

First-Second National Bank, and the subsequent examination brought matters to a climax. The Pittsburg Clearing House Association has taken charge of the situation generally, and

Throughout the day a statement of the banks and affected companies' af-fairs was awaited with feverish anxiety, but none was forthcoming, unti-tonight, when Mr. Kuhn made a for mal statement.

No statement of the condition of the bank was obtainable subsequent to the one issued June 4th, on the last bank call of the comptroller.

Kuhn's Statement. Tonight Mr. Kuhn issued the following:

"At a meeting of the directors the First-Second National Bank, held tional Bank, in order to prevent the on Sunday, the condition of the bank withdrawal of large deposits which and the results of the recent investiga- had already begun, and to secure for tion of the bank examiners were dis-cussed. After full consideration the with the larger ones. directors declared their inability to make good the bank's impaired capi- banks to the comptroller of the curtal and without dissent decided that rency show a strong and sound conit would be best for the protection of dition throughout the country. The depositors and all other interests, to failure of the Pittsburg bank is simhave the comptroller of the currency ply a sporadic case of unsound bank-take charge and to arrange for the liquidation of the bank..

"The Pittsburg Clearing House committee, which has been engaged in al Bank of Pittsburg for several years going over the affairs of the bank and on the consolidated First-Second with the examiners and in making a ever since the amalgamation in careful investigation as to its condi-March. Suspicion was increased when tion, refused to furnish funds sufficient | it was discovered by the June 4th call to justify the bank in keeping its of the comptroller of the currency that cumstances there was no alternative was deficient by \$2,145,000 and that to the course recommended by the the statement of condition of the bank bank's directors.

"The officers of the bank have ex- as published in the newspapers were pressed to the department the belief different. that there will ultimately be but little if any loss to the bank's depositors. The liquidation of the bank and the distribution of its assets will proceed as expeditiously as possible.

After a protracted meeting of the Pittsburg Clearing House Association,

National Bank by the deputy comp-

The members of the clearing house are all in good condition and we be-lieve that the banks and trust companies in the city of Pittsburg as a whole, are prepared for any emergency. It will take several days to arrange for the auditing of accounts and the proper, careful handling of checks made upon the First-Second National bank. Wie, therefore, ask the indulgence of the public and request that a passing pedestrian intervened and they help in any way possible to assist in the solution of the problem confronting the clearing house committee and the banks."

Run on Pittsburg Savings. During the early hours of today a run was made on the Pittsburg Bank for Savings, another Kuhn institution, because of the climax in the affairs of

the First-Second National. All de-mands up to \$50 were paid without question and notice for large amounts was asked, running 30, 60 and 90 days.

Sewerage Bonds. Hamlet, N. C., July 7.—Tilloston & Wolcott Co., of Cleveland, Ohio, where found to be the highest bidders for the \$30,000 of sewerage bonds author according to the amount demanded by the depositor. This institution also made a statement that it had \$5,000,000 in cash and quick assets and was prepared for any emergency. The run was over before the closing of banking hours and it is not thought ized by the town, offering a premium of \$540. Saturday the commissioners will consult with engineers for the construction of the new sewer sysany anxiety over this institution need be felt. tem. Several bids have been placed

The former First National Bank, which was accredited as one of the

which was accredited as one of the strongest banks in the country, was merged with the Second National Bank last March, the merged institu-tion taking the name of the two banks

McAdoo's statement wa in part as follows: "The acting comptroller of the cur-Lauterbach, gal circles in New York, sat all day

rency took charge of the First-Second National Bank, of Pittsburg today, be-cause its directors, at a meeting held under a searching fire of questions from Senators on the lobby tee. He admitted most of the facts announces that no further trouble is expected. Throughout the day a statement of the banks and affected companies' althat the wise thing for all interests self or representatives of the Morgan irm, he had been the innocent victim the situation in hand.

The Pittsburg Clearing House Association which has the matter under consideration for several days, had, in the meantime, also decided that it sociation with Lamar, and said it had been an honorable connection and a was inexpedient to furnish the amount of assistance required to keep the bank going. Trust investigation, and of seeing the proposed resolution, and admitted

"The acting comptroller had no alternative in the circumstances but to

take charge of the First-Second Na-"The recent reports of the National

The critical eyes of government examiners had been on the First Nationdoors open and agreed under the cir the legal reserve of the institution assured by Lamar that the latter knew as presented to the comptroller and

WOMAN HORSEWHIPS MAN

Alleged that He Had Been Spreading **Reports About Her**

Atlanta, Ga., July 7.-E. D. Thompson, holding a responsible position with the Atlanta Envelope Company, this institution issued the following: "The closing of the First-Second was publicly flogged with a horsewhip here this afternoon by Mrs. J. J. Lee, troller of the currency was not entire-ly unexpected by this association and of the Central of Georgia Railroad. was therefore prepared for the cri- Both persons are under arrest tonight,

charged with disorderly conduct. Armed with a horsewhip, Mrs. Lee went to the plant of the Atlanta Envelope Company, at 109 South Forsythe street, this afternoon and waited in the street outside for Thompson to appear. The latter came out of the building a half hour later. She immediately attacked him with the whip, lashing him several times on the face and then beating him over the head.

> Mrs. Lee was escorted to a nearby drug store, where she collapsed. In explanation of her action she alleged which he had asked permission that Thompson had been circulating make a statement. Both he and Lauslanderous remarks concerning her. She and her husband have been sep-

arated for two months. Thompson is married.

BONDS SOLD AT PREMIUM.

Hamlet Gets \$540 Bonus on \$30,000 of

urging Lamar to withhold it until he could see J. P. Morgan and others, and urge them to authorize him to prevent its introduction. Throughout the entire proceeding he declared there was no thought of reward on his part. He raised himself in the witness chair and shouted "No," with vehement emphasis when

Senator Reed suggested that there had been an effort to "shake down" the Morgan and Steel Trust interests. "That insinuation is an insult and an outrage," he exclaimed.

Lauterbach admitted he had told Ledyard that he had the authority of Speaker Clark, transmitted through Senator Stone, to make certain "proposals for peace" to the Morgan interests, but said this authority came from Lamar. He declared he had never seen Clark or Stone; but had been Senator Stone, and that he had made the arrangements for the Lauterbach-Ledyard interview with the approval of Stone and the Speaker.

misrepresentations to him.

Throughout the day's investigation, Lauterbach recalled dates and circumstances with difficulty and could not fix the time of his visits to Washington, or of his conferences with Lamar. He insisted that he did not know La mar had telephoned Ledyard in the name of Representative Palmer, to make an appointment for him, but he declared he believed when he went to Ledyard's house that Senator Stone had telephoned to Ledyard. He supposed then, he said, that Lamar had full authority to represent Stone. To all of the questions Lauterbach insisted that he did not look for pecuniary reward in carrying informa-

tion of the steel corporation to the Morgan firm, or in conferring with Mr. Ledyard over the proposed agree-ment between Democratic leaders and

the Morgan interests. "My only hope was for restoration to the good graces of the people who apparently had gotten together to destroy me," he said. Lamar was present throughout day's sessions, and was held for tonight's meeting of the committee at to terbach announced that they would

waive any immunity from prosecution. The lobby committee planned to finish the Lamar-Lauterbach testimony tonight, and to take up the wool and sugar lobby investigation tomorrow. It was believed the Mulhall let-

ters, which will form the basis for an

TROOPS POSSESS TRAIN.

Some Jump When Conductor Demands

Roanoke, Va., July 7.-A squad of

long prominent in le

Plans Being Perfected for Further

Consideration of the Measure Washington, July 7.-When committhe lows: Democratic members of the House Banking and Currency committee met today to perfect plans for formal meetings beginning tomorrow for consideration of the administration currency bill, it was apparent that some of them were not prepared to support the measure as introduced. Chair-The witness admitted his long asman Glass stated at the outset that the measure was not his, but a compromise, and that every member of profitable one for him. He told of talking over with Lamar the Steel the committee should feel free to offer such amendments as he thought would strengthen and improve the

bill. There was a free interchange of views during the meeting. Mr. Glass said he had several amendments he

proposed to lay before the committee. tepresentative Eagle, of Texas, said had canvassed many members of he House, and that he believed the bill could not get through the House without caucus action and reserved the right to make a statement of his views upon the floor of the House if present shape.

SAILORS AND DANIELS.

wo Jack Tars Converse With Secretary of Navy—Didn't Know Him. (Special Star Correspondence.) Raleigh, N. C., July 7.—E. N. Steed, of Charlotte, and O. H. Mahaffey, sailors on the Naval Training Ship Franklin, had an interesting experience last evening with Hon. Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the United States Navy. who is here for a few days.

The boys were here on furlough doing the town in an orderly way when they passed Secretary Daniels, who accosted them with "Hello, boys! What are you doing here?" The reoly was that they were here on furlough and getting ready to return to their ship. "How do you like the service?" was the next question fired at them by the head of the Navy, whose identity the sailors had not the least idea of. The lads declared that they liked the service fine.' Asked if they knew to whom they were talking, they replied that they did not. Then when the statement came from Mr. Daniels: "I am the Secretary of the Navy. Glad to see you." Off came the caps of the sailors and they were all attention and obeisance.

JUDGE DULS FIRST COURT

Newly Appointed Judge Holds First Sitting at Home Town Charlotte, N. C., July 7.-Judge Charles H. Duls, appointed by Gover-

nor Craig to one of the four newly created judgeships, began his official career here this morning when he opened the July term of criminal court in this his home city and county. His charge was brief but comprehensive.

OUTLINES

Forty-seven Democratic Senators have declared their intention of voting for the Underwood-Simmons tariff revision bill as finally approved by

the Senate caucus. Dr. Kelway, in a sermon before the National Conference of Charities and Correction at Seattle, charged the pulpit and the bar with being indolent

in the cause of social justice.

resolution, but Senator Shafroth, Colorado, Ransdell and Thornton did not vote. The resolution was as fol-

"Resolved, That the tariff bill

cus; Chairman Simmons, of the Finance committee, expressed entire satisfaction over the outcome, and declared their confidence that enough votes were personally pledged to as-sure the passage of the measure with free wool and free sugar included.

It became at once apparent when the caucus convened, that a resolution which would bind members absolutely presented in the form of a party dec-laration. Before this was put to a by the thousand every year on our rail-vote, the motion was adopted that road systems that we may pay divithe caucus approved the bill in its Senators be asked for the attorney as dends on watered stock and tax every to their intention regarding the meas-ure and this was agreed to. The roll ucts of soil and forest and mine that enter into transportation, and we are was then called.

the pillars of the Church and the orna-On this roll call the Louisiana Senators stated that it was not their in- ments of the State. We hire women tention to support the bill without am-endment. Senator Newlands said that he had not definitely made up his mind as to certain amendments he we are large contributors to the Asmight urge, but in the end it was his sociated Charities and the Magdalene intention to stand by the party meas- homes. ure. Senator Shafroth explained that he did not want to be bound to sup- tice is, and their thoughts of justice

port the bill, but that it was his pres-ent intention to vote for it. All the other members present, 45, voted can thought today that is running all "aye" on the roll call. The Senators, Hitchcock and Cul-

berson, absent but accounted for, con-stitute the Democratic membership of on the surface, when some obstacle

draft of the bill for corrections, and be swept away if the stream becomes shall report it to the Senate some a torrent. There are some who bewill be ready for general debate next same time intelligent and passionate, week." and justice is denied."

Senator Newlands, in a statement explaining his position, gave evidence of his intention to stand by the party

"I voted against making the bill a party measure," Senator Newlands said, "because while it is superior to the existing tariff it has certain de-fects which should be remedied. It discriminates against far Western products. The reductions should be years, instead of taking effect imme-diately. Further reductions on a slidapportioned over a period of three diately. Further reductions on a since ing scale should be provided for, par-ticularly on food products. There should be a tariff board with power to should be a tariff board with power to ascertain facts, make recommenda-tions to Congress and make further ary party. Efforts are now being made

reductions under a rule established by Congress." Before final action on the bill the caucus gave concessions to the Sena-

tive the provisions for free raw wool on December 1, 1913, and the rate on manufactures of wool January 1, 1914. Earlier in the day the Finance com-mittee had voted to recommend the mittee had voted to recommend the 1st, respectively, but the caucus vot-

We crush our competitors through the idle spectators, and the Balkan States employment of spies as bookkeepers continue the struggle which will parain rival establishments, through re-bate arrangements with complacent lyze them for years to come. Reports Contradictory News of the fighting continues

agreed to by this conference, in its amended form, is declared to be a party measure and we urge its undivided support as a duty by Democratic ic Senators without amendment. Provided, however, that the conference or the Finance committee may, after refinements to the bill." Vided, however, that the conference or otherwise, propose amendment to ishorten the hours for the mothers of the race, and then out of the profiles of the race, and then out of the profiles of the files of the race, and then out of the profiles of the stockholders, we build schools and churches and hospitals of the spectral is a stisfies the stockholders, we build schools and churches and hospitals of the spectral is spectral is a stisfies the stockholders, we build schools and churches and hospitals of the spectral is spectral is spectral in the spectral in the spectral in the spectral is spectral in the spectral is spectral in the spectral in the spectral in the spectral is spectral in the spectral in the spectral in the spectral is spectral in the spectral in the spectral in the spectral in the spectral is spectral in the spectral in the spectral in the spectral is spectral in the spectral in the spectral in the spectral in the spectral is spectral in the spectral in th railroad systems, and we endow unieral Ivanoff, by an unexpected attack, and playgrounds and do all manner of scattered the Greek army of 80,000 commanded by King Constantine, and betterment work. We erect teneoccupied Nigrita and other points on ments with so little regard for light and air and even decency that we the Greek line.

would not house in them our cattle or Both reports may be our horses lest they die, and rent that crediting victory to General Ivathese to our fellowmen, counting the noff may refer to a date after the Bulunearned increment as the capital on garian commander was reinforced. which we must have returns, and then Detailed reports from Greek official to the bill without amendment was we build and make large churches for sources describe how the Bulgarians distateful to many Senators. The res. the poor and make large gifts for the last week by incessant labor had transolution therefore was modified and conversion of heathen into what we formed Kilkish into another Plevna, with a surprising extent of trenches, guns and defenses, and assert that the Greeks by their successful advance prevented the execution of a plan for Bulgarian attack on Saloniki.

SCOTT WILL IS UPHELD

English Court Gives Verdict for De-

fendants in Big Suit London, July 7.—The great which the late Sir John Murray Scott, the eccentric millionaire and art connisseur, inherited from Lady Richard Wallace, will be disposed of as pro-vided in his will, made in 1901, and

"Men do not always know what jusin the five codicils giving more than half of his property to Lord and Lady Sackville, the latter a daughter of a former British minister at Washington, who succeeded the Sackvillein one direction, it is the demand Wests as tenants of the famous coun-try seat, Knole Park, Seven Oaks, among the masses of men for justice.

Kent. The jury of the probate court, where the Senate, 51. "We are satisfied with this show-ing," said Senator Simmons tonight. "I am going over the final printed ment. After only ten minutes' consideration the jurors decided that Lady time this week, Thursday, if possible. lieve that the stream will run red with Sackville was guiltless of the charges I shall call a meeting of the full FL the blood of revolution ere it finds of fraud and undue influence brought nance committee on Wednesday in all the level that it seeks. So it may be, against her by members of the Scott probability. At any rate the measure if the demand for justice grows at the family, and cast the burden of the costs of the suit, which will be ex-

tremely heavy, upon the late baronet's relatives who entered the contest. Lord and Lady Sackville will receive about \$2,500,000 of the \$5,900,000 of the testator's property, including som of his magnificent art collections. Lady

Johannesburg, July 7 .- Many of the Sackville was not present today as she was resting after the severe strain of gold miners refuse to return to work. the cross examination she underwent At a meeting this afternoon militant leaders delivered fiery speeches to the 3.000 assembled, and a resolution delast week. The verdict of the jury seemed a foregone conclusion after Sin Samuel Thomas Evans, the presiding udge, in his charge, expressed strongly the opinion that Lady Sackville was guiltless of fraud, and said that Sir John Murray Scott apparently had felt he had found a custodian for the art treasures which he desired the Sackvilles to keep at Knole Park and had realized that he must leave money to provide for this.

INCREASE IN RUSSIAN WHEAT

Crop Thirteen Per Cent Larger Than

Last Year-Rye Crop Less Washington, D. C., July 7.-A cable gram from the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, Italy, which has been received by the United States Department of Agriculture, states that in European Russia this year's Winter wheat crop is estimated as 277,683,000

bushels or 13.8 per cent more than last year's production, and the Winter rye crop 917,168,00 Obushels, or 8.9 per

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STRIKE STILL ON

Work-Leaders Agitating

Gold Miners Refuse to Return

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