, the chess master, died here today of apoplexy after an iliness of many months. Pillsbury was born December 5, 1872, at Somerville, Mass., where the body will be taken, the funeral to be held there

will be taken, the funeral to be held there next Tucsday.

Pilisbury learned the rudiments of chess when he was 15 years old at the Des Chappelles Chess Club in Boston. His first netable victory was a score of 5 to 4 in a match with John N. Barry, of Boston, in 1891. In 1893 he won the New York City tournament with a total score of 7 out of a possible 9, and in 1895 won first prize at the Hastings tournament against many of the strongest players of the world. This victory logically made him many of the strongest payers of the world. This victory logically made him one of the quartet of the then most famous players named to compete at St. Petersburg-Lasker, Steinitz, Tschigorin and Pillsbury. His score with the world's champion, Lasker, was 3½ to 2½. In 1897 Pillsbury won from Schowalter the American chess championship which the American chess championship, which he confirmed by a second match with Showalter in 1898. In all Pilisbury played in 14 international chess tournaments and was a prizewinner in all except at Cambridge Springs, Pa., in 1904, when he was

alone by match and tournament play. At blindfold chess, it is said, his record has never been equalled. At Moscow he played 22 games without sight of the boards and at Philadelphia 29 games, which he repeated at Vienna.

Funeral of Representative Lester WASHINGTON, June 17.-The funeral of Representative Lester, of Georgia, who died here last night as a result of a fall in the Cairo apartment-house, will take place from St. John's Episcopal Church, Savannah, Ga., Wednesday after-

MAY STOP CONSTRUCTION

Guatemalan Revolution Threatens Pan-American Railway.

MEXICO CITY, June 17.—Chief Engineer Miller, in charge of the construction of the Pan-American Railroad, now actively building down to the border of Guatemala, thinks there is a possibility of the revolution now in progress in Guatemala cutting off temporarily the supply of labor. He expects the road to be completed to San Benito, which is the port of Tapachula, by July next year, when it will be quick work completing the line to the Guatemalan border, the

most successful of the 53 annual confer-ences held by this church in Oregon. Yesterday ended the business session and

In yesterday's session it was stated that the offerings of the conference for missionary work during the last year have exceeded by 400 per cent those of any previous year. The following new ministers were received into the conference: Rev. C. L. Williams, W. W. Rosebraugh, Mrs. Dorah Young, R. G. Sum-erlin and David Morris. Bishop Castle arrived late yesterday

afternoon, but in time to speak. He also gave an address in the evening. The entire session has been marked by the presence and participation of ministers

The evening session was given over to a rally in the interests of the church college at Philomath, President I. E. Caldwell, of the college, presided well, of the college, presided and speeches were made by former students of the institution and by Bishop Bell.

WOMAN AND HER VOTE.

Fine Record of Mrs. Sitton of School District No. 1.

PORTLAND, June 17 .- (To the Editor.) -Referring to my recent article as to the change of law in 1878, by which matters pertaining to common sch perfect equality with men, when this was proposed in the Legislative Assembly, a oud and long protest was raised by the conservative members of that body.

All kinds of evil consequences were predicted both to the women and to the country. Then, as now, we were told that a "woman's place was in her home with her children." This law has been on the statute-books unchanged ever since. The country is still safe and still moving forward. In this city in 190i, some of the voters, including both men and women, concluded it might perhaps be a good thing to have a woman a mem-ber of the School Board of School District No. 1. This was an unheard-of innova-tion. This office, as well as all others, had been considered the prerogative of the male citizen.

Mrs. L. W. Sitton was nominated and after a strenuous contest with conservatives, politicians and the various busi-ness interests, was elected. Predictions were again rife as to the consequences. Eminently respectable socity raised its brows and east side glances at the bare suggestion of a woman sitting on a Board night after night with four men. urnished no excuse for the wagging of Mrs. Grundy's tongue, and neither has Mrs. Sitton been at all times able to hold all the male members of the Board within the bounds of decency and order. She has, however, demonstrated the fact that woman may not only go to the polls and vote, but that she may discharge the duties of public office without losing any of her womanly qualities and with positive benefit to the public interest. This is now conceded in this case by all, including that most conservative and respectable element that opposed her election five years ago, but which is now foremost in putting ber

forward for another term. This case furnishes an object lesson that the most stupid conservative might learn and need. When the opponents to equal suffrage conceded this much, they conceded the whole question. They have conceded the expediency in this instance and cannot deny the justice of the proposition in all cases, that those that are citizens, subject to the laws and support the Government in which they live, should have a voice in that government. The movement for this equality has just had a temporary setback. But justice will ultimately prevail and the strife is still on. This is a republic and will yet be in fact as well as in name-a government of the people, for the people and by the people. AHIO S. WATT.

ENGINE HITS A HANDCAR Party of Merrymakers Tossed Into

Hiawassee River.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., June 17 .- An empty engine on the line of the Louisville & Nashville Rallroad, in Polk County, played havoc Sunday morning loaded with men, women and children, was crossing a bridge over the Hiawassee River when the engine swept around a curve and crashed into the handcar before any of the party could jump to

The dead and injured persons were huried in all directions. Four persons were instantly killed. They are: S. M. Blankenship, Levy Womack, Mattie Womack, and E. H. Brinkley. Sarah Blankenship, James Brinkley and John Womack were seriously injured. were seriously injured.

SET THEIR JAIL AFIRE.

Mississippi Prisoners Expected to Escape, but Are Cremated.

CARRIERE, Miss., June 17 .- (Special.)-CARRIERE, Miss., June 17.—(Special.)—
Setting fire to the jail to burn their way
to liberty, two prisoners, George Washington and Tom Latineier, were cremated
here today. The men expected to burn a
hole in the roof large enough to crawl
through. The flames got beyond their
control and the heavy smoke overcame
the prisoners. Their weak cries for help attracted a passer-by, but when help arrived the prisoners were dead.

The jatl was broken down in an effort

to rescue the bodies, but the flames drove the crowd away and the bodies were soon reduced to ashes. Washington and Lad-neier were in prison on charges of selling whisky without a license and house-

WANTED TO BE COWBOYS

New York Bank Messenger and Companion Arrested in Texas.

DALLAS, Tex., June 17 .- (Special.)-Wheeler Harvey, 19 years old, and a com-panion of about the same age named David Melville, both of New York City, were arrested by the Fort Worth police today at Springtown, 20 miles west of Fort Worth, and are held for the New

York authorities.

The Harvey boy was a messenger in the First National Bank of New York and June 8 disappeared, after having been sent by the bank to make \$230,000 collections in New York City on drafts and other collateral. He sent back to the bank \$200,000 worth of the paper, but kept about \$700 in money, and induced David Melville to start for Dallas with him on a cowboy adventure. The boys had only a few dollars in money, a pistol and a dirk when arrested.

when it will be quick work completing the line to the Guatemalan border, the country being level.

Advices from Guatemala City show that the Government regards the projected attempt of the revolutionary general, Leon Castillo, to capture the port of San Jose, with the sid of the steamer Empire City, as foredoomed to fallure.

Church Has Prosperous Year.

EUGENE, Or., June 17.—(Special.)—The United Brethren Conference of Oregon closed today. This has been one of the stablets are for sale by all drugring.

Republicans Gather at Philadelphia to Celebrate.

REACHED AGE OF 50 YEARS

Musical Fund Hall, in Which the First Convention Was Held June 17, 1856, Has Been Little Changed.

PRESIDENTS SINCE 1857. James Buchanan, Dem 1857-1861 Andrew Johnson, Rep 1865-1869 Ulymen S. Grant, Rep..... 1869-1877 Rutherford B. Hayes, Rep ... 1877-1881 James A. Garfield, Rep.....1881-Chester A. Arthur, Rep.....1881-1885 Grover Cleveland, Dem.....1885-1889 Benjamin Harrison, Rep....1889-1893 Grover Cleveland, Dem..... 1893-1897 William McKinley, Rep 1897-1901 Theodore Roosevelt, Rep 1901-

PHILADELPHIA June 17-In the same ssembly-room in Musical Fund Hall, where, June 17, 1856, the Republican party opened its first National convention, which named Fremont and Dayton as its Presidential ticket, there gathered today hundreds of Republicans from different sections of the country to commem orate the event. It was the opening meeting of the four day's celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the Republican party under the auspices of the National Republican League, which will begin its annual convention here tomorrow.

The old hall, which has changed little

since the first convention was held within its walls, was crowded with enthuslastic Republicans, which cheered every was mentioned. Among those who par ticipated in the exercises were 152 men who had voted for Fremont for President. They entered the hall in a body and were assigned to seats in the front part of the auditorium.

The appearance of the old men, some of whom could hardly walk, was the occasion of long and enthusiastic applause. In the ranks of the 152 was a delegate who proposed the name of Abraham Lincoln for vice-president, but as the man was not well known the

nomination went to Dayton.

While the meeting today commemorated the beginning of the first convention it was devoted largely to addresses in memory of Abraham Lincoln, Speaker Cannon of the National House of Representatives, and Secretary Shaw, who were to make addresses, were unable to be

Governor Pennypacker, of Pennsylvania, presided and introduced Rev. Edward M. Levy, a Baptist clergyman of this city, who delivered the invocation at the open ing of the convention 50 years ago. He performed a like service today. Governor

Pennypacker delivered an address.

Among other things he said:

"Fittingly we meet within the limits of that commonwealth in which the party has its origin and which, while receiving the last proportionate reward, has ever given to it the most continuous and effective support. Since the election of Abraham Lincoln, in 1889, Pennsylvania has never cast an electoral vote against the Parablesa, party for candiate of the Republican party for the Presidency. The greatest majority ever received by a presidential candidate in America was given in Pennsylvania to a Republican."

played a flag which covered Lincoln's bler as his body lay in state at Albany; with a pleasure party, who were riding a handcar from their homes at Patty, attended both Lincoln and Garfield, and Tenn, to a nearby town. The handcar, Jacob Weand, of Beaver, Pennsylvania, loaded with men, women and children, Colonel A. K. McClure, of this city, delivered an address on "Abraham Lincoln" in which he reviewed the martyred President's life and the events of his time. The programme included numer-ous musical seclections.

CHAUFFEUR LIT ON HEAD

Automobiles Collided When Racing at Asbury Park.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., June 17.—(Special.)—As the result of an automobile collision here today, Harry Isaacson, chauffeur for Peter A. Fogarty, of New York, was fatally injured and Rena and Gussie Belasco, daughters of David Belasco, the dramatist, of New York, were riding at a fast pace along the Macadam road when through some disarrangement of the mechanism the machine swerved and crashed into that of Fogarty, in which crashed into that of Fogarty, in which
Fogarty and his chauffeur were speeding.
Isaacson was thrown out by the impact, landing on his head, fracturing his
skull. The other occupants jumped, but
the two women struck on their faces,
sustaining painful bruises. Both machines Strauss and Fogarty were arrested and held in \$2000 ball by Judge Borden. Isaacson died in hospital tonight.

NEGRO TRIED TO ESCAPE

Wife Accused Him of Attempting Murder and Officers Shoot,

CHESTER, Pa., June 17 .- (Special.)-William Horsey, a negro performer, member of "Smart Set" company, was killed here today, while trying to escape arrest. Horsey, his wife alleges, was trying to murder her, and her cries attracted Denby and Moore, two local potential of the second lice officers. They gave chase to the ne-gro, who refused to stop shot him, the bullet entering his heart, killing him in-

GIVEN A GRIM WARNING

Zulu Rebels Who Do Not Surrender Will Be Shot.

DURBAN, Natal, June 17 .- Two of Chief Siganana's sons have surrendered to the Natalian forces and nearly all of Chief Bambaata's followers were killed in the recent fighting. Colonel Mackenzie, of the Natalian contingent, has given the rebels, who are leaderless and scattered, until June 19 to surrender, after which time they will be shot if captured.

Socialist Profits by Error.

The Century Sale Monday Bulletin

Century Suit Dep'mt.

\$40.00 Tailored Suits ... \$18.75 \$2.75 Lingerie Waists....\$2.17 \$7.50 China Silk Waists. . \$4.95 Heatherbloom Petticoats.\$1.75. \$2.00, \$2.25.....\$2.50

Century Lace Dept.

\$12.50 Plain Net Robes ... \$7.75 \$25.00 Figured Net Robes.\$13.75

65e Net, 72-inch, yard 47¢ 75e Embroideries, yard..... 19¢ \$1.00 Embroideries, yard ... 33¢ \$1.00 Valenciennes Lace, doz. 48¢ \$3.00 Valenciennes Lace, doz. 986 85e Chiffons, 44 in, wide, yd. 25¢ \$1.50 22-inch Allovers, yd... 782 75c Wash Braids, doz 10¢

Century Wash Goods

50c Silk Organdies, yd.....35¢ 30e Rajah Suitings, yd 21¢ 50e Brocaded Waisting, yd ... 39¢

Sale Dress Goods

50e Check Mohair Brilliant-\$1.25 English Mohair Sicilians79¢ \$1.25 Eoliennes and Crepe de amas.69¢

Century Hosiery

Women's 50c Hosiery 25¢ Children's 25c Hosiery 17¢

Century For Men

50e Silk Four-in-Hands 25€ 35e Fancy Hose, 3 pair for. .50¢

100 Matchless Special Bargains **Prices**

Century Pictures

A great sample line-no two alike -water colors, carbons, etchings, hand-colored platinums pastels, gravures, artotypes, se-pias-less than half wholesale price.....\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.50, \$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00 to. \$35.00 Century Bookery

10c Standard Paper Novels ... 5c 25c Framed Mottoes 15¢

Century Drug Store Listerine, large size 69¢

Listerine, medium size.....41¢ Listerine, small size.....21¢ Herpicide, regular \$1 size ... 59¢ Bicarbonate of Soda, lb.....5¢ Welch's Grape Juice 23¢

Century Engraving

100 Engraved Cards...... 59¢ 100 Cards and Plate \$1.19 Sale Needlework

39c Pillow Tops and Backs .. 25¢ 39c Centerpieces......25¢ \$1.25 Stamped Shirt Waists. 97¢ Union Linea Lunch Cloths .. 45¢

50e Pillow Tops and Backs. 39¢

Century Upholsteries 65c Colored Madras, yd.....49¢ 75e Colored Madras, yd.....59¢ 85e Colored Madras, yd.....68¢ \$1.00 Colored Madras, yd.... 79¢ Tapestry Portieres, pair 98¢ \$2.00 Nottingham Lace Cur-

\$6.00 Lace Curtains, in vari-\$7.50 Lace Curtains, in vari-Cotton Blankets, 10-4 size ... 68¢ Cotton Blankets, 11-4 size ... 89¢

Century Millinery

Clean-up sale of \$3.00 Trimmed Hats, variety of styles. \$1.39

Sale Linens

50e Damask Squares......29¢ 25c Linen Tray Cloths 17¢ 30c Battenberg Doilies.....21¢ 15c Crepe Finish Towels.....9¢ \$1.65 Crochet Bedspreads. \$1.35

Century Muslinwear

\$2 Fine Nainsook Gowns. \$1.65 \$3.00 Cambric Petticoats .. \$2.49 \$1.50 Cambric Petticoats. . \$1.10

Century Underwear

Women's 25c Vests, 3 for .. 50c Women's 35c Ribbed Vests. . 25c Women's 63c Lisle Vests....50¢

Silk Dept.

\$1.50 Foulard Silks 75¢ \$1.25 Glimmery Chiffon

Century Miscellane's \$1.25 Hair Brushes......50¢ 25c Tooth Brushes......12¢ New Wash Belts......35¢ Linen and Lawn Belts 50¢ \$3.25 W. B., C. B. and Nemo Corsets. \$2.39
20c Paper and Envelopes. 12¢
25e pair Beauty Pins. 15¢
Paper Napkins. 8¢, 12¢, 28¢
20c Playing Cards, 2 decks. 25¢ Rogers' "1847" Teaspoons .. 98¢ 35c Silver Thimbles...... 18¢ \$1.00 Ingersol Watches 69¢

Guaranteed Alarm Clocks ... 75¢

Weather in Lane County Has Been Most Favorable.

EUGENE, Or., June 17, (Special).-The fine weather of the last few days seems to have been made to order for the farmers. A ride over the country shows a uniformity of splendid crops. The cherries are coming into the market and the cannery will be busy until July looking after this crop which, though slightly held back, will be an average yield. Prunes, apples and pears are in the best form, hope promises an almost unrea-

SERMON TO PACIFIC SENIORS

President Ferrin Delivers Baccalau-

PACIFIC UNIVERSITY, Forest Grove, June 17.—(Special.)—The baccalaureste services of the forty-fourth commencement of Pacific University were held this morning in the Congrega-tional Church. President W. N. Ferrin preached the baccalaureate ger-mon and at the conclusion gave the charge to the members of the senior class, C. K. Fletcher, Clara I. Irvine, D. D. Bump, Frances T. Sorensen, W. B. Rasmusen, W. H. Wirtz, Livia E. Ferrin and A. J. Prideaux.

The church was beautifully deco-

rated and special music consisted of "List to the Cherubic Host" from the "Holy City," for six voices, and a vocal selo, "Saive Regina," by Miss cal solo, "Salv Maude Shannon.

In the evening Rev. Richard K. Ham, of Portland, gave the address before the college Christian associations. The ladies' quartet sang "Crossing the Bar," the chorus rendered the "Song of Thanksgiving" from the "Netherland Folk Songs," and two hymna composed by Miss Moseley and Miss Sorensen, students of the conservatory,

Moore, the dry goods merchant, dled at the home of his daughter here today of heart failure, aged 72 years. Mr. Moore was founder of the principal dry goods

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re-elected by a large majority, lost sev-eral hundred votes in Clackamas County. The official returns show that Richards in this county received 1533 votes, while with no other opposition than the Socialist candidate, Hoff received but 2746 votes BLOOD POISONING ENDS LIFE

FUNERAL OF J. M. FAGG

Marines From the Chicago Attend

Services at Sellwood. J. M. Fagg, who spent his life in the service of the United States Marine, mainly in Alaska, died at the home of his son, Lawrence Fage, 546 Spokane street, in Sellwood, Saturday, and the funeral was held yesterday afternoon from A. B. Hemstock's funeral chapel. Interment was in Milwaukle Cemetery. Services were attended by an escort of

OF GREAT 4-YEAR-OLD.

against 3177 for Superintendent of Pub-lic Instruction Ackerman, who was op-posed by both Socialist and Prohibition candidates. In Two Years of Racing, Colt Won

Over \$180,000 in Stakes

NEW YORK, June 17 .- James R. Keene's famous 4-year-old colt, Sysonby, conceded last year to be the best horse in training in America, died today in his stall at the Sheepshead Bay race track of blood polsoning. The horse had been ill for a long time. His ailment had necessitated his withdrawal from all this year's big stakes, including the Suburban and Brighton Handicaps, in all of which he was the future book favorite. Sysonby's death tomarines from the warship Chicago. Mr. day was sudden and occurred, strangely Fagg entered the marine service when quite young, but retired several years ago daily visit to the Sheepshead Bay stable.

DROPS DEAD BESIDE ITS OWNER



JAMES R. KEENE'S FAMOUS COLT, SYSONBY,

in Alaska. He was separated from his The borse dropped dead while Mr. Keene son, Lawrence Fagg, now a conductor on the O. W. P., some 21 years ago, when the latter was a mere boy, and they lost entire trace of each other, neither know-ing that the other lived. But the son, seeing the name Fagg in an Alaska paper, thinking it might be his long-lost father, wrote a letter of inquiry, with the result that the relationship of father and son, separated for so many years, was established. The father joined his son at his home in Sellwood several months ago, happy in the reunion, and the son performed his last and suites for his father.

formed his last sad duties for his father. Sudden Death of a Portland Man.

ASTORIA, Or., June 17 .- (Special.)-Ellie D. Burr, of Portland, dropped dead about 6 o'clock this evening while standing on the wharf near the railway company's warehouse in this city. Burr was 46 years of age. He came here from Portland about three weeks ago, and since that time has been employed on the construction of the As-toria Saving's Bank's new building. His death was caused by the bursting of a blood vessel in the brain.

Angell Urges Lofty Ideals.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., June 17.—President James B. Angell, of the University of Michigan, delivering the baccalaureate address tonight to the graduating class of 1905, took for his subject, "Honesty." President Angell pointed to recent dis-coveries of dishonesty in high places and OREGON CITY, Or., June 17.—(Special.)—Through an error in printing the official ballot for Clackamas County, by which the name of W. S. Richards, the Socialist nominee for Labor Commissioner, was placed on the ticket as the Democratic candidate, O. P. Hoff, the

stood beside him. As a 2-year-old, Mr. Keene was offered and refused \$100,000 for his colt, whose only defeat in his racing career was in

the finish by Artful and Tradition, Sysonby made his first appearance as a 3-year-old in the Metropolitan Handicap of 1905, when he ran the famous deadheat with Race King over the new course at Belmont Park. From that time on Sysonby went through the racing season without meeting a horse that could make him extend himself. He was the most brilliant performer the American turf

The colt was sired by the famous English stallion Melton, who was bred to the mare Optime. Mr. Keene bought Optime for \$3400. She was brought to this country and taken to Mr. Keene's Castleton stud farm in Kentucky, where she was foaled. In his two years of racing Sysonby won more than \$184,000 in stakes.

The horse will be buried at Sheepshead Bay, but later in the season will be dis-interred and shipped to Castleton stud-farm and burled beside Mr. Keene's other famous horse, Domino.

Killed by Overturning Trolley. FAIRFIELD, Conn., June 17 .- (Special.) -By the overturning of a Bridgeportbound trolley car near Ash Creek bridge

old, a well-known Bridgeport manufacturer, was instantly killed and four others seriously injured. These were taken to the hospital:

Mrs. Charles Weidlich, Bridgeport, severe body bruises and cut about head, will die.

Mrs. Mary H. Downs, Bridgeport, left

COLORADO SPRINGS. Colo., June 17.—
The Maharajah Gaekwar, of Baroda, India, after making the ascent of Pike's Peak, visiting the Garden of the Gods and Cheyenne Campon, today, will go to Cripple Creek tomorrow morning and visit one of the great mines in the gold camp. Returning to Colorado Springs in the

Michael E. Murphy. Bridgeport, cut about head and severe internal injuries. recovery doubtful Mrs. Charles Nothnagel, Bridgeport, badly bruised about body and internal injuries, not expected to recover,

duction Should Stand.

ALLOWANCE FOR SURVEYS Western Interests Will Suffer if Re

chance of recovery.

ington, June 14,-Mineral interests throughout the country were quick to support the request of the Geological Survey for a \$1,500,000 appropriation. In reporting the sundry civil bill to the House, the appropriation committee lopped of \$346,000 asked by Director Charles D. Walcott. This reduction would have borne most heavily on mineral researches, but likewise affect hydrographic and forest survey nites, which work. The testing of ligwhich had just been extended to the West, would be stopped by the re-duction. Issuance of the comprehensive annual volume on the mineral resources of the country would have to cease under the proposed order of things. Topographic surveys, which had proceeded for years, and would ultimately furnish an imbe continued with any appreciable success on the proposed sum for the coming year. Stream gauging and forest-reserve surveying were two other duties threatened by the committee report, which, however, do not concern mineral interests so keenly. Continuance of the two latter functions has already engaged the attention of the industrial element of the Pacific Coast, which is protesting vigorously

against the proposed reduction.

For some time the survey has been testing the mineral fuels of the great Eastern coal belts. This work is about consummated, the proposed appropriation being just sufficient to this end. The survey had commenced exploration of the lignite and coal fields of the West, with the purpose of extending the tests. One of the most important results achieved across the Mississippi was the discovery that the supposed were these lignite was that the supposedly worthless lignite was an excellent gas producer, and that the same fuel could be pressed into briquettes with cheap residue products from other with cheap residue products from other operations, making a very superior and enduring fuel for heating. These preliminaries had given such brilliant promise of great results that the appropriation menace was depressing on the trans-Mississippi region. The appropriation for the work last year was \$202,000, the director asking this year for \$250,000, but the committee allowed but \$100,000.

Request was made by the survey for \$100,000 in connection with the investiga-

100,000 in connection with the investiga-tion and report of mineral resources, a portion of which was to continue the black-sand investigations now being con-ducted in Oregon under special appropria-tion. This was cut to \$50,000, which would eliminate the black-sand experiments enthe Futurity of 1994. Sysonby was the favorite for the event, but was not in the best of condition and was besten at tirely after using the special fund, and reduce the scope of the annual report on

reduce the scope of the annual report on mineral resources.

The cut of forest surveys was from \$130,000 to \$190,000. A small corps of surveyors has been kept busy on all new reserves running the boundaries and establishing monuments, the demand being especially heavy for such work in Oregon and Washington. In the line of topographic surveys, the cut was from \$350,000 to \$300,000. This work has been prosecuted all over the country. The stream-gauging fund was cut from \$200,000 to \$100,000, giving it discouraging proportions, just as some of the states, including Oregon and Washington, had been induced to appoint state engineers and co-operate in the effort to procure authentic data about all streams of the West which might be used for irrigation or power. mineral resources.

Taggart Entertains Editors. FRENCH LICK, Ind., June 17 .- Three

hundred and fifty people, comprising the National Editorial Association, were the guests today of Thomas Taggart, chairman of the Democratic National committee. Tonight a concert was given in Mr. Taggart's hotel for the entertainment of his enerts.

Maharajah Gaekwar in Colorado.

CROPS IN PRIME CONDITION

a guest of General William J. Palmer at

form, hops promise an almost unpre-cedented yield and hay and grain has never looked better.

reate Discourse at Forest Grove.

L. T. Moore, Dry Goods Merchant. KANSAS CITY, June 17 .- Latinas T.

wonderful effects and virtue.

and all kindred diseases.