AMBASSADOR SEES **EMBARRASS PLOT**

Mexicans Would Discredit H. L. Wilson and Certain Clique Finds Easy Fault.

PRESS REPORT AROUSES

States Representative Court of Mexico Says Character of Hostilities Is Slap at Dignity of American Nation.

MEXICO CITY, April 14.—Henry Lane Wilson, newly arrived American Am-bases dor to Mexico, belisves a plot to embarrass him in the discharge of the duties of his office exists in this city. He does not venture to name those upon whom his suspicions rest, but declares that "in due time the exact character of the intrigue, which is one not only hostile to the embassy, but to the interests of the American Government, as well, will be known."

Press Report Arouses.

His discovery of the alleged intrigue grew out of the receipt by El Imparcial, a leading Spanish daily here, of a New York special recounting the publication in that city of a sensational story under a Mexico City date of offenses which the Ambassador is alleged to have given the Mexican people in a recent speech at a banguet given in his honor by the Ameri-

banguet given in his honor by the American colony.

Mr. Wilson is said to have "sufficeeded, as has no other diplomat before him in exciting Latin blood of Mexico through a historical reference to the empire of Charles V., of Spain, which, he said, enslaved the bodies and souls of the people of ple of two hemispheres in the name of God, and attributing to the Aztec and Toltec blood in large degree the rise and development of Mexico in civiliza-

tion."
He is said to have received these words with great autonishment. The Ambassador's words were criticised editorially by El Correo Espanol, a newspaper of limited circulation among the Spanish residents here, and this was made the basis of the story telegraphed from Mexico City and published in New York.
El Imparcial, regarded as the representative publication of Mexico, as well as a number of lesser Mexican dalles, commended the utterances of the new Ambassador. As for the Americans present, the reference passed almost unthe reference passed almost un-ced. The entire speech, which was esponse to a toast, was warmly ap-

Words Given as Compliment.

Of his own words on the occasion, Mr. Wilson said yesterday:
"My speech was intended as a compliment to the Mexican people, and I believe was so received by them. Only a distorted imagination of malicious intention will be able to discover any purpose to offend or any absence of courtesy.

"Since I arrived here, the Mexican people and the vast majority of the Americans have been most courteous and kind, but there exems to exist as yet undefined but none the less active, an intrigue, furthered by high interests which did not welcome the coming of the precent ambassador. In due time the exact character of this intrigue, which is one not only hostile to the embassey, but to the interests of the American Government as well, will be known."

POPE CUTS OFF AMERICANS

Archbishops Struck From List of Cardinalate Candidates.

ROME April 14.-It is announced that the Pope has struck of from the list of candidates for the cardinalate all Americans, including the Arch-bishops of New York, St. Paul, Chicago and New Orleans.

The chancellory of the Vatican con-firms this without volunteering an ex-

The well-known American prelates affected by this action of Pope Plus are Archbishops John M. Farley(of New York; John Ireland, of St. Paul; James E. Quigley, Chicago; and James Blenk, of New Orleans each or all of whom have several times been spoke of as candidates to the Pope's advisory

James Gibbons, Archbishop of Bal-timore, is the only American Catholic prelate now a cardinal. The Rome Tribuna has on various occasions referred to the probability of the creation of a new American cardi-nal and has named Archbishop Ireland and Archbishop Farley as the most likely candidates.

OUST COUNCIL, DEMANDED Special Election and Charter Re-

vision Asked at Spokane.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 14.—(Special.)—Oust the City Council and give Spokane a commission form of government.
Revise the city charter to provide for

the necessary change and call an elec-tion as soon as possible. Such is the object of numerous peti-

tions now being circulated throughout-the city, and which are expected to be signed by enough qualified voters to force the City Council to call the special election asked for in the petition, 39 Five hundred copies have been printed and will be circulated broaden

and will be circulated broadcast. The movement has been started by some of the members of the charter revision committee, and men prominent in the intla-tive and referendum movement.

RAILWAY BILL EXTENDED

All Persons Interested Permitted to

Present Views.

Washington, April 14.—The Senate yesterday resumed consideration of the railroad bill, section by section, giving attention to amendments offered by Chairman Elkins, of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The only amendment adopted was one permitting the inclusion of complainants in sults before the proposed court of commerce growing out of orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission. In this the opponents wan a victory. The committee's original proposal was to permit the appearance of complainants only through counsel.

As agreed upon yesterday, the provision permits all persons interested to be-

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lands, Cummins said that he would attempt later to have the bill modified to have the Interstate Commerce Commission continue in its present relationship of suitor. Newlands strongly advocated such a course. Mughes criticised the amendment as not going far enough. He would have it require the presence in court of all who would be affected by the decree. He argued that an individual might be placated and induced to withdraw, while an entire community was interested in the result. Bacon suggested a modification of the provision to meet Hughes' views, which was adopted.

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Elkins then formally offered his amendment, striking out the provision requiring the court of commerce to take into consideration the effect upon pub-He interest of any proposed consolida-tion of railroads in passing in advance upon agreements looking to such con-solidation.

upon agreements looking to such consolidation.

Cummins sought to enlarge the scope of the amendment by striking out the entire provision authorizing advance action by the court on such agreements. He said he thought "the tail should go with the hide."

Elkins introduced an amendment withholding from the Interstate Commerce Commission the right to establish through routes and joint rates when a satisfactory and reasonable route by rail and water exists.

Bristow opposed the new amendment on the ground that it would permit monopoly. He contended that it would prevent an independent steamship line from being established where the railroads already had a line. Elkins said the provision had been suggested at the instance of the water carriers.

The amendment was pending when the Senate adjourned.

CUPID DEPLETES RANKS

ALL TELEPHONE GIRLS MARRY, WAIL MANAGERS.

One Company Offers Reward to Stop Pernicious Custom Among Its Employes.

To any one who will tell us how to prevent our operators from marrying we will pay one hundred doilars (\$100).

CHICAGO TELEPHONE COMPANY.

CHICAGO, March 14.—This offer, which Is genuine, shows how little dependence can be pieced in the Government statis-tics relative to the chances of a telephone operator to win a husband.

operator to win a husband.

The announcement from Washington that 92 per cent of the telephone operators in the United States are unmarried, caused amused smiles to spread over the faces of the more than 4000 girls scated at Chicago switchboards.

Remembering the old adage that you can prove anything with statistics, and remaining steadfast in the belief that Cupid is their best friend, they went along answering calls with the same sweet volces/that have won so many of them husbands that the company they work for constantly is in despair over the question of filling their places.

"Of course 92 per cent of the telephone operators are unmarried," said H. N. Foster, traffic manager of the company. "The trouble is that as soon as they get married they cease to be telephone operators. Let the Bureau of Labor gather some figures on the number of former operators who now are married and I'll venture to say his percentages will be reversed.

"Twenty-five per cent of our girls are married every year. Practically all the changes we make in our force are made

married every year. Practically all the changes we make in our force are made necessary by the inroads of Cupid. It is the eternal question with us how to prevent our girls from marrying and if anybody thinks our offer of a reward for a preventive scheme is a joke left bim come across with a feasible plan and him come across with a feasible plan and see how quick he'll get his \$100." a

The Chicago Telephone Company does not employ girls under 16 nor over 24 years old, and this is another reason for

"Considering the ages of our girls." con inued Mr. Foster, "you might say with ust as much sense that 22 per cent of chool girls are unmarried, or that 32 per cent of the children of the country per cent of the children of the country are unmarried. A girl can't marry until she is of marrying age, and the majority of our girls are under rather than over the required age. Most of our girls are just out of school and at the time we take them the idea of marriage has not entered their minds.

"The average length of service for the girls with the Chicago Telephone Company is less than three years, and so you can see about what their chances for marrying are. Don't deceive yourself in thinking a telephone operator has no chance of marriage."

Mies Daisy Matthews, an operator in the Yards office of the company, confessed the problem of keeping out of marriage, rather than the one of getting into it, was what bothered most of the girls. "Every day nearly the telephone girls."

Every day nearly the telephone girls are pestered with offers of marriage," sh are peatered with offers of marriage," she said. "For a girl to say 'hello' is enough to prompt a surprisingly large number of men to propose. We simply have to close our ears to the offers of marriage." When asked if she could explain the Government \$2 per cent, Miss Matthews smiled and said:

"I don't see why one should wish to be a telephone girl if one were married."

A Little Learning, Dangerous.

Woman's Home Companion.

Here are a few history answers collected in New York State sducation department in the past year:

Modern conveniences. Incubators and fireless telegraphy.

The Republican party was formerly known as the Free Spoil.

The President takes the yoke of office. The salary of teachers are paid from he dog tax

the dog tax.

Benjamin Franklin produced electricity
by rubbing cats backward.

Lincoln had a woman make him a suit
of homespun from rails which he had
split. They were hickory rails, hence hickory shirts.

hickory shirts.

The cause of the revolution was that the colonists wanted room to pasture their cattle.

The spoils system: The place where spoiled things and waste are kept. The board of health has largely taken the place of this. The difference between Jackson and

Roosevelt is that Jackson has been dead a long time and Roosevelt is in Africa shooting lions.

The Molding of America.

As agreed upon yesterday, the provision permits all persons interested to become parties to the suit. The more liberal provision was conceded by the supporters of the bill and there was no voting decision.

In response to a question from New-

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All-wool fabrics, tailored to fit in latest correct models, at right prices.

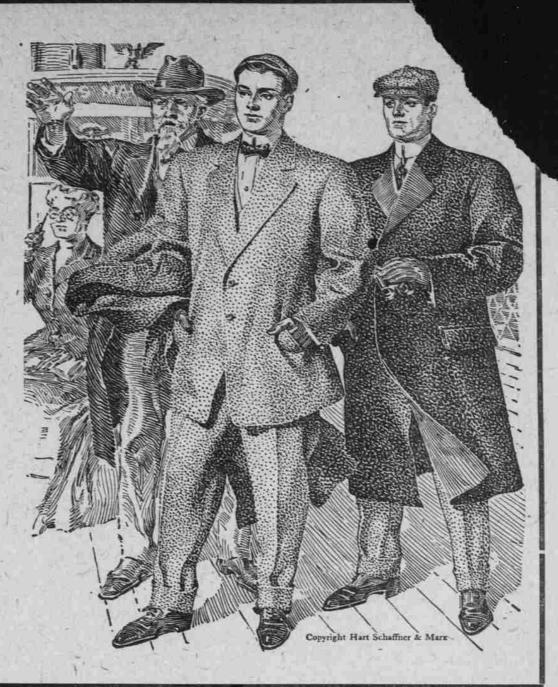
Spring Suits and Overcoats \$20 to \$40

We are making a special showing of Boys' Knee Pants Suits at \$5. Baseball Suits, Baseball Gloves with each garment.

Complete line of Youths' Spring Suits at \$10 to \$20.

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Customary Hope of Victory Marks Banquet at National Capital.

NEW TARIFF IS ATTACKED

Jefferson Day Banquet Gives Leaders Opportunity to Dilate on Sins of Republicans and Swell With High Hope.

WASHINGTON, April 14.-Vigorous attacks upon the Republican policy of high protection, condemnation of the Payne-Aldrieh tariff law, which it was daimed was one of the principal causes of high prices, strong defense of th principles of Thomas Jefferson and loudiy-applauded prediction of Democratic victory at the coming Congressional elections were made by the speakers at the banquet here last night in honor of the birth of Thomas Jefferson

With members of both houses of Con gress among the speakers, and with representatives of Democracy from all parts of the United States present, the banquet was an enthusiastic approval of the prin-

cipies of Jefferson.

"The certainty of Democratic harmony and the restoration of government to the rule of the Democratic party," were declared by Representative Clayton, of Alabama, the toastmaster, to be due to Alabama, the toastmaster, to be due to the "sins of omission and of commission by the Republican party." Vicarious sac-rifice of certain members of the Repub-lican party, he said, would not be ac-cepted by the people of the country as a cepted by the people of the country as a sufficient apotlogy for the faults of the party. The Democratic party, he maintained, will remain harmonious.

On motion of Representative Lloyd, of Missouri, it was voted to send greetings to the Jefferson day banquet in Indianapolis.

The first speaker of the evening was Representative Harrison, of New York. He declared that for the Democratic party all signs were harbingers of hope and that being "United and harmonious, alert and aggressive," Democracy might well celebrate the day.

While acknowledging "the people to-day like and admire President Taft," Mr.

Harrison asserted that instead of "de-Harrison asserted that instead of "de-manding a genuine revision of the tariff upon the promise of which he was elected, he capitulated to the powerful interests of the old Republican machine. The President is unfortunate in having led a life of political progression along the lines of least resistance."

Senator Ben F. Shively of Indiana spoke on Jefferson's political philos-ophy. He attacked Republican party rule as a confederacy of special priv-

ophy. He attacked Republican party rule as a confederacy of special privlieges, which had turned the taxing power of Government into private as-

Minority Leader Champ Clark of Mis-Minority Leader Champ Clark of Missouri then spoke. Condemning the Republican party as the "most extravagant the sun ever shone on" and calling what he dubbed "the Payne-Aidrich-Smoot tariff bill ever placed upon the statute books, Mr. Clark declared "it and its predecessor the Dingley bill with the trusts. sor, the Dingley bill, with the trusts bred by the high tariff, are largely re-sponsible for the high cost of living." He continued:

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If a high tariff does not increase prices, why do the tariff barons want a tariff? The question answers itself.

The people this Fall are quite likely to take it into their heads to locate the authors of the vast extravagance which is eating up their substance and to punish them when found—a just and patriotic performance which will give us a Democratic House of Representatives in the next Congress and both a Democratic President and House of Representatives in 1912.

A letter was read from Chairman Norman E Mack of the Democratic National committee, who said that in a seven weeks trip about the country he had found everywhere "distrust of the Republican party for failure to keep faith with the people by carrying out

DEPUTY SHERIFF FIGHTS

Frank Beatty, Assaulted by Stranger, Returns Fire, Fractures Arm.

Deputy Sheriff Frank Beatty is at St. Vincent's Hospital suffering from a fracture of his right arm sustained when he atrack a stranger who attacked him in a cigar store, at Sixteenth and Washington street yesterday.

Beatty is said to have been "set up" by two shabbily dressed individuals when he accidentally brushed against them while crossing the street in front of the cigar store. The trio exchanged words, which resulted in both of the strangers pouncing upon Beatty. Notwithstanding his handleap, Beatty is said to have given both a severe drubbing after which he resumed his way along the street, stopping for a cigar. While making the purchase one of the men, whom he struck, followed him and without a word of warning swatted the arm of the law several times when his back was turned. Beatty resented the attack and when he landed a stiff jolt on his antagonist's chin he fractured his forearm. The stranger field before the police could be notified. Beatty was taken to the hospital. Beatty will be incapacitated for geveral weeks.

COLVILLE. Wash., April 14.—(Special.)

Judge E. H. Sullivan, Wednesday morning, quashed the information in the case of the State vs. George Pepeon, charged with poisoning his wife, and gave Progecutor H. G. Kirkpatrick until tomorrow at 3 o'clock to file an amended charge.

J. A. Rochford and John B. Siater, attorneys for Pepeon, raised the point on demurrer to the first information, filed last week, that it was not alleged that last week, that it was not alleged that the woman was dead, nor that she died from the effect of the administration of

The second information was today quashed on motion of Pepoon's attorneys upon jurisdictional grounds.

PACIFIC "U" WINS DEBATE Girls of Whitworth College Lose in

Forensie Contest.

TOCOMA, Wash., April 14 .- (Special.) The Pacific University debating team tonight won from the Whitworth College team, all girls, on the question of "ship subsidy."
The Oregon trio handled the affirmative side of the question and won by

Canada will be largely represented in the international hunting exhibition to be held this year in Vienna.



The artistic nature of good taste demands quality.

Knox Hats

are sold on reputation and bought on faith. E Gentlemen's Hats

Buffum & Penaleton Ladies' Hats Olds, Wortman & King

SEASIDE AT WORK

Betterments Tax Capacity of Local Builders.

ROADS TO BE IMPROVED

County Installs Crushers-Bridge Across Necanicum Seems Probable-Contract Let Cart-

office in the front of the building. The only bids submitted were by local builders, the lowest being \$749\$. The only other bid was \$773\$. The Council has decided to undertake the work itself and will have it done by flay's work, importing the necessary labor if it is found impossible to obtain the required workmen in Seaside.

The contract was let Friday for structural alterations and complete re-

modeling of the Moore Hotel. In place of having a sloping roof, the main body of the building will have the walls raised and the addition of practically a complete third floor. This will have the effect of adding 26 bedrooms and five bathrooms to the hostelry. The contract was let for \$5000 to T. A. Davis, of Seaside. Alterations to Kruse's Hotel at Gearbart have been completed.

W. F. Fullam, of Portland, has let the contract for his handsome residence in Cartright Park. Mr. Fullam's cottage now has the walls in and cottage now has the walls in and who has literally built world. The only war around the world. The only walls way around the world. The only his sphere of activities is New York, and his explanation shows the character of the man, "I won't pay graft to any man," he said, "and I won't build where two small offices in New York. Today his firm occupies three entire floors in one of the largest downtown skyserapers.

Fullam's cottage is the first residence to go up in Cartright Park.

County Judge Trenchard announced Friday that the new county rock-crusher would be located in Cartright Park. The crusher will proceed at once to grind up rocks from the beach front to be used for immediated street improvement. Rock of this quality will give the Summer resort on the Necanicum unequaled roads. The first road to be improved will be the county road purchase one of the men, whom he struck, followed him and without a word of warning swatted the arm of the law several times when his back was turned.

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PEPOON CHARGES QUASHED

Two Informations Filed Are Found to be Defective.

Wright Park Home.

SEASIDE, Or., March 14.—(Special.)

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Seaside is now embarked upon an area of building, street improvement and city betterment generally that would be of credit to a much larger. city. So busy are the local builders will be improved from the each. Work on this will be begun in a few days. It has been abnounced by the authorities that Bridge street will be improved from the each will be improved from the each to be improved from the sext end of the bridge to the Astoria & Columbia River Bailroad station.

The station restaurant will be rebuilt to obtain reasonable bids.

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Recently the City Council advertised for building a fireproof vault in the basement and a water office in the front of the building. The only bids submitted were by local builders, the lowest being \$749.

A Builder Who Won't Pay Graft.

W. F. Fuliam, of Porliano, the contract for his handsome residence in Cartright Park. Mr. Fullam's cottage now has the walls in and construction is to be pushed this Spring. There will be two stories and an adequately-lighted basement. Mr. Fullam's cottage is the first residence to go up in Cartright Park.

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Reasons of English Schoolboys.

"Should women have votes for Par-liament? Give your reasons for and against." This was a question asked against." This was a question asked of schoolboys in a recent examination in England. One boy replied: "No, because if they did they would want to get into Parliament and then they would pass a lot of silly laws, such as that a man was not to smoke before his wife or that wives were to have Wednesdays and Thursdays. his wife or that wives were to have Wednesdays and Thursdays off and then the men would have to stay at home and mind the children." A logical answer to the question, "Why does the kettle sing?" was furnished by a boy who wrote: "Because if it did not you could not tell whe.. the kettle was boiling." Asked to explain the initials "C. O. D.," one boy repiled that they stood for "Collector of debts," and a second said, "Cod-liver oil drink." Ansetnesday out the described a other enterprising youth described a

No Preservatives Used In Canned Fruits and Vegetables

We want you to know, Mrs. Housewife, that the talk about preservatives doesn't refer to canned fruits and vegetables.

Corn, peas, tomatoes, peaches and all vegetables and fruits are preserved by sterilization alone. That means by heat.

This is true of any brand, put up by any canner. For preservatives are unnecessary. To use them would be useless expense. Vegetables and fruits

and orchards. They are usually canned the very day they are picked. They are cooked in the cleanest of kitchens-cooked just as you cook them yourself. And nothing

for canning are taken

fresh from the gardens

whatever is added, save sometimes a savor of salt for vegetables or sugar for fruits.

They are sterilized by heat, after the cans are sealed. When you open a product-perhaps months after the canning-it is as fresh as the day it was picked.

Modern canning began with the invention of sterilization.

In the old days most of us for most of the year had to go without iresh vegetables and fruits. Now we have them all the time. Hundreds of millions of cans are put up in

the season of plenty for the seasons of dearth. This has had immense effect on good health, for fresh vegetables form an essen-

tial part of our diet. Canned Fruits and Vegetables Don't let mistaken prejudice rob you of all this good. Canned vegetables and fruits

The Day They're Picked have the same freshness and flavor-are just as free from preservatives-as those you cook yourself. This is always true. Fruits and vegetables naturally vary. One crop may excel another. One section may grow finer grades than another. But

all are clean, all pure, all free from preservatives. Del Monte-Best Value of Our 400 Brands of Tomatoes

Packed Where They Ripen

Selected tomatoes - large, vine-ripened and firm-are the Del Monte brand,

We put up tomatoes under 400 different labels; many for dealers who own their own brands. This year we put up over a million bushels of tomatoes. The cream of that crop can be placed on your table this winter by simply asking your grocer for Del Monte tomatoes.

A can of Del Monte tomatoes is principally solid

tomato meat. We drain off all extra water. That is why you will find a can of Del Monte contains two or three times as much actual tomato meat as other

You will always be sure of the best value in tomatoes by insisting on Del Monte, for it carries our name and guarantee.

The same is true of all Del Monte fruits and vege-tables. All grocers can supply you.

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