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# **NEWS OF THE WEEK**

### In a Concensed Form for Our Busy Readers.

A Resume of the Less Important but Not Less Interesting Events of the Past Week.

Oklahoma elections gave Republicans

Six men were overcome by gas in a

mine at Lead, S. D.

The Hermann defense has attacked Hitchcock's methods of conducting the

Doctors in the Thaw case have disagreed, some saying him sane and others insane.

J. J. Hill has formally retired as pre-blent of the Great Northern and his on Louis has assumed control. As a result of the city election in St.

All cities and towns of Colorado ex-

cept Denver have just held municipal elections. The liquor question was the chief one and in a large number of places the temperance people carried the day. A letter from Harriman to a friend.

published in Eastern papers, says peace Loosevelt asked him to raise \$200,000 for the 1904 campaign fund, which he did. The president says the statement asked of Mr. Garretson.

On the liner Siberia, due in San by their government to the Jiamestown

N caragnans have captured another Honduran port.

Ruef has appealed to the Supreme court for release on bail.

A new movement has been started in the South to end the race problem.

for violation of the 28-hour law for stock. Railroad employes are willing to

firm for nine hours

A storm at Havana drove waves into the city, causing much damage. Many lives were endangered. The Nebraska legislature is working

on a law to make railway mileage books good in the hands of bearer. The San Francisco supervisors are removing many officials who were mere

figureheads drawing salaries. Oakland and San Francisco laundry workers have struck for an increase of cars, abolish straps, repaye the streets, a better school spirit in The Dalles; to week. Government work has ceased

Roosevelt declares he is not in favor of government ownership of railroads if it can be avoided, but he does want congress to pass a law that will allow him to squeeze the water out of stock.

The Roumanian revolt has been suppressed with wholesale slaughter.

French troops have raised their flag

Schmitz denies that he has attempted to get a part of the board of supervisors to resign.

The municipal campaign just ended of the city. Thaw stood the lunacy examination

so well that Jerome has asked for more time to call experts. Roosevelt may make public his rall-

way policy at the opening of the Jamestown exposition April 26. Americans at Ceiba, Honduras, were

glad to see a United States warship put into that port to protect their interests. Ruef has been on the pay roll of the

Pacific States Telephone & Telegraph company for the past two years at \$1,200 per month. Henry W. Goode, persident of the Portland Railway, Light & Power com-

pany, is dead. He was president of the Lewis and Clark fair. The American government is confi-

I rought up are not agreed upon. The Roumanian revolt is quieting

All labor troubles around Butte have been adjusted for the time being.

in the Philippines.

St. Louis brewery workers threaten to strike and the city is facing a beer

The disarmament question is likey to he burred from The Hague peace con- the employ of William J. Burns. When

Republican members of the Tennes see legislature propose Roosevelt for a sped to the home of Mayor Schmitz to

direct primary a copied after the Ore- him in the automobile. Spreckels had guaanteed the cost of

th rough housecleaning of grafters at The Western Union Telegraph com

parry has raised its rates, in as much as 20 per cent.

The census bureau estimates that the population of the United States has increused 8,000,000 in the past six years.

The Colton, Cal., death list as the result of the train wreck is placed at 22 and at least six more of the injured will die. A green switch crew is

The San Francisco investigation may spread to every city on the coast.

### MAKE LAST PROPOSITION.

Mediators Still Hopeful of Preventing Big Railway Strike.

Chicago, April 3 .- In a final effort avert the impending railroad strike, Commissioners Knapp and Neill, the agents of President Roosevelt, will make a direct appeal to the full com- Linn County Grangers Hold Up Uni- Another Federal Grand Jury Begins mittee of conductors and trainmen today. The meeting will be held in the Sherman House, and the Federal mediators will lay before the 170 delegates the final propostion of the general man-What that proposition is neithagets. er the commissioners nor the labor chiefs would disclose tonight, but it is understood to contain some minor con-

The decision of Messrs. Knapp and Neill to visit the meeting of the labor ielegates and appeal to them direct was reported at a conference with the labor chiefs, which lasted until 11 o'clock last night. It was taken to indicate that the committee which has been conducting the negotiations refused to accept the terms of the managers and that it invited the Federal mediators to attend the meeting and find out in a direct manner what the delegates

thought of the offer. At the meeting today the entire matit is believed that it will end the conferences. The controversy will either Louis the Democrats are in complete be settled or the threatened strike, control of every branch of the city gov- which has been suspended for several days while the negotiations were pending, will be declared. The prospects for an amicable settlement seem more remote.

Chiefs Morrissey and Garretson attended a meeting of the full committee and it was said they learned the temper REORGANIZE HOSPITAL CORPS. of their men as to what concessions they would make in the interests of Military Board Holds Session-New

"Is the nine-hour day the real stumbling block in the way of peace?" was

"I am not at liberty to discuss the situation now," he replied, "but as a matter of fact there has not been a minof Chinese military officers being sent ute since the conference has begun that the nine-hour day was not the real exposition to study the warships of all stumbling block. The men are determined on that issue,'

In the event of the negotiations being broken off and a strike resorted to, which is a strong probability, the real issue will be the nine-hour day.

# DUNNE LOSES OUT.

### The government is to prosecute Hill Chicago Voters Turn Down Mayor for New Man.

Chicago, April 3 .- The Republicans, headed by Frederick A. Busse for mayyield on the question of wages but are or, carried Chicago yesterday. Perhaps count of the anticipated action of the of like organizations in larger cities. marked the climax of the most mystify- the June election. ing and the filthiest campaign ever

waged in the city. Chicago will now speedily settle its streetcar problem, which has been wages and only three laundries are sprinkle and keep the streets in order, bring the parents and teachers closer everywhere except on the interior of build such extensions as the city shall together in a social way; to discuss, the tunnel. profits. The city may invest this sum reforms in the schools of The Dalles as for \$30,000,000 plus the amount spent, ent and provide for the future. or it may be used to lower fares.

### FRISCO IN DARKNESS.

### Electric Light Plant Valued at Two

and a Half Millions Destroyed. house of the San Francisco Gas & Elec- have their expenses paid. The work in Chicago is the fiercest in the history tric Light company at Twenty-second will extend from now to the end of the avenue South and Georgia street by fire summer. Their appointments are re-

Extra police were placed on duty at ette valley. the temporary hall of justice and city prison at Eddy and Mason streets. Owing to the darkness, the buildings having no gas connections, no one was allowed to enter or leave the city prison and no prisoners were released on bail.

### Prize Cup for Real Airships.

peted for annually by American built A small per cent of loss is, however, flying machines. It will be confided to reported among the careful raisers, who the care of aero clubs under whose man- have made preparation for storms. The tody will be held. The cup will cost are finding out that goats must have dent The Hague conference will do not less than \$1,000 and will be com-good, even if all questions to be peted for for the first time on September 14 at the Jamestown exposition. Only machines heavier than air will be eligible and they must all be self pro- Minnville are very jubilant over the repelled without any gas bag attachment sults of the mass meeting held Monday The president has called an election whatever, even for lifting purposes.

### His Chauffeur Burns Spy.

his red automobile, the quiet, unassum-ing young mahout at the wheel was stock and will manage the plant in connone other than a disguised detective in nection with its other plants. Gallagher went to Ruef's office to get the boodle money, when he secretly The Nebraska legisature has passed a share, this mahout was always with ganization of a local shipping bureau.

### Montana Is Repudlican.

ed in a Republican landslide, only two c cities in the state electing Democratic put them into shape to submit to the mayors, while the opposition party was state railroad commission. successful in all other instances. As a rule, party lines were closely drawn and a heavy vote polled. Great Falis and Lewiston elected straight Demoeratic tickets, while Billings, Boze- has been discharged by orders of the man Livingston, Anaconds and Butte chose Republican mayors.

### Vote on Saloons in Newbrasks.

Omaha, April 3 .- City elections were held in all cities and towns of Nebraska except Omaha, South Omaha and Lincoln. Probably three-quarters of the towns ignored party politics, Mrs. Thaw is said to be breaking down under the strain of the trial of saloons. In only a few towns were the the asylum grounds, which was purposed,

# OREGON STATE ITEMS OF INTEREST

### INVOKES REFERENDUM.

versity Appropriation. Albany-The University of Oregon Grangers to hold up the university bill be summoned soon and the old as well culminated in a meeting of representa- as the new case that have been investives of all grange organizations of Linn tigated by and through the United sion in charge of Alberto Youcham, sec-

ounty in Albany. attendance President P. L. Campbell, B. Nouhansen, together with the cases of the university, and Senator M. A. that have been worked up by Edward Latin-American politics. Chile decid-Miller, member of the board of re- W. Dixon, in charge of the special gents of the school. These men pre- agent for Oregon, will be laid before sented very strongly the university's the jurors. side of the case showing the need of When Francis J. Hency left Portland

more money than was appropriated. The \$125,000 carried in the bill was cisco, be left a number of land freud Washington. segregated by President Campbell, who cases, evidence in which was already in explained the use to be made of every the hands of the United States attordollar. But the Grangers were obdu- ney, to be brought to the attention of rate and at the close of the conference a grand jury. Since his departure the determine the fate of the school.

port of the position of the Grange, oth- will be brought to the attention of the er than "retrenchment." It was also jury are those said to have been discovdecided to have reproduced an editorial ered in and around Pendleton. To this printed in the Oregonian of Saturday, list will be added others that rumor February 11, 1905, entitled "Machine says involve a number of prominent Made Citizens," and scatter thousands men, not only in Oregon, but in several of copies over the state.

Company at Oregon City.

tion of the hospital corps of the Oregon ed by modern structures. Such lumber National Guard into what will be as can be utilized will be saved, but a known in the future as the ambulance general plan of reconstruction will be company, consisting of 43 non-commis- carried out, and it is the purpose of the sioned officers and men. A new com- board to get the buildings and grounds pany will be formed at Oregon City to in the best condition they have ever

take the place of the one dishanded. The Dalles, Oregon City, Ashland, Roseburg, Albany and Woodburn have offered land for armory sites provided for by the appropriation of \$100,000 in house bill 118. No action was taken, interior Orgon. The Inland Empire the matter being left to the towns. The club, organized a few months since various companies of the state are pay- to promote the social interests of this ing an average of \$300, per year for the city, and in an indirect way the reuse of buildings as armories, and Gen- sources of the county, now has a memeral Finzer figures that in 20 years the bership of over 100. The club mainstate will be repaid the \$100,000 appro- tains excellent quarters in the fourprintion.

no one was more surprised at the result Grange in asking that the appropria- The Inland Empire club fills a longthan the Republicans themselves. It tion be submitted to the referendum at needed want in this city.

Parents and Teachers Organize. The Dailes-The Teachers' and Patder and turn over, as from February freely and fully, all matters pertaining 1 of this year, 55 per cent of the net to school life, and to recommend such against the time it will buy the lines will meet the requirements of the pres-

### Students to Fight Sheep Disease. Corvallis-Four Oregon Agricultural

ollege students are leaving college to take positions on the government staff for eradicating sheep diseases in Ore gon. They are G. A. Dodson, Walter San Francisco, April 3 .- The destruc- Foster, Edgar W. Donnelly and Henry tion of the electric light and power Rooper. They receive good salaries and city into darkness, resulted in the injuring of five firemen and causing a loss juring of five firemen and causing a loss of covalis, as one of the district inspect.

Water on Commissioner Steason and of representatives as congressman at large from Pennsylvania.

Covvalis, as one of the district inspect.

## Bad Weather for Goats.

Dallas-Bad weather continues. the great inconvenience of the goat raisers, for this is the height of the kidding season. All the flocks have to be housed and in many instances fire is provided for the youngsters to pre-New York, April 3 .- The Scientific vent them chilling to death, while the American will offer a cup to be com- keepers are kept busy night and day. agement the competitions for its cus- progressive goat men of Polk county

Work for Condensed Milk Plant. McMinnville-The citizens of Mcevening to talk over plans for a condensed milk factory, with A. J Kenting, manager of the Coos Bay Condens-San Francisco, April 3 .- When Su- ing company. The plan is to organize ervisor James G. Gallagher was dash- a stock company with a paid-up capital ing about San Francisco last winter in of \$85,000. The Coos Pay company

### Terminal Rates for Baker.

Baker City-With a view of taking up a fight for terminal rates for Baker arrange upon franchise programs, when City, the Merchant' association has he went to the bank to deposit his own appointed a committee to plan the or-The committee is meeting with marked success, and the bureau will be established within a short time. This bu-Helena, Mont., April 3.-Monday's reau will be under the management of municipal elections in Montana result- a rate expert, who will compile local omplaints against the railroad and

### O. N. G. Company Discharged. La Grande-Company L. Third regient, O. N. G., located in this city governor, on the grounds of inefficiency. National Guard officials from Portland are here today checking the property

books. Ordney Rogers is captain. Asylum Board Buys Land. Salem-The state asylum board has paid over \$10,000 to Charles Riley and his wife and the deed is recorded cover-

PROBE FOR LAND FRAUDS.

Sessions in April. Portland\_Within two weeks another States district attorney's office and by retary of the legation. Besides the Grangers there were in the agents of Special Inspector Thomas

to tear the jid off or graft in San Fran-

But little argument was used in sup- Among the cases of alleged fraud that other states.

### To Remodel Fair Grounds.

Salem-Twenty prisoners from the state penitentiary have been detailed under Guards Elmer White and Frank Benson to commence work on the fair Salem-The state military board, at grounds. All the old buildings that are its last meeting, effected a reorganiza- worthless will be torn down and replac-

### Klamath Falls' Large Club.

one of the arge social organizations in said: story Baldwin block. The club rooms

### Snow in Klamath County.

Klamath Falls-Heavy spows the past week have made the roads in this rons' Educational association, organ- section almost impassable, especially in handed back and forth for 11 years as a | ized March 8, now has 125 patrons, as the mountains. The snow is going off political asset, the service growing more the result of circular letters sent out very rapidly and the streams throughwretched and antiquated every year. by the city superintendent to ascertain out the country are carrying large vol-Within 90 days the traction companies the sentiment of the people relative to umes of water. However, no material

### Willamette Rally Off Till June.

Willamette University, Salem-Anuncement is made that the big rally in connection with the new building and its unknown donor, which had been scheduled for April 3, has been postponed until next June. The meeting, which was for the purpose of makdowment fund, and formulating plans, cannot be held, as all the plans contem-

Ned Smith for Sheep Inspector. Salem-A committee consisting of ern Oregon and Rooper in the Willam- ors of sheep, there being three to apand will probably give him the position.

## PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat-Club, 73c; bluestem, 75c valley, 70c; red, 71c. Oats-No. I white, \$29@30; gray

\$28(0.29 Barley-Feed, \$22.50 per ton; brewng, \$23; rolled, \$23.50@24.50. Rye-\$1.45@1.50 per cwt.

Corn-Whole, \$25; cracked, \$26 pe Hay-Vailey timothy, No. 1, \$15@ 16 per ton; Eastern Oregon timothy, \$17@18; closet, \$9; cheat, \$9; grain

my, \$96610. Apples-Common, 75@1.25 per box hoice, \$1.50@2

Vegetables-Turnips, \$1@1.25 per sack; carrots, \$1@1.25 per sack; beets, \$1.25@1.50 per sack; horseradish, 7@ Sc per pound; calniflower, \$2.50 per dozen; celery, 14 per crate; lettuce head, 35@40e per dozen; onions, 10@ 12 %c; per dozen; sprouts, 9c; radishes, 30e per dozen: asparagus, 121/2c per pound; thubarb, 125c per box. Onions - Oregon, \$1.20@1.50 per

Potatoes - Oregon Burbanks, fancy, \$1.40@1.65; extra fancy, \$1.75; No. 1 ice, \$1.25@1.40.

Butter-Fancy creamery, 35c Butter Fat-First grade cream, 36c per pound; second grade cream, 2c less

Poultry-Average old hens, 15c per and; mixed chickens, 14c; spring, rs and broilers, 20@2234c; ers, 106612c; dressed chickens, 16 ol7c; turkeys, live, 136615c; turkeys, ressed, chaire, 1856@20c; geese, live, 8c; ducks, 166:18c. Free-Oregon ranch, 196-20c per

Veal-Dressed, 5 lg@9c per pound.

lambs, 15c216c. Pork-Dresed, 6@9e per pound. Hops-seille per pound, according

quality.

### CHILE WAS AIMING HIGH.

South American Republic Wanted Am bassador at Washington.

Washington, April 2 .- Chile's failure to send a minister to Washington Grand Jury Investigating Mamto replace Mr. Walker Martinez, who did not return here after the Pan-American conference at Ric Janeiro last summer, has caused much comappropriation bill is to be referred to Federal grand jury will begin to grind gress to appropriate sufficient money to the people. Efforts of Linn county on Oregon land frauds. The jury will maintain the legation has been given as a reason for leaving the American mis-

But it has just become known that the real cause was hidden deep in ed it would be a good idea to have an ambassador in Washington, and steps were taken to discover what the United States thought of the proposed elevation of the Chilean representative to

The suggestion that the Chilean envoy might be raised to the ambassadorial rank set all Latin America on decided to use the referendum to hold work of investigating new cases of fraud stituted by the Southern republics to edge and a general movement was inthe appropriation up until the next has been going on and when the jury head off such a movement. Argentina At the meeting today the entire matgeneral election, when the people will gets into action it will have a long sesbeing unfriendly to Chile was especialy opposed to the plan, as Brazil and Chile are always rated as allies and Argentina did not want her two strongest rivals to outstrip her in American representation.

It has not been the policy of the State department to send ambassadors to any country which can not be ranked as a world power, and when the hostility of the rest of South America to such a change became known the United States decided that the question had better not be agitated further at this

# ONLY SPECIAL RATES GO UP.

President of Western Union Explains Recent Advance in Toll.

New York, April 2 .- Concerning the recently announced advance in the pany during the early stages of its fight rates charged by the company, Colonel R. C. Clowry, president of the Western Klamath Falls-This city now boasts Union Telegraph company, tonight

rates by the telegraph companies. A number of special and unprofitable rates have been increased to the standard of schedule rates. These special rates were discriminative against a large number of places and were orig-Very little action was taken on ac- are conducted on lines similar to those inally established by competing companies, which by reason thereof went into bankruptcy.

"Most of the rates increased were 2! ents for 10 words rates. It costs at east 30 cents each to handle such messages for short distances at the present time. The increases in the cost of telegraph material have been from 25 to 100 per cent within the last few years. "In addition to the recent increases

of 10 per cent in the salaries of all managers and operators, there has been must accept the ordinances, rehabilitate school and home co-operation. The damage has been done. All outdoor for years past a large and steady into the lines entirely, provide sufficient object of the association is to encourage work was asspended during the past vidual employes from month to month. word rate, consequently the newspa-

ALMOST GOT PRES DENCY. Grow, Former Pennsylvania gressman Dies of Old Age.

essary to insure more satisfactory Fed-Binghamton, N. Y., April 2 .- Ex-Congressman Galusha A. Grow died at ing announcements, boosting the en- his home in Glenwood, Pa., Saturday as a result of a general breakdown, atplated will not be completed by that tributed to old age. Mr. Grow was elected to congress from the Wilmot district of Pennsylvania as the youngest member of that body in 1851, and mann trial. Their statements, while number of Besion county sheepmen after retirement from public life for last night plunged almost the entire ceived from the bureau of animal in-

When he retired four years ago his point. Mr. Sieusloff has taken Mr. public service in the house extended over the longest period, although not continuous service, of any man who ever sat in that body. During the ante-bellum days he was one of the best known men in the United States, and in 1864 he came within one vote of being nominated for vice president in place of Andrew Johnson.

Disorders Have Ceased. Bucharest, April 2 .- It is semi-offirially stated that in many districts the ber of women and children. Increasto property and restoring stolen goods toward the Bulgarians, owing to the be- been spoilt by a dog's bite, and the to their owners. Disturbances are relief that, while the powers have called girl claimed damages from the ownerperted from Putna in Moldavia, and the attention of the governments of of the dog. The local court at Davos and armed conflict in Walachia. A petrated by Servian and Greek bands, number of peasants have been killed they have made no protest against the came before the higher court, the judg-or wounded by troops at Langa and actions of Bulgarian bands. Patulele. At Galices, in the center of the disturbed area, all the ringleaders have been captured. The communes of Huerezani and Pengeni are in revolt.

John D. Rives Away Home. land for use as a public park, together factory arrangement. It is learned on fund of \$2,000,000. While full details be submitted to the legislative commit-of the gift are lacking, it is learned tee in an effort to substitute it for legis-retary has been unable to see how be that Mr. Rockefeller has imposed few lation now pending. restrictions, the most important condition being that the transfer shall be made when East Cleveland shall become a part of the city.

### If Less Pay, Will Strike.

rap operators in West Virginia threaten to strike if their wages are reduced when the new eight-hour law, enacted Bryce," continued the premier, ound; cows. 5646c; country steers, 6 portionate reduction in wages as soon ment on Parliament hill." as the act takes effect, May 9, At a Mutton\_pressed, fancy, 10@101/c meeting today operators representing per pound, ordinary, 889c; spring every division in West Virginia adopted resolutions to accept no reduction.

### Suppress News in Russia.

# AFTER RAILWAY NOW

# moth Bribe in Bay City.

After Months of Delay Arrangements Are Completed for Trial of Boss Ruet.

has been added to the chain of evidence problem soon would be nearer solution with the local bribery deals. It is the most important link and comes from a source within the company. The grand jury will soon return indictments in nnection with this mammoth britery by which the sum of \$450,000 was divided among Mayor Schmitz, Abe

Roef and the supervisors. While no definite statement has indictment, this much is certain-the prosecution will direct its fire to three branches of the corporation. These would be welcome. branches are the control, represented by Patrick Calhoun, the president of the company; the active management, represented by Thornwell Mullally, and portant work for the general governthe law department, at the head of which is Tirey L. Ford. The next cost \$100,000,000, but when it was week will determine where the blame is to be placed. It may be distributed

among all three branches. The grand jury today set up George Hatton, former political manager for Senator Perkins and more recently on the political staff of the Southern Pacific, for its special mark. It was brought out that Hatton had been attorney for the Home Telephone company before it bought its way into San Francisco. It Railroads Take Reverge For Twotranspires that Congressman Julius Kahn was also attorney for the com-

to enter the San Francisco field. When the trial of Abe Ruef on a charge of extortion is called today in Judge Dunne's court, prosecution and defense will alike answer "ready." The last of the many postponements and interferences which have caused the preliminaries to drag out over several ponths, are at an end.

### DISSOLVE UNION OF ROADS. Final Stage is Reached in Matter o

Harriman Lines. Chleago, April 2 .- A dispatch to the Tribune from Washington says: The final stage in the investigation of the Harriman situation will begin on Thursday next, when the Intersatte

the testimony taken. Following arguments the commission will refer all testimony to the attorney general, with a view to the institution "There is no increase in the extra "There is no increase in the extra Union Pacific, Oregon Short Line Southern Pacific and allied lines which have been found to be competing, and will prepare a report for the information of the president wherein will be set forth steps which the investigation shows will improve the transportation

## eral regulation.

Hermann Has Inning. Washington, April 2. - Numerous witnesses for the defense were placed on the stand today to impeach the testimony brought out by the prosecution during the past seven weeks of the Hercontradicting considerable testimony offered by government witnesses, had no direct bearing on the principal points at issue, though their denials had the

effect of weakening the prosecution. Henry Meldrum, during his examin ation, testified that he called to see Hermann at the request of H. P. Gatley, son-in-law and associate counsel of

# the defendant.

Bulgarians on Warpath. Belgrade, April 2.-It is reported here that a band of Bulgarians has attacked the old Servian towns of Rudniu and Tooloeha, burning 31 houses, killing seven men and maltreating a numpeasants are repairing the damage done ing bitterness is being displayed here the Swiss Federal tribunal. It had many cases of plunder, incendiarism Servia and Greece to the atrocities per- awarded her \$800. The dog's owner,

### Hill Has Plan.

Minneapolis, April 2 .- - President J Hill, of the Great Northern railroad, beauty" because of the bite. s here arranging a compromise rate measure, which will be submitted to Cleveland, April 2 .- Public an- the legislature tomorrow, according to nouncement will be made today of the an announcement made by a railroad gift by John D. Rockefeller of Forest official today. Mr. Hill, it is said, has peals from Jewish organizations in this Hill, his magnificent summer home in been conferring with heads of other East Cleveland, to the city of Cleve- roads, trying to make a mutually satis- by this government for the protection of with an endowment and improvement good authority that the measure will from the excesses of the rebellious peas-

### Chance to Earn Monument.

Ottawa, Ont., April 2 .- James Bryce, British ambassador to the United States, was the guest of honor at the Canadian club banquet tonight. Sir Wheeling, W. Va., April 2. -- Tele- Wilfrid Laurier said that Mr. Bryce was the first British ambas-ador at Washington to visit Canada. "If Mr. by the recent legislature, goes into able to turn a new leaf in regard to effect. The railroad companies have Canada's relations with the United Beef - Dressed bulls, 3@314c per given notice that there will be a pro- States, I will propose for him a monu-

### Hospital on Mount Olivet.

Jernsalem, April 2 .- The foundation stone of the new German hospital upon the Mount of Olives, was laid Sunday in the presence of the governor of Jeru-St. Petersburg. April 2.-Premier salem, the other local officials and Stolypin has sent a circular to the gov- many spectators, to the accompaniment Mrs. Thaw is said to be breaking voting only on the question of licensing ing 23 acres and a fraction adjoining special special of the trial of special special special of the trial of special specia

### MUST IMPROVE WATERWAYS

# Only Practicable Way To Solve

Freight Problem, Says Hill. New York, April 1 .- James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern, taking as a text the recent action of President Roosevelt in appointing a waterway commission, said today that through the waterways of the country, properly ment. The neglect of the Chilean con- \$450,000 WENT TO GRAFTERS improved, must come the much desired mprovement in the freight-handling conditions. The country, he said, must look to its waterways for immediate rejef of the freight pressure.

"If the government would improve its waterways and extract from them one-fifth of their latent possibilities," San Francisco, April 2 .- A new link said Mr. Hill, "the freight-handling which connects the United Railroads than the railroads themselves can

ever hope to bring it. "There has been in the past a feeling among some railroad men that waterways development would be inimical to railroad interests. I do not think it would, and if this idea has not already wholly disappeared it is in a fair way of doing so soon. We realized that we orthcoming as to the men slated for have created in the prosperity of the country a condition that calls loudly for relief, and any means to that end

> "Take, for instance, a 15-foot channel in the Mississippi from St. Louis to New Orleans. There is no more imfinished a single powerful tow boat could pull from 30 to 40 trainloads. Heavy freights, requiring only moderate speed in traansportation, would go to the seaboard by way of the Gulf, and there would no longer be freight congestion between the East and West."

### ADVANCE RATES ON GRAIN

# Cent Fare Laws.

Washington, April 1 .- In accordance with their intention expressed some time ago, the railroads constituting the Western trunk lines, the Central Traffic association and the Eastern trunk lines have filed with the Interstate Commerce commission tariffs increasing their ratees on eastbound grain and grain products, to become effective about April 1.

This action was taken, it is understood, because of the enactment by legislatures of some of the Western states of laws regarded as inimical to their interests. The particular law to which the railroads took exception was the 2-cent fare act of the legislature of Ne-

braska. When the new tariffs were filed, the commission suggested to the carriers Commerce commission will hear its own that the time for putting the increased unsel and that of involved railroads rates into effect should be postponed. n explanation of points brought out in The carriers cheerfully acquiesced and the commission has granted the carriers permission to post and file amendments. postponing the proposed advances in rates to May I.

### CHOOSE NEW PRESIDENT. Honduran Rebels Will Make General

Guiterrez Their Chief. Washington, April 1 .- General Dioniso Guiterrez, one of the most prominent leaders of the revolution in Honfacilities generally and legislation necduras against President Bonilla, probably will be president of the provisional government established by the Hondurian revolutionists with the aid of President Zeiaya, of Nicaragua. A dispatch received today from Commander Wilterhalter, of the American gunboat Paducah, now at Port Limon, Costa-Rica, states that it is reported therethat General Guiterrex is the favorite

candidate for the head of the new government in Hondurss. It is also reported in Port Limon, acording to Commander Winterhalter's dispatch, that President Bonilla is completely surrounded. The dispatch does not state exactly where Senor Bonilla. is, but it is believed that he is some-

where near Amapala on the south coast f Honduras. Dispatches received by the State department from several different points in Central America announce the bom-

## barding of Amapala.

Girl's Beauty Worth \$1,200. Paris, April 1 .- Twelve hundred dollars is the value placed upon beauty by a butcher, appealed and, when the case es confirmed the award and raised the damages to \$1,200, because the girl, who was 17 and had been very pretty, had suffered the "diminution of her

### Ask Protection for Jews.

Washington, April 1 .- Secretary of State Root has received a number of apountry for the exercise of good offices the Jews in Roumania who are suffering could make any representations on the subject with benefit to the distressed people, in view of the fact that the uprising of the pessantry appears to be political and against the throne.

### Lottery Scheme Exposed.

Jackson, Miss., April 1.—Sensational disclosures regarding a lottery scheme npcn the Coast were placed before the Federal authorities today. Judge Niles has called a special term of the Federal court to meet April 22 to indict the persons involved, some of whom are alleged to be among the most prominent citizens of that section. The authorities decline to reveal the details, but it is learned that a regular drawing of prizes has taken place aboard gulf vessels.

### Oliver, the New Governor.

London, April 1 .- King Edward has mohair, choice, 28@29c per agrarian disorders in Roumania, in the land and authorized the construction of who recently resigned the office, giving

as the reason advanced years.