Claire Monteith was to have sung, but was prevented from being present by other professional work.

STEPHENSON'S TUHN NEXT

Senate Committee Gets Records in

Wisconsin Member's Case.

Senatorial investigation question was

placed before the Senate committee on elections today, when the full certified

records of the legislative investigation of the election of United States Senator Stephenson, of Wisconsin, was received by the Vice-President, laid be-

The documents received today from the Wisconsin Legislature, requests a Congressional investigation of the

harges against Stephenson. The report of the State Senate's spe-

cial committee declared Stephenson's election to be the result of corruption, and alleged that \$107,000 had been spent in his behalf.

Accident May Cost Fingers. GRANTS PASS, Or., June 30.—(Spe-lal.)—Arthur L. Fryer, a well-known machinist and one of the owners of the

box factory here, met with a painful accident that will lay him up for sev-

accident that will lay him up for several weeks. Fryer was working some machinery about the factory and had started the wheels under their own momentum, and by mere accident his hand slipped into the cogs that had gathered speed and was ground and crushed before the wheels could be stopped. The wound is very painful, but it is thought that he may be able to save the fingers if complications or blood poison do not interfere during the first advance of the healing pro-

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Railroad Scales Made Accurate.

SALEM, Or., June 30. - (Special.)-Notification has been received by the State Railroad Commission from M. J.

Buckley, of the Southern Pacific, that slight errors in track scales at Rose-

Buckley said that the railroad test car would be kept active on the scales south of Ashland to remedy any that

Canby Man Dies Suddenly.

may not be in perfect condition.

ommittee.

Senate, and referred to the

WASHINGTON, June 30 .- Another

MERGER IN STEEL **CUTS COMPETITION**

Corporation Declared to Be Owner of 75 Per Cent of Lake Ores.

OUTPUT IS DECREASED

Commissioner of Corporations Herbert Knox Smith Gives Startling Figures on Combine in Report to President.

WASHINGTON, June 30 .- Restriction of competition is declared to have been the prime object of the organizers of the United States Steel Corporation, which capitalized at \$1.452,000.000, had tangible property worth only \$682,-

The corporation, having concentrated its efforts to secure ore properties, now owns 75 per cent of the lake ores upon which the present steel industry

These are some of the conclusions reached in the long-expected report of Commissioner of Corporations Herbert Knox Smith on the steel industry, part of which was submitted to the President today.

Fight Is Avoided.

Discussing how "the impending struggle of the giants" was averted, almost overnight by the formation of the grent combination taking in 250 subsidiary companies controlling 60 per cent of the total trade and finished steel production of the country, the report says: "Until 1830 the bulk of the business

was distributed among a very considerable number of concerns. There was sharp competition, modified by frequent pools of greater or less duration and

nations the report continues, with capitalizations ranging from \$30,000,000 to \$100,000,000, mergers of many smaller companies, which, instead of eliminating competition, threatened to begin price-cutting on a larger scale than ever before. In 1822-1900, there were three great companies—the Carnegie Company, Federal Steel and National Steel — dominating the production of crude and semi-finished products, and six concerns — the American Steel & Wire, American Tin Plate, American Steel & Steel Hoop, American Steel & American Then came an era of great combi-nations, the report continues, with cap-Wire, American Tin Plate, American Steel Hoop, American Sheet Steel, Na-tional Tube and American Bridge— controlling the lighter finished prod-

Nine Companies Combine.

This was the period "when the strug-gle of the glants" was impending and when the formation of the United when the formation of the United States Sized Corporation was brought about. All nine of the companies named were combined and later the Union Steel Company, the Clairton Steel Company, and, in 1997, the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company, were taken over. The promoting syndicate autities the deal through netted

dicate putting the deal through netted \$81,500,000 cash. During the 10 years of its operation, the report says the trust has paid av erage profits of 15 per cent on the money invested. Attention is called to the fact that a considerable part of the investment is in undeveloped or unworked property, showing that dividends from paying properties must be much larger than the average would indicate. Insisting upon computing profits upon a tangible property value hasis, the report says that the steel corporation is defending its book valuation undoubtedly would claim that there was a "merger value"

Decrease Is Shown. Since the corporation has been di-

recting its efforts particularly toward acquiring and extending complete control over ore properties, its percentage of production has decreased. As against 60 per cent of all crude and finished production in 1901, the report says, the corporation now has not much over 50 per cent, indicating conclusive-ly the continuous presence of strong and increasing independent production." The advantage of controlling 75 per cent of the lake ores on which the in-dustry is based, is materially enhanced by extensive control of rail production the mine to the lakes. In his etter accompanying the report, Com-nissioner Smith says that in capacity rather than in actual production, corporation is materially atronger than the production figures indicate and suggests that in case of continued trade depression this strength probably will show itself in increased control.

600,000 ACRES ARE OPENED

Lands in North and South Dakota Free for Settlement.

WASHINGTON, June 30,-Approximately 600,000 acres of land have been opened to settlers under the registra-tion plan through a proclamation signed by President Taft, 150,000 acres being within the Fort Berthold Indian reservation, of North Dakota, and 450,-

too in the Pine Ridge and Rosebud In-dian reservations in South Dakota. These lands are to be opened under regulation plan heretofore fol-Dakota lands will begin August 14 at the towns of Bismarck, Minto, Plaza, Garrison and Rider, N. D., and the registration for the South Dakota lands Chamberlain, Dallas, Gregory and Rapid City, S. D. Each of these registrations will continue for three weeks.

VAST FORTUNE NOT DREAM

Hospital Pantryman Gets Advance, Leaves to Claim \$750,000,

Receiving an advance on the fortune reported to be \$750,000, which awaits his arrival in England, Frank S. Watts, a pantryman at St. Vincent's Hospital, who received news of his good fortune last Wednesday, left Wednesday night for England, going via New York.

The good luck, which Watts was at first inclined to doubt, was certified by another letter from lawyers in England, Watts was up his position.

land and Watts gave up his position at the hospital at once. The money was left Watts after the death of an uncle, Edgar S. Watts, of Croydon, Eng-

CRIMSON IS TWICE VICTOR

(Continued from Piret Page). hands threw buckets of water on a gar. In the train were Ling Ton Yen.

A meisture, gas and even explosion proof
The music sung by the 44 members
of the Apollo Ciub, who attended was little fire started in one car by a ct-

with his family, in their Oriental dress, and the Minister's secretary, Tong Kwoh On

Although last in order for the day's programme, the first in importance was the varsity eight-oared contest. The betting favored the Crimson oars men, and odds, which were 10 to 9 on Harvard, increased to 10 to 6. It was noted that there was comparatively little Yale money in sight.

The yachts, all gaily decked with flags and bunting, afforded one of the most attractive spectacles seen here in many years. Anchored on the East Side were the three white-garbed revenue cutters and derelict destroyer Seneca, on which Captain P.- H. Uberroth, the commander of the squadron, gave his orders to the flotilia of small boats, assigned for duty.

A six-knot nortneaster blew diagonally down the Thames and against the plan for the morning up-stream race, but the wind did not have force enough to kick up more than a good-sized ripple, while the protecting banks of the Groton shore and the hedge formed by the spectator fleet further cut off the force of the breeze Still conditions were not good for fast work in the freshman and the varsity four-oared events, which were first on the programme.

In the preliminary races last evening adian there was an even break. Yale winning a marked degree today and a canvass

OUTLOOK BETTER FOR RECIPROCITY

Understanding Reached That No Delays Will Be Permitted Henceforth.

TARIFF VOTE CONCEDED

Democrats Declare They Will Be Satisfied With Rollcall and Speechmaking Will Be Cut to Minimum.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The Can-

COMPETING CREWS IN YESTERDAY'S GREAT COLLEGE BOATRACE





ABOVE, HARVARD, THE WINNER. BELOW, YALE, THE LOSER.

the freehman and Harvard the gentle-

PASTOR DEFINES DEATH

THIRD ORDER RIGHTEOUS, SAYS REV. MR. RUSSELL.

Speaker Answers Questions Asked by Hearers, Quoting From Bible From Memory.

A large number of questions on bib-lical subjects were answered by Rev. Mr. Russell does not have a Bible at hand either in giving his lectures or in answering questions, but trusts to memory for texts. Many of his statements he left unsupported by

sense would mean utter destruction.
The word of God does not speak of the
first death as absolute death. It
speaks of it as a sleep. Jesus said. 'Our friend Lazarus sleepeth,' He was not annihilated in the sense of being utterly destroyed. Except God had arutterly destroyed. Except God had arranged for man to be redeemed from death, death to a man and death to a dog would have been exactly the same. He made no provision for redeeming the dog, but he did make provision for redeeming the man."

"How shall we understand the earth

to abide forever? Rev. 21:1 says: 'I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no "According to the Bible there have

already been two worlds and a third already been two worlds and a third is coming, and this earth has been and will be the scene of all of them. The apostle speaks of the world which was before the flood, and of the pres-ent evil world. It doesn't signify three earths, but three different or-ders, or conditions of things. Before the flood they had the ministration of angels. Until the second advent of Thrist things are in the hands of mankind. The government of the new dis-pensation will be altogether righteous, because Christ, the Prince of Peace, will be the ruler. The word heaven is used symbolically to represent ec-clesiastical powers. The heavens of the present time are the religious systems of this time. The mountains represent the kingdoms, and the rivers

The speaker said Abraham and the Jews were not members of the "bride class," and would not have part in the first resurrection, but would be the nucleus of those who, Mr. Russell says, buld be saved during the second pro-

Grants Pass Gets Moose Order.

GRANTS PASS, Or., June 30 .- (Special)—A new organization has been sided to the fraternity lodges in this city, called the Moose. Grants Pass, like other towns of the Coast, is liberal in patronizing fraternal and social organizations. A few years ago a movement was on foot to obtain sufficient nent was on foot to obtain sufficient members and have organized a lodge of the Elks, but one of the up-valley towns knew of the promotion work and seaded the preliminary work to anoth-

Oregon Electric Case Opened. SALEM, Or., June 10 .- (Special.)-The

expected action against the Oregon Electric was brought in Circuit Court today by the Attorney-General for the State Railroad Commission. It is alleged in the complaint that the railroad has been violating the nine-hour law as it relates to conductors and trainmen

Engineers' Wages Advanced.

CLEVELAND, June 20.-More than 2500 engineers of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad will receive an increase in wages amounting to about 6 per cent beginning tomorrow, officials of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers said here today.

slight errors in track scales at Rose-burg and Albany have been rectified so that the scales are now perfect. Prior to the correction of the scales those at Roseburg varied 36 pounds on 20,000 and at Albany the variation was 232 pounds on 30,000. Assistant Manager of the Senate was in every way assuring to friends of the measure. With not more than a dozen set speeches in prospect and with eighthour sessions on the programme, many of the Senators count on a vote before the end of July.

When the Senate adjourned after three hours of anti-reciprocity speech-

CANBY, Or., June 30 -(Special.)-John Christian Buhman died at his home one mile north of Camby Thursday morning. The death was a sur-prise to the community, as few knew when the Senate adjusted acte-three hours of anti-reciprocity speech-making by Senators Gamble and Cum-mins, there was an understanding that there would be no further effort at legislation until after July 4 and that, when business is resumed, there will be no cossation until final adthat he was ill. Mr. Buhman had lived in Canby for some time. He was 37 years old, and leaves a wife and three

Both Houses to Take Recess.

There will be a brief session of both ouses tomorrow, but only to meet the constitutional inhibition against either body adjourning for more than three days at a time without the other's con-The recess will continue until

be made is that of Senator La Folette. He will present his long-prom-ised tariff amendment to the reciproc-ity bill and will talk for three or four Scripture. Some of the questions and the answers were:

"Regarding death, do all die? John \$5.51 says: "If a man keep my sayings, he shall never see death."

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none except La Foliette, and possibly Bristow, will talk at great length. Early Conclusion in Sight.

With reciprocity disposed of, it is believed that the session will not be greatly prolonged. The "standpat" Republicans are disposed to concede a Republicans are disposed to concede a vote on the wool and free list bills. The Democratic Senators have said from the beginning they would be satisfied with a rollcail on the two tariff hills and there are indications that the "standpat" Republicans will let these go to vote without much debate in view of the threatened Presidential

veto of both bills.

Senator Cummins, who has had the floor parts of the last three days, announced that he would conclude his attack on the bill next Wednesday and hat he would like to have his amendments, enlarging the free list on Can-adian products, voted on July 6.

Gamble Disagrees With Taft.

Senator Gamble in his speech oppos ng the reciprocity bill today said that the measure proposed was a violation of the settled policy of the Republican party for a generation and that it was a serious blow to the farmer. He de-clared that it had been passed both times in the House of Representatives with a majority of the Republican party against it.

"With the highest respect for the President," he suid, "and with great confidence in his wisdom, I am unable to follow him in the proposed legis-lation. I have no criticism to make of the President for the course he has pursued. I would have preferred, how-ever, that Congress in the first in-stance had been advised with and consuited therein and we would not then have here a proposition of executive origin which we can only arbitrarily

Senator Gamble said the farmer was apparently to be sacrificed, his pros-perity checked and his opportunity of perity checked and his opportunity of extension and enlargement curtailed. In this respect he was practically help-less to protect himself by combination or otherwise, said Senator Gamble, to save himself from the general on-slaught. The bill, he said, gave ad-vantage to the manufacturing interests and would seriously depress the value of farm lands in this country.

APOLLO CLUB HAS CONCERT

Portland's Musical Organization Heard at Oaks Auditorium.

For the first time in its history, the Apollo Club, Portiand's well-known male chorus, sang onot only to its associate members, but to the general public, and the event was a big success. The concert took place at the auditorium at the Oaks, and the attendance was large and enthusiastic. William H. Boyer was conductor, and William C. McCulloch plane accompanist.

selected from numbers given at pre-vious concerts, and was all the more welcome to those who had heard be-fore, but to many listeners it was new. The chi 12s sang well together, the tone blended very well, the ensemble work was good, and the crisp phrasing ad-mirable. SEASIDE LOTS mirable.
One of the best sung numbers was Hammond's "Lochinvar," with well rendered baritone solo by Dom J. Zan. This selection was a real, stirring sattle cry, mingled with dramatic sentiment, carefully shaded. "The Sword of Ferrara" was clearly a favorite, while the most amusing number was "The Low Backed Car." Four selections were sung unaccompanied, the shading being a good feature. The encores were many and hearty. John Claire Monteith was to have sung, but

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(Special.)-Mr. and Mrs. George Busch just returned to Cottage Grove, after statement obtained was a remark made

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