Colored Consul Appointed.

Washington, D. C., May 16. e president today appoint-Jerome B. Peterson, colconsul to Puerto Cabel-Venezuela. He is one of proprietors of the New Age, is 37 years old and a graduate of Johns Hopkins.

CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE.

James McDonald Being Tried for

Murder of Miss Schaffer.

McDonald was placed on trial this morning for the alleged murder of

Miss Sarah Schaffer, a teacher in the high school, in January last.

days will be occupied in securing a

HEREROS HORROR.

in Southwest Africa. Berlin, May 16 .- A dispatch today

he Hereros of German Southwest

women and one child at Ameib, and

WANT A MONOPOLY.

in the Canal Zone,

controlling Jaialia, a Cuban gambl-

ing scheme, will in a few days dis-

patch an agent to Washington to see

IWU MEN HELD UP

Perpetrators Believed to Be Local

Clipped an Ear With a Bullet.

a small skin mark only.

When the shots were fired several

They were not mounted and seem-

who will be apprehended

ed perfectly familiar with the place.

hands.

VISITING THE VAN DRANS.

Hard Cases and Capture Consider-

Havana, May 16.-The company

Three colonists were killed

The blacks burned their vic-

German

Bedford, Ind., May 16.-James

PENDLETON, UMATILLA COUNTY, OREGON, MONDAY, MAY 16, 1904.

NO. 5049.

CANVASS NTIRE COUNT

jury.

The murder was one of the most inisterial Alliance Has mysterious. The woman's body was en the Local Option residence, with the head crushed by a stone. Whatever evidence may be adduced against McDonald is purely npaign in Hand.

PEAK IN ALL THE PRINCIPAL LOCALITIES. Torture and Murder German Settlers

Reorganization Mr. Warner Chosen President and Africa. Nuys Secretary-The County at Okombahe and three Districts Which five other whites in the Karibib dis-Be Thoroughly Campaigned- trict tims and then danced on their Meeting in the Country Will graves uesday Evening, May 17, on ay Creek. Gambling Company Want Concession

Ministerial Alliance of Penwhich has been disorganized e months, was resurrected norning at a meeting of the ers representing the different if it is possible to effect a monopoly nations, which was held in the in the region along the Panama of the Men's Resort, on Court

meeting was called to order at ck, and Rev. Robert Warner. Methodist church, was elected at of the alliance; Rev. N. H. the Christian minister, was vice-president; Rev. W. L. vice-president; Rev. of the Presbyterian Nuys. secretary, and Rev. G. W.

immediate cause for the reation of the alliance was the campaign for local option, EVENT PULLED OFF WITH will be one of the issues at ming election, and with this in view, committees were ap-ed to take charge of the differons of the county.

County Campaign. Robert Warner and Rev. M. ward will push the campaign irrigon, Umatilla, Echo, Foster along Butter creek.

W. Rigby and other help be selected by him will have tree of the work in Ukiah, Alba, has Prairie and the Potts counmasked robbers held up Gus Holverson's saloon here Saturday night, se-

curing about \$75 from the till, besides several checks and time checks ev. G. L. Hall, the pastor of the church, will have charge of on the Grand Ronde Lumber Coms, Helix, Juniper and points rany, which had been deposited by th of there

log drivers during the evening.

There were seven men in the sa-Warner and Van vs. Robert were appointed as committee loon when the robbers entered at inting and advertisement. printing and advertisement. church men of the city are the church men of the city are crowd to put up their hands. All set on the local option law, and hurriedly obeyed the order, and the o everything in their power to proprietor started to walk around the on the statute books of the bar to open the till when one of the They are organizing all over robbers fired two shots from his pisand expect to carry the tol, one shot striking John Thompson

Meeting on McKay. Res. G. W. Rigby, Jonathan Ed-When the shots were fired several ris and M. V. Howard will leave men holding up their hands at the morning for McKay creek, re, tomorrow evening they will back door, when the robbers hurried a local option raily at the ly plundered the till and disappeared. ed Brethren church about eight leaving no trace. from Pendleton, at which they attempt to convince the resis of the value of the law and of and it is thought they were good results which will follow it. toughs, ery precinct in the county will soon. The town was full of disted and the meaning of the drivers at the time, a big poker option law will be put before game in which several hundred dol people. Speakers will be lars changed hands, light in from the outside and it is broken up at the saloon. ed that the work of the alliance ill bring good results, and that the will be passed when it comes e the people in June.

KAISER IS ORTHODOX.

vices of a church today the kaiser

affirmed his belief in the gospel of arist, and later in conversation

ith Bishop Braun, said: "I uphold

igious tolerance and as a protes-

federal council

They Have Guests From Albany Who Will Go to Washington. nan Emperor Also Declares He is a Protestant. Metz, May 16.-At the dedication

Mr. and Mrs. Caspar Van Dran for a sent the following communication to few days. Mr. Cusick is a banker of J. C. Drossler, mate sheep inspector Albany, and is traveling over this for Idaho, regarding the condition of eration in a Portland hospital.

Spokane and Spokane and other vashing with the season of the season cities, and will perhaps visit at Hot you are taking hold of this season Lake for a few weeks before return-question in Idaho ing to their Albany home.

TWO BANKS FAIL.

a National Bank.

Macon, Ga., May 16,-I. C. Plant's hank, and the First National Bank closed their doors this morning, pending the arrival of examinand no official statement

The Plants is a private institution. founded in 1843 by the father of R.

The two failures aggregate \$1,000. 000.

Vicercy Arrives.

London, May 16.—Lord Curzon, ed September vicercy of India, arrived this after-meet to sign. noon and immediately was granted an audience with the king.

NO AGREEMENT IN SIGHT YET

the Springfield Republican Immense Army in North- for renewal. Convention.

NUMEROUS DARK HORSES

FOR THE NOMINATIONS.

reports a massacre of Germans by Delegates Are Wearying of the Deadlock and May Break at Any Hour -Chicago Delegation Hopelessly Split - Governor Yates Declares Cannon and Others Have Approached Him With a Disreputable Trade for the Mexican Mission -Yates Losing Ground.

> Springfield, Ill., May 16.- Governor fates today created a sensation by confirming a story printed in a local paper that he had been "approached" in the interest of the "congressional delegation," meaning Cannon, Hopkins and Cullom, with an offer of the Mexican ministership with a salary of \$18,000, if he would throw nomination to Lowden. Cannon and Hopkins deny the allegd meeting occurred.

> > Deadlock Continues.

HILGARD SALOON at 2. Despite a downpour of rain, a days, big crowd was present. The 25th ballot was not different from its pre- Jap dispatch boat Miyako struck a decessors and there is no outward mine was sign of a break. USUAL FORMALITIES.

surface of the republican situation anese and Russian forces at Lia here this morning, it did not look any Yang. ed Probable-Made a Light Haul Compared With Risks Taken- state convention this afternoon than pied by the French consulate at any time last week.

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from Chicago are as far apart as be localized. Genesis from Revelations. A great As to the

Senator Hopkins is of the opinion evil the convention will not last The 25th ballot will be taken shortly after 2 o'clock

Vates is Losing Ground. The 26th ballot brought Cannon than she is now having. Yates lost tions with a rush and with ease. lightly at the top of the ear, making Yates men are holding a conference.

Beaten Insane.

Salt Lake, May 16.—A. J. Gregory, a traveling livestock agent for the rear of the room darted out an open Denver & Rio Grande, was brought dispatch reads: here today hopelessly insane as the "Admiral Kat result of a beating by Denver thuss,

Route the Pretender.

Tangler May 16.—The forces of the pretender to the Moroccan have been routed with heavy casualties.

SHEEP SCAB IN IDAHO.

Eradicate It.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cusick and son of animal industry in this city, under accident six men wer wounded, be-Harry, of Albany, are the guests of the department of agriculture, has sides two killed during the fight.

of the 11th instant in regard to the red Russians attacked and plunder-The party will visit in Pendicton dipping of sheep in your state, will ed British gold miners at Euns or a few days, and will then go to say that this office is very well in Northern Korea. Several other Washington pleased with the manner in which taken to prison

"It is the desire of this office to assist you all we can I have in-structed Dr. Balley, of Rawlins, One a Private institution, the Other on May 16. He is an experienced of Kinchou. man, and I trust will be of valuable assistance to you.

BRITT-CORBETT.

is Will Fight December 21 for Featherweight Championship.

York, May 16.- Jimmy Briti and Young Corbett were matched today for a 20-round match for the featherweight championship, December 21, at the San Francisco Club which gave the largest purse to get the fight. The details wil be arranged September 15, when the managers

Two hundred railroad laborers that they find do not exist.

OPPOSE JAPS All Factions Wide Apart in Russians Are Collecting an years.

220,000 MEN

ern Manchuria.

PORT ARTHUR IS CUT OFF.

RUSSIANS NOW OWN THAT

Railroad Is Out of Commission and No Telegrams From That Point-Japanese Lose a Boat From a Submarine Mine at Kerr Bay, Near Dainy-They Effect a Landing at That Point-Fifty Miles of Rus- affair in proportions. sian Railroad Destroyed by Japs.

St. Petersburg, May 16-Rumors revealed genuineness today, credited to a reliable source, have it that Kuropatkin will retreat from Liaoyang to Harbin with 120 000 men, there to wait 100,000 reinforcements from Kharkoff and Mosenemy. Kuropatkin has asked for the telegraphic and field equipment Both necessary for the operation

Port Arthur Cut Off.

Niu Chwang, May 16.-Russian authorities here admit the rallway to Springfield, Ill., May 16.-Mr. Can- Port Arthur has practically ceased non called the convention to order working and no telegrams for three

Word was received today that the destroyed Bay Sunday, with eight casualties. The natives here have rumors of Springfield, Ill., May 16.-On the heavy fighting Sunday between Jap

more probable that a nomination for governor would be made by the moved today to the building occu-The Russo-Chinese bank was re-

The Lowden and Deneen delegates lief that the Russo-Japanese war will

As to the extended notions of conmany of the delegates are weary of traband of war now held by the belthe deadlock, and limble to vote any ligerents, it is time the powers way to settle affairs. agreed to a check to be put to this He warned Turkey against the sui-

cidal policy of playing into the hands of those who are incapable of reforms and who would make her undergo more

Japs Lose a Cruiser.

to a Tokio dispatch to the Japanese territory at stake legation it was the cruiser Miyaka sunk by a mine in Kerr Bay,

'Admiral Kataoka reports on May 14, the fourth torpedo boat flotilla continued its sea-sweeping opera tions under cover of the fleet. enemy constructed temporary baton the promontory Kerr Bay and Talien Wan, and plac- States court at Portland. ed six field guns besides a hastily constructed fort. With one company of soldiers they stubbornly resisted our attack

"The flotilla defying the enemy Vigorous Efforts Being Made to fire carried out operations and de stroyed five mines laid by the ene-Sair Lake May 10.—Lowell Clarke, my Unfortunately, one exploded acting agent in charge of the bureau and sunk our cruiser Miyako. In this

Russians Plunder British,

London, May 16 .- A Central News part of the country with his son, the flocks in that state:

who has just recovered from an op
"In reply to your communication from Seoul report that several hunded British gold miners at Eunsanpy,

> Japs Destroy Railroad. St. Petersburg. May 16.—Official advices today say the Japanese have destroyed 50 miles of railroad north

> Fears Capture by Japs. decided not to go to Vladivostok. He fears capture by the Japs en route.

> > COMMITTEE AT WORK.

Trades and Labor Council Not Meet-

ing With Encouragement. A committee of the Trades and La of the Fourth of July celebration, and the matter will be decided defi-

nitely this evening. At the latest reports the commit-Death of a Scientist.

Death of a Scientist.

Paris. May 16.—Entlenne Jules Marey, the well known physiologist.

Storm Kansas City, naving paid couragement that was hoped for in Twelve years ago he had wheat the beginning and it is doubtful as make a good crop which froze to the the destination will be ground on May 12 after jointing and the township the they find do not exist.

TROUBLE EXPECTED.

Governor Peabody Refuses to Take Steps to Insure the Peace.

Denver, May 16 .- Intense interest manifested in the city election tomorrow, the first under the new charter. Predictions are made of bloodshed, especially in the lower wards. The election is for a full set

county and city officers for four years. During that period many valuable public franchises will come up Republican leaders are accusing Governor Peabody of treachery to

the party in refusing to call out the militia to prevent trouble. The dem-

FRENCH SCANDAL

Alleged That Traitors Would Sell Government Secrets.

Paris. May 16.-The Matin prints the first of a series of articles by London correspondent dealing in alleged plot to reveal the plans of French fortifications, which the pa pers say may approach the Dreyfus

Three men went to London with papers to be sold. Two were de-serters who were out of funds, wrote the Matin. Examination of the papers held by him, it is said,

Offending Royalty.

Berlin, May 16 .- The Rome corre-Koelnische Zeitung spondent or learns that the pope has offended the before an engagement with the German, Austrian and Prussian emperors by expressing too much sympathy toward the Poles.

DISCUSSES WAR

DELEGATE AT WORLD'S PRESS ASSOCIATION.

Russian Populace in General Knows Not of the Present War-Declares the Trouble Can Only End in Russia's Supremacy in Manchuria and Korea.

St. Louis, May 16.-Prince Oukhomsky, editor of the St. Petersburg Weidomosti, here to represent Russia in the press congress, discussing the Russo-Japanese war, declared the present war is not popular in his country because few people outside of the government circles, army, navy and residents of larger cities

know there is war. Russian reverses will who would make her drastic experiences ow having.

Note that the second property of the second popular Russia will send millions opened 47%, closed 85%; buly corn opened 47%, closed 48. of troops into the field, when the necessity arises. Talk of peace is There will be none until Rus-Washington, May 16.-According sia asserts her supremacy in the Two Unprejudiced Men Write

BANKRUPTCY CASE.

One a Farmer, the Other Proprietor

of a Local Dairy. Judge Fitz Gerald is busy today with two cases in bankruptcy him as referee by the United

One case is on petition of Alfred R Simpson, who represents that he is not able to meet the demands of his creditors, and asks that he be plant away from residence properly, adjudged a bankrupt by the courts and his creditors given an equitable

division of what he owns. His assets are placed at nothing, and his liabilities are estimated to be about \$2,374. He is a farmer living in the vicinity of Pendleton. The first meeting of his creditors has J. been set for May 31.

The second case is that of Edwin Wooddy and Jane Wooddy, his wife who have been doing a partnership land, who has wide experience with business under the name of the "Mc gas plants and causes of fire in cities. Kay Creek Dairy." The total part-nership debts of the company are placed at \$1,115.50 and the individual of Edwin Wooddy at \$1,987. Pat Kine holds a note against Jane Wooddy for \$100.

The couple have personal propering reasons:
(to the value of \$2.60, which they "1) A gas plant in any city dety to the value of \$2.60, which they claim to hold under the exemption creases the value of residence proplaw of the state, so that there are practically no assets to be drawn upon in the settlement of the suit. The St. Petersburg. May 16.—Prince on in the settlement of the suit The Khilkov, minister of railways, has first meeting of the creditors of the company has been set for May 31.

SCARE TOO SOON.

May Freeze Not Necessarily Disas-

George D. Peebler, of Meacham, was in town today. Mr. Peebler has . bor Council was busy canvassing the lived at Meacham six years. Prior city this afternoon to decide whether to going there he lived in Stage or not the council would take charge gulch 20 years, and has 1,800 acres in Stage . of wheat out there this year, which

is in fine condition. Mr. Peebler is inclined to believe that much of the scare about the re-sults of the freeze is uncalled for-

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT

Decision in One Case Affects Property Rights in Umacilla County.

ocrats control the police and the ma- MRS. PHILOMME SMITH

KEEPS HER ALLOTMENT.

Decision Affects Others on the Reservation-Wm. Turner, Must Remain Away From the United States-Order of Lower Court Affirmed-Local Option Law of Ohio Sustained, a Decision Which is of immediate interest to Oregonians-Cow Stables Must Go.

Washington, May 16.-The preme court today affirmed a decis-ion by the circuit court of appeals of the ninth circuit in the case of Ru Tse Milken, appellant, vs.

Philomme Smith.
The decision confirms the allotments of land in the Umatilla reservation to Mrs. Smith, a full-blood Indian, wife of a white man, and confirms generally patents of that character.

Turner Must Stay Away.

The supreme court held that Wm. Turner, the British anarchist, to be fully excluded from this country by the secretary of commerce, and the order of the court below was affirmed. The power of congress to legislate for the exclusion of anarchists

is fully sustained. Turner's speeches are held to be indictments to use force against the prevailing government, and Turner himself to be a man dangerous to the public. Turner is out on bail and recently returned to England.

The opinion is by Fuller, chief justice.

Sustains Local Option Law. The supreme court also upheld the constitutionality of a St. Louis ordinance providing no one shall keep a cow stable within the city limits, without a permit by the municipal

assembly. The court also declared the local option law of Ohio to be constitutional.

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, May 16.-May wheat opened 91%, closed 93%; old July

GAS PLANTS DANGEROUS

Their Evil Effects in Residence Districts.

Joseph Ell has received the following letters from friends who have lived in the vicinity of gas plants in different parts of the country, who speak from experience, without prejudice.

The first letter comes from J. Weber, of Portland, who says: Portland, May 14 .- Joseph Ell, Dear Sir: In reply to your letter of the 5th inst., would say do all in my power to keep the gas as It is bound to decrease its value

"The odor from it is a constant source of annoyance, besides the gas tanks are dangerous. I would give by 20 per cent as much for home property after a gas plant has been located in its vicinity. Yours truly, Weber. The second letter comes from Day

vid Campbell, chief engineer of the fire department of the city of Portgas plants and causes of fire in cities. He says:

"Portland, May 14 Joseph EU, Dear Sir: In answer to yours of the 5th regarding gas plants, will say to get them just as far as possible from the heart of the city, for the follow-

erty in its vicinity. "(2.) If oil is used in the manufac-ture of the gas, the great quantity stored is a bazard which must be handled with the utmost care. have had two gas plant fires recently. caused by the accumulation of gases under the buildings. Very truly,

David, Campbell, chief engineer.

Run Down a Schooner.

Ward liner Seneca, today brought in 18 shipwrecked fishermen from the schooner run down and sunk Pleidas: by the Ward liner Moro Castle, New York for Hayana, Saturday night on Absecom

trous to Wheat.