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PARIS MAY BE

GENERAL STRIKE OF

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Postoffices — Considerable

Excitement Prevails.

Paris, March 15.—Paris is in sus-

of a general strike on the part of the

telegraphers and telephone employees

in the bureau of the post office, All the branches of the service are involved.

number of branch and subsidiary or-

ganizations will be represented. Comnittees of the employees have been sitting since last night to receive sec

ret reports from agents who are canvassing the situation in the provinces.

The services are considerably disor-

cians union, is openly threat.

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in charge of the government."

A NOTABLE FUNERAL.

Dynamite Gun, Is Buried at Rochester, N. Y.

Rochester, N. Y., March 15 .- The fun-

eral of Major Edmund Zalinski, the U.

S. A. inventor of the dynamite gun

was held from his sister's home in this

Years Old, Gives Remark-

able Advice

Lynn, Mass., March 15 .- "If you want

On Wednesday last "Aunt" Phoebe

number, you see," she naively remark-

ed. Miss Wade was born in Wadesville, N. S., March 10th, 1807. She has lived

during the administration of every

TROUBLE IN SAMOA.

ense to-day concerning the like

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, March 15.-Thomas B.

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# MASSACRES BY PERSIAN TROOPS

VILLAGES ARE PILLAGED AND DEVASTATED

Soldiery Ruthlessly Kill Fleeing Peasants—Terrible Scenes Enacted.

St. Petersburg, March 15.-A dispatch to the Novo Vremyo from Julfa, on the ontier between Persia and Russia says that 1,000 Persian governmen nen and 5,000 infantrymen are bank of the Araxes river, devastating the villages in their path and shooting down the people

Already ten villages, four of them inhabited by Russian subjects, have een pillaged and burned. The troops are ruthlessly killing the ing their children on their backs, attempted to swim the Araxes to the long of the Eastern hotel on their backs, attempted to swim the Araxes to the long of the Eastern hotel on their backs, attempted to swim the Araxes to the long of the Eastern hotel on their backs, attempted to swim the Araxes to the long of the Eastern hotel on their backs, attempted to swim the Araxes to the long of the Eastern hotel on their backs, attempted to swim the Araxes to the long of the Eastern hotel on their backs, attempted to swim the Araxes to the long of the Eastern hotel on the long of the l

river opposite Julfa.

New York, March 15.—Frank G. Bruce, a Yonkers inventor, committed suicide at his home in that city on Saturday, just his home in that city on Saturday, just as the postman brought to his door a letter informing him that the United States patent office had granted him a patent on a non-refillable bottle, a de-

Bruce had become discouraged over the

PREFERENTIAL TRADE London Chamber of Commerce Endorse

andon hamber of Commerce has a self-governing colonies has been a distinct advantage to the British manufacturers and that the withdrawal of the preference would be most detrimental to

EMPIRE RIFLE SHOOT.

Wellington, N. Z., March 15.-Premier Ward, speaking at the rifle championship meeting, expressed the hope that as the New Zealand and Australian states would rifle shooting meeting in Australia next October, Canada, and Great Britain would also be represented

STORMY SCENE IN MAYORLESS CITY

Deadlock at Los Angeles Over Naming of Chief Magistrate.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 15.-The city council is in session to-day for the held in any American city for the re- stairs to the attic chamber. was accepted on the following morning out a mayor.

To-day's session of the council threatened to become a stormy scene. Feeling was very bitter. When the ouncil convened it was reported that there would be a deadlock on the question of whether the man named to-day should serve for the remainder of Harper's term, or only until the recall election can be held and a successo

A great crowd of citizens besieged the city hall when the council meeting began and the chamber was jammed as never before with citizens interested in the outcome of the movement.

IOWA AND SALOME DANCERS

No "Vulgar" Shows or Modern Edens for

Des Moines, Iowa, March 15 .- Senators

must attend and pass upon. The penalty county, California.

for violations of the act is both fine and imprisonment for the manager of the house and the actress appearing.

DEATH OF MULTI-MILLIONAIRE. ouse and the actress appearing.

HIS LAST VOYAGE.

Captain C. Cameron, a Noted White Star Line Commander, "Crosses the Bar."

### MORE "UNKNOWN" **'QUAKES RECORDED**

St. Petersburg, March 15. Many strong earthquake shocks were recorded on Russian seismographs on Saturday and Sunday. It is estimated that the scene of the disturbances was approximately in the direction of the Philippines and

HOTEL CLERK SLAIN;

TILL IS RIFLED

marching on Julfa from the Persian Mystery Surrounds Early Morning Crime in New

New York, March 15.-Lying in a the body of Isadore De Valante, hight tempted to swim the Araxes to the Russians, but they were shot down.

Three hundred homeless families have taken refuge on an island in the lives results. The lives results a small percentage of these were admitted. The senate being a continuous body, its organization is complete, although the properties of the capitol, but only a small percentage of these were admitted. The senate being a continuous body, its organization is complete, although the properties of the capitol, but only a small percentage of these were admitted. The senate being a continuous body, its organization is complete, although the properties of the capitol, but only a small percentage of these were admitted. The senate being a continuous body, its organization is complete, although the properties of the capitol of the capito The clerk was murdered by a man who afterwards rifled his pockets, took \$78 Sherman, and the swearing in of Sen-

atent on a non-refillable bottle, a de-lice which his friends say is worth the hotel shortly after 6 o'clock at in the entire membership, and this was night and to leave at 7 o'clock the fol-lowing morning. Between 2 o'clock and of members marched down the aisles

> NEWSPAFER CL . SCATED. St. Petersburg, March 15.-The news paper Russ was confiscated on Saturday for publishing extracts from Count Leo Tolstol's latest work, "Christianity and

HOUSE FIRED TO HIDE DASTARDLY CRIME

Dying Man Gives Name of Assailant When Rescued.

Monticello, N. Y., March 15.—Bernard Soloman was found dying from terrible wounds in his house here to-day, the circumstances indicating that an atempt had been made to kill him, and that the dwelling had been fired in an

wounded man was hastily dragged Speaker. from the burning house and given timulants to revive him. In a moment VICTIM ASKS TO BE of consciousness he gave the police the name of a man who he said had tried to kill him and had set fire to the hous The dwelling was burned to the ground. While it was still ablaze the polic went to work on the case and made a purpose of selecting a successor to for- number of arrests. It is believed the mer Mayor Harper, who resigned last Thursday night, facing an election on joining the house as a trait of blood his recall, the first election of the kind | led from the barn to the house and up-

by the council the city has been with- JACK LONDON RETURNING. IS PHYSICAL WRECK

> Author Unable to Complete His with Mrs. Morris were improper. World Cruise in Yacht Snark.

San Francisco, Cal., March 15.-Jack London, the noted author, who started from this city some time ago in his yacht Snark for a cruise around the world, is a physical wreck in the South Seas, and because of his continued illness he has abandoned the long trip to return to California. return to California.

This information is contained in a etter received from London by a friend intended to kill him. Dowell, of Polk, and Saunders, of Potta-watomie, are preparing drastic bills for nervous system has completely broken introduction at the present session of the down and that he has been in a hoslegislature barring from the stage in pital for some time. It was known lows suggestions of the Salome dance, among his friends in San Francisco fleshlings and vulgar songs and suggest. "We must have cleaner shows," said senator Dowell, "and no Gertrude Hoffman can present modern Edens in Iowa."

The bill makes the county attorney the censor of all performances, which he all performances, which he ful little village of Carmel, in Monterey "NOT GUILTY" PLEA

> General W. J. Palmer Was Founder of Colorado Springs.

Colorado Springs, Colo., March 15.- New York World, through its counsel General William J. Palmer, founder of Delancey Nicholl, pleaded not guilty Colorado Springs, died at his country before Judge Holt to-day to the charge New York, N. Y., March 15.—Capt. C. seat, Glen Eyrie, west of the city, late of criminal libel in the Panama canal German Warships Leaving for Scene of ing called by the Citizens' Club. A total of \$3.775 was subscribed in forty min-Cameron, of the White Star line, who of a fall from a horse in October, 1906, for a quarter of a century was one of which resulted in breaking his back. Counsel for Caleb Vanhamm, an editor of the World, also entered a plea

### TARIFF LAWS TO BE ENACTED

U. S. CONGRESS MEETS IN SPECIAL SESSION

Joseph Cannon is Re-Elected as Speaker—Balloting for Seats.

Washington, D. C., March 15 .- Precisely at noon to-day the extraordinary session of the sixty-first congress, called by the president for the purpose of enacting tariff legislation began. The senate already has to its credit a brief session of the new congress, this being customary following the incoming of a new administration in order that cabinet and other appointments might be confirmed. As is always the case with the con

from the hotel till, and made an unsuccessful attempt to get into the safe in which there was \$3,000.

The police have practically no clue as to the identity. Thumb prints which were along of the two was present-

were alongside the names of the two men written on the hotel register, the bers had to organize, and this consum-

difficulty which he was having in connection with his patent. Twice before he
had attempted suicide, but had each time
been prevented from carrying out his
purpose.

lowing morning. Between 2 0 clock and
6 the clerk is alone, and although no
struggle was heard by any one in the
hotel it is supposed the murder was
committed during that time.

of members marched down the aisles,
and standing in the hall in front of
the rostrum, took the oath of office.
This completed, the House entered
upon the work of electing a speaker. There seems to be no doubt that Joseph G. Cannon will be re-elected despite the "insurgent" movement against him Aside from the question of what will be done with the rules, great solicitude on the part of nembers is being felt concerning the outcome of the biennial lotter. These having desirable places in the chamber are loath to the general post office.

Lead the part of nembers is being felt concerning the outcome of the biennial these buildings, and a regiment of infantry is camped in the courtyard of the general post office.

ENGLISH MAN give them up, but they must take their

nances with the rest. This is always an interesting pro a box a marble bearing a number which indicates the seat the member is to have, the name being drawn in alphabetical order. Should the slate agreed upon at the Republican caucus of Saturday night go through, all the old officers will be re-elected. Besides

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The General Association of Employees has issued a statement protesting indignantly against the charge

Cannon Re-elected, Washington, D. C., March 15-(Later) | ment is anarchistic. They declare that

SHOT THROUGH HEART

Confessing Guilt, is Murdered Under the "Unwritten Law."

Fort Worth, Tex., March 15.-Fred represented, the National Guard send-Morris, a baseball player, last night ing a firing squadron. Messages of shot and instantly killed Otto H. Meyer, a vaudeville singer, in a room Takahira, Japanese minister, and the in a local hotel, after having obtained Peruvian and Cuban embassies. a written confession that his relations The two men came to the hotel to-

gether and were assigned to the same room. Shortly after they had retired the shots were heard. Meyer was found lying in a pool of blood, while Morris, upon the approach of the hotel authorities, calmly announced: "I guess I am the man you are looking for. I think the police need me." After he and Meyer had reached the room, Morris declared, he read an confession and then told him that he

"Meyer extended his arms," said Morris, "and told me to shoot him guess."
through the heart, so that all would On V ed and would follow him beyond the day, and when a bevy of Lynn school

IN PANAMA LIBEL CASE

New York, March 15.—The Press president except Washington and Publishing Company, publishers of the Adams.

Cameron, of the White Star line, who for a guarter of a century was one of the best known trans-Atlantic liner Commanders on the Atlantic, and until April last year was in command of the White Star liner Oceanic, died yesterday in Sauthampton.

Counsel for Caleb Vanhamm, an editor of the World, also entered a plea of not guilty to a similar charge in behalf of Mr. Vanhamm. Counsel for Caleb Vanhamm, an editor of the World, also entered a plea of not guilty to a similar charge in behalf of Mr. Vanhamm. Counsel for Caleb Vanhamm, an editor of the World, also entered a plea of not guilty to a similar charge in behalf of Mr. Vanhamm. Counsel for Caleb Vanhamm, an editor of the World, also entered a plea of not guilty to a similar charge in behalf of Mr. Vanhamm. Counsel for Caleb Vanhamm, an editor of the World, also entered a plea of not guilty to a similar charge in behalf of Mr. Vanhamm. Counsel for Caleb Vanhamm, an editor of the World, also entered a plea of not guilty to a similar charge in behalf of Mr. Vanhamm. Counsel for Caleb Vanhamm, an editor of the World, also entered a plea of not guilty to a similar charge in behalf of Mr. Vanhamm. Counsel for Caleb Vanhamm, an editor of the World, also entered a plea of not guilty to a similar charge in behalf of Mr. Vanhamm. Counsel for Mr. Vanhamm. Cou

### BRITAIN ASKED FOR STATEMENT Ross, aged 42, for the past six years a traveling salesman of the Red Deer

Lumber Company, was found dead in a city hotel last night. He was a brother of Prof. Alex. Ross, of Toronto. HECATE STRAIT IS FORTY-FOUR YEARS AMONG LEPERS INTERNATIONAL MATTER

St. John, N. B., March 15.—Dr. Albert C. Smith, for many years hend of the medical department of the leper lazaretto at Tracadle, is dead, aged 68 years. He had been at Tracadle since 1865. Canadians' Claim of Territorial Waters Arouses Amer-STRIKE OF COPPER ORE. ican Fishermen. St. John, N. B., March 15.—A valuable find of copper ore is reported from the Ellis mine near Berrisford, Gloucester

Washington, D. C., March 15 .- Seven of the Puget Sound fishing companies are much wrought up over the proposed closing of Hecate strait to Am erican fishermen by the Canadian government, and protests against such acion have been forwarded to Senator Jones, who immediately took up the subject with the state department. He is now in receipt of a letter from the secretary of state, in which the latter

'With respect to the reported purpos A general meeting to consider the of British Columbia, Copy of the massituation has been called at the Tivoli vaudeville hall to-night at which a

plaint having been made to the depart- side and out.

Mail wagens are being driven through the street under military escort. The employees lay most of their woes to the door of M. Simyan, under secretary of mosts and talegraphy alternative that again called the former cormspondence to the attention of the British

M. Pataud, secretary of the Mectri- Entertainment Given by Ambassador and Mrs. Reid, testing indignantly against the charge made by M. Simyan that this move-—Promptly at noon the Senate and House representatives were convened in extraordinary session. The professional interests,

Thomas Walsh in passing discovered the following the house on fire and found Soloman in dent's proclamation was read to both the house on fire and found Soloman in dent's proclamation was read to both chamber of deputies, has published an King Edward's health and President distributed among the employees the attic with his throat cut, and several long knife slashes on the body. The was proposed. The luncheon was follic Works Barthou and Premier Clelowed by a concert. menceau and "other false republicans

> LABOR DEMONSTRATES AGAINST SENTENCES Major Edmund Zalinski, Who Invented

> > Big Parade Held in Boston Sympathizes With Gompers and Associates.

city yesterday. The war department sent a flag to drape the coffin and was Boston, Mass., March 15 .- As a demonstration against the sentences of ence were received from Count imprisonment imposed upon the labor delegates, Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, in the now prominent Buck Stove and Range "DON'T MARRY, LIVE LONG. case by Judge Wright in the Superior court of the District of Columbia, more than 5,000 members of the labor AND DIE HAPPY" unions paraded here yesterday

A large meeting was held in Fanue hall, where a resolution was drawn up Spinster, Over One Hundred in which it was alleged that the courts were biased and the laws directed at one class only. Judge Wright was accused of using "intemperate and bitter language to representatives of organized labor," and it was said that he "was not a fit person to handle the case." Copies the resolution were sent to President to live long and die happy, don't get married. Take this bit of advice from Taft, Vice-President Sherman and me, the oldest maid in the country, I Speaker Cannon.

FRANCO-CANADIAN TRADE.

Paris. March 15. - Mr. Fletcher, chairman of the Canadian section of the British Chamber of Commerce. hopes that the ratification of the Franco-Canadian convention by the French senate will be an accompli mised her that she would look after her | fact in a few days.

"When he died I was rather a back CHEHALIS LAUNCHES PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN

> Chehalis, Wash., March 15 .- The biggest publicity campaign in Southwest-ern Washington's history has been inof \$3,775 was subscribed in forty min-

#### TWENTY DROWN IN OCEAN COLLISION

Aotterdam, March 15.-The Norwegian steamer Mascot collided with the German ship Margretta about 20 miles west of the Maas lightship. The Margretta sank almost immediately. Twenty of the crew were drowned, six were saved. The Mascot returned here with a big hole in her bow.

YANKEE DEPARTMENTAL

British Firms Use Costly Methods to Outdo New Com-

London, March 15.-The opening in Hecate strait as a body of water sub-ject to their jurisdiction, the records American department stores in this of the department show very little correspondence concerning the matter. It appears, however, that on March 20th, the new "Yankee" enterprise, as it is With the opportunity appears, however, that on march 20th, the department wrote a note to generally called here, has electrified Goldstream at what is regarded as Sir Julian Pauncefote, then the British the old firms to efforts to outdo the something like a fair valuation, it is ambassador at Washington, bringing to his attention the complaint made by the master of the fishing vessel Edith, in which it was charged that the master had been warned by the commanding officer of a Canadian fishery protection cruiser, the Quadra, that United Singers, military bands and music hall States vessels are not allowed to fish performers to attract the crowd.

other territorial waters of the province long accounts of the new enterprise purchase comes up, it is not expected and the personality of the mover. The that a very large increase over that ter's affidavit and of the notice given him by the commander of the Quadra was transmitted with the note to the British embassy.

"Subsequently, in 1905, another combination of the deposition of the new store were opened at 9 o'clock, and shortly after the establishment was crowded with thousands of people, mostly women. The building was elaborately decorated in the sum named will reach \$1,000,000, but according to one of the alderment \$200,000 should be the highest

ment. Secretary Hay, on February 18th of that year, addressed a note to the less energy for forty-eight hours in British embassy in this city, recalling arranging the goods and bringing tract entered into with the electric ganized and there is considerable excitement around the general and branch post offices. Detachments of any reply to the former inquiry. No an-

> ENGLISH MANUFACTURER'S CO-PARTNERY SCHEME

Half a Million Sterling Shares for Employees of Lever Bros.

London, March 15.—W. H. Lever, M. avenue, Pembroke road, Pembroke P., the chairman and principal proprie-London, March 15.—Ambassador and tor of the great soap manufacturing Ald. Mable will ask that the council Mrs. Reid entertained the American firm of Lever Bros., Limited, of Port approve of a motion having for its pur-Rhodes scholars at luncheon to-day. Sunlight, near Liverpool, explained to a pose the removal of a house and barn The students were accompanied by Dr. meeting of 2,000 work people at Port on lot 1, block 28, of the Fairfield es-

bers of the American embassy also The scheme involves the creation of bers of the American embassy also The scheme involves the creation of BROTHERS' BODIES REACH His speech explaining the scheme in

whole 2,000 rose and joined in singing

"For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." INTERNATIONAL BOWLING.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 15.—The third and last week of the ninth annual international tournament of the American Bowling Congress started to-day at 10 a. m. Two double, four individual and two five-men events will be

SEPTUAGENARIAN TO TRY 4.300-MILE WALK

Weston Starts Tramp From
New York to San FranCISCO

Internation Daniel, hearing that his brother was drinking heavily, had started out early in the morning to search for him and take him in charge. Unable to find him, he rented a room in a

New York, March 15.-Edward Payson Weston, the veteran walker, will start this afternoon from the New a leaky jet. York post office building on a 4,300 mile walk to San Francisco. Mr. Weston has set a limit of 100 days Pacific coast. A military and police morgue at the same time and it was to the city limits. the present walk the most difficult he has ever undertaken during his long

Although Weston is 70 years old, and career, he is confident he can finish it on schedule time. His route is via Troy, Buffalo and Pittsburg, and he is due in Chicago on Saturday, April 17th, with 1,288 miles to his credit.

NEGROES HELD FOR MURDER. Washington, D. C., March 15,-The

mystery surrounding the murder of Walter E. Schultz, the Chicago artist whose body, with the throat slashed, was found in a field near Alexandria, Va., on March 7th, may be cleared up in the arrest yesterday of three negroes charged with the murder. A pawn ticket for a gold watch belonging to Schultz was the clew which ied to the arrest.

# WATER SUPPLY COMES TO FRONT

CITY COUNCIL WILL DEAL WITH IT EARLY

Committee May Be Appointed at To-night's Meeting-Other Business.

With the passage of the city's water bill by the legislature it is likely that supply for the city will receive the Hall, it is said, will present a proposi-tion before the council at an early date setting forth his views on the subject. The aldermen for the most part have a great deal of confidence in Mayor Hall on this subject, and will be prepared to be guided in no small measure by what he recommends. One of the alder men speaking of the mayor's grasp of the water situation, said to-day that he believed there was no one in the city who had fuller information on the sub-

more than likely that the question of purchasing the undertaking of the Esquimalt company will come up for consideration by the council as soon as

performers to attract the crowd.

All the newspapers have printed the whole works when the question of figure to be given. The cost of bringing revenue would be derived which would reduce the charges upon the ratepayers of the city very materially.

The subject will likely come up be-

fore the city council this evening, and a committed amay be appointed to go into the whole question. The council to-night will be asked to pass resolutions proposed by Ald, Tur-ner for leave to introduce a by-law for the paying of Queen's avenue, from Blanchard street to Quadra street, and to authorize street improvements and to raise moneys in anticipation of the assessment thereon for the following: Pine street; Garbally road, Queen's

MORGUE AT SAME TIME

detail was received with tremendous enthusiasm, and at its conclusion the Strange Coincidence in Tragedies of Suicide and Asphyxiation.

> San Francisco, Cal., March 15.-Lying in the morgue are the bodies of Timothy and Daniel Danihy, brothers, the one a suicide, the other having met death accidentally while searching for his brother. While Timothy was ending his life by cutting his throat, Daniel was slowly being asphyxiated.

> Timethy rushed into a butcher shop on Sixth street on Friday night and, seizing a sharp knife on a block, cut his throat with it, dying some time lodging house on Howard street for the night and retired. On Saturday morning he was found dead in bed as the result of the gas escaping from

About the time that Timothy was breathing his last from self-inflicted wounds, Daniel was lying in his room. Both bodies were brought to the Pacific coast. A military and police escort will accompany the pedestrian to the city limits

SPEAKER CANNON AGAIN.

Washington, 'D. C., March 15 .- Proclaimed by his friends as "The Iron Duke of American politics," Joseph G. Cannon, of Illinois, was selected on Saturday night at the Republican caucus as the candidate of his party for the Speakership of the House of Representatives.

PITTSBURG GRAFT SCANDAL

Pittsburg, Pa., March 15.—Judge Davis to-day authorized the use of the March grand jury which was called in extra session for "drag net" purposes in connection with the mucipal scandal. This opens the way, it is said, for important graft develop-