Mr. Cooper, of Texas. The nomination was the only one placed before the caucus. The newly-chosen leader responder

in an address thanking the caucus. The nominees of the caucus are as follows: Charles A. Edwards, Texas, Clerk of

to a committee:
"Resolved, that, regardless of the prac-

tice of the Republicans, it is the sense of the caugus that its members do not ac-cept passes or favors from the railroads."

AMERICA MAY GET CARDINAL.

Gibbons and Ireland Mentioned for

Monday's Consistory.

ROME. Nov. 7 .- On the eve of Monday's

consistory, a rumor is in circulation here that, in addition to the appointment of Monsigners Merry del Val and Callegari to the cardinalate, which it is already known will be made, other cardinals will

be named. The rumor has it that the new

be named. The rumor has it that the new cardinals will be Americans, that is, they will belong to the American continent. The prevailing opinion is that one will be from the United States and one from

The Vatican has received arguments in

The Vatican has received arguments in favor of and opposing both Archbishops Ireland and Ryan, those opposed to the latter saying his nomination would merely mean that of the archbishop of a certain diocese where a cardinal is less needed, Cardinal Gibbons being near, while the appointment of Archbishop Ireland, besides giving the United States a cardinal in the West would add a mem-

cardinal in the West, would add a mem

ber to the sacred college who would not be merely an archbishop, but a man of

commanding influence and prestige throughout the United States. Thus the question now lies before the Pope, and it is considered very doubtful if it will have a solution even at the first consistory of

ANOTHER MYSTERIOUS DEATH

Young Woman in Paris Probably the

Victim of a Strangler.

PARIS, Nov. 7 .- The third mysterious

death to occur in the ranks of the demi-

is said to have belonged to a good family, was found in her apartment this morning dead, baving apparently been strangled. The case may possibly preve to have been one of self-destruction, as an empty

vial, which had contained laudanum, was found on a table beside the bed.

SPARRING COSTS HIS LIFE.

Man Who Fought With Football

Player Held for Murder.

FRANKLIN, Pa., Nov. 7 .- Clarence Doo

Before he left the ring, however, it was discovered he had ruptured a blood vessel.

and physicians were with him all night,

THE DEATH ROLL.

Ex-Harvard Professor.

Kingman, Ariz., Nov. 7.-Frank Rus

Well-Known New York Merchant.

of 75, from heart failure. He was a med ber of the Farwell family of Chicago.

Eminent Englishman a Suicide.

LONDON, Nov. 7 .- Sylvanus Trevail

tects, was found dead from a pistol wound on a train at Cornwall today. The indica-tions were that he committed suicide.

Wife of Grand Chief of Conductors.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., Nov. 7 .- Mrs. Ed-

gar E. Clarke, wife of the grand chief of

the Order of Railway Conductors of Amer-

ica, died today after a long illness. She was 45 years old.

esident of the Royal Society of Archi-

NEW YORK, Nov. 7 .- John K. Farwell,

but could not save his life.

ago he came to Arizona.

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Root Arrives From London. NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—The White Star steamer Ceitic, from Liverpool, with Sec-retary of War Root on board, arrived on

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PRICE FIVE CENTS.

Republicans Pick Him Him for Speaker.

SELECTION IS UNANIMOUS

Caucus Makes His Election Certain Monday.

RENOMINATE OTHER OFFICERS

"Uncle Joe" Declares for Cuban Reciprocity and Liberal Appropriations--Williams, of Mississlppi, Minority Leader.

LEADERS IN THE HOUSE.

Republican

Joseph G. Cannon was born at Guilford, N. C., May 7, 1836. By profession be is a lawyer State's attorney in Illinois, 1861-

Elected to Forty-third Congress and every time since save the Fifty-second.

Long prominent as chairman of mittee of appropriations Pamiliarly known as "Watchdog of the Treasury."

Democrat-John S. Williams was born at Memphis, Tenn., July 30, 1854. Admitted to the bur in that state,

Removed to Mississippi in 1878, and engaged in law practice and raising of cotton. Delegate to Chicago convention

which nominated Cleveland. Elected to 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th and 58th Congresses.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7 .- At the caucus eff the Republican members of the House of Representatives, held in the hall of the House tonight, Representative Joseph G. Cannon, of Illinois, was unsulmously chosen as the candidate of the majority as Speaker of the House. This action sasures his election Monday. Representative Hepburn, of Iowa, was elected presiding officer of the caucus, and Repre sentative Loudenslager, of New Jersey, secretary. The roll call showed 180 members present. Representative Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, placed Mr. Cannon in nomination. After Representative of New York, had seconded It, the selec-

tion was made unanimous. Mr. Cannon, in accepting the nomin tion, among other things, said:

"The Republican party stands for those policies that have in the main prevailed since 1861, under which, in 40 years from a comparatively small nation we have grown to be first among the nations of the earth; and sovereignty with us is the people. The Republican party, being in the majority, is responsible and is entitled to the credit.

Our policy should be to consider and enact proper legislation covering the convention for reciprocal trade between the United States and Cuba; to make generous, not extravagant, appropriations at the regular session of Congress for the public service; then to adjourn, and return to our homes and the people, setting the seal of approval upon our action, will do the remainder, working out their own salvation.

"I thank you for your action in conferring this distinction upon me. I pledge my best efforts to justify your confidence and I ask your co-operation, without which I cannot hope to succeed."

A resolution was adopted making the elective officers of the House in the last Congress the nominees for the Fiftyeighth Congress.

GLAD TO SEE HERMANN.

Western Members Congratulate Him Upon His Return to Congress.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Nov. 7 .- At the Republican caucus held in the House tonight, both Oregon Congressmen and Jones and Humphrey, of Washington, and French of Idaho, were present and voted for the adoption of the old rules. When he entered the hall of the House, Congressman Hermann was given a hearty reception, being immediately surrounded by a large group of Western members, who congratulated him upon returning to his old post. Mr. Hermann lost no time in putting in earnest efforts in behalf of the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

To many Representatives from th Northwest, he explained his plan of solidifying the delegations from the Coast and intermountain states with a view to making a formidable showing when the time comes to ask for a liberal appropriation for the Exposition. His plan was well received and not a few members themselves deeply interested in the enterprise. They are favorable to holding an early meeting for the purpose of formally organizing to aid the Oregon delegation.

DEMOCRATS CHOOSE LEADER.

Williams, of Mississippi, is Selected

for Speaker. WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.-The Democrat members of the House, in caucus at the capitol today, selected Representa-tive John S. Williams, of Mississippi, as the unanimous choice of the minority for Speaker. This action makes him the minority leader of the coming session. Representative McClellan, Mayor-elect of New York, received an ovation as he entered the caucus and was congratulated by his colleagues on his victory.

The thanks of the caucus were

tended to Mr. Richardson, of Tennesses, the retiring minority leader, for his serv-ices to the party. Mr. Richardson re-sponded, thanking his colleagues in turn. Mr. Hay, of Virginia, presided. Mr. Williams was placed in nomination by

Duns Law Trying to Charles A. Edwards, Texas, Clerk of the House; E. V. Brookshire, Indiana, Sergeant-at-Arms; J. Julien, Georgia, Doorkeeper; J. K. Jackson, Alabama, Postmaster; E. G. Bagby, Virginia, Chaplain; I. R. Hill, Ohio; James English, California; A. Knight, Georgia, and Joseph Sinnett, special employes, Except for one of the positions of special employe, there were no contests. Mr. Williams offered a resolution, which was adopted, providing that the Democrats be allowed one more representative on Get Back to Port.

CAUCHT IN THE CALE

adopted, providing that the Democrats be allowed one more representative on the ways and means committee, and that the Democrats be given the same repre-sentation they had on committees in the Fifty-sixth Congress.

Mr. Baker, of New York, proposed the following resolution, which was referred to a committee: Nearly All of Her Sails Are Carried Away.

HAS A GREEN CREW ABOARD

Loaded Grain at Portland for Africa and Crossed Out of the River Last Tuesday Before the Storm Broke.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 7 .- (Special.)-The German bark Professor Koch, which arrived in today from Port Los Angeles, reports that about noon on Friday, when in 46:52 north, 125:22 west, she sighted a three-masted bark with only one fib, a staysail and a spanker set. The main topgaliant yard was hanging and dipping and while the vessel was still in sight, went overboard. The bark had no signals of distress flying, and at the time the Professor Koch was having a hard time to weather the storm.

From the description of the bark given by Captain Schutte she is believed to be the British bark Duns Law, which sailed from here last Tuesday with wheat and flour from Portland for South Africa, but her identity is uncertain.

The Duns Law was taken to sea by Captain Leighton, the pilot who brought the Profesor Koch in today. He says she had as incompetent a crew as he ever saw on a vessel, and Captain Nichols, of the Duns Law, so expressed himself about The glass was falling very rapidly at the time and Captain Nichols said he would get on sail and off shore as far as possible before the storm monde of Paris in the last few days has just been reported. The victim, a young woman named Marie Louise Bigay, who

started. Captain Schutte, of the Profesor Koch, believes the distressed bark was trying to work her way back to the Columbia When sighted she was about a River. degree off Gray's Harbor, It is believed here the Duns Law will succeed in making port unless the gale increases in fury. While Captain Schutte was unable to make out the name of the bark, there is no doubt here that she is the Duns Law. The bark had black sides, a red bottom double lower yards, but no royals, corresponding exactly with the rig of the ing for the Columbia under staysails and

little was arrested tonight, charged with the murder of William Kingeley, a local athlete and football player. Doclittle and spanker. The master of the Koch reports that huricane prevailed at sea on the 4th and Kingsley engaged in a fight last night, and Kingsley was declared the winner after three rounds had been fought.

For a short time this morning there was a brief lull in the storm and a fleet of six lumber carriers made port. During the afternoon the wind increased in velocity. The Profesor Koch, from Bremen, brings a partial cargo of 800 tons of cement.

Worst Storm Ever Experienced. Pilots Staples and Leighton were or oard the schooner Joseph Pulitzer during Thursday's gale, and report that it sel, formerly professor of anthropology at Harvard University, died here this morning. Failing health forced him to was the worst storm they ever experienced off the mouth of the Columbia, give up his researches and several months Pulitzer is considered an exceptionally fine sea boat, but all day she was under a double-reefed storm trysail, which is the closest she has ever been cut down since in service off the bar, and even then the one of the best-known wholesale dry goods merchants in this city, is dead at the age blg seas broke clear over her. Several times they thought the small boats would be carried away, but the schooner escaped without injury.

Postal Clerk Is Promoted.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7 .- H. M. Bacon, at present chief clerk to the Third Assistant Postmaster-General, has been appointed temporarily as chief of the classiment, succeeding William H. Landvoight, whose resignation was recently asked for by the Postmaster-General. Mr. Thur Travis, a clerk in the department, has been named to succeed Mr. Bacon.

Wire Company to Move Offices. CHICAGO, Nov. 7 .- The Dally News

Moore, of St. Louis, was teday elected foresident of the Association of College Alummae. The next convention will be held in St. Louis. to a statement made today by a high of-fficial of the company. It was further de-Touths' department. Page 38.

clared that the 2000 or more men laid off at South Chicago several days ago, and those thrown out of employment at Wau-kegan, numbering 1000 more, will prob-ably be permanently out of work as far as the American Steel & Wire and the

as the American Steel & Wire and the Hilinois Steel Companyies are concerned. In moving the general offices to Cleveland, it is said that 50 per cent of the employes of the offices now open in New York. Cleveland and Chicago will be discharged. The saving to the company by the contemplated reduction in office and mill forces, it is said, will be in round numbers \$200.000 yearly. Governor Names Terms for Special Session.

TO RAISE NEEDED FUNDS

Majority of Legislators Must Oppose Other Enactments.

TWO DAYS WILL DO THE WORK

Chamberlain Is Not Anxious to Have Assembly Meet, Free to Pass on Any Matters That Seem Fit to the Members,

SALEM, Or., Nov. 7 .- (Special.) -- Governor Chamberlain has decided that he will not call a special session of the Legislature unless he is requested to do so by a majority of the members of the two houses who will promise to oppose any other legislation than that correcting the defect in the tax law. He has reached this decision after investigating the state finances and learning that so far as the state government is concerned no special session is necessary.

If an emergency exists at all, it must arise from the condition of county, city and school district finances, and this condition is best known to the Senators and Representatives who reside in the several counties. For this reason the Governor wishes to hear from the members of the Legislature before he calls a special ses-

Governor Chamberlain is very reluctant 3, Portland 9; Los Angeles 8, Oakland, 7. to call a special session for he fears that one member and another will have some measure he wishes taken up, and that the result will be the commencement of gen-

eral legislation and consequent confusion Emergency Only for Remedy.

If an emergency exists, it arises only from a need of remedial tax legislation and no other subject should be taken up. In the Governor's opinion it would be better to have no special sesion at all than At Monmouth-McMinnville, 11; State Norto have one that will attempt to enact all t Salem-Willamette University, 20; North Pacific Dental Coffee, c. Page 5. sorts of laws. Since he is of that opinion he will not call a special session unless he has assurance that remedial legislation, and only that, will be considered. If the sion of the Legislature if majority of mem-bers piedge themselves to enact no laws other than remedial to tax levy. Page 1. members of the Legislature believe that the emergency is such that they should J. P. Lord withdraws candidacy for Mayor of Olympia. Page 6. be called together for this purpose, and this purpose only, the Governor will, upon receiving this advice from them, call a

Otherwise he will take it for granted that the passage of a remedial tax law is not so urgent as to require action upon his part. In order to ascertain the views of the members of the Legislature, the Governor tonight addressed to each of them a letter, of which the following is a copy:

Addressed to Legislators.

"Salem, Nov. 6 Dear Sir: Because of the recent decision of the Supreme Court, holding that the so-called Phelps law. passed by the last Legislature, does no provide for the levy of a tax on the asssment of 1903, it is insisted that unless the Legislature is convened by me in special session, the state and many counties cities and school districts will be serious ly crippled in the conduct of public busi-

"So far as the state is concerned, I have satisfied myself by investigation that the administration of the state institutions would not be seriously handicapped, even if no tax is levied for this year, and if counties cities and school districts would suffer materially by a failure to call the Legislature together for the purpose of enacting a law which will meet the objections made by the Supreme Court to the Phelps act, then the Senators and Representatives of the several counties are in a better position to know that fact than I.

"If an emergency exists at all, it is only because of the failure of the Phelps law to provide for a levy of a taxon the assessment of 1963. In printed interviews quite a number of Senators and Representatives have expressed the opinion that an emergency does exist, and that there should be a special session of the Legislature, and that no legislation should be enacted other than what is necessary to cure the defect in the law referred to. I do not know whether a majority of them entertain this 48 hours.

opinion or not, but if I am assured that they do, and that their several localities would suffer if no levy is made for 1900, I will, at the proper time, convene th

Just to Cure Defect. "Before taking any action in the pre-

nises, however, I must be satisfied upon both these points. If, therefore, the Senators and Representatives, or at least a majority of them, will address me communications requesting that a special session of the Legislature be convened in order to cure the defect in the Phelps law, or to provide for the levy of a tax on the assessment of 1902, and assuring me that they will oppose the enactment of any other laws whatsover, at such session and that they will promptly adjourn upon the enactment of said law, then I will, in due course, issue a call for a special session of the Legislature. Otherwise, I shall assume that no emergency exists in the several counties, cities and school dis tricts in this state, and will decline to ssue said call.

"I am induced to take this course be cause of the fact that it has never been claimed, until the recent decision of the Supreme Court, that any emergency existed for convening the Legislature in special session, and yet, now that the subject is under discussion, it has been called to my attention that numerous acts are in course of preparation which will be urged for passage, some entirely new in their scope, some for the repeal of laws already passed, and others amendatory of existing statutes. All such legislation could be postponed until the regular ses ston, and, in my opinion, to attempt it now would but tend to make confusion worse confounded, and add to litigation which has already grown out of some legislation.

Two Days Is Enough. "To meet the objections of the Suprem Court to the act in question would be the work of a day or two at most, and very little expense would be incurred thereby I am led to believe that the members of the Legislature, with all of whom I am personally acquainted and for whom I entertain the highest regard, share the same opinion as I do in reference to what should be done at a special session. but unless I am assured that they do and that they will oppose all other legislation, I do not feel that I would be justified in exercising the extraordinary power vested in me by the constitution.

"This communication will be given to the press, and if published each member of the Legislature will know that in due course the original thereof will be forwarded to him, and he may expedite matters by replying at once. I have the to remain, yours very respectfully, "GEORGE E. CHAMERRLAIN."

Hears of Plans Laid.

Governor Chamberlain's apprehension that general legislation might be undertaken is not founded upon his own opinjons alone, Since his return to Oregon he has received advices from various sources to the effect that plans are be ing made to secure the passage of various laws, either to carry out some pet scheme or subsects some personal interest. Such information has been accompanied with the request that he do not call a special session. Knowing that the state is not in need of miscellaneous lawmaking and believing that more harm than good would result from a special seasion which would take up a variety of measures, the Governor will not convene the Legislature unless it is certain that adjournment will be

taken as soon as a remedial tax law has By the decision he has reached the Gov ernor has put it up to the members of the Legislature to say whether an emergency exists. He does not believe it exists so far as the state is concerned, and now awaits information from the members of the Legislature regarding local affairs in

their respective countles.

Only for Remedial Legislation. SALEM, Or., Nov. 7 .- (Special.) -- Senator Croisan and Representative Kay, of this county, have expressed themselves as being in favor of a special session which shall pass a remedial tax law and adjourn. Senator Farrar says that so far as Interests are concerned he does not believe that a special session is necessary, but if a session be called he will favor the passage of only the one act. Other Marion County members reside away from Salem and could not be seen.

M'CLELLAN PICKS MAN.

Colonel G. B. Dyer Asked to Become Commissioner of Police.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7 .- The Mail and Express says that Colonel George B Dyer, Commander of the Twelfth Regi New York National Guard, has been asked by Mayor-elect McClellan to accept the office of Commissioner of Po lice under the new city administration. Colonel Dyer is a son of ex-Governor Dyer, of Rhode Island, is a banker and served in the Spanish-American War as Major of Volunteers.

Employment for Many Men. PITTSBURG, Nov. 7 .- Resumption rations at plants along the Mononga hela River will give employment to more than 5000 additional men within the next

AMERICA WILL BE DEFIED

Colombia Is Sending

Troops to Colon.

General Declares He Will March to Panama.

AMERICAN BOATS ARRIVING

The Government Appoints Representative at Washington, Who Will Present His Papers Tomorrow-Recognition Sure.

****************** DETERMINED TO HAVE CANAL, WASHINGTON, Nov. 7 .- To an As-

sociated Press representative Mr. Varille, the diplomatic agent of the new Panama Republic, said: "You can say for me not only that

the isthmian people want a canal, but they will have one, and they will readily grant every facility to the United States to complete a treaty to construct the canal,"

PARIS, Nov. 7 .- The Patrie publishes in dispatch from Antwerp an interview with Gonzales Torres, Consul-General of Colombia, who says he has just received dispatch from Colombia announcing that 7000 troops are about to arrive at Savanilla on their way to Colon. Among the number are 500 men from the Department of Antioqui. The Department of Boyaca is also furnishing its contingent.

Consul-General Torres adds that the action of the American naval forces at Colon prevented Colombia from sending troops to Panama to suppress the uprising thus preventing Colombia from fulfilling her treaty obligations to maintain order. He further declares that, in spite of American interference, Colombia will fulfill her treaty duties and will march troops by land to Panama.

The Patrie sets forth that the Government of Colorabia has decided to "no: permit the United States to take part of her territory under the pretext of creating a new republic."

DIPLOMATIC AGENT NAMED.

New Republic Appoints Financial Agent of Canal Company.

PANAMA, Nov. 7, 9 A, M,-M. Philippe Bunau-Varilla has been appointed diplo-matic agent of the Republic of Panama at Washington. He is one of the financial agents of the Panama Canal Company. the lunts that the United States has rec ognized the de facto government of Pauama. The news has caused great rejeicing here, and was telegraphed throughout the country. Preparations are being made to celebrate the event with great enthusiasm. M. Phillipe Bunau-Varilla is now in New

New Diplomat at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7 .- Phillipe Bu-

nau-Varilla, the diplomatic agent of the new Republic of Panama, arrived in Washington late tonight. Without regfs. tering he left his hotel in a carriage, saying that he would return in an hour. He intimated he would see the President and State Department officials tomorrow. Shortly after midnight Mr. Varilla informed the Associated Press that he brought with him credentials and full powers as Minister Plenipotentiary and Envoy Extraordinary of the Republic of Panama.

He will call on Secretary Hay tomorrow and inform him he is ready and empowered to begin canal negotiations immediately. He thinks the people of Panama will vote the new President full power to ratify a treaty at once.

Prominent in Canal Work.

PARIS, Nov. 7.-M. Bunau-Varilla, who has been appointed diplomatic agent of the Republic of Panama at Washington. is a brother of Maurice Varilla, president of the Matin Company at Panama, and of the engineers who took an active part in the work done toward the construction of the Panama Canal.

Panama is Overloyed.

PANAMA, Nov. 7.-The news of the recblic of Panama, cabled this morning by M. Bunau Varilla, the diplomatic agent at Washington, of the republic, pread rapidly through the town. The day was declared a holiday and even the foreigners in Panama folned in the jubilee.

NO OBSTACLE TO CANAL.

President Will Not Have to Ask Congress for Authority in Panama. WASHINGTON, Nov. 7 .- Today's ad-

vices to the State Department Indicated a regular development of the new Government of Panama. The most important announcement, indicative of a speedy establishment of full diplomatic relations with the new republic, was the appointment of Bunau Varilla as the agent of Panama in the United States. With him the United States Government will transact any necessary business in an unofficial way, pending the appointment of regular Ministers Plenipotentiary.
Mr. Gudger, the United States Consul-

General to Panama, who sails tomorrow for that port, called at the State Department today for a further conference with Secretary Hay, at whose instance he later conferred with the President over the ait-

The British Government has formally requested the State Department to look after the British subjects on the Isthmus, and similar requests from other Euro-pean Nations are expected, all of which will be promptly granted. There are rea-

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SENATE LEADERS IN THE EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS WHICH CONVENES TOMORROW



William B. Allison, Iowa



Nelson W. Aldrich, Rhode Island



John C. Spooner, Wisconsi



Orville H. Platt, Connecticut.



Shelby M. Cullom, Illinois