WILL NOT ASSAIL

Carter Says Convention on Land Laws Is Misunderstood.

EXPLAINS TO ROOSEVELT

* Tells Him Convention Wants No Official Dictation and Gets Amicable Reply-Removes Impression of Friction.

HELENA, Mont., June 15 .- (Special.)-United States Senator Thomas H. Carter, who has just returned from Washington in an interview today stated that the stories of friction between President Roosevelt and the movers in the public land convention to be held at Denver next week were absolutely without foundation. Mr. Carter today received a telegram from Senator Teller asking him preside at the Denver convention and will accept if he can reach that cfty in time, leaving tomorrow morning. He

Will Not Brook Dictation.

"Apparently an erroneous impression concerning the attitude of President Roosevelt is abroad. The convention has been called at the initiative of the Colorado Legislature. Some papers have an nounced that the President is determined to send out two Cabinet officers and numerous subordinates to take charge of the convention and direct its work. I have read such statements and, while in Washington, took occasion to tell the President that in my opinion the meeting of Western men would not passively sub-mit to direction and dictation by Federal

The President disclaimed any respon shillity for the published reports and specifically stated that Secretary Garfield of the Interior Department and Secretary Wilson of the Agricultural Department and others would go to Denver to answer any questions which might be prepared of the circultural department of the control of the control of the control of the circultural description. propounded and give such information as they could concerning the administration of the laws and proposed changes thereof. On this basis it was a pleasure to assure the President that all gentlemen representing the executive department would be most cordially received and counselled with.

Not to Assail Roosevelt.

do not understand the convention "I do not understand the convention will assemble with a view of assailing the administration, but only for serious conference and full and free consideration of the numerous proposals to amend the existing laws. In my opinion the people, dealing directly with the subject matter in a practical way, can evolve more rational conclusions than can those dealing with the question in a theoretical sense. I am hopeful the convention tical sense. I am hopeful the convention will be productive of much good and no

BOARD OF INVESTIGATION AT WORK ON CASE.

Evidence Found to Prove Launch Was Cut Down by Passing Craft

WASHINGTON, June 15.-Secretary of the Navy Metcalf today received a rerestigating the drowning of midshipmen and sailors in Hampton Roads, Monday night, will find that the launch was cut in two by a wire cable towline. The Secretary said that he will wait for the formal report before announcing the details.

Rigid Federal control of Wester grazing lands in the public interest;

ONLY ONE BODY IN LAUNCH

Doubt as to Manner of Satlors Drowning Accident.

NORFOLK, Va. June 15.—A report to the Norfolk Ledger-Despatch from Old Point Comfort says that only the body of George W. Westphal, fireman, who was found at his post of duty, was in the Minnesota's launch when she was raised to the surface. There was no trace of any of the six midshipmen or the four n who were said to have been on

Furthermore, none of the capes, caps or other articles of apparel belonging to the midshipmen were to be found and there was nothing in the launch to indi-cate that the midshipmen were aboard when the boat went down.

WILL CLEAN OUT OFFICES

(Continued From First Page.) appeared before court not as Mayor of San Francisco, but as an ordinary citi-zen and possessing no extraordinary rights. In a counter affidavit which he read, he denied the allegations of the

read, he denied the allegations of the Mayor as to public matters requiring the personal attention of the Mayor.

Mr. Langdon reminded the court that, as the San Francisco charter provides that "so long as the Mayor is temporarily unable to perform his duties, a member of the board shall be chosen president pro tem to act as Mayor. It was not necessary that Schmitz should perform any of the duties specified in his affidavit.

affidavit.
In announcing his decision, Judge

"It has been the invariable custom of this court to order defendants into the custody of the Sheriff after the convic-tion by a jury. Schmitz appears here, not as the Mayor of San Francisco, but precisely as any other convicted person. No discretion in the disposition of his person rests with the law and certainly none rests with this, court. The motion

Treat Him Like Other Prisoners. Schmitz sat without the betrayal of ny emotion during these proceedings. Judge Dunne then called Sheriff O'Neill

court an order permitting the Sheriff to allow the Mayor to be at large in cus-tody until 1 o'clock this afternoon. QUESTIONS JURY'S LEGALITY

Delmas Springs Technicalities in San Francisco Suits.

Francisco Suits.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 15.—G. H. Umbsen, Joseph E. Green, W. I. Brobeck and Abraham Ruef were arraigned today before Judge Dunne, on the Grand Jury indictments charging them with the brBery of 14 Supervisors to vote to award a troiley franchise to the Parkside Transit Company. They pleaded not guilty.

Attorney D. M. Delmas appeared before Judge Lawlor in behalf of Vice-President Louis Glass and Agent Theodore V. Haisey, indicted officials of the Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph Company, and argued in support of a motion to set aside the indictments on the ground that the present Grand Jury is illegally consituted and that some of its members before being chosen expressed bias against the defendant.

JAPANESE OFFICIAL DEPLORES SENSATIONAL TALK.

Says His Countrymen Can Never Forget America Opened Way for Western Civilization.

NEW YORK, June 15,—The Times to-morrow will say: Relaiero Wakatsuki, Japanese Vice-Minister to France, who is in New York on the way to London and Paris, talked yesterday about the Japanese troubles in San Francisco.

San Francisco.
"Americans," said Mr. Wakatsuki,
'should remember three things: That no citizen of Japan can forget that it was America who opened up Japan to the world and Western civilization; that there are in both Japan and America sensa-

are in both Japan and America sensation-mongers, and that in Japan, as well
as in America, there are politicians out
of power who seize upon anything, however inconsequential, which may help to
discredit their political opponents.

"As a nation the Japanese have the
utmost confidence in the American people. They believe that they have the good
will of the people of the United States,
and they value it.

"While Japan as a nation considers the
San Francisco disturbances as purely local

While Japan as a nation considers the San Francisco disturbances as purely local outbreaks and small things, still she does regret exceedingly that they happen so often and she hopes that they may stop. They cannot do any good, and by being worked up by politicians and sensational newspapers at both ends of the line they may do a great deal of harm to both countries. do a great deal of harm to

NO MORE TEMPEST IN TEAPOT

Elder Statesmen Regard San Francisco Incidents Not Grave.

TOKIO, June 15.—It has been learned that Foreign Minister Viscount Hayashi, at a conference on the American question, held yesterday, by the elder states-men and Ministers, announced that the last incident reported in connection with the attacks upon Japanese residents in California was not grave enough to war-

The views of both governments are fully in accord and the trust expressed that the Federal Government at Washington will furnish a speedy soluti the question at issue.

WHAT SHOULD HE DO?

Suppose the Republican Convention Should" Put It Up" to Roosevelt.

New York World, Ind. Dem In his two speeches at the James town Exposition Mr. Roosevelt advo-

A graduated Federal income tax: tax on swollen fortunes, with "a maximum of nearly 100 per cent for the

amount in excess of a specified sum"; The abolition of the law of contributory negligence, employers to be made liable for all injuries sustained Rigid Federal control of Western

Government ownership and control of all public lands bearing coal, oil and

All these racical measures had been All these radical measures had been previously advocated by the President, either in speeches or in messages to Congress. They now seem to have taken their place among the great economic policies that Mr. Roosevelt is so determined to have vindicated by the next Republican National convention.

But who is to vindicate them? Can

But who is to vindicate them? Can Mr. Roosevelt persuade the convention to adopt his pregramme and leave him? Will the delegates be more likely to take the policies without Mr. Roose-velt than to take Mr. Roosevelt in

veit than to take Mr. Roosevelt in spite of the policies?
Representative James S. Sherman says: "New York is for Roosevelt, the country is for him, and in my judgment he will be renominated and reelected." Mr. Sherman's judgment is the judgment of tens of thousands of other men who know the temper and tealing of Republican voters. Of none of the "favorite sous" can it be said that he has made the slightest appeal to popular enthusiasm and imaginato popular enthusiasm and imagina-

What is to be the outcome of it all? If an unbossed, untrammelled National convention, believing that Mr. Roosevelt's popularity and progressive radicalism are the most valuable assets of the Republican party, persists in repominating him, what can be do about it? What should be do about it?

In spite of personal wishes, could Theodore Roosevelt or any other man refuse to accept an unsought-for nomination for President made by acclamation?

CZAR RESUMES POWER

riving here. The garrison of St. Petersburg is now double its ordinary strength, the guard regiments having been replaced by regiments of the line when the former went into camp. Long lines of transport wagons, with camp equipages, etc., trundled through the main streets all morning, interspersed with occasional detachments of cavalry and infantry, marching to the head-quarters. Otherwise the center of the city bore its usual appearance, but the industrial centers literally bristled with industrial centers literally bristled with

Judge Durme then called Sheriff O'Neill before him and said:

"I want to advise you, and you ought to know it without being told, that in the custody of a defandant turned over to you by this court you have no discretion. He must by you be confined in the County Jail at all times except on orders made by this or a higher court allowing him at large in the custody of yourself or a deputy."

"I understand that. The orders of this pourt will be obeyed," said the Sheriff.

Mr. Campbell then obtained from the

Crippled Old Veteran Advertises for Housekeeper.

YOUNG WIFE DESERTS HIM

Forty Applicants Answer, but Law Steps In and Holds Up Letters in the Postoffice, Leaving Old Soldier Very Lonely.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., June 15 .- (Speial.)-Deserted by a young wife, who two weeks ago eloped with a 19-year-old farm-hand, Captain William H. H. Banks, living at Moore's Corners, five miles south of Williams Station, a former officer in the United States Army and for many years connected with the Secret Service Department of the United States Treasury, is advertising in the local press for

In order to hide his identity, he signed his advertisement "L. J. W., General Delivery, Kalantagoo," and as a result the fictitious address falls under the Government fraud order, and some 40 letters are being held up at the local postoffice. The advertisement Captain Banks had inserted is unique and original. It fol-

"Wanted-I do not want to marry to-day, but I do want a housekeeper to go out in the country 23 miles from Kalaout in the country 23 miles from Kala-mazoo: either young, middle-aged or old will do, if in good health, free from chil-dren and the lovelorn swain; work is light: much of the time away from home: Winters we will spend either at Washing-ton, D. C., or further south, as we may decide; constant companionship is what I need and must have. I was an officer in the war of 1851-85; wounded and badly crippled, and it is necessary that I have a close attendant to go where I go and ad will receive reply either by letter or I was recovered

rsonal call; be quick; don't nibble; bite; n give the very best references. Address th full name, age, description or photo-aph, residence, etc.

"L. J. W., Kalamazoo, Michael."

The above advertisement appeared in the local press Thursday and Friday af-

DOUBTS POWER OF COURT

Hadley Disputes Federal Jurisdiction Over 2-Cent Rate.

KANSAS CITY, June 15.—After four hours' argument as to the jurisdiction of the state courts or the Federal court. Judge McPherson continued the hearing till Monday afternoon on the petition of the railroad for injunction against enforcement of the two-cent rate law at which time he promised to render, a decision. In the meantime the railways will continue to operate under the old laws, ignoring the state injunctions.

During his argument supporting his claim that the state court should have control of the case, Attorney-General Hadley very plainly asserted that the Federal Court had no jurisdiction and that the state courts should sattle the case. Judge McPherson smiled broadly at the attorney's suggestion and histed that Mr. Hadley might be in contempt of court. The matter, however, was dropped with the mere suggestion from the court. Mr. Hadley, continuing, said that he could, for the state, if he chose, bring a quo warranto proceeding to take away the franchise of the railroads, and intimated that the Federal Court would be powerless to prevent him. The assertion of the Attorney-General was made to the course of his general arrument

mated that the Federal Count would be powerless to prevent him. The assertion of the Attorney-General was made in the course of his general argument and with no show of a threat, but it served to make the railway attorneys turn their gaze upon him more closely. PARIS, Mo., June 15.—Thomas Leedom. night agent for the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad here, was arrested to-night o nthe charge of violating the new

ARMED ROBBERS ARRESTED

Which Is Recovered.

Steal \$1500 From Bank, Most of

ST. JAMES, Minn., June 15.—The State Bank of Bingham Lake, near here, was robbed this morning of \$1500 a close attendant to go where I go and stay where I stay; a rare chance for a lady who enjoys a little romance to break the monotony of the more sluggish realing the monotony of the more sluggish realing the state of everyday life; every answer to this white. Later \$800 of the stolen money

All is in readiness for the Rose Show and Flests. The completed programme for the whole week was announced yesterday afternoon and is presented herewith. The programme embodies details of the parades, ntests for prize awards and the exhibit of roses in the Forestry building. The various committees have done their work well and the final plans have been consummated without hitch or delay. The execution of these

PROGRAMME IS COMPLETED FOR ROSE CARNIVAL WEEK

plans alone remain. An appeal was issued yesterday for roses. Every person in Portland who has roses is urged to assist the big enterprise by floral contributions. Leave these flowers, whether roses or other blooms at the Armory or Multnomah Club, next Thursday afternoon, or Friday morning. The success of the ficata parade will depend, in no small measure, upon the response to this appeal. All who are to participate in the Friday parade are likewise urged to forward their names to headquarters, 230 Swetland These names will be listed and given into the possession of the grand marshal so as to prevent confusion in organizing the column.

The completed programme is as follows: MONDAY, JUNE 17 .- Portland Workers' Day. Every one mail out any remaining Rose Fiesta cards or inserts still with postcard stands, cigar stands, drugstores, etc. Mail a Sunday paper to some one in another state; prepay one week's subscription for a daily paper to be sent for one week to friends in other states; this will cover Carnival week occurrences; each paper will be read by from three to fifteen interested people; put public libraries on the list. Diligence and public co-operation in the above thought will insure a million or two of Eastern read-

ers; get them eager to come to the 1908 Carnival. WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18. - Oregon Veterans' Day. Annual meeting, ban-quet and grand encampment; headquarters at Woodmen's Hall. Portland workers do what they left undone on Monday. Decorate! Decorate stores and residences with the Flesta colors of pink and green;

festoons of bunting, etc.; also National flags. WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19. - Oregon Pioneers' Day. The association convenes at the Armory, Tenth and Couch, at 2 P. M., for a literary and musical programme, followed by a banquet at 5 P. M. In the evening the business meeting and annual election, followed by campfire and experience meeting.

THURSDAY, JUNE 20.-First day of rose exhibit at Forestry Building. Flesta parade of 2000 school children and opening day of convening of the Oregon Development League; officers of the state bodies in committee meeting at 7:30 P. M., Commercial Club. The children's parade will move at 2:30 P. M. from Park and Jefferson. Line of march as follows: North on Park to Salmon, east on Salmon to Bixth, north on Sixth to Pine, east on Pine to Fourth, south on Fourth to the reviewing stand on Salmon facing Fourth; continue south on Fourth to Madison, east on Madison to Third, and disperse. The approach of the column be heralded by mounted buglers, followed by mounted police, Grand Marshal H. C. Campbell and staff, carriages of school board and officers of Rose Society; each of the thre e sections preceded by a band, Professor Krohn directing the school brigade and two special drill squads of 50 each in alternate garland an 6 wreath exercises; 10 cup prizes to be awarded to best appearing schools in the respective sections. Sig. De Caprio's official Flesta March composition will be the band music on passing the reviewing stand. The parade will move sharp at hour named. Thursday at 10 A. M. the Forestry Bullding will be thrown open for the free competitive exaibit of rare roses and buds, cut and otherwise, under the direction of the Rose Society; 34 trophy prizes will be awarded by an expert corps of judges. A large force workers and decorators are transforming the interior of the building into a marvelous fairy bower, riv aling the splandor of the Lewis and Clark Fair days. The exhibit will be continuous from Thursday morning until Friday evening, inclusive. During this period the Travelers' Aid Department of the Y. W. C. A. will serve continuous luncheou. Handsome booths are being fitted up in the Forestry Building, each in charge of various ladies, assiste d by a bevy of Portland's rosebud girls. The young ladies in the Oriental Tea Garden Booth will wear native costumes. Aside from the major attraction of the rose exhibit. the interior of the Forestry Building will be a feast for the visitors' eyes during the two days and evenings of Thursday and Friday.

FRIDAY, JUNE 21.-Grand Flests parade of decorated automobiles, floats, marching societies, mounted Hunt Club, tally - hos, carriages, saddle ponies, tandems, driving carts, pony carts, including all entries for cash and trophy prizes, approximating 50 in all, and amounting in value to over \$600. This great parade will move sharp at 2 P. M., under the direction of Colonel C. E. Donell and his aides. A mounted bugle corps will precede and herald the approach of the head of the in. The various bands will be at proper intervals in the forma-The bands and the mounted police escorts will be newly uniformed for this event in Flesta costumes. Sig. De Caprio's official Flesta March will be played by the bands on passing reviewing stand. The line of march will be as follows: Head of column at Tenth and Couch, south on Eleventh to Morrison, east to Third, north to Burnside, west to Sixth, south to Washington, west to Nineteenth. At this point all marching participants who desire may take cars to Forestry Building; automobiles, floats, carriages, etc., continue to fair grounds via west on Washington to Twenty-first, north to Lovejoy, west to Twenty-second. north to Marshall, west to Twenty-fourth, north to Savier, west to Twenty-eighth, north on Twenty-eighth into fair grounds and park into groups for further inspection of judges and for official photographing Oregon Development League convention at Marquam Grand, 9 to 12:30, on Friday morning. Friday evening its delegates and visitors attend Professor Coursen's organ recit al, 8 P. M., at First Presbyterian

SATURDAY, JUNE 22.—Saturday morning, reconvening of Oregon Development League. Saturday at 3 P M., baseball match between members of the Bankers' League and the doctors and lawyers. Both teams are made up of recontly graduated college and university men who were diamond athletes in their student days. The game will be at Multhomah field and under the auspices of the Flower Mission and Day Nursery Society. The proceeds will be for the benefit of that charity as conducted by a large group of the society ladies of Portland. Mrs. W. P. Sinnott, president. Saturday evening at 3 o'clock Yambill street will be darkened from Fourth to Nineteenth streets, except as illuminated by red fire, and the Portland Fire Department will give an exhibition run to Multnomah field, where at that hour the railroad men of Portland and the railroad men of Spokane meet in a baseball contest on a field ball will be a large white one and the game modified in some details. This is the first "electric" game of baseball that has been played on this Coast. The personnel of the contestants and the unique feature of an evening game will insure a fitting climax to Carnival week.

Efforts Made to Have Anna Gould Relent,

ENLIST SOCIAL INFLUENCE

Members of Both Families Said to Be Working Toward Reconciliation of Divorced Couple for the Children's Sake.

PARIS, June 15 .- (Special.)-At the instigation of members of the Gould famof Castellane, efforts are being made to bring about a reconciliation before the world and a renewal of marital relations in the eyes of the law between Anna Gould and her divorced husband, Count

A preliminary part of the plan of cam-A preliminary part of the plan of campaign which has been organized with the object of securing a reconciliation consists in wearing Anna Gould from her closest friends and undermining the influence they exercise upon her. Every possible social influence that might conduce to this end is being exercised. Here Count Bond is pixying an important part ount Boni is playing an important part. Perhaps it is needless to say that his sympathy with the plan of reconciliation has been assured. There is no question of his affection for the bills of the same of the same of the bills.

There is no question of his affection for his children, whom he sees regularly twice a week, while under the mother's care, as he is authorized to do by the divorce decree. Other considerations which might be supposed to have influenced him might be suggested, but they are not peculiar to him alone, and in connection with a mat-rimonial venture in which sentiment never played any part it is not surpris-ing that practical considerations should have a preponderating influence.

OFFERS LAND FOR REBATE

CLAUS SPRECKELS CHARGES UN-FAIR ACT OF RAILROAD,

Tries in 1905 to Get Same Rate He Claims Was Given His Sugar Competitors.

NEW YORK, June 15.-That Claus Spreckels, president of the Federal Sugar Refining Company, knew in 1905 that the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company was giving rebates to Ar-buckle Bros. and to the American and National Sugar Refining Companies, and that he offered to give the railroad com-pany such land in Yorkers belonging to the sugar company as the railroad com-pany needed for the electrification of the

me sigar company as the rational company needed for the electrification of the road in return for the same rates as his competitors were getting, came out today in the answer filed by the refining company to the proceedings brought by the railroad company to condemn the land. According to the Federal Company, the New York Central rejected the offer, claiming that it was not discriminating against the Federal Company.

The answer was filed with Counter Clerk Lesile Sutherland at White Plains. Now Mr. Spreckels demands \$18,333.70 for the land, which amount he says is the difference between the amount his company paids for freight and the rates allowed to his competitors.

lewed to his competitors.

In return for this amount he says he will deed the land over to the company. The railroad company has offered \$4230.

RUSSIA NOT IN ACCORD

(Continued From First Page.) French, but it has been practically decided that the delgates, during subsequent proceedings, may use any lan-

guage they choose, The adjournment until Wednesday 's designed to give the leading delegaing the personnel of the committees. is now apparent, notwithstanding the decision in the matter of publicity, that the open sessions will be formal, and that the real work will be done behind closed doors and in conference

etween the leaders.

Dedicate Carnegie Palace. Through the efforts of Mr. Hill, the American Minister here, arrangements have been perfected by which the dedi-cation of the Palace of Peace, for which Andrew Carnegle donated \$1,-500,000, will occur before the peace conference adjourns, probably August

The Associated Press is authorized to state that the Japanese delegation has no intention of raising any quesAsk Favors of Any Man-We Offer

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tion relating to the so-called differ-ences between the United States and Japan. Reports to the contrary were pronounced sensational. Robert Treat Paine, president of the American Peace Paine, president of the American Peace Society; Payne Davis, secretary of the American group of the International Parliamentary Union, and several oth-er psace workers, are here to show American interest in peace and dis-armament. Congressman Richard Bar-tholdt, president of the American group of the Inter-Parliamentary Union, is expected.

and blue fing of Holland, side by side with the orange standard of the House with the orange standard of the House of Nassau, was hoisted over every public building, and many private resi-dences flew the national colors. For-tunately, the clouds began to break toward noon, and the people soon gathered to witness the arrival of the distinguished foreigners at the ancient portals of the Binnehof, within the walls of which is located the old castle in which the sittings af the confer-ence will be held, devoid, however, of

weather Unpropitious.

A drizzling, overcast day ushered in the second peace conference. The weather conditions, however, did not prevent the government offices of The Netherlands from trying to give the Netherlands from trying to give the form or wear any insignia of their rank.

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