WAR ON STANDARD WAGED BY HISGEN

Representative Kelfer would

there is no trend toward such a radical change in the opinion of the electorate as is exsential to Democratic success in November. It would perhaps have been better, from the standpoint of the party managers, if the majority had been less, in order that the danger of overconfidence might be lessened among the Republicans."

James R. Garfield and Mrs. Garfield resched here today. It was announced

reached here today. It was announced that Secretary Garfield would put in four days on the stump in Maine.

Bass fishing conditions today were the best since Mr. Taft has been here. The morning catch was 17 bass, five sheeps-

heads and one pickerel.

It was decided today that Mr. Taf:
will not get to Sandusky in time Monday

to participate in the Labor day celebra-tion. He might leave here Monday even-ing for that place, that more time may be had on Tuesday for a visit to the Sol-diers Home there, before the trip to Cincinnati begins at 1:30 oclock.

Secretary Straus, of the Department of commerce and Labor, will be here this

CASTRO GETS EVIDENCE IN-VOLVING DELCASSE.

Fining of Cable Company Based on

Proof It Aided Matos Revolution in Many Ways.

CARACAS, Monday, Aug. 24 .- After

more than three years of legal pro-cedure, the Civil Court of First In-

stance of Caracas has delivered judg-

ment in the sensational case of the French Cable Company. The company has been found guilty of complicity in the Maton revolution of 1903 and fined \$5,990,000. Other damages are also to be assessed against it. The trial has

manager, Ferdinand Jallabert, was in-structed from Paris to furnish every

aid to Matos; that as a consequence the operators in Venezuela placed themselves under the orders of M.

employes were all revolutionary spics; that they secretly transmitted news to the revolutionists ragarding the

movements of the government troops;

that the contents of government mes-sages were communicated to third per-

sons and to foreign powers, and that the company used all its power to disseminate abroad exaggerated news

aimed at discrediting the Castro gov-

to get other cable companies to come in, but all have been unsuccessful,

BOLTERS IN KENTUCKY

Offer Nomination for Congress to

Kimball, but He Declines.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 3.-James C.

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was a daughter of the third Lord Mun-

Marshall Field Jr. was the son of Mar-

shall Field, one of Chicago's most promi

nent merchants, who died in 1906, closely

mond's maiden name was Marie Huck. She has two sons, who are now being

The only persons present to witness the

eremony were the Duke of Westminster,

who is a great friend of Mr. Drummond;

Craig W. Wadsworth, second secretary of

the American Embassy, and Mrs. Field's two sons. The boys have been living in

England with their mother since the

death of their father, and they are to

Mrs. Field had known Mr. Drummond

for about 10 years, having met him during her frequent visits to England. Mr.

Drummond is a member of a well-known

late Sir Victor Arthur Wellington Drum-

mond, who married a daughter of Charles

ular in social circles, where his moth

is one of the leaders. He is also a keen

sportsman, and belongs to the polo and

minater is a member. Mr. Drummond is

36 years of age. The couple will spend

SAN FRANCISCO VETERINARY COLLEGE

their honeymoon on the Continent,

Lamson, of New York. He is most pop-

following the death of his son, which occurred on November 27, 1966, Mrs. Drum-

date for renomination.

easter.

educated in England.

enter Eton in the Autumn,

mercial interests in Venezuela.

President Castro's action in closing up the cable offices without providing for telegraphic communication to the exterior has been disastrous to com-

Independent Refiner Successful in Competition With Octopus.

SOLD OIL MUCH CHEAPER

New England Witnesses Tell Great Refinery Built Up and Cutting of Prices by Hisgen Brothers

NEW YORK, Sept. 1 .- Sidelights on the war that has been waged for years between the Standard Oil Company and between the Standard Oil Company and Thomas Hisgen, of Springfield, Mass., Independence candidate for President of the United States, and his three broth-ers in the firm of Hisgen Bros., came out today when the taking of testimony in the Government suit against the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey was resumed here.

was resumed here.

The Standard Oil Company's side of the story was presented at the hearing, with Moritz Rosenthal representing the company and Frank B. Kellogg the Government, before Franklin Ferris, referes. The Standard, by the testing the standard of the story of the standard of the story of mony it adduced, sought to show that most of the cuts in prices made in the New England field in the war between the Standard and Hisgen Bros. were first made by the Hisgens and that aferwards the Standard Oil Company met them to maintain their trade.

Grew in Spite of Standard.

While John Hicks, of Catskill Station was testifying, a letterhead of the Hisben concern was offered in evidence, which showed pictorially the evolution of the plant from a very small one in 1880 to an immense affair in 1896. When Mr. Kellogg, the Government attorney, objected, Mr. Rosenthal for the defendant said he wished to show how the independent commany had grown despite the pendent company had grown despite the alleged persecution of the Standard.

Hisgen Undersold Standard.

be assessed against it. The trial has been even more startling than that against the New York & Bermudez Asphalt Company, which also resulted in a \$5,000,000 fine, because it has reached far beyond the high officials of the cable company in Paris. The evidence mentions in an alleged com-Saveral New York state grocers wh do business near the Mussachusetts line told of having been offered oil by line told of having been offered oil by the Hisgen Bros, at a lower price than charged by the Standard Oil Company. One of the witnesses, in reply to a question, said he received no threatening letters from the Standard Oil Company and that no effort was made to stop him from buying oil from Hisgen. Charles E. Arnold of Stissing, N. Y., testified that Hisgen brothers sold him oil at 11 cents a gallon when the Standard asked 13 cents, but the wit-Standard asked 13 cents, but the wit-ness afterward bought Stanburd oll because it had a convenient tank line

you know the Standard was selling oil in Springfield for 8 cents at the same time it was charging you 13 cents? Mr. Keilogg asked. ents?" Mr. Kellogg asked.

"I did not."
"And you did not know when the Hisgens were charging you II cents. In Stissing they were selling oil in Springfield at 7½ cents, one-cighth cent under the Standard price, did you?" Mr. Rosenthal asked.
"I did not."

OPENS CAMPAIGN

Speaks at Indianapolis - Hearst Also Makes Address. INDIANAPOLIS Sept. 1-The Indiana

campaign of the Independence party was opened here tonight at English's Opera-house, which was illied to its capacity.

house, which was filled to its capacity. Thomas L. Hisgen, Presidential candidate, and W. R. Hearst spoke.

Just before the speaking began the independence party leaders met, adopted a platform and nominated the following state ticket: Governor, James M. Zion, Lieutenant-Governor, William Francis Keatas: Secretary of Usate, J. W. Close; Treasurer, Harley S. Sayder; Auditor, Fred L. Hisgen.

EMBEZZLER GOES TO JAIL

REMORSE DRIVES FUGITIVE TO ARMS OF POLICE.

Robert A. Wurtz, Who Stole \$50,-000 in Los Angeles, "Shooed" From Police Station.

FRESNO, Cal., Sept. 3.-Robert A. Wurtz, the confidential clerk for the Title Insurance & Trust Company, of Los Title Insurance & Trust Company, of Los Angeles, who disappeared from his office three weeks ago, short \$50,000 in his accounts, has been arrested here. Yesterday Wurtz walked into the office of the Chief of Police and announced that he was "the man they wanted Robert A. Wurtz, you know." Chief Shaw thought that the man was a common drunk and "shooed" him from the office. Wurtz had been four days in Fresno, having come here from Mercel tast Sunday night. He went at once to the Grand Central Hotel and registered under his own name. The following day he secured own name. The following day he secured a refund order from the Southern Pacific for the mused portion of a ticket from Merced to Bakersfield. This also

from Merced to Bakersfield. This also was under his own name.

Wurtz stated that he was "glad to have it all over," as he was tired of dodging policemen all over the state." He had been drinking heavily during the time of his stay in Fresno and showed the effects of his spree. When taken before the Chief of Police he asked:

"Why didn't you arrest me yesterday when you had the chance. It would have saved you a lot of bother and me a sleepless night."

TAFT WILL MEET PEOPLE

(Continued From First Page.) and at the public meeting which we both addressed: that our conversation on the reviewing stand was only social and merely that which would be suggested by the character of the occasion; that at the public meeting we had had no private enversation and what we had said at Hampshire family, and a nephew of the the public meeting spoke for itself-that is all there was of it. I bade him good evening and went to the train. I wish there could be some way found to stop the publishing of these mischief-making reports."

VERMONT PLURALITY TOO BIG hunting set of which the Duke of West-

Tends to Create Overconfidence, Says Mr. Taft.

MIDDLE BASS ISLAND, O., Sept. 1 .-MIDDLE BASS ISLAND, C., Sept. 3.— Next seasion begins Sept. 13. Catalog free. Neither Mr. Taft, General Corbin nor Dr. Chas Keans. Pres. 1815 Market st. S. F.

Representative Kelfer would comment for publication today on the Foraker incident of yesterday in Toledo, with the exception of the general admission that the meeting between the candidate and Senator Foraker was brought about without the previous knowledge of Mr. Taft. Comment indicating that the Republican situation generally might have improved if the Vermont majority had been less was made by Mr. Taft today. "The returns." he said, "are very satisfactory. In round numbers the majority is 30,000, which is nearly what it was in 1901 and equal to that of 1900. It is an indication that there is no undercurrent against the Republican party and there is no trend toward such a radical change in the opinion of the electorate Second Prohibition Candidate Given Ovation.

INFORMED OF NOMINATION

Fellow-Citizens, Regardless of Party, Join in Doing Him Honor. He Insists Prohibition Must Be National Issue.

ADA, O., Sept, 3.—Before a large audience in Brown auditorium of the Ohio Northern University tonight, Professor Aaron S. Watkins was officially notified of his nomination as the candidate for Vice-President by the National Prohibition party. The citizens crowded the streets and university campus and political partisanship temporarily was laid to the content of th

streets and university campus and poli-tical partisanship temporarily was laid aside in the honoring of an esteemed townsman.

Félix T. McWhirter, of Indianapolis, treasurer of the National Prohibition or-ganization, was the chairman. Robert Patton, of Springfield, Ill., who was tem-porary chairman of the National Pro-ubition, convention, delivered the formal oltion convention, delivered the formal diffication address.

Liquor Question National.

Mr. Patton laid most stress on the point Mr. Patton laid most stress on the point that the liquor question cannot be finally solved except as a National political issue. He denounced the Government for sharing in the profits of the traffic and said that Federal control of interstate commerce made prohibition a National issue, for it made possible querrilla war on state prohibition laws. He declared that next Congress must give rollef from interstate commerce in beverages. He attributed race riots to the liquor traffic and heaped praise on Eugene W. Chafin for his rescue of a negro from the Springfield meb.

Flowers for Watkins.

When Professor Watkins arose to reapond, the vast audience was on its feet
cheering and waving hats and handkerchiefs, while little girls presented the
candidate with bouquets of flowers. The
ovation lasted several minutes.

Professor Watkins declared the Prohibition party the greatest party because it
had an issue broad enough to cover the
entire Nation, while all other issues were
more or less local. The liquor issue affected all officials from President down to the
smallest local official. He boasted of the
fact that while the nominations of the
two great parties were foregone conclusions. The Prohibition convention "with
one accord turned its eyes in the direcone accord turned its eyes in the direc-tion of the unknown and two men who were scarcely mentioned before the con-vention and who came to the convention with the purpose of working each for a candidate of his own, were suddenly selected as the standard-bearers of the

Says License Useless.

of the cable company in Paris. The evidence mentions in an alleged compromising way even such names as that of M. Delcasse, Minister of Forcign Affairs of France at the time of the revolution. It is Venezuela's claim that the French Government itself extended support to General Matos and M. Quievreux, French Vice-Consul at Caracas, was so compromised by the documentary evidence which fell into President Castro's hands that he committed suicide in Paris.

The railroad suit, as it was called was brought on July 19, 1905, based on a great mass of documentary evidence, consisting in part of the archives of the cable office at Caracas, which President Castro had selzed from a treacherous employe of the company. These documents, which were mostly copies of the messages sent over the lines, are alleged by the Attorney-General in his complaint to prove that General Matos, after visiting the directors of the company in Paris, was offered every aid by them in furthering his revolution; that the Venezuelan manager, Ferdinand Jallabert, was instructed from Paris to furnish every He then argued at length for a political Prohibition movement, saying the day of personal work had gone by. He declared license useless as a temperance measure and the dispensary system a failure. He said if prohibition did not prohibit, it was because it had been in the hands of its enemies instead of its friends. He made a plea for proportional representation. Professor Watkins read a telegram of encouragement from the Prohibition standard-bearer. Eugene Chafin, which again brought the audience to its feet. He then argued at length for a political

VICTORY GAINED BY WOMEN

CALIFORNIA DEMOCRATS FOR Quievreux, who was the agent of the VOTE ON SUFFRAGE.

> Platform to Recommend Submission of Amendment-Compromise Between Two Factions.

STOCKTON, Cal., Sept. 3.-The Democratic State Convention convened in this city today for the purpose of nominating candidates for Presidential electors. State Senator George W. Cartwright was chosen chairman, and after the appoint-ment of the usual committees a recess was taken until tomorrow. Several attempts have been made to establish wireless communication and

The convention will probably be har-monious, as a compromise has been reached in the fight that was being made reached in the light that was seeing the by the Los Angeles delegation against National Committeeman Nathan Cole, Jr. It was agreed that an advisory committee, composed of James D. Phelan, of San Francisco, E. E. Bush. of Hanford, and a member from Los Angeles to be later named, should be appointed for the purpose of handling all campaign funds and directing the National campaign in this state in conjunction with the executive committee of the state central ommittee.

Cantrill, of Georgetown, was this after-noon nominated by the Democrats of the Seventh Congressional district to succeed The women suffragists who failed to W. P. Kimbail, of Fayette County, the present incumbent, who is also a candi-The women suffragists who falled to get recognition from the Republican State Convention at Oakland, where a demonstration was made by 390 women, but were utterly ignored, scored a vic-A bolting convention of 34 of the 104 delegates participating nominated Frank Johnson, of Franklin County, after ofbut were utterly ignored, scored a vic-tory when the committee on platform and resolutions tonight adopted the plank pledging the Democratic candidates for the Legislature in favor of the submission to the voters of the state of a constitu-tional amendment extending to women the right to vote. There was not a dis-senting vote nor a single votee raised on the floor against the request of the women to insert this plank in the plat-form. nomination to Kimbail, who FIELD, JR'S, WIDOW WEDS Maidwin Drummond, second son of the late Edgar Athelin Drummond and the

The plank in no way commits the Hon, Louisa Theodosia Pennington, who Democrats to women's suffrage, but merely favors letting the people of the state decide as to whether or not women shall be given the right to vote.

RUSTIN SHOT IN OWN HOME

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Dr. Rustin's company, is believed to throw more light on the matter. She told frankly of her relations with the doctor, saying he had been caring for per material welfare for some time.



See advertisement on Page 6.

Watch for Mills Co.'s 'Reason Why'' Contest in Sunday Papers.

Columbia Woolen



You never saw a more attractive lot of good clothes than we've ready to show you right now for Fall wear. They're

Hart, Schaffner & Marx

can be.

Clothes and the new colors, new weaves and fabrics are as rich and varied and attractive as clothes

New models and new kinds in style; new ideas in patch pockets, button flaps and that sort of thing.

We show you just for example one of the new two-button styles; a very snappy, stylish suit.

\$20.00 to \$40.00

Sam'l Rosenblatt & Co.

Cor. Third and Morrison Streets

She was one of the last persons to see him alive, she says, leaving him at a street corner one block from his home. Out of consideration for her grief over her husband's death, it is said by the police no definite steps have been taken to interrogate Mrs. Rustin about the Coroner's inquest, which will be SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 3.—At the held next Tuesday, having been de- afternoon session of the court in the and increased the offer to \$2000.

ferred until after the funeral and Labor Day.

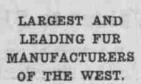
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choosing of jurors to try Abraham Ruef on the charge of bribery, a sensation was caused when J. M. Kelly, a talesman SAYS WAS OFFERED BRIBE under examination, stated that he had been approached by G. S. A. Blake and offered \$2000 to vote against the conviction of Ruef, in case he should be ac-

When Kelly was called to the box. Frank Murphy arose before the man was sworn and insisted on making a statement, in which he said: "This man approached counse

defendant and solicited a bribe." Kelly took the stand and related in decepted as a juror.

Kelly disclosed this matter to District tall the conversation with Blake. After Kelly disclosed this matter to District tall the conversation with Blake. After Kelly a testimony. Frank Murphy insisted





EXCLUSIVE OUTFITTERS FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

SCHOOL DAYS WILL SOON BE HERE



As the time approaches when the children will soon take up their school work, fond mothers will look to the wearing apparel of their little girls suitable for school days. We have gathered together quite a number of extra specials in children's school suits, dresses, coats, underwear, hosiery, etc., which every economical mother would do well to take advantage of. We mention below a few of the specials in brief:

GRAND SALE OF CHILDREN'S SHOOL DRESSES AT \$4.98 A special assortment of Misses' and Children's School Dresses in the new

Fall styles in serges and wool mixtures, in plain colors and plaids, sizes from 8 to 14 years, values from \$10 to \$15, at the extremely low price of \$4.98. An unusual offering which every mother should take advantage of. See window idsplay.

MISSES', CHILDREN'S **CRAVENETTES \$5.79**

An excellent assortment of Misses' and Children's Cravenettes; colors are tan and oxford. All are well made and regular \$10 and \$5.79 \$11 values; special Friday...\$5.79

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL HOSE 25c PAIR

A line of Hosiery for school boys and girls, made with extra double knee, heel and toe. Absolutely the most durable children's hose on the market. All sizes. Special 250 for Friday, a pair

MISSES' KNIT VESTS FOR 63c EACH

Broken lines in Misses' Cotton and Wool, Long Sleeved and High Neck Vests, in odd sizes only. Just the thing for early Fall wear; regular \$1 values; special Friday. 630

FUR DEPT. SPECIAL

\$10 and \$12 Coney Sets for \$6.75

A special offering of finest quality of French Coney Throws and Muffs, best of workmanship, just from our factory, beautifully lined in Skinner's satin; regular values \$10 and \$12; see window display; \$6.75 for the low price of only.....

Send for our new fur style book for the season of 1908 and 1909. Mailed free on request.



NEW FALL MILLINERY SPECIALLY PRICED AT \$5.98

We place on sale for today only the first of our great Fall bargains in new Fall Hats, all this season's styles and colors; only 35 \$5.98 in the lot; for only

GRAND WAIST SPECIAL

Lingerie Waists, Values to \$7.50 for only \$1.49

An exceptional bargain in Ladies' Fine Lingerie Waists, representing odds and ends from our waist section, in values up to \$7.50, which we close out at this exceedingly low price; ladies, take advantage ... \$1.49