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## GREAT

GOVERNMENT TO IRRIGATE IM-MENSE AREAS.

OVER HALF OF THE COUNTRY.

Will Put out Millions of Dollars in Reclamation of Arid Lands-Succereful Work.

How Anniversaries Are Being Celebrated-How the Government Expects to Get Even-Money Is Only a Loan--A Few Figures.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 1.— (Special.) - A rare day in June, three years ago, was the 17th of that month, the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill and the birthday of the national irrigation law. And the net rethe present fiscal year, is an irrigation appropriation of \$30,000,000, with an automatic revolving law under which through additions from the sales of struction.

The anniversary this year of Bunker ernment irrigation works and the turn- his plans for the future. ing of 600,000 gallons of water per minute into a great government canal. This ceremony meant a great deal for the idea of American home-making under national anspices. Fifty thousand acres received their first government irrigation-the finished portion of a vast project for the reclamation, of 350,000 acres at a cost of nine million dollars, under the guidance of L. cost of irrigating this 50,000-acre tract - \$1,350,000-will all have been returned to the government by the setby the government to the continuation of the project. The possibilities of this revolving irrigation fund are in pines today. deed very great.

Were there to be no additions to

the west. But with the large yearly additions which have been coming in, CASE GOES TO it is destined before many years to reach the \$100,000,000 mark and become a vast fund for the redemption of Uncle Sam's desert lands for settlement. And could there be a greater work than that of making homes for the people?

Includes One-half of the Country. Almost half of the entire United States is comprised in the area covered by these great irrigation projects, rivalling the gigantic works of Egypt and British India. The following amounts have been apportioned by the secretary of the interior in the different states and territories:

Arizona and California, joint projects .... 3,000,000 Colorado ...... 2,500,000 Idaho, two projects ...... 2,600,000 Robertson Comes in for Fearful Grill-Montana ...... 1,900,000 Montana and North Dakota, joint projects ..... 2,350,000 Nebraska and Wyoming, joint projects ..... 5,750,000 Nevada ..... 2,740,000 South Dakota ..... 2,100,000

-WALLACE DENIES CHARGES.

ical Time Premeditatively.

NEW YORK, June 30 .- Chief Enthe fund is constantly increasing gineer Wallace, whom Taft charged He denied that any suspicious circumwith leaving the canal work at a crit- stances attached to Mitchell's actions western public lands and the repay- ical period, tonight issued a statement when he first heard of the threatened ment to the government by the settlers to the Associated Press replying to indictment. Thurston asserted that of all expenditures for irrigation con- Taft's charges and denying them em- Mitchell was betrayed by all in whom phatically. He said that only after he had a right to trust. He said that s.x days of careful consideration he had Mitchell was poor, alone and sick, and Hill National Irrigation Day was duly determined that it was best to resign his subsequent actions were more those celebrated in Nevada as in Boston, in at this time, as it could be done withthe former commonwealth at the out embarrassment to the administra-Truckee irrigation project in the prestion. At the psychological moment though the senatir was the oldest in ence of a party of distinguished Unit- came an offer from New York offering ed States senators and representatives a business opportunity which he was and government officials, who witnessed bound to consider. Therefore he cabled the opening of the first completed gov- his resignation. He would not divulge had an opportunity to make thousands

CHIEF ENGINEER APPOINTED.

John F. Stevens of Chicago, With Sal ary of \$30,000, Made Engineer of Panama Canal.

WASHINGTON; June 30 .- Secretary Taft has announced the appointment H. Taylor, federal reclamation engi of John F. Stevens of Chicago as chief neer for Nevada. Within ten years the engineer of the Panama canal commission to succeed Wallace. His salary ment had been secured so long ago will be \$30,000. Stevens is now in the that the crime was outlawed. He addservice of the Philippine commission ed that if Kribs had known this he tlers paying for the water rights in for the construction of one thousand could not have been reached by law, ten annual installments to be supplied miles of railway in the Philippines, and perhaps the government would not about to be built by the government. have been able to secure any of the He was to have started for the Philip- checks or evidence which it had gained.

Does your friend take the Twice-athe reclamation fund, its present thirty Week Statesman? If not show him

# **JURY MONDAY**

THURSTON AND HENEY CON-CLUDE THEIR ARGUMENTS.

Financially, in United States Senate.

ing From Counsel for Defense-Prosecution Makes Telling Replies to Arguments of Mitchell's Lawyers

PORTLAND, July 1 .- Senator Thursof Senator Mitchell this morning. In mer private secretary, Robertson, charsoit of the latter, at the beginning of Says He Did Not Quit Canal at Crit- neterizing him as a spy. He said no harsh words of Tanner, but asserted that the witness bought his immunity and that of his son by his testimony. of an honest than that of a guilty man. He called attention to the fact that alpoint of service in the senate, he was always a "boarding house" Benator, too poor to own mansions, although he of dollars in the way the world calls

> At the reconvening of court this afternoon District Attorney Heney commenced his closing argument. Heney made telling answers to the questions asked by Thurston regarding the Kribs matter. The attorney called attention to the fact that Kribs could not have been reached by indictment because the lands named in the indict-It is now considered certain that the

case will go to the jury Monday. Compliments Heney.

Senator Thurston, in resuming the thread of his interrupted argument of yesterday, began by paying a high tribute to the ability of District At- been almost continuous. In accordance torney Heney, afer which he said he could not understand why the prose of the senders and the texts of the cution of the land grabbers had been messages, for the most part, were withturned aside to persecute Senator held. It is learned, however, that Mitchell. He asked the jurors to give among them are messages from Presithe defendant the benefit of all doubt. dent Roosevelt, President Loubet of "You must remember," he said, in France, Secretary of the Interior Hitchaccounting for some of the actions of cock, ex-Ambassador Choate and Gov-Mitchell, " that this old man when ernor John Lane of New Hampshire. the public press announced that he At 7 o'clock tonight an announce was about to be indicted in Oregon, ment was made concerning the funeral was a very feeble old man; he was arrangements. They provide that the lying so near to death that he must body be taken to Newbury by special have heard the fluttering of angels' train tomorrow and proceed to Springwings. He was worn by his duties, held, Mass., where a funeral car will and he was alone; there was no wo be attached to the regular Boston-Chiman's kiss upon his lips or brow to eago through train for Cleveland, Mrs. make the anguish less keen; there was Hay's former home. Private services no little hands about him. He was will be held in the chapel at Lakeview There was no one ready with help and advice, and he must act for nesday. Mrs. Hay received word tohimself. He acted with all the of his nature against the statement that the government was upon his track, bent upon his disgrace. He was outraged at the reported charges of the government. He may have been alarmed, for he was a care less man. He did not know the status of the business of the firm and what Tanner may have done. 'Why.' he may have said to himself, 'I have lived through the whisky grafts, the postal contracts, the sugar tariffs and the other means whereby I might have made hundreds of thousands of dollars in a way that the world calls honest; nine indictments in connection with I lived as a boarding house senator for the present teamsters strike. The men all these years. Do they now accuse me of taking these few small dol-Purchased Liberty.

"What it must have meant for this

Mr. Thurston then reviewed and explained the coming of Mitchell to Portland, his conversation with Tanner, the Kribs case, the examination of the firm's books and the surprise Mr. Mitchell expressed at the condition in which they were kept and the manner also. He denied that Mitchell ever asked Tanuer or his son to perjure themselves. He said he did not wish to be harsh with Tanner, but he pitied him for the position in which he was, the pliant tool of the prosecution, for upon its say-so depended his liberty and that of his son. "I do not suppose," he said, "he was told what to testify to, but the price of his liberty has been paid. I trust that under that arrangement he will not be prosecuted.

o consider all men with charity, but rosecution, Mr. Robertson, bright, ceen, vicious, brought up, almost, by tempted to blow up the Hanna En-Mitchell, and entrusted with his pri-Mitchell, and entrusted with his pri-gine Works on Elston avenue tonight. A blast of dynamite exploded which Robertson testifying before the grand tore out one corner of the building and out as required by the Kay act, and sury, but with his later actions and shattered many windows.

those which preceded that act. "Gen-tlemen," he said, "if you were in this position you would have wings to your DRAG NET OF feet and have made haste to meet Mitchell and told him of his danger, but this man locked it up in his breast. Then he had that pretended interview with Mitchell ,when he rose up in his righteous wrath and told him he was a BEEF TRUST MAGNATES IN MAW liar. Lord, he wouldn't have the courage to call a yellow dog a liar. He says he was bold as a lion, but he was really the servile office boy. You might hang a man on this evidence, but I would not convict a yellow dog on such testimony."

FRANCE ACCEPTS PRINCIPAL. Morocco Controversy Is Now Considered to Be a Closed Incident.

PARIS, July 1 .- Prince Von Rado in, German embassador, called at the foreign office this evening by appoint ment and received from Premier Rouvier, the French response to Germany's last note concerning Morocco, The ton concluded his argument in behalf general tenor of the note was favorable to the principal of the conference. The diplomatic circles therefore regard the argument he grilled Mitchell's for the controversy as practically closed.

invited to see the NEW

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WORLD SORROW

EXPRESSIONS OF UNIVERSAL

SYMPATHY RECEIVED BY

BEREAVED WIDOW.

Messages of Condolence From President

France and Other Notables by Mrs.

Roosevelt, President Loubet

Hay-To Be Buried Wednesday.

with the wishes of Mrs. Hav the names

cemetery, Cleveland, at 11 a. m. Wed-

day that rresident Roosevelt would at-

tend the service. It is expected that

members of the cabinet will act as hon-

orary pallbearers. The funeral party

FORTY-NINE INDICTMENTS

True Bills Against Labor Un-

ion Officials.

CHICAGO, July 1 .- The Cook coun

ty grand jury today returned forty-

indicted include presidents or other

high officers of the different labor un-

ions, including Cornelius N. Shea, pres-

ident of the teamsters' union. Thirty-

two of the number are indicted for as-

sault with intent to do bodily injury

or intent to kill. The rest are for con-

spiracy to injure the business of pri-

Mizzen-Top-Mast of City of Pekin Is

Shattered and Passengers

SAN FRANCISCO, July 1 .- Steam-

er City of Pekin, which arrived here

today from southern perts passed

through a severe electrical storm near

Acajutla. Its mizzen-top-mast was hit

by lightning and shattered as far down

as the cross trees, and the passengers

SCORES KILLED IN TEXAS.

Cloudburst Above Las Vacas Creek Re-

sults in Numerous Deaths

and Property Loss.

DEL RIO, Texas, July 1.—Eighteen persons, of whom sixteen are Mexi-

cans, are known to be dead, and more are probably dead as the result of a

erty loss in the town of Las Vacas.

MACHINEST UNDER SUSPICION.

CHICAGO, July 1 .- Striking ma-

were greatly alarmed.

Frightened.

vate firms.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mather.

# LAW CLOSES

OF THE GOVERNMENT.

MANY OFFICIALS ARE INDICTED.

Grand Jury Pinds Seventeen True Bills All Charging Conspiracy in Restraint of Trade.

a Combine to Destroy Competition in Buying Cattle Fixing Prices in Domestic and Foreign Markets.

CHICAGO, July 1.-The federal grand jury today handed in its report indicting seventeen men prominent in packing industries of the country for

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with their official bond in a sufficient sum to cover the amount of the pay roll. This does not mean necessarily that the secretary of state will issue warrants upon demand of the superintendent, on the contrary, pending the determination of the manuamus suit to compel his observance of the Kay law in all respects to the contrary, he w ... continue to issue certificates. One of the Portland banks, through

the efforts of Governor Chamberlain, has agreed to take the state certificates issued to the officials and employes of the different state institutions at par, so it really makes no particular difference now whether the supreme court upholds the Kay law or not as the employes will get value received for their services, unless the banks elect to ac cept the certificates at face value only for a limited time. Heretofore the Ten Counts Enumerated Setting Forth officials and employes have been obliged to suffer a discount of 15 to 25 per cent upon their certificates, and all efforts on the part of the members of the state board to induce the banks to take them up at par were unavailing. but Governor Chamberlain exerted his personal influence to a successful issue with the above result.

BOULIGAN ABOUT TO RESIGN.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 1.-The esignation of minister of the interior Bouligan is regarded as impending. He will probably be succeeded by Count Ignatieff, former governor of Kieff.

### CHIEF RESIGNS

D. W. PUGH TENDERS HIS RESIG-NATION AS HEAD OF SALEM FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Council Committee on Fire and Water-No One Slated for Place.

ed that the same take effect immediate- join the mutiny. ly. The members of the committee were called together and after a brief consultation was Mayor Waters the resignation was accepted and Engineer Walter E. De Long was appointed as the Kniaz Potemkine. temporary chief of the department. The resignation of Mr. Pugh did not come as a surprise to the mayor and mem-

Who will be Mr. Pugh's successor members of the council do not feel that there is any particular hurry in filling the vacancy, knowing that the department is in splendid hands with W. E. De Long as temporary chief, Mr. De Long being an experienced fireman and one of the most efficient men ever em-

ployed in the department. Under these circumstances it is more than probable that the council will take news." It gave a report that the other plenty of time to select a new chief in order that a first class man may be secured

THREATEN TO FIRE ON CITY

MUTINOUS CREW SENDS DEPUTA-TION TO ODESSA'S OFFICIALS.

RUMORS OF SURRENDER DENIED.

St. Petersburg Claims to Have Heard That Kniaz Potemkine Has Surrendered.

Report From Scene of Trouble States That Remainder of Black Sea Squadron Will Join in Mutiny-Sailors Refuse to Listen to Admiral Chouknin.

Denies Story of Surrender.

PARIS, July 1.-The correspondent at Odessa of the Echo de Paris says that the Kniaz Potemkine has not surrendered and that the mutineers have refused to listen to Admiral Chouknin, who has arrived at Odessa to recapture the vessel.

....... Odessa Says Mutiny Is On.

ODESSA, July 1 .- Matters appear to be becoming increasingly serious. Although a flood of wild rumors are in circulation, it is difficult to ascertain the truth of any of them. According Engineer W. E. De Long Placed in to one of these rumors, from an ap-Temporary Charge of Department by parently reliable source, a deputation of one man from each of the mutinous ships, the Kniaz Potemkine and the Pobiedonosetz, today visited the general and notified him that unless the city capitulated to the mutineers with-D. W. Pugh yesterday morning filed ing forty-eight hours, the warships his resignation as chief of the Salem would begin a bombardment, Many fears are expressed that the remainder fire department with Alderman R. A. of the Black sea squadrou now here, Crossan, chairman of the council com- consisting of two battleships, two mittee on fire and water, and request- ernisers and six torpedo boats, will

> Tells Story of Surrender. St. Petersburg, July 2 .- St. Andrews

flag is now flying from the masthead of An-Odessa dispatch, received here at 2 o'clock this morning, reports in

these words, the surrender of the batbers of the fire and water committee, tleship by her mutinous city hers of the fire and water committee, that a steamer has gone out to the as he had been considering a change Kniaz Potemkine with a supply of pro-NEWBURY, N. H., July 1.—The body of Secretary of State John Hay lies tonight in a room at "The Fells," E. Hartwell, secretary; Charles Swift, Lawrence A. Carton, treasurer; Arthur as yet just what he will do.

Roberts, assistant treasurer, an of the Armous & Co.; Louis F. Swift, president; D. tried chief has several propositions in with caution and until it is fully established that an adequate guard has yet just what he will do. as chief of the Salem fire department the command restored to her commis is a matter of speculation at the pressioned officers, the apprehension that a ent time, and although he resigned yesterday in order that the council could be ended. During Saturday St. Peterselect his successor at the regular meeting on next Wednesday evening, it is as to whether the crew of the Kniaz not likely that the new chief will be Potemkine had returned to its allegnamed at that time. The mayor and lance or whether the revolt still continued and had perhaps spread to other ships and the inability of the government to announce the end of the uprising gave rise to the darkest reports.

American Consul Heenan at Odessa, who, on Friday, announced the surrender of the Kniaz Potemkine, yesterday sent a panicky dispatch to Ambassador Meyer, beginning: "Terrible ships of the Black Sea fleet had mu-

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# HICAGO STORE

# Our Great Annual Clearing Sale

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1000 yds Pretty Scotch Lawns that was 71/2c and 8c, sale price . . 31/2c 121/2c, 15c and 18c Imported Fancy Lawns, sale price . . 8 1-3 and 10c Hundreds of yards of summer goods at half price.

2 price on Remanants of Silks and Dress Goods; this season's. 1000 yds Fine 85c and \$1 Dress Silks sale price..... 59c and 69c 1000 yds of this season's latest Dress Goods, worth from 75c to \$1.50 yd, price. .33c, 49c and 75c This season's latest styles in para-

ls, Half price. Prices on Domestics, Muslins and white gods cut away down. Table Linens, Towels and Napkins all at the mercy of your cash, lit-

tle prices. 500 yds Mosquito Bar, yd ..... 121/2c Scotch Chambery, yd. . 8 1-3c Best Silk Thread, spool ......3c 500 Fringed Napkins, each .....4c Soiled Bed Spreads and Blankets, Half Price.

Prices on Laces, Ribbons and Embroideries cut to pieces

Clearing prices on Foreign and Domestic Dress Trimmings. Half price and less on Ladies' Silk Shirt Waist Suits.

\$18 and \$25 Suits, sale price \$9.50 and \$11.90 Prices cut away down on every article in our Cloak, Suit and Millinery

\$3.00 Trimmed Hats, price. . . . \$1.49 Children's and Misses Hats all reduced. \$2000 worth of the latest and prettiest Shoes in Salem at clearing

Ladies' \$2.50 shoes, sale price \$1.45 Prices on Men's goods slaughtered. Men's 35c summer underwear...19c Men's 8c sox, sale price ......3c Men's 45c working shirts, price 29c Men's and Boys' Straw and Felt

Hats, all reduced. Children's 35c Wash Hats. Children's Swiss Caps......4c Sun Bonnets, .....10c and 15c Ladies' 25c Shirt Waist Sets...10c Best Sous Silk, ball.....20 Best Hair Pins, 2 packages for 1c

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man, old, poor and lonely, the cleanest man, financially, that ever sat in the United States senate, to be confronted by the accusation in the newspapers that he had taken money. I do not think I should have acted just as John H. Mitchell did. I am still strong, and would not have acted in the same way, but I believe every act of Senntor Mitchell can be reasonably explained."

and I hope, Tanner, that in the provi-ience of God you will not be disap-

"I am seldom vindictive, and I like come now to the star witness of the the violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, and four officials of the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger Company for alleged rebating to railroads.

Besides these, individual indictments were voted against five corporations, Armour & Co., Swift & Co., Nelson, Morris & Co., Cudahy Packing Company and the Fairbanks Canning Company. Themen indicted for alleged conspiracy in restraint of trade, which constitutes a violation of the Sherman act, are: J. Ogden Armour, president; Charles Armour, Arthur Meeker, general manager; T. J. Conners, director; P. A. Valentine, treasurer, and Samuel Mc-Roberts, assistant treasurer, all of the Evans, attorney; R. C. McManus tonight the arrival of messages have attorney; A. H. Veeder, general counsel, all of Swift & Co.; Edward Cudaby of Cudahy & Co.; Edward Morris, see

retary, and Ira W. Morris, both of the Nelson, Morris Company. For Seeking Rebates.

The four employes of the Schwarzs child & Sulzberger Company, indicted for alleged rebating with the railroads, are all connected with the traffic department of the corporation.

The indictments voted for alleged riolation of the anti-trust law are idenical in each instance. The indictments ontained each ten counts.

The first and second counts pertained only to beef sold in the domestic trade. The third count charges conspiracy in restraint of trade and commerce among the states and with foreign nations. The count charges that the defend-

ants combined to destroy competition in buying eattle at the stock yards; that they combined to put the prices on the goods in foreign markets at noncompetitive and unreasonable prices, will include Mrs. Hay, Clarence Hay, and curtailed commodities whenever necessary to keep up the prices; that they divided the United States between them and each defendant was to keep in his own territory; the volume of Cook County Grand Jury Finds Many trade was divided, and if a packer had more than his allotted percentage during the week, he must pay-"ante" -so much per hundred weight; that the Actna Company and Oppenheimer Manufacturing Company were the appointed and exclusive agents of the defendants to handle sausage casings and containers and these concerns were to make arrangements with other concerns handling such merchandise throughout the world to control the output and prices. This scheme involved the tanking" or the destruction of large quantities of casings whenever the supply was too great. The Kenwood Company was to handle the olemargerine, ons, etc., practically on the same basis, except that there would be no destruc-STEAMER STRUCK BY LIGHTNING tion.

To Monopolize Trade.

The fourth, fifth and sixth counts charge that the charges of the third county would be an attempt to monopolize trade and commerce. The seventh count sets forth the particulars concerning the organization of the National Packing Company, which, it was charged, was to destroy competition between the packers interested in the National Company and also between ten other small packing companies consolidated in the National. The eighth count makes out that the National Packing Company did attempt to monopolize the same trade and commerce. ne tenth count revers to similar actions in connection with meats and by-products. The indictment against the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger employes states that the deefndants conspired to secure large repates from the railroads for the benefit of the Schwarzschid & Sulzberger Company and eites

RECOGNIZES KAY LAW.

instances.

cloudburst on Las Vacas creek on the Mexican border. There was great prop-Secretary of State Dunbar is observing the Kay law, providing for the payment of the officials and employes of certain state institutions monthly instead of quarterly and by warrant chinests are suspected of having at- instead of certificate, to the extent that he is sending out blank pay rolls to the superintendents of the institutions named with instructions to fill them



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