After a protracted fight on the floo

The contest was a close one and five ballots were necessary to determine the party's choice.

Donlan was opposed for the nomination by ex-United States Senator Lee Mantle, of Butte, and Charles M. Webster, of Great Fails, both of whom were supported by strong delegations. For a while the situation was strained and a deadlock was imminent. Donlan's final majority was only four.

The convention adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

MURDER IS ATTEMPTED IN SAN

DIEGO HOSPITAL.

All Victims Will Probably Recover.

Sheriff Makes Investigation.

May Be Ptomaines.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 17 .- A mysteri-

us case of poisoning at the County Hospi-

tal is being investigated. Three hours

named Kent, Paulsen, Young, Scudder, King and Fister, were suddenly seized

In some respects the symptoms resem-

ble ptomaine poison. In others they do not. Chemical analysis is to be made, there is a rumor that poison was purposely introduced into the food of the patients and color is given to the report by the fact that Sheriff Jennings and District

Attorney Kirby were hastily summoned the hospital and remained there for several hours making an investigation.

SHIP'S MASTER PROTESTS

Complains Against Extra Clearing

Charges Imposed by Tacoma.

ASTORIA, Or., Sept. 17.—(Special.)— The British steamship Boveric, which sailed for Melbourne and Sydney via San Francisco, after having loaded 990,000 feet of lumber at Knappton, was compelled to pay \$35 additional to the regular Cus-

tom-house charges on account of a spe-dal officer having been sent from the Tacoma office to clear her. Captain Mathie, master of the steam-

the vessel, will prepare a written pro-test, which will be forwarded to the

department in Washington, asking that extra charges be refunded.

ILLAGERS MEET THEIR PRESIDENT

Roosevelt Gives Reception to Neighbors and Praises German Singers.

MOTHERS MAKES

President Surprises Singing Society by Translating Its Leader's speech Into English and Extols Good-Fellowship.

OYSTER BAY, Sept. 17 .- A procession vehicles and pedestrians winding of vehicles and pedestrians winding amid clouds of dust over the road from Oyster Bay to the President's home at Sagamore Hill today constituted a ver-itable pilgrimage of the residents of Oyster Bay, every one of whom was invited to attend the farewell recep-tion which President Roosevelt ten-dered them on his return to Washing-ton. All the automobiles, carriages and ton. All the automobiles, carriages and omnibuses in town were pressed into service, and those who were unable to secure transportation started to walk. Cove road, leading to the President's house, was choken with vehicles of all descriptions and with persons on foot, plodding through the dust, proud of the opportunity to be received by the Presi-

The reception was limited to the people of Oyster Bay, the President taking this last opportunity to meet old acquaintanees before he departs for Washington on Tuesday. Forty members of the German Saengerbund of Hicksville, L. I., sang at intervals during the reception. Every one of the President's guests passed in line before him and Mrs. Roosevelt, and with each the President whook hards and with each The reception was limited to the pe the President shook hands and passed a few words of greeting in farewell. Light refreshments were served on the

Surprise for German Singers.

The surprise of the day came when Mr. The surprise of the day came when Mr. Roosevelt proved to his guests that he is a linguist. Forty members of the German Saengerbund had journeyed to Oyster Ray from Hicksville to sing for the President and his guests, but before the singing began the president of the singing society delivered a short speech. He apologized because he had to make He apologued because he had to make his speech in German and told Mr. Roose-velt that he would have the speech trans-lated for him. When the president of the singing society had concluded his speech. Mr. Roosevelt arose and very everly translated all the German singer

even more if the soil is properly cultivated."

Mg. Hill declared further that the crops of the last few years have been steadily decreasing in the yield per acre and with the many thousands of people who have come into this country to settle most of the land has been taken up, so the chance of accumulating greater acreage upon which to increase the size of the crops would soon be an utter impossibility, even in Western Canada. The only solution of the problem, according to Mr. Hill, is to study the question and find out in what way the output per acre can be increased. had said.

During the singing Mr, Roosevelt, his wife, Mrs. Emien Roosevelt, Mrs. Merritt. a group of the President's brother Masons and members of the St. Hilda Society of Christ Episcopal Church sat on the veranda while the visitors from the village made themselves as comfortable as possible on the spacious lawn. The Saengerbund rendered "Wald Lied," and "Heimath Liebe," in German and "Kentucky Home" in English. Between songs the president of the singing society delivered his address to the President and then the President replied as follows:

Translates Speech Himself.

Now, in the first place, I am going to set as an interpreter for those among you, very few of course, who did not understand what the president of the singing society said. The President was kind enough to say that in coming here to also the German songs the society of which he is president not only desired to have the pleasure of singing, but that they also wished to meet me and my ramily and to pay their respects to us personally and that, while they could not be here next mouth, when I have a blythday, still they would be with me in spirit, and then he went on to say a number of pleasant things about me, which I shall not translate. onse, I want, Mr. Presi-

shall not translate.

And, now, in response, I want, Mr. President, to welcome you and your associates, to say how much! I have enjoyed listening to you and how much! shall enjoy listening to you and how much I shall enjoy listening to what more you have to sing; and to say sise, that in this great country of ours, to the make up of which so many race elements have combined, each can confribute something specially of good; and among the many contributions of good made to our people by the German strain among us, none has been more important than that symbolized by the very existence of societies like this, a contribution to the National character of the quality of which there is no exact English sequivalent—gemuthlichkeit—which means the quality of being a good fellow in a unabjectionable way. One can sometimes be a good fellow in a very objectionable way, but if you are shoroughly good fellow, friendly, kindly, pleasant, joining with other people to make both of you have a good time, you are showing one phase of the qualities denoted by the word gemuthlichkeit.

Should Play as Well as Work.

Should Play as Well as Work.

I most earnestly hope that we shall see throughout this Nation, not by any means only among the citigens of German parent-age or extraction, but among all our citi-gens, in an an ever-increasing degree, just such associations as the one which is here

such associations as the one which is not teday.

I helieve in work and I believe that, while a man works, he should not play at all; but I believe in play also, for the sake of the man, for the sake of the country, for the sake of the man's work, and it is a real contribution to American life to teach Americans how to eajoy what is emobling and not debasing; how to get enjoyment out of associations such as this association of aimpers who have come here this afternoon. And on behalf of my fellow-citizens, I want to thank you for coming over and to say how glad we are to see you.

Where He Could for the Bables.

Wishes He Could See Bables.

After this was the general reception, during which the President and Mrs. Roosevelt shook hands with every one wish you could see my bables," said

"I wish I could too; why didn't you bring them along?" replied the Presi-

dent.

Father York, of Huntington, was the leader of the delegation from his villings. While the priest was being welcomed by the President he suddenly espied one of the women who had come with his party.

"Here, Mr. President, I want you to meet this lady," said the priest. "She is Mrs. Charles G. Reynolds, of Brooklyn, and the mother of seven fine, healthy children."

Makes Mother Proud.

Mrs. Reynolds looked exceedingly young to be the mother of seven children and the President said as much. He mo-tioned Mrs. Reymolds to come forward and then said to her: "I am impelled to say that you are a splendid specimen of American motherhood and it is a pleasure meet you, Mrs. Reynolds." Mrs. Reynolds' face flushed with

AUTO STRIKES DIRT CART

Elmer Patton's Nose Broken in Accident on Burnside Bridge.

At II o'clock last night an automobile, bearing city tag 211 and Oregon tag 15, collided with a city dirt cars, on the

LEADER

ton & Maine Central Fails by Small Margin, but He Will

FOOD PROBLEM SERIOUS ominated.

The reform leader this year was Rose trans W. Pillsbury, of Londondery crans W. Pillsbury, of Londonderry, owner of the only morning paper in the state, in which he has assailed the Boston & Maine Railroad for its alleged domina-tion of politics. Bertram Ellis, of Keene, Speaker of the House, was the third can-J. J. HILL SAYS DAY OF CHEAP

didate.

In contrast with the discord and bitter factional feeling of two years ago, the defeated candidates for Governor, through their representatives, moved that Mr. Quinby's nomination be made unanimous. Winston Churchill, who stumped the state for Mr. Pillsbury, took his defeat philosophically, saying it is the duty of all Republicans to accept the candidate of the mathetic and try to elect him. majority and try to elect him.

CALLS SECOND CONVENTION

Acts When Nominee Dies.

here today.

Mr. Hill stated that with the present birth rate the country would not be able to take care of its own people, let alone the prospect of exporting grain to Europe, unless the farmers study the science of agriculture and learn how to raise more bushels to the acre than they are able to do at present.

"I believe we have seen the last day in the history of this country," he said, "when wheat will be cheap. Hereafter No. I hard wheat will be cheap. Hereafter which it is worth at the present time and even more if the soil is properly cultivated."

Mr. Hill declared further that the cross of the convention is to be voted on at the general election in November.

EX-SENATOR MANTLE BEATEN

Montana Republicans Name Edward Donlan for Governor.

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 17.-Republicans of Montana met in convention in this city today to place a state ticket in the field. United States Senator Thomas H. Carter

Rogseveit and the Montana Representatives in Congress. The platform indorses the reclassification of the mineral lands embraced in the Northern Pacific land grants, approves the law prohibiting corporations from contributing to campaign funds, the law prohibiting child labor in the District of Columbia and the pure food law. The postal savings bank bill is indorsed, an increase of the Navy is favored, and the improvement of the navigable waterways is naked. Adequate protection of the health of miners and the insurance of sanitary conditions in mines is pledged.

western approach to the Burnside-street bridge. The automobile, which was valued at \$1500, was a total wreck and Elmer Patton, who was driving it, was thrown out on the driveway and sustained a broken nose. The dirt cart and horse and its driver escaped without injury and drove away before the identity of the city employe could be obtained. Three other passengers who were with Mr. Patton on a pleasure excursion were also thrown out but escaped without injuries. The collision and wreckage of the machine caused a noise which resembled the report of a firearm and the bridge tender telephoned the police station that some ohe had been shot on the bridge. Sergeant Goitz dispatched the patrol wagon with several officers to the scene but by the time of their arrival the dirt cart had disappeared as had also the three companions of Patton. A crowd of passers-by had lifted the wreck of the machine from the tracks on the north side where it my to permit the passage of streetcars. Patton, who was left alone with the wreck, informed the police that he was soing west on the north side of the bridge and that the dirt cart was going east on the same side of the bridge instead of the south side. He refused to divulge the name of his companions. The police said Patton had been drirking. He is an inspector in the employ of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company, and resides at 26th First street. He said that the machine was owned jointly by himself and his brother, Roy Patton, who is also in the employ of the felephone company, and resides at 3 Prescott street. The city license records show this automobile in the name of F. Griffiths. No arrests were made and the wrecked machine was left on the bridge in the middle of the roadway. Quinby Named for New Hampshire's Governor.

REFORM

Winston Churchill's Assault on Bos Support Nominee.

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 17 .- (Special.)-The most vigorous Republican ante-convention campaign which this state has seen in 29 years culminated in the nomi-nation today of Henry B. Quinby, of La-conia, for Governor by a margin of only five votes after two ballots. The cam-paign has been participated in by such leaders as William B. Chandler and Win-sten Churchill, who two years ago ran for the nomination for Governor on the reform platform and came near being

WHEAT IS NO MORE.

Declares Money Spent on Battleships

Should Go to Schools of Ag-

riculture.

Building Nearing Completion.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Sept. 17 .- (Spe-

-The two-story annex to cial.)—The two-story annex to the United States National Bank building is rapidly nearing completion. Also the I. O. O. F building on Main street is nearly done. These two buildings are modern brick structures and will

be fitted in up-to-date style for the comfort of the tenants. The concrete buildings on Tower avenue and Pine street are ready for the second story.

CROOKSTON, Minn., Sept. 17.—'If I had my way I would build a couple of warships less, yet one would be enough and I would take the \$5,000,000 which it would cost and with it construct 1000 schools of agriculture within the United States," declared James J. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern Railway at the dedication of Stephen Hall, an agricultural institution here today.

California Republican Chairman

QUINBY BY SMALL MARGIN

Nomination for Governor Ends New Hampshire Faction Fight.

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 17.—The political strife which split the Republican party in New Hampshire into three factions came to an end today, when Henry B. Quinby was nominated for governor by the Republican state convention in session in this city. Two ballots were necessary for a choice and on the decisive one Quinby had a margin of only five votes. ship, paid this extra amount under pro-test and E. M. Cherry, local agent for the vessel, will prepare a written pro-

Great sacrifics in trunks, suit cases and bags of the bankrupt stock of Pacific Coast Trunk & Bag Co., at Harris Trunk Co., 132 Sixth, opp. Oregonian.

Von Buelow Speaks to Interparliamentary Union.

nearin of miners and the insurance of sanitary conditions in mines is pledged, wille a well-devised system of public highways is favored.

The platform recommends better protection of depositors in state and private banks, and advocates the election by popular vote of the United States Senators. GERMANY STRIVES FOR IT

Chancellor Tells Delegates What His of the convention, which lasted almost three hours. Edward Donian, of Missoula was nominated for Governor at midnight. The contest was a close one and five bal-Country Did at Hague Confer-

ence as Proof of Sincere Love of Peace.

BERLIN, Sept. 17 .- The Inter-Parliaentary Union met here today in the Chamber of the Reichstag to discuss anew the peace of the world and how to maintain it through arbitration. Frederick Passy, who, with Bandolph Cremer, of England, founded the Union 20 years ago, sat on the platform next to the German Chancellor, Prince Von-Buelow. Mr. Passy, who is 85 years of age, still has before his eyes the vision age, still has before his eyes the vision of legislation that shall represent the wisdom and benevolence of the world. He was described today by Prince Von Buelow as being now "as great-hearted, fiery and young as I remember him 30 years ago in Paris."

Mr. Passy has seen the group of 30 or 25 so-called "dreamers" increase to more than 700, who today more than filled the chamber. In addition to the Chancellor nearly all the members of

filled the chamber. In addition to the Chancellor nearly all the members of the Prussian and Imperial Cablnets were in the ministerial seats, while behind them upon the platform David Jayne Hill, the American Ambassador, and Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, were among the distinguished strangers. distinguished strangers.

Von Buelow Talks for Peace.

Herr Eckhoff, chairman of the German delegation, called the meeting to order. He proposed that Prince Heinrich von Schoenfish-Carolath be elected president, and this motion was carried imanimous-

with alarming illness. Four physicians worked over them for hours, and the stomach pump was freely used. Tonight several of the patients are still unconscious, but there is hope that all will recover. The cause of their illness is not Prince von Buelow made the welcoming speech on behalf of the government. He spoke in French and said that the delegates would find sympathetic appreciation of their aims and achievements in Germany and that the government was a one with them in the and for which sermany and that the government was as one with them in the end for which they were striving. The only differences of opinion were with regard to which road should be followed to obtain the desired aims in the surest way.

"We Germans are taking a vital part in the consideration of the questions in which you are occupied," said the Imperial Chancellor. "I allow myself to call to your attention that we proposed at the second Hague Peace Conference the price court agreement and that we the second rague reace Conference the prize court agreement and that we supported the plan for a permanent court of arbitration and signed the protocol recommending this. We have in vari-ous treaties made use of the arbitration principle and we have embodied this principle in the clauses of our trade treaties. Our co-operation is won in ad-vance for all measures which, by unalterable laws, make secure the rights of

Germany Must Be Strong.

A love of peace, Prince von Buelow A love of peace, Prince von Huelow said, did not signify lack of love for the Fatherland. True patriotism was the avoidance of conflict by resisting damaging, unscrupulous and unhealthy resentments which often merged into blind hatred and deceptive ambition.



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school of hard experience for three centuries and she was and must be strong enough to defend her territory, her dignity and her independence. She had not misused her strength and would not do so. The German people longed for peace labors be as fruitful as possible."

"Germany had been taught in the founded on right and justice, and, hav

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