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Says Bureau Most Autocratic in Administration Outside Russian Empire.

FORESTERS SCOFFS AT

Made at Eastern Colleges, They Need Guides in Forests-Should Use Field-Glasses to Find

Homescekers.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 .- General de bate on the agricultural bill in the House today afforded critics and de-fenders of the Department of Agricul-ture an excellent field day. Lever (South Carolina) led off with an attack on the appointment and work of the referee board of consulting chemists in the department. Heffin (Alabama) asked on behalf of the committee on growers for a Governmental monthly report on the consumption of cotton.

Sturgis (W. Va.) urged an extension of the Forest Service. Humphrey (Wash.) took an exactly opposite view, while Mondell (Wyo.) declared the Buwhile Mondeil (Wyo.) declared the Eli-reau of Forestry the most autocratic government bureau outside of Russia. Bartholdt (Mo.) declared for waterway improvement, and Chandler (Miss.) complained of the lariff on agricultural implements. Chairman Scott, of the agricultural committee, closed the de-bala with a four remarks on the work bate with a few remarks on the work done by the department during the last year.

When the bill was under considera-tion under the five-minute rule, an increase of \$500 in the salary of Solici-tor McCabe, making it \$4500, was stricken out on a point of order. An increase of the salary of Director Moore, of the Weather Burceau, from \$5000 to \$6000 suffered the same fate. Before the bill was taken up in gen-eral debate the House passed the Sen-ate pension bill for Federal Judges. In denouncing the Forest Service, Mondell said: "I notice that next year the forests When the bill was under considera

"I notice that next year the forests The to be protected, water flow regulated and resources conserved by the purchase of \$34,521 worth of typewriters, \$15,000 worth of paper; \$22,000 worth of en-velopes and \$5000 for card indexes." He ridiculed the appropriation of \$10.-one for the purchase of compasses, saving

600 for the purchase of compasses, saying it is a joke in the West that the Eastern college-made foresters must have guides when they enter a forest. Hope was also expressed that the employes will use the \$600 appropriation for field glasses to see at least the homeseeker, "hitherto unnoticed "

PRESIDENT SEES NO HOPE

Thinks Fulton Rate Bill 1s Doomed This Session.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Wash., Feb. 3. -Interstate Commerce Commis-sioner Lane today discussed with the President Senator Fulton's bill prohibiting an advance in freight instes without the consent of the Interstate Commerce Commission. He said the commission was very anx-ious that such a law should be passed, and explained that the Pacific Coast was urgently in need of the relief it would grant.

was urgently in need of the relief it would grant. The President agreed it was very de-sirable legislation, but in view of the situation prevailing in the Senate, he feit it would be impossible, in the re-maining three weeks of the session, to get the bill through, even if he sent a

LAWYERS DISCUSS legislation is enacted that deprives the executive branch of a particularly de-sirable and effective investigating force, the Government's interests, which are the Government's interests, which are the interests of the people, are injured and the only gainers are the ovildoers who may thereby escape punishment. "The question is, is it right or wise or proper specifically to discriminate against one particular division of the Govern-ment's investigating forces and prevent its employment where it might be used to great advantage? It is an exasion of the question to answer that in one par-ticular and circumscribed field suppres-sing counterfeiting and protecting the President-its activities are not affected by the limitation.

ovestigating criminal cases; and when

Declare Election Laws Are Not Affected by Vote Cast by the limitation.

"If the Government is to act with full efficiency against crimes, it must have some force of Secret Service agents, by preference under the Department of Jus-tice, who can act against criminals any-JOKER NOT TO BE FEARED where; and the position of the adminis-tration is that it is against sound public policy to discriminate in favor of crim-

Act Against Criminals Anywhere.

ish them.

Members of Bar Assert That Measure inals by discriminating against the use of the Secret Service to detect and pun-Passed by Electors Is Not Binding, but Only Suggestion

Last June.

to Legislature. TITLED LOVER TESTIFIES Lord Northland Denies He and Mrs. Stirling Did Wrong. The report that the proportional epresentation amendment (so - called) EDINBURGH, Feb. 3 -- Mrs. John Alex-

adopted last June, has tied the hands of ander Stirling, the American show girl, the Legislature as to proportionate repwho was Clara Elizabeth Taylor, today resentation legislation, and necessitated submitted to cross-examination for the immediate legislative action to unwind last time in the suit brought by her husthe tangle, is not coincided in by Port-land lawyers interviewed yesterday. band for divorce. Mrs. Stirling has been on the stand for three days. In splite of the searching questioning, which oc-casionally broke down her outward com-posure and caused a flood of tears, the defendant almost invariably had a ready answer and a plausible explanation for searching indiscations. and lawyers interviewed yesterday. Particular stress had been laid on the following supposed "joker," occurring in about the middle of the amendment, in words and letters as follows: "Every qualified elector resident in his precinct and registered as may be required by law, may vote for one person under the tille for each office."

uning indiscretions. She stuck to her story that there had been no misconduct between her and Lord Northland, named by Mr. Sticling as co-respondent, and just before she left the stand she raised an outburst of lawyfree her below title for each office." This provise was said to be of no nenses to existing election laws, by the lawyers interviewed, and the unanimous opinion of the members of the Portland bar who could be seen was that the of laughter by replying to the question whether she had given up the idea of marrying Lord Northland by saying: entire amendment was simply permis sive in its scope and design, and would require additional legislative enactment

"I am not free. Lord Northland by saying: "I am not free. Lord Northland could not propose to me yet." Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Stirling's mother, testified briefly as to her daughter's dis-tress on the nearly in order to carry out any intent of its authors, and make its permissive sug-gestions binding on citizens of the state. tress on the receipt of a certain letter while in America and her sudden resolve Amendment Merely Permissive. to return to London. This was the letter J. M. Gearin said he had no doubt whatever that "the amendment, 'joker' written by Mrs. Stirling hinting at im-proper relations between Mr. Stirling and Mrs. Atherion.

Lord Northland was called for the de-fense, and generally corroborated the testimony given by Mrs. Stirling. He denied that he had ever been guilty of misconduct with the defendant. He was still on the stand when the case was adjustment for the day. adjourned for the day.

RACE RIOTS ARE FEARED

Wholesale Arrest of Negroes in Pittsburg Causes Alarm.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 3 .- One hundred and twenty-six negroes, who were arrested late last night and today, folowing a carnival of crime against young white girls in the Herron Hill district

e arrested. Some of the women of the Herron

men. The police are of the opinion that the recent terrible acts of the negroes are

who came between his wife and him-self. About a month ago, Mrs. Cradle-baugh, with her two little sons, aged 14 and & went on a visit to relatives in Los Angeles. A few days later Walton disappeared. PHUPURTIONALAC

appeared. Last week Cradlebaugh received a let-ter, written by the eldest boy, in which he was fold of the intimacy existing be-tween his mother and Walton, and con-cluding with the words: "I am tired of being with Mama and this other man, Papa, and I want you to come and yet us, quick."

this other man, Papa, and I want you to come and get us, quick." The lad said in the letter that his mother was preparing to go to Denver. Cradiebaugh immediately prepared to follow them to the latter city, and left Wallace Sunday morning. To friends he stated he was merely going to get his boys, and would not seek either Walton or Mrs. Cradlebaugh. Those to whom he confided his intentions expected no other result than the tragedy which occurred today.

result than the tragedy which occurred today. Fred Walton had lived in Wallace for nearly 20 years. He is generally known throughout the Coeur d'Alenes, having been Assessor of Shoshone County in 1894 and 1895, and grand master of the Odd Fellows lodges of the State of Idaho. His term as grand master expired during the latter part of 1908, since which time he has held the tile of past grand master. Mr. anil Mrs. Walton have been involved in domestic differences for some time, and Mrs. Walton has filed suit for diand Mrs. Walton has filed suit for di-vorce against her husband, which is now pending in the District Court, alleging

pending in the District Court, alleging failure to provide. Cradlebaugh, who is crippled with rheu-matism, is a millwright employed by the Federal Mining & Smeiting Company, Mr. and Mrs. Cradlebaugh own their home at 1006 Pearl street. That Cradle-baugh feared something might happen which would prevent his return to Wal-late is indicated by the fact that he rented his home before leaving here. Both Mr. and Mrs. Cradlebaugh are prominent in several lodges. Mrs. Cradlebaugh is the daughter of Mrs. Edward N. Mager of 413 Bonnibras street, Los Angeles.

PREACHERS LOOK AT SITES

Lutherans Investigate Location for School at Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Feb. 2.-(Spe cial.)-The committee of the English Lutheran Church conference of the Pacific Synod, consisting of Dr. E. G. Lund and K. K. Tvete, of Scattle; Rev. W. E.

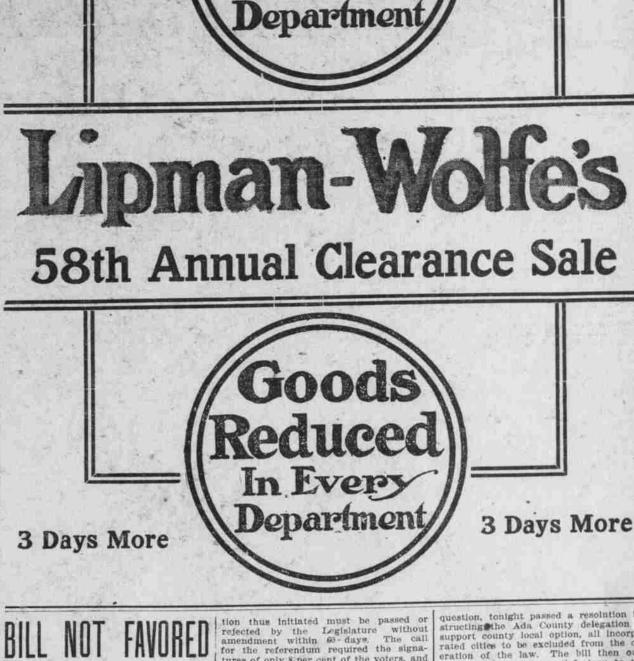
Bolton, of The Dalles, Or.; Rev. J. A. Leas, of Portland; Rev. W. R. Kraxberger, of Oregon City; Rev. Thomas Schoenberg, of Bellingham; Rev. C. F. Stoever, of Tacoma, and W. S. T. Derr, of Vancouver, spent the day in looking over several sites offered for a new college and seminary which the church will locate in some city on the Coast. Several locate in some city on the Coast. Several locations here appealed to them, especially Buckman's Hill, at Minnehaha, about three miles from the city on the electric line, and the present site for the State School for the Blind. The visitors were escorted around the city by a committee of the Commercial Club. They returned to Porfland this evening and will hold a final meeting in that city at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. omorrow morning.

A session of the annual meeting of the English Conference of the Pacific Synod of the Lutheran Church was held at the St. James Evangelical English Lutheran Church last night, when two papers were read by ministers of the conference, being followed by discussion. An informal ban-quet to the visiting clergymen followed.

SECOND STOCK FIRM QUITS

Walker & Co., of Chicago, Going Out of Business Temporarily.

the amendment very carefully. His judg-ment was, that the "joker" clause in the amendment was in itself plainly incon-sistent with the rest of the amendment, and would so be held by sound legal in-terpretation. That at best, the "amend-ment" was necessary only industing CHICAGO, Feb. 3 .--- The prospective rethrement from business of another large ment" was permissive only, indicating what the Legislature might do if it saw fit to follow out the suggestions of those brokerage firm-Walker & Co. of New what the fit to follow out the suggestions of those who drafted the "amendment." That he was clearly of opinion that the Legisia-ture was not bound, as by law, by such amendment, and that the inconsistency of the so-called "joker" clause, would doubtiess invalidate that part of the "amendment" anyway. Judge Williams "amendment" anyway. Judge Williams York and Chicago-was announced to-



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Idaho Senators Not Hopeful

for Initiative Measure. · · · ·

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3 Days More

county was introduced by Data in an provides for creating a new county from parts of Canyon and Ada Countles, with Nampa as the county-seat. The boun-daries of the proposed new county cre-ation is solely for the purpose of pre-venting the closing of saloons and brew-eries in Nampa. It is not thought the bill DEMOCRATS SPRING IDEA eries in Nampa. It is not thought the bil

The appropriations committee having reported favorably on the bill establish-ing a Deaf, Dumb and Bill School in Bolse, an effort was made to substitute Weiser in place of Bolse as the location of the other. Plan Brought Up by Joint Resolution, and Backed by Pure Parof the school. This effort was defeated by a very close vote. tisan Vote, but Is Not

Seek New County.

A bill for the creation of Namp County was introduced by Duvall an

that convicts confined in the state prison

question, tonight passed a resolution in-structing the Ada County delegation to structing the Ada county delegation to support county local option, all incorpo-rated cities to be excluded from the op-eration of the law. The bill then out-lined would be very satisfactory to the organized liquor interests which had an active organization throughout the recent comparizing, and has maintained a strong for the reference required the voters, and in any event, not more than 25,000 sig-natures. The recall petition requires the signatures of at least 25 per cent of the legal voters. campaign, and has maintained a strong lobby here since the convening of the Legislature.

3 Days More

JURY STILL INCOMPLETE

Sixteen More Fall to Qualify in Cal-, houn Case-Stir in Court.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3,-Sixteen eries in Nampa. It is not thought the bill can pass. The appropriations committee having reported favorably on the bill establish-ing a Deaf, Dumb and Blind School in Boise, an effort was made to substitute Weiser in place of Boise as the location of the school. This effort was defeated by a very close vote. **Convicts for Roads.** A bill has been introduced providing that convicts confined in the state prison may be used in the improvement of the roads of the state and for other purposes.

be friendly with Morris Haas, the ex-

next Friday. By that time, 700

recently, were given hearings today. Fourty-three of them were discharged. Forty-two were fined or sentenced to jail, and forty-one were held over pending further investigation. Every negro who has no visible means of support or who is known as a user of drugs will Judge George H. Williams read over

Hill district now go armed, and a ma-jority of these men have armed them-selves and positively threaten to kill the negroes caught molesting white wos

and all is merely permissive in its scope. If the Legislature does nothing, elec-tions will be conducted under the laws as they now stand, apart from this 'amendment.' While I fear it would be a difficult matter to comprehend the amend-ment clearly it is plain no law has been

ment clearly it is plain no law has been passed by the adoption of this 'amend-ment,' and the legislature, by remaining passive, would simply acquiesce in the holding of elections under present laws." Mr. Gearin was of the opinion that there was altogether too much experimenting in the law-making lines, and especially as to political laws, and a resultant com-plexity in that respect

as to pointies have, and a resultant com-plexity in that respect. Judge C. H. Carey did not lay any weight on the "joker." He also was of opinion that the "amendment" was perilweive, and would require additional egislation to carry out its ideas. He id not believe it was at all necessary or indicious to re-entangle matters by en

deavoring to split hairs over this amend-ment, but he suggested that a just pro-portionate representation law could be enacted, without reference to this pres-ent amendment. **Opinion of Judge Williams.**

get the bill through, even ecial measage urging its passage. Therefore he will not address Congress on this subject.

WIRELESS ON ALL VESSELS Congress May Make It Compulsory

for Passenger Steamers.

WASHINGTON, Feb 3.-Following closely the introduction of a bill by Rep-resentative James, Francis Eurke, of Pennsylvania, to require occan passen-ger vessels to be equipped with wireless telegraphy, the House committee on mer-chant marine and fisheries today fook it up for consideration. An immediate report is being urged, so that the bill may become a law at this session. Ac-cording to Mr. Burke, a*similar measure is now pending before the French As-sembly. The cost of equipping a salp is about \$1990, according to his estimate.

EXILES RETURN TO OREGON

Captain Jack's Band of Modocs Coming Back.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.-After a weary wait of more than a third of a century, wait of more than a third of a century, Captain Jack's band of Modoe Indians are about to be permitted to return to their old homes in the land of the setting sun. Following their disastrous warfare on the white settlers in Oregon in 1874, these Indians were exciled to Indian Ter-ritory, where they were placed upon the Quapaw Reservation. At that time there were sett of them but before a year had Were 371 of them, but before a year had elapsed the rumber was reduced to 157. By 1877 there were not more than 112, and at the present time there are only 45. In a report recently made to the Senate by Senator Curths, of Kansus, himself as indian be says: an Indian, he says:

"This rapid decrease seems to be the result of mental anxiety caused by their enforced separation from family and friends.

friends." Senator Curtis' report recommends the Senator Durkis' report recommends the Senator passage of a bill, which has al-ready received the approval of the House, and which authorizes the return of these aborigines to their former homes in the Klamath Reservation in Oregon, where an allotment of land is now going on, and in which they would be enabled to participate if there.

Senator Curtis says in his report that the Modocs, notwillistanding their rec-ord of '74 are extraordinarily good workers. He also says there are no drunkards among them, and that they are "careful and economical." It is quite probable that the bill will pass the Senate.

DEFENDS SECRET SERVICE

(Continued from First Page.)

Secretary of the Treasury and made It impossible for him to continue the employment of these men in many cases of irregularity or wrong doing in those branches of the Treasury Department devoted to the issuing and handling of obligations, securities and coins of the

The district now under police surveillance covers miles of territory and negroes are arming themselves.

TREASURER IS RESTRAINED R. W. Montague believed that the real intent of the promulgators of the amend-ment was to provide both for a vote for a single candidate, or for more than one. Must Not Pay Warrants for Right of

Way for Eugene Power Lines.

Fusillade at Waco.

Reply to Calls for Aid.

Charged With Murder.

PENDLETON, Or., Feb. 3.-(Special)-

cutter safely to port.

'joker" clause could consistently read a follows: "Every qualified voter resias follows: "Every qualified voter resi-dent in his precinct and registered as may be required by law, may vote for one person under the title for each office, or provision may be made by law for the EUGENE, Or., Feb. 1.-(Special.)-In the Circuit Court today Judge Harris is-sued a temporary order restraining City Treasurer Reisner from paying warrants for the right-of-way for the city's pro-posed power lines. The order merely restrains the Treasvoter's direct or indirect expression his first, second or additional ch among the candidates for any office."

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Existing Laws Not Changed.

urer from paying the particular warrants in question and does not restrain the members of the Council from proceeding Mr. Montague was not only firmly of with the work on the project nor from making payments on contracts. The bonds of the petitioners for the original pplnion that the present "amendment" n question did not change existing elecin question and not change existing elec-tion laws, but he took the further ground that "the legislature could proceed, at any time, to pass any proportional rep-resentation laws they might see fit to pass, without reference to this amendrestraining order was fixed at \$4000. The case will be given a final hearing in about HAS CAUSED TWO DEATHS

ment, in any way, shape, or manner." Judge Thomas O'Day had not had an opportunity to look into the question, and on that account refrained from giving an Another Likely From Verna Ware's pinion as to the merits of the con-

But from the unanimous opinion of the But from the unannous opinion of the gentlemen quoted, the "amendment" passed in June is "permissive," not "legally obligatory." It does not change existing election laws, and would neces-sarily require laws based on its sugges-tions to be passed before this permis-siveness crystallized into statutory re-vulcements. The Latheterms are these WACO, Tex., Feb. 2.-James Smith, one of the four men shot in the District courtroom at Gatesville, late yesterday by Miss Verna Ware and her brother, is dead. James Ross, another victim of the Ware builets, will probably die, John quirements. The Legislature, say these men, can do nothing, and nothing is changed. If it sees fit to act, this amend-Hanes, who was shot at the same time, died late yesterday. Hanes was charged with the seduction of Miss Ware. The feeling at Gatesville is reported as running very high. cannot hamper or deflect ment

It would appear, therefore, that this "amendment," so-called—is legally speak-ing but an inchoate suggestion, not even attaining to the dignity of a contingent remainder. Subsequent advice cannot WIRELESS SAVES MEXICAN **Revenue** Cutter Disabled Receives mand of an entire population for a change, or repeal of a statutory enacttheoretically "permitted" or suggested.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 3.—Wireless teleg-raphy has saved its first Mexican ship. The revenue cutter Jose Yves Limantour became disabled 50 miles off the coast near Cullacan a few days ago, accord-MENELIK REPORTED DYING QUEER MURDER TRIAL ON ing to reports received here, and her calls for assistance by wireless were caught up by the Alamos, which immediately steamed out and brought the disabled

choice

Abyssinian Ruler Again Rumored North Dakota Has Peculiar Case Before Its Courts.

No. 11.

to Be Near Death.

ADDIS ABABA, Abyssinia, Feb. 3 .-King Menelik Is sinking fast, and it is SECOND TRIAL IS BEGUN believed his death is not far off.

George Horslan Is Again in Dock PURSUIT ENDS IN MURDER (Continued From First Page.)

more than a year. The intimacy is said to have existed about two years. It was PENDLETON, Or., Feb. 3.—(Special)— The second trial of George Horslan for the murder of Clarence McBroom at a meeting of the stockmen of the Potts country in the southern part of this country one year ago last May is now well under way. The attorneys on either side have intimated that they have new and many inter slaves

begun by the Cradlebaugh woman call-ing frequently at Walton's home late in the evening and being escorted to her home by Walton until the suspicions of obligations, securities and coins of the Government. Injures Public Interest. "It is the contention of the executive branch of the facture in the best means of be permitted to use the best means of

believed the present law would stand as the guide for elections hereafter until amended or changed by positive laws tutes the hrm, had concluded to who up the business in order to enjoy a trip to Europe. He has sold his membership in the New York Stock Exchange for \$75,000. Upon his return from Europe passed and becoming existing \$75,000.

Mr. Walker will resume business. A shortage of \$3,500 in the accounts of a trusted employe has been discovered, and it may run as high as \$7,000, but that, it is said, has nothing to do with Mr. Walker's decision to retire from business for the time being. as necessity might direct. He said the t for the time being.

TWO MORE COOPER JURORS

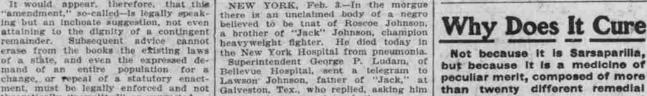
Hope of Completing Dozen From

Among Farmers.

NASHVI Feb. 3 .- With the fourth amendment self-operating. Freehafer also introduced a joint res-olution providing for the amendment of venire of 500 talesmen half exhausted. the trial of Colonel Duncan B. Cooper, article six of the constitution by the addition of a section permitting the re-call of any elected officer upon a ma-jority vole of the citizens of the political division responsible for the recalled of-Robin J. Cooper and John D. Sharpe, charged with the slaying of ex-Sena-tor E. W. Carmack, was resumed today. Of the talesmen yet to be examined, nearly @ per cent are farmers, and upon this condition is based the hope that ficer's election. The two resolution this condition is based the hope that enough competent men may be found to complete the jury. As soon as the venire is exhausted, the, case against Juror Whitworth will be taken up and decided. J. A. Woodruff was selected as juror No. 19 and Jacob Friutiger as juror No. 19 regarded as partisan measures, and are fathered by the Democratic members of the Senate. Although it is known that a number of Republican Senators are in

number of Republican Senators are in favor of these amendments, it is not believed they will pass. The initiative resolution was introduced in the House, and after a somewhat apirited discussion, the motion to refer to the printing committee was lost, the Democratic members being doined by seven Republicans in support of the mo-CHAMPION'S BROTHER DEAD

The Freehafer resolutions provide that Unclaimed Body in Morgue Said to Be That of Roscoe Johnson.



ten per cent of the legal voters, and never more than 40,000, shall be required o initiate legislation, and the legisla Why Does It Cure

stomach, liver and bowels.

COLUMBIA

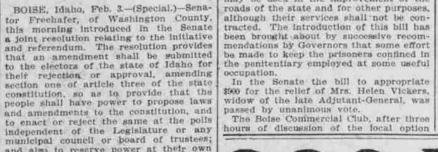
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WOOLEN MILLS

IS CLOSING OUT ITS EN-TIRE STOCK OF TAILOR-MADE CLOTHES. EVERY-THING GOES AT THE COST

OF MATERIAL, PLUS THE LABOR OF THE TAILORS. GET MEASURED TODAY.

CORNER SEVENTH AND STARK



next Friday. By that time, two char-zens will have been subpenaed to ap-pear in the case. A stir was created early in the ses-sion by the discovery of Sigmun Cohn, husband of the woman who was re-quested yesterday to leave the court-room. Cohn, whose wife was said to be triendly with Morris Haas, the ex-In the Senate the bill to appropriate \$900 for the relief of Mrs. Helen Vickers, widow of the late Adjutant-General, was passed by unanimous vote.

convict, who shot and seriously wound-ed Francis J. Heney, was closely ques-tioned and searched by detectives be-The Boise Commercial Club, after three fore he was permitted to remain among the spectato urs of discussion of the local option

S.S.S. RHEUMATISM and also to reserve power at their own option to approve or reject at the polls any legislation, and providing that no executive officer shall veto an act ap-proved by the people under the provi-sions of this resolution, and making the

Rheumatism is in reality an internal inflammation-a diseased condition of the blood cells which supply the nourishment and strength necessary to sustain our bodies. Uric acid, an irritating, inflammatory accumulation, gets into the circulation because of physical irregularities, and then instead of nourishing and invigorating the body, the blood irritates and inflames the different nerves, tissues, muscles and joints, because of its impure acrid condition. The pains and aches and other disagreeable and dangerous symptoms of Rheumatism can never be permanently cured until every particle of the cause is driven from the blood. S. S. S. does this because it is a perfect blood purifier. It goes down to the very bottom of the trouble, purifies and cleanses the circulation, invigorates the blood, and completely drives Rheumatism from the system. Plasters, liniments, soothing lotions, etc., may be used for the temporary relief and comfort they bring, but a cure cannot be effected until S. S. S. has removed the cause. It frees the blood of every impurity and makes it a rich, health sustaining fluid, to bring permanent relief and comfort to those who suffer with Rheumatism. Book on Rheumatism and any medical advice free to all who write.

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DEVILS LAKE, N. D., Feb. 3.—The trini began yesterday of Mrs. Mary Wright, charged with the murder of Beulah Wright, aged 16 years. The state alleges that Mrs. Wright strangled the girl and then smeared carbolic acid on the girl's lips to make it appear a case of suicide. The defense will be that the girl came to her death from heart failure.

heart failure. Bicycle Race at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 3 .- At the close

AANSAB CITT, Feb. s. At the close of the racing tonight in the six-day bicycle contest the position of the teams had not altered since the beginning of the afternoon. The five leading teams had a score of 565 miles 9 laps; the next two teams covered 565 miles 8 laps; the Wilcox-Senhouse team brought up the rear with 565 miles 7 laps.

to bury the man and mark the grave.

DEVILS LAKE, N. D., Feb. 3 .- The