"Sandhogs" Perish When Natural Gas Is Ignited and Burns to Death.

SCENE IS SCHOCKING WHEN CORPSE FOUND

Many of Spectators Faint With Horror Upon Viewing Remains of Man.

Memphis, Tenn., April 6.—Trapped in a caisson in which they were helping to lay the foundation of the J. T. Memphis, Tenn., April 6.—Trapped in a caisson in which they were helping to lay the foundation of the J. T. reserve board when that hody is named. Historian bridge across the Mississippi river here, nine "sandhega" were smothered to death toda. The scene was so shocking when the caisson in the depths of the viver, was broken open and the first corpse was brought to the reserve cities, but said ing incident thereto which will be need to the president would not say, but it was not considered likely to be named for was so shocking when the caisson in the depths of the viver, was broken open and the first corpse was brought better the selections would stand bor of precincts catablished by the county courts for conducting elections during the current year is 1,476, with a total of 2,122 election boards. The cost of printing the necessary elections are the president intithe depths of the viver, was broken open and the first corpse was brought be the reserve cities, but said ing incident thereto which will be need to the president would not be upset by the federal during the current year is 1,476, with a total of 2,122 election boards. The cost of printing the necessary elections was a shocking when that he had no hand in the second of printing the necessary elections are total of 2,122 election boards. The cost of printing the necessary elections are total of 2,122 election boards. The cost of printing the necessary elections are total of 2,122 election boards. The cost of printing the necessary elections are total of 2,122 election boards. The cost of printing the necessary elections are total of 2,122 election boards. The cost of printing the necessary elections are total of 2,122 election boards. The cost of printing the necessary elections are total of 2,122 election boards. The cost of printing the necessary elections are total of 2,122 election boards. The cost of printing the necessary elections are total of 2,122 election boards. The cost of printing the necessary elections are total of 2,122 election board

The dead were: John Leonard. John Clayton. John King. J. J. Johnson.

A Winkler. P. F. Farrell, Michael Burke, John Powers.

John Powers. All are white men. They had just relieved a gang of ten negroes.

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

UNDERGOING REPAIRS the room formerly used by the gover as Carothers was operating exclusively nor is, and visitors can now find the in constitutionalist territory. private secretary in room one, formerly used exclusively by the governor's sten ographers. This is not caused by the governor being on a visit to Donver, but by the fact that in building the vanilt in the room below, which comes to the ceiling, it is necessary to cut a hole sixteen feet square through the por in the governor's office in orde to complete the work on the vault. Taking advantage of this and the fact that everything had to be taken from the room, Mrs. Hobbs, like every other woman at the coming of spring, tied her head up in a sling, metaphorically, of course, and made herself happy by having a regular house-cleaning tim-

DEATH CAUSES SORROW

PASSING OF HEAD OF W. C. T. U. REGRETTED BY LOCAL WORK-ERS WHO KNEW HEE.

The death of Mrs. Lillian M. Stev ous, national president of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, occuring this morning in the east caused pro-found grief to the local workers, many of whom knew her personally, as shome served in the capacity of state president, and as such has visite. Salem, where she was much beloved. At the memorial meeting held yesterday for Mrs. Edith Booker Hill, the illnes of Mrs. Stevens was touched upon, by few thought they should so soon again be called upon to mourn the death of

The local W. C. T. U. will hold their regiar meeting tomorrow at their had, at which time plans will be made for a memorial service for Mrs. Stevens At yesterday's meeting the rostrom listory of the state for use at an elec-was beautifully descrated with patied tion occurring therein. These supplies plants and ent flowers, while a picture have been prepared especially for the of the late Mrs. Edith Booker-Hill primary election of May 15. Some idea occupied a place of honor.

RESULT OF CONTROVERSY. STILL BIDING FINE AS

WILSON REFUSES TO TAKE SERIOUSLY KICKS **REGARDING SELECTIONS**

Believes Sites for Regional Banks Were Honestly Chosen in Capital.

NO RECOGNITION AS YET

Action Regarding Rebels Postponed Although His Hand May Be Forced Suddenly.

(BY JOHN EDWIN NEVIN.) Washington, April 6.—President Wilcriticism voiced concerning the cities named by the reserve bank organization committee for regional banks. He said he believed the selections were honestly made and that they had been decided upon after a complete investigation regarding actual trade, capitalization and the exchange methods of the

banks of each district.

President Wilson also indicated that
he believed the selections would stand open and the first corpse was brought to the surface, that several spectators fainted. At noon rescuers were still after the other bodies.

The accident was due to the striking of a natural gas pecket beneath the cuisson. The gas was ignited by the lights the sandhogs carried, and they we, looked to death. The gas still is burning. A second body was brought is burning. A second body was brought in the sandhogs carried, and they we, looked to death. The gas still is burning. A second body was brought is burning.

characterized as premature by Presi-dent Wilson. He indicated that cir-cumstances will determin the action constances will determin the action that he shall take in the recognition of any government in Mexico. He also indicated that his hand may be forced studently, but said that otherwise his policy would be one of non-recognition attil a stable government had been established.

No information had reached Wash.

No information had reached Wash-Carothers, who is representing the state of clerk and sheriff. department with General Villa. It was believed that Huerta had taken this action, but President Wilson indicated The governor's office is locked up action, but President Wilson indicated and closed to the public, or at least that this made no difference, inasmuch BISHOP CRUCIFED BY

WOULD SECURE REPUBLICAN NOMINATION FOR REPRESENTA-

Filings for nominations are still com-ng in lively. Friday is the last day which filings can be made by politi nl parties, and after that date there will be but few, as they will be confined to such candidates as are nominated by assemblies. Those filing today are: Forest S. Pisher, republican, for the ower house of the legislature from Multnomah county,

Nels R. Jacobson, republican, for the nomination for congress from Mult nomah county. He wants after his name on the hallot: "For personal iberty; law enforcement; Oregon: the Northwest and the Nation.

S. B. Cobo, John Gill and S. B. Hus-on, all republicans and selected by Portland citizens for the place, filed for representatives in the legislature. C. Libby, republican, wants to epresent Marion county in the lower ouse of the legislature.

John P. Rusk, progressive, wants to be representative from Union county.

MUCH SUPPLIES NEEDED

SECRETARY OF STATE FORWARDS LARGE QUANTITIES FOR ELEC-TION OF MAY 1.

Secretary of State Ben W. Oleutt. Sunday forwarded to the county clerks of the 34 counties of the state the largest quantity of election supplies which has ever been provided in the may be gained of the quantity of elec-tion have, poll books, tally sheets, state-ments, abstracts, official scals, pencils, clies and needles accessary from the fact that 44 boxes weighing, with con Telesto Ohio, April 6.—It seemed

12,435 pounds comprise the total shipartain today that the city council

mould not accept the proposal of

for the current primary election is more
for the current primary election is more the local fraction company to set the local fraction company to set the local fraction company to set the first company proposed that a taright five-cent fare be charged, and that five tickets be said for the fifteen cents. It was said that the words are described by the straight 3-cent ordinance, and the straight 3-cent ordinance, and the straight 3-cent ordinance, and the natural growth is the voting population in the straight 3-cent ordinance. ♦ has ordered the police to protect
 ♦ passengers who refused to pay
 ♦ the increase, as has also the fact that

Army Man Gone on Eve of Trial

Seattle, Wash., April 6.-The police of the northwest and United States army officers are searching today for Captain J. H. Griffiths, who has been reported missing on the eve of court-martial proceedings, which were to have began today at Fort Lawton, to hear charges that the officer is \$9,000

short in his accounts.

Since his arrest by Major Hugh J.
Gallagher, following an investigation
of his accounts, Captain Griffiths has been technically confined in his quart-ers at the Perry hotel. It is an army custom to hold officers under arrest on

Griffiths was last seen at 11:30 clock Saturday night near the Seattle-Taeoma interurban station. Sin then all trace of him has been lost. According to army officials the possibility of his showing up in time for the courtmartial proceedings today is "decidedly remote."

- His violation of arrest subjects him to discussed come the second

dismissal from the service.

The missing captain is 45 years old and weighs 155 pounds. He was the property man and disbursing officer of of the quartermaster's depot here. He was a bonded officer and a bond of \$10,000 covers the alleged shortage.

county courts was 1,082, with a total og 1,397 election boards, while the num-ber of precincts established by the the primary election, approximates \$4,050. There have been required 17, 380 pounds of paper for printing these laws and the blanks referred to. A \$4,050;

statement showing the total number and various blanks included in the shipnent of election supplies follows There were 4,800 pell books; tally sheets for Republican party; 7,50 tally sheets for Democratic party; 7,50 tally sheets for Progressive party; 7,50

No information had reached Wash for stringing ballots; 910 dozen indelington today concerning the reported action of President Huerta in revoking 5,000 copies of election laws for election boards; 60 receipt books for use Caratheau who is a consular designation of George tion boards; 60 receipt books for use

NOT GIVING \$50,000

crucified by General Zapata, leader of the southern rebellion, was feared here

The hishop was captured Zapatists last week and the general announced that unless he could raise \$59,000 ran some he would be crucified on Good Friday. The prisoner could not find Friday. the money, and it was reported that Zapata, convinced he would not get it receeded with the crucifixion without further delay.

The newspapers here were still sup ressing the announcement of Tor

An unconfirmed report was current that four federal generals had com mitted suicide. It could not be veri

Will Deport Spanish

Juarez, Mex., April 6.—General Ville was delayed today in enforcing ex-pulsion of the 600 Spanish residents of orreon by the crowded condition o the railroad between there and Chikuahun City.

As soon as he could get rolling stock was said, the cutire 600 would b ipped northward. He planned to pro passenger couches for the wome and children but considers boxcars goo nough for the men, except the sick

Although it was admitted here that illa issued the exputsion order against the Torreon Spaniards without consult ng General Carranza, it was believed constitutionalist circles that etion would be approved by his super

Escape Reprt Not Confirmed.

Washington, April 6.—No contigman
tion had been received here up today of
reports that Luis Terraneas, Jr., had esaped from Chihoxhun City, where General Villa held him prisoner, and was on s way to Mexico City. The rumore scape was said to have occurred sever I days ago, and it was believed that if it had really happened more would hav been heard concerning it by this time.

To Attack Monterey.
Brownsville, Texas, April 6,—Confidence that General Villa is planning an immediate attack on Monterey was exressed today at constitutionalist head-marters in Mutamoras, across the Rio Grande from here. This opinion was based on the fact that orders have been eccived for rebel troops at Matamoras to estrain for Ramones, 20 miles north

Messages from Vistoria said two fedthe Progressive party is now required eral troop trains carrying reinforce.

Hundreds of persons again de to nominate its candidates at the priments to Tampico, were blown up near clined today to pay five cent to many election. In 1912 the number of fares and rode free.

GREATLY TONED DOWN

Expecetd Amendment as to Closed Shop Agreement Will Be Modified.

CONSOLIDATE BILLS

Three of Them Will Be Included in One and Lawmakers Handling Them Are Urged to Hurry.

Washington, April 6,-Drastically toned down, revised drafts of the ad-ministration's anti-trust bills will be submitted to congress this week, it was announced today.

The lawmakers who are handling them have received instructions to speed matters up as much as possible but the opinion was gaining ground that several of the bills may be shelved for the session and the anti-trust program curtailed or perhaps even postjournment, so, that congressmen may get back to their constituencies and look after their political fences.

Three of the anti-trust bills, it was

said, are likely to be compressed into one. Whether the labor union and farmers' organization exemption clause will be permitted to stand will be de-cided in a few days, it was stated. The expectation was that the Burtlett-Pacon amendment, authorizing union to make closed shop agreements with employers would be modified, at any rate by limiting the unions' exemption from the operation of anti-trust legis lation to permission for organizations to exist without legalizing closed shop

NOT GUILTY PLEA IS

Local Greek Denies Charge Brought by Laura Swenson and Zacharay Denies Attack on Daughter.

MAREL BISHOP DENIES CHARGE AGAINST HER

McMonies, Charged With Adultery and McDowell, With Bigamy, Given Time to Consider.

the case of the state ex rel. D. A. ty grand jury, under \$1000 honds.

McKee versus P. A. Livesley, a motion McInturff & McInturff, attorneys for by ex. President John F. Stevens of the to strike out the complaint was ad mitted and plaintiff given until April bonds to \$250, and District Attorney by ex-President John F. Stevens of the Great Northern, was asnounced here 11 to file an amended complaint. This Upjohn, of Polk county, consented yes today by the Hill interests.

the mayoralty of Woodburg.

In the suit of Dolph Boyer versus neys.

John Griffith, of Winnipeg, Canada,

John Griffith, of Winnipeg, Canada, Enymond Boyer an order confirming John Griffith, of Winnipeg, Canada, sale of 23.4 acres, a part of the Louis Vandall donation land claim was made with each to put up as bond for Mr.

the grand jury with an attack on the Swanson, entered a plea of not guilty. Wealthy and influential citizens of the Swanson, entered a plea of not guilty. Wealthy and influential citizens of the Swanson, entered a plea of not guilty. Wealthy and influential citizens of the Swanson, entered a plea of not guilty. Wealthy and influential citizens of the Canadian metropolis, and is thoroughly attack on his daughter on November justly prosecuted. He is a man of stern justly prosecuted. the grand jury with an attack on Laura Mabel Bishop, accused of bigamy,

pleaded not guilty.
Alvin Clymer, charged with rape also entered a plea of not guilty.

McMonies, accused of adultery, was given until April 7 to plea.

Albert McDowell, charged with big

amy, was given until April 11 to plend

W. C. T. U. HEAD IS DEAD.

+ at her home here today. She had +

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The Weather

president of the Women's Christ. .

CORNELIUS VOTING. Hillsboro, Or., April 6.—Cornelius which went dry last year by a majori ty of nine is in the threes of a wet and

dry city election today, and every vot ers, man atel woman, is turning out. The opinion was the result would be very close. J. F. Kilgore is the dry

Hear That Their People are Being Har-assed by Citizens or Bealms of candidate for mayor, while the wets are championing Tom Talbot. Great White Czar, Portland, Me., April 6,-Mrs, & Lillian M. N. Stevens, national &

SECRET AGENTS WILL GIVE FACTS REGARDING SITUATION

Facta Will Be Given to World in Hope
Public Opinion May Force Change
in Russia's Policy.

In the state, savings, for companies there were resources of \$72,622,639.82, as compared with \$70,015,060.43 April 1

Colquitt is Curbed by United States Regulars JUT



Photo of ranger by American Press Association.

Governor Oscar B. Colquitt. Washington, April 6.—Governor Ostar B. Colquitt, who, it was feared, might bring about serious trouble with Mexico, by invading that country with Mexico, by invading that country with the border has something to do with Texas rangers, following outrages com- his attitude

ENTERED BY FRED DODD JOHN SCOTT IS RELEASED GREAT NORTHERN WILL

TERESTS ANNOUNCE.

St. Paul, Minn., April 6 .- That har-

to outdo by sea and rail the fastest

time now made along the coast and

The plans call for the expenditure of

Two ships for the constwise service

The state banking department ha

ust issued a statement showing the

condition of banks in the state at he close of business March 4, 1914, as

ampared with that of April 4, 1913

Also the appregate resources and liabilities of both state and national banks

in the city of Portland at the same

In the state there are five more state

In the state, savings, private and for

913. The net gain is \$2,607,579,50. In the national backs there were re-

and one more untional banks than in

from the coast into the interior.

many millions of dollars.

ington were undertaken.

Philadelphia.

SPEND \$2,000,000 IN MAN ACCCUSED OF STATUTORY CRIME IS BEFRIENDED BY PRIEND FROM CANADA.

Joe Scott, who was charged with a Statutory crime in the justice court of West Salem last Tuesday, has been released on \$200 bonds.

PORMER PRESIDENT STEVENS WILL HAVE CHARGE OF HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS, HILL IN-

Mr. Scott, it was charged, committed the alleged crime upon the person of Lena Krebs, a girl 12 years of age Mr. Scott was arrestel upon information In Judge Kelly's department of the furnished by the girl, was tried, and af- bor improvements at Tillamook, Or., treuit court there was a big grist of ter a hard battle in the justice's court, which it is proposed to make a rival usiness put through the mill today. It was bound over to the next Polk court to San Francisco, as a shipping point,

On the criminal side there were six Scott. Mr. Griffith's son, Howard, is cases called. Fred Dodd, charged by Mr. Scott's son in law.

Mr. Griffith senior is one of the most determination, and stated that he would not leave a stone unturned to secure justice for Mr. Scott.

He came all the way from Montreal to help his friend, Mr. Scott in his hour

JEWS INVESTIGATING PERSECUTION STORIES

London, April 6,-Rich Jows here London, April 6.—Rich Jows here were reported today to have accret agents in Ruesia investigating stories that persecution of their people is userasing throughout the czar's realist.

The Dickey Bird says: Pair tonight a n d Tuesday.

Light frosts to-night

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If these accounts were verified, it was said there investigators would give the actual facts to the world in the hone that public opinion might force a change in the Muscovite government's anti-semetic policy. There was also understood to be talk among the great jewish money kings throughout Europe of a combination to bring financial pressure upon the Russian court.

Light frosts to-night in the first ward here today.

The Portland banks had \$87,850.

There was a drizating rain but workers on both sides were out in force, and all indications were for eactual facts to the world in the hone said there investigators would give the banks in this state show a total of resulting equally strong efforts.

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Admits He Told Colorado Mine Manager He Would Stand Back of Him,

SAYS CONSCIENCE **FULLY ACQUITS HIM**

Suggested He Should Have Interested Himself in Mine Conditions.

Washington, April 6 .- John Washington, April 6.—John D. Rockefeller Jr. was handled without gloves here today by the congressional sub-committee, which has been investigating industrial conditions in the Colorado coal fields.

He was called on the strength of information in the committee's hands that the Rockefeller interests dominated these fields and were back of a determined compains to keep valoriem.

determined campaign to keep unionism out of them. What he told amounted to very little, for he had never been close enough to the details of manage-ment of the mines with which he was connected to be thoroughly informed, he said, concerning them. This, how-ever, did not prevent the committee men from asking some very pointed

His father, the junior Rockefeller said, owned 40 per cent of the stock in the Colorado Fuel and Iron company. He himself held on just onough to be qualified as a sirector. He had not know much of the company's methods Would Stand Back of Them.

Asked if he ever wrote, as reported, to Manager Bower of the Colorado corporation, that he would stand by the latter whatever he did. Rockefeller admitted it. He denied, however, that he was a "dummy director."

"How many directors' meetings have

on attended in ten years?" nakel Chairman Foster. The witness was able to remember

only one. "Have you assumed any active park in the management of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company!" went on the

"We knew through correspondence what was going on." was the answer. Pointed Questions.
"Didn't you consider this strike of 10,000 men of sufficient interest or im-

portance to attend a directors' meeting "You are connected with a civic wel-

fare movement, are you not?'

"Yet you have taken no steps in this matter involving several thousand "I felt that I could do no more than

I have told you about."
Refers to "White Slave" Probe. it was stated, are now being built at The government, Hill sources were authority for saying, will spend \$2,000,000 in dredging Tillamook harbor and it was understood that it was to secure "As chairman of a 'white slave' grand jury in New York you did con-siderable sociological investigation," suggested Foster. "Couldn't you have undertaken a little personal investigat-ing in Colorado!" federal aid in opening this harbor that James J. Hill's recent trips to Wash-

"I wish to say," replied Rocke-feller, "that in the 'white slave' cases BANK STATEMENT IS OUT I did no personal investigating. "Don't you think your responsibility toward these 10,000 strikers in Colo-rado went farther than this."

"I don't think anything more could FIVE MORE STATE AND ONE have been done." "Do you know the rent the miners MORE NATIONAL BANK THAN IN YEAR 1913. pay, or that the Colorado Fuel and Iron company owns the houses they live in and 300,000 acres of land?"

"Don't you think such a director ought to get off the board?" "My conscience acquits mo," replied

Rockefeller. ONE DAY'S REST FAVORED. Washington, April 6.—Senator Cham-berlain today received a memorial from the Medford Ministerial association in favor of granting government employes, especially in the postal service, one

day he rest as week.

GUNPLAYS FREQUENT IN CHICAGO'S WARD ELECTION. ↑ Chicago, April 6.—The final al ↑
↑ dermanic battle at the poils be ↑
↑ tween "Bathhouse" John Cough. ↑
↑ lin and Miss Marion Drake was on ↑ sources in the total of \$88,357,348,50. In and alias alarted sources in the total of \$88,357,348,50. In the first ward here today, as against \$02,724,831.70 in 1943. The

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