

bath to its counsel, who replied in turn that, without the permission of the bank he could give out only a very circumserihed statement. The accounts as he gave them follows:

The Russo-Chinese bank in this publicans might do this, of the second se vaults in a nearby bank, the name of which is withheld. Some time ago-precisely when is not stated—a safety deposit box containing the missing securities was taken from the neighboring vaults to the second floor of the bank.

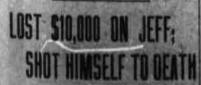
On Thursday the loss of the securities became known. Several employes of the bank had keys to the box, but none of them had disappeared and none of them is mentioned as under suspicion, although a rigid examina-

miles or more off the Georgia coast. the revenue cutter Yamacraw returntion of the circumstances surrounding the loss is being made. Thus far the facts on which to base an explanation are so slight that no complain has been made to the police and no private agency has been called on. Counsel could not even say when the securities were last seen or checked up. Gustave Gortz, now in Europe, whither he left on his vacation two weeky ago; is manager of the Russo-Chinese bank here. tion of the circumstances surrounding

weeks ago; is manager of the Russo-Chinese bank here. A list of the missing securities has been furnished to all bankers as fol-

lows

Southern railway development and several mortgage four per cent bonds, \$25,000; Union Pacific convertible four per cent bonds, \$35,000; Southern Pa-cific convertible four per cent bonds, \$10,000; Norfolk & Western four per cent bonds, \$10,000.



Chicago, July 22, --- The loss of a ten housand dollar bet that Jeffries ould defeat Johnson was the reason farry Michaels, secretary of the Mi-haels Fursiture company, shot him-elf dead. INSURRECTION ABOUT TO

This fact developed in proceedings Special Disputches' Say That Form President Routh Leaves Port With Arms, Etc. creditors.

### STROKE OF PARALYSIS

B. Check, Old and Respected Wenverylife Citizon, is in Very Crit-Ioni Condition.

New Orleans, July 23.—Special dis-atches wrate that Manuel Bostlia, ormer president of Honduras has left helias with two schooners carrying nen, arms, annualitien with the In-entions of overfarming President buylik. W. B. Check, an old and highly res-outed altimon of Weaverville, sufferen-stroke of paragleis just night and b-tive in a very emilical description. Moo is 87 years old, in a

candidate and label him an indepen-dent democrat. J. C. Clifford, late candidate for judge in the Raleigh though Nominees for the State district, declares that while the republicans might do this, Godwin would Officers Are Being Chosen.

REVENUE CUTTER YAMACRAW **FAILED TO FIND DERELICT** bition the overshadowing issue, Texas electors are today selecting party

After 2000 Mile Crulse, Search for the Menace to Navigation Is officers and deciding whether the pro-Given Up.

BREAK OUT IN HONDURAS

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posed constitutional amendment making the state "dry" shall be submit-Washington, July 23 .- After a 2000 mile cruise in search of a derelict 200 ted to popular vote.

Voting is brisk and a record num-ber of ballots is anticipated.

Dallas, Tex., July 23 .- With prohi-

nomiliees for state, county and ward

Captain West of the Yamacraw tel-TAKES HIS OWN LIFE



idential Party Arrived at Bar Har-bor This Morning—Special Train to Bangor. the South Chicago Methodist church chicfs and was on her way to a con-cerf, being accompanied by Clarence Longacre, when fired upon, Ellsworth, Me., July 23 .- The May

## Steamer Afire.

Ellsworth, Me., July 23.—The May-flower, which anchored last night in Northeast harbor with President Taft and party aboard, left this morning. The yacht anchored in Bar Harbor while the party breakfasted. Leaving Bar Harbor at 9:30, the Mayflower proceeded here, where President Taft and party took a special train for Bangor, where the president spoke this afternoon. Charleston, S. C., July 23.—The wirelises at the navy yard picked up a messais this morning from the South-ern Pacific liner Momus, reporting a fire is the after hold since yesterday. The Momus is off Caps Canaveral, on the saat coast of Florida, anchored in beelve fathoms of water. The Co-mus of the same line has rescued the passongers. The fire is not under con-trol.

# 16 Years Old Girl Suicides.

Bristol. Tenn., July 13.-Mim Pa on Sharrett, the 16 year old daug r of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sharre alding near Bristol, criminitied in de yesteday atternoon by Bring a 2 libre rifle ball through mer has no parents of the give can give moon for her action other than modency over temporary liness. M marsit was a beautiful girl a opular in the community.

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Speculation as to the Candi dates on Republican Ticket

ty a. today holding precinct meetings for the selection of delogates to the

county convention which convents here July 39 for the selection of can-didates for the state senate, the lower

house of the general assembly and the county offices. The precinct meet-

ings in the county were held this af-ternoon at 3 o'clock while the precinct

meetings in the city will be held at the regular polling places tonight at

There has been considerable talk among the republicans of the city to-day as to the probable candidates. It

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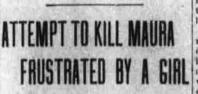
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-Primaries Today.

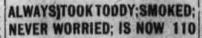
Never Been Married. Clarksburg, W. Va., July 23 .- Sarah The republicans of Buncombe coun-

Appleby, Clarksburg's oldest resident, is dead. She lived a hundred years, seven weeks and five days, but never married.

Weeks, Five Days Old, and Had



Barcelona, July 23 .- Autonio Mau-



Kittaming, Pa., July 23.—Masked highwaymen today shot and killed Matton Craig, an employe of the Wid-noon Conl company, after being re-pulsed in an attempt to secure \$2800, carried by Craig's two companions. The commabulary is purcuing the bandit. 23 -- Rudolph cinco, the groft om Europe talkor the heacht of the want re-elec-

Cardinal Gibbons 76 Years Old.

Hallimore, July 23.-Cardinal Gill

Miss Appleby Was 100 Years, Seven ency toward monopoly, or to disinter-grate and destroy the monopolies already in existence whereby the prices

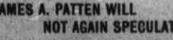
of commodities are fixed not by the actual work done in the navy yards usual laws of demand, but the will of a group of four." on the battleships and colliers author-ized by the last congress, is subject to After stating that there were no the eight hour law, according to At-

technical promises in the platform torney General Wickersham's opinion of the republican convention to re- interpreting the law. vise the tariff downward or upward,

but that it simply pledged itself to make such revision of the tariff as would equalize the cost of production make such revision of the tariff as would equalize the cost of production here and abroad and make competition possible in this country in many lines, Senator Cummins said: "It was the duty of congress

make this revision. Congress did not do it. It did not even attempt to do it. Under the leadership of Cannon and Aldrich the tariff was revised without the slightest heed to the cost of production anywhere. It is of no

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Erstwhile "Cotton King" Sails to Europe—Grain Grop Grax of Financial Situation.

New York, July 13.-Reiterating his declaration that he would never again re-enter the speculative arens, and declaring his opinion that the erus of the financial situation lay with the grain crops, particularly corn, backs A. Patron, erstwhile "cottan



Mania Believes Success of Revolution in Nicaragua Hinges on Fighting Now in Progress.

Washington, July 23 .- The only

not an insurgent republican. If it is returned from Fattery total, and a said that I am insurging against the they conducted the sale of the 12,000 acres of timber and minoral lands insurging against men of the Cannon, belonging to the William Johnston Addrich stripe, men who are openly stolating the pledges of the party, and uistic control of industry." Addrich stripe, men who are openly stolating the pledges of the party, and uistic control of industry." AMES A. PATTEN WILL Yancey county. The company will proceed to market the timber from the tract. The sale was made by the administrators in order to close ou the estate of William Johnson.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast until s p m. Burdor i Ashavillo and vicinity: Purity dou-and warm weather conight and pu-lay.

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### **DISCHARGED HIS DUTY AT** SPRECKELS, GRAFT HUNTER, RETURNS IN A GLOOMY MOOD Merton Craig, Employe Coal Co., Kill-ed by Highwayman While Pro-tecting \$2800. elivres That the "Interests" Are About to Injure Business for Ben-oft of "Sthud-Patters."

