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\$646,292.42	
County Warrants 10,532.00	
City Warrants 11,941.64	668,696.06
Bank building	6.593.00
Real estate	10,000.00
Due from banks117,697.33	
Cash on hand 98,990.73	

	216,688.06
Total	901,977.12
Liabilities,	
Capital paid in	100,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profit	15,353.93
Descrite	

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Total

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Jesuits Preparing to Select Their says Sam Kendall of Phillipsburg, Kan., General.

CEREMONY VERY IMPRESSIVE

Delegates Entitled to Participate in the Election Are in Earnest-Event Begins on September the Sth.

ROME, Sept. 5.-The first steps in the world, and considered of such great proved that a fine quality of steel could

which the congregation of the company of Jesuits prepare for the final election of their general and which began yesterday, the final meeting will occur for the counting of the ballots, leading to early that morning, Sept. 8, for mass. constitution of this important function. vicar, Father Ruggiere Ferddi, in the chapel of the German college. He will delegates. The scene of over three score black clad men with white hair and earnest faces in preparing for their grand for throat and lung troubles." ceremonies will be most impressive. The delegates will then rise, and forming a procession, enter the large hall of the German students, intoning the "Veni Creator." The hall will be very severely decorated, a large cricifix hanging on the main wall above the table destined for the vicar and the assistants, in front of which will be rows of seats for the delegates, sufficiently far apart to admit of each writing secretly. Once assembled they will all fall on their knees and a deep silence will ensue, which will not be interrupted for an hour. They will all pray to be inspired by God in the selection they are about to make, as they are supposed not to have made up their minds previously as to the best person to choose, it being strictly forbidden to show any preferto collect about the possible candidates rest of Mr. Willard's company, and cases are merely meaningless phrases, ence in the information which they try quickly for eash in all parts of the before the day of the eletion. Most United States. Don't wait. Write to will carry into the hall some bread and a hottle of water as they will not have eaten since the night before and they

> After having appointed two sometinizers to assist the vieur in sorting and reading the votes, each delegate will take a solemn oath in the name of Jesus Christ's eternal wisdom, to be faith ful in the accomplishment of their office. Then each delegate will be provided with printed sheets on which inside on the right they will write the name of the candidate and on their left their own in disguised handwriting, to further the secrecy of the vote. The sheets will then be folded and sealed, so that in opening them for the scrutiny the name of the voter will be concealed and will not be looked a unless a irregularity is suspected or that the voter has voted for himself, which is strictly forbidden. This same operation will be repeated until one of the candidates has attained more than half of the votes. Once the majority is gained by a candidate he will be proclaimed elected and all present will rise, approach him reverently and render him homage by kissing his hand. A decree will then be drafted recording the meet ing and the results of the vote. Immediately after, the general leading, the delegate will go in procession to the chapel, singing the "Benedicto," and after prayer they will leave the chapel intoning the Te Deum. The "Black Pope" will then receive the congratulations of his friends.

are not allowed either to leave the hall

or to touch anything but bread and

water until the election is over.

A general of the Jesuits is appointed for life and from the day of his election is the phaclate ruler of the order, but the work of the congregation will continne for a few days after September S, for the election of the general's assistants, who also are chosen for life, or, to be more exact, their appointments which continue during the life of the general as in his death, their functions

The congregation will also appoint a secretary for the general as "monitor," the office of the latter consisting in advising the general, who, however, is entirely independent of him. Generally both these positions are entrusted to

ELECT BLACK POPE two of the assistants. Their election as well as that of the assistants, is carried out under exactly the same rules as that of the general.

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PROBABLE FATAL BLOW.

ABERDEEN, Wash., Sept. 5 .- The destruction of the Shaw Crucibule Works at Damon's Point, North Beach, by fire late Saturday afternoon, strikes what may be a fatal blow to an infant industry. The plant had been completed but a short time and had only been in operation a few weeks, but is now a the election of the "Black Pope," or mass of smouldering ruins. The entergeneral of the Jesuits, so anxiously prise was started as the result of careawaited by over 15,000 Jesuits all over ful experiments by an expert, which be manufactured by a single process importance by all the adherents of the from the black sands so plentiful at Catholic church, are now being taken. Damon's Point. Outside capital was After the quadrivium the period of interested, a company was formed, and circles which will be held at Peterhot four days of the strictest seclusion, in the plant erected. No details have yet been learned, or whether there is any of Premier Stolypin will be passed in insurance

THE BREATH OF LIFE.

It's a significant fact that the strongthe election. All the delegates entitled est animal of its size, the gorilla, also they hope to defer to the "Greek Calto participate in the meeting will rise has the largest lungs. Powerful lungs endar" on the ground that any election means powerful creatures. How to keep in the near future must result in the althugh none of them, according to the the breathing organs right should be choice of an assembly even more radiman's chiefest study. Like thousands cal than the one which the emperor diswill be allowed to celebrate it except the of others, Mrs. Ora A, Stephens of Port solved in July last According to cur-Williams, O., has learned how to do rent gossip Count Witte has returned this. She writes: "Three bottles of Dr. also administer communion to all the King's New Discovery stopped my cough of two years and cured me of what my friends thought consumption. O it's not arrived and was not expected. Guaranteed by Chas. Rodgers, Druggist, backing in his fight against shelving par-Price 50e and \$1.00. Trial bottle free

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Premier Stolypin Will Contend for Free Hand.

OPPOSED BY REACTIONARIES

Conference of Russian Premier and the Prominent Men of All Factions Set for Next Monday-Stolypin is Strongly Backed.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. A .- The truggle between Premier Stolypin and he court Camarilla over the questions as to whether or not the former shall have a free hand in the government of the empire will come to an issue at a conference of prominentmen of all factions in the administration and court on Sunday, September 9. The program review, but it is conjectured that the reactionaries will make their principal fight on the fixing of the date for the holding of the elections for members of the lower house of Parliament, which from Germany to participate in the conference, but at his residence here the Associated Press was told that he had

Though Premier Stolypin has strong liament, he is still seeking the cooperasep tion of M. Shipoff, M. Samarin and other bureaucrate in the effort to induce Emperor Nicholas to adhere to the date originally fixed for the reconvening of

The authorities have confiscated a proclamation issued by the revolution-"Our Boys" was again the offering at lists of Moscow which contained nothing the Star last night and pleased a fair but speeches delivered by the Emperor sized audience. The piece went with during the last two years, together with the usual swing, the Boys coming in a short preface commenting on "The a great amount of favor and the talent and wonderful oratorical ability of our beloved monarch."

The compilers of the speeches have be desired and seems to put all his soul arranged in parallel columns several addresses by the Emperor which are con We think this is one of the best parts flicting in tone. The remainder of the have seen this excellent actor in. speeches are responses made by the Em-Too much praise cannot be said of the peror to deputations, which in many we think it will be some time before verging on the ludicrous in the absence upany that of the context

At a large meeting of the Black Hundred organizations, which assembled in in, calling upon his followers to reenge his death in case he should be slain by the enemies of the organization, a resolution was adopted to kill anyone offending their "outraged leaders."

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