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Confirmation of Report That Petition for Dissolution of American Sugar Company Has Been Prepared.

ACTION TO BE INDEPENDENT OF CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS

Suit Is Similar to Those Against Stand- Combined They Are Destined, It Is ard Oil and Tobacco Trust, but More Sweeping Than Either of Those.

ASHINGTON, Sept. 17 .- Confirmation of the report that a netition for dissolution of the American Sugar Refining company has been completed by government officials was received here today. It is learned that it is the present intention of the department of justice to file suit in New York zometime next week. This action will be entirely independent of the criminal proceedings which have attracted wide attention and resulted in a number convictions. A Sweeping Petition.

While the suit is said to be similar to the proceedings brought against the Standard Oil company and the Ameran Tobacco company, both pending in the Supreme court, the petition is said to be more sweeping than either of these. For some time in official circles there has been a tacit undertanding that no more actions for dissolution of hig corporations should be gin until the disposition of the oil and tobacco cases. The change of program is said to have resulted from information gained by the government during its investigation of the customs frauds in New York, which supplied the at torney general with material necessary for the prosecution of the American Sugar Refining company,

OLD UNCLE JEEMS DEFENDS TARIFF

Secretary of Agriculture Says the Tariff Is not the Cause of the Higher

Kenton, O., Sept. 17 .- Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, in a speech here today in defense of republican policies, declared past experience justified apprehension as to what would be done if the democratic party got con- girl, is in a serious condition, and it dent" because he "would do for himtrol of the government. This obser- is believed, will die. vation followed a glowing review of

"the revision of the tariff has lost no man his job; no panie has followed. Further reduction of tariffs generally pany which travels from place to would hit the working people first. Europe has lower wages than the United States and would promptly

duction from the soil. The government's policy of giving tarms to the people has exhausted the supply in regions where rainfall usually assures kood crops. High prices of fresh meats and their products are causes of much concern. The multiplication of Redmond, O'Connor, Devlin and the small shops is a burden to consumers and no source of riches to the small shop keepers."

ROUGH SEAS PREVENTED BATTLE PRACTICE WORK

ing prevented the battleships of the fleet from work in annual battle prac-If the wind calms the whole fleet will take up work and continue during the night with torpedo prac-

Yesterday's gale which caused a day of idieness, will delay another day the departure for New York. The weather has made target practice almost im-During the day the four divisions are strung over a distance of eighty miles; at night they are only ten miles apart. The targets this year are at a distance of 10,000 yards, last year they were only 6500 yards.

May Order Gunboats Built for Peru.

New York, Sept. 17.—Commodore Olivera of the Peruvian navy is here inspecting the American navy yards. His visit may result in placing orders here for the construction of gunboats

THE WEATHER.

AT SUGAR SUST PLACE IN WAR

Gen. Brun and Entire Army Greatly Pleased With Achievements in Air During French Maneuvers.

AEROPLANES, DIRIGIBLES SUPPLEMENT EACH OTHER

Believed, to Modify or Even Revolutionize the Strategy of Armies.

RAND VILLIERS. Sept. 17.—General Brun, the French minister of war, and the entire army are enthusiastic over the achievements of aeroplanes and dirigibles during the military maneuvers, which ended today.

The opinion is that air machines are destined not only to play an important part in future wars, but greatly to modify, if not revolutionize, army strategy. The concensus of opinion as to the relative merits of dirigibles and aeroplanes seems to be that each supplements the other; both, therefore, being necessary. The aeroplane, because of excessive speed, makes observations therefrom vague The dirigible is slower and offers a better target for the enemy but more iccurate observations can be made therefrom; also, it is in constant wireless communication with headquar-

During the maneuvers all dirigible balloons were theoretically destroyed while most of the aeroplanes es-

Hubert Latham, the aviator, a priate soldier in ranks during the maneuvers, is to be promoted to be an officer of the Legion of Honor.

BABY INCUBATOR SHOW ORDERED TO BE CLOSED

Following Deaths of Two Infants, at Kentucky State Fair-A Third Will Probably Die.

Louisville, Sept. 17 .- A baby insubator show at the state fair has been ordered closed, following the death of two infants, a boy eight, a girl four weeks old, brought from the Charities hospital of Pittsburg.

A third infant, two weeks old, a

Later-The third baby died this afternoon. Later the county attorney We have good times now," he said, ordered an investigation and the dep uty coroner will hold a post mortem. The exhibit was conducted by a com-

"Food is cheap no longer. The population has increased faster than pro-**EROM PORTS OF BRITAIN**

Sultan of Sulu Coming to the United States.

London, Sept. 17.-The Lusitania. the Baltic and the Laurentic sailed today from British ports for the United States with 5700 passengers. On the Baltic were John E. Redmond, N BOARD U. S. S. KANSAS, by his associates. T. P. O'Connor and in for it on elementary principles. Sept. 17.—Rough sea this morning in the Interest of the Irish national icy with which I stand are in the first movement. On the St. Louis which also sailed

today, is the Sultan of Sulu. NEW ORLEANS HAS DROPPED

DOWN TO FIFTEENTH PLACE Was Formerly Twelfth City in Size Passed by Detroit, Milwaukee and Newark, N. J.

Washington, Sept. 17.-The popula tion of New Orleans is 339,075, an increase of 51,971 or 18.1 per cent. as ompared with 287,104 in 1900. New Orleans, twelfth in population a decade ago, drops to flifteenth posi-tion, Detroit, Milwaukee and Newark, N. J., having passed it.

WORLD'S BASEBALL SERIES.

The Opening Day of Play, It Is Nov Said, Will Not Be Before Sun-day, October 16.

mission, says a meeting to decide details for the world's baseball series
will not take place for two weeks, at least. It is said the opening day will least. It is said the opening day will be Sunday, October 16.

Wasnington, Sept. 17.—It is estimated above, wasnington, Sept. 17.—It is estimated that Egypt's cotton crop this after the end of this year no complimentary annual passes will be given officers and agents of other railroads according to Consul Birch at Alexandria, probably the largest crop Egypt
to be Sunday, October 16. Asheville and vicinty: Fair mission, says a meeting to decide deer tonight and Sunday; not tails for the world's baseball series



THE PILGRIM'S PROGRESS

COLONEL IS IN THE FIGHT TO A FINISH

New York Herald and The Gazette-News,

Roosevelt Says That He Wanted to Stay Out of Politics but Was

Drawn in.

New York Press club last night how it building a fleet of war vessels by the Chinese government. s that he can breakfast, dine and sup on work and then top off with more work. He said he liked it. He more work. He said he liked it. He liked private life and he liked public PLANS ENERGETIC FIGHT life. He enjoyed every job he had ever had, and he begger his hearers not to be under any anxiety as to what should be done "with this ex-presi-

and cheered. Among the guests of the club was Sir William Purdie Treloar, a former lord mayor of London, and the colonel took advantage of his presence to refer to his famous Guild Hall speech

self." Whereat his auditors laughed

delivered last spring in London. After stating that on the chershed ornaments in his house is the box which contained the freedom of London, Colonel Roosevelt said:

"I have always forborne to exerise my mind with the query as to whether or not I would have been given that freedom if I had made my Guild Hall speech before it instead of

Alluding to the impending state convention, Colonel Ruosevelt said that when he returned home he had tained as well as indictments. no intention whatever of taking any more part in public life. But, he added, he had gotten into the New York state fight because he could not help it, and having got into it he would see it through. Continuing, he

"I trust we shall be able to finish it up this year. But if not, then I am leader of the Irish nationalists, and in for it right along after, and 1 am place, that we have no room for the Principally on Yellow Pine, from All And Copies of It Have Been Received by crook in public life and in the second place, that the people are entitled to

overn themselves. "More than once I have been introduced as the friend of the poor man. always said 'Now hold up. Say the friend of the honest man and I am with you. The friend, I hope, of the nonest man, rich or poor, the foe of

EGYPTIAN NATIONALISTS ORGANIZERS MAKE PROTEST

Charge That Refusal to Allow Congress to Meet in Paris Was at the Request of Great Britain,

Paris, Sept. 17.-The organizers of the Egyptian national congress protest against the action of the French government in refusing to permit a meet-

To Build War Vessels For the Chinese Empire

C AN FRANCISCO, Sept. 17. for China.

-The Call this morning In support the Call quotes says that Charles M. Schwab, John A. McGregor, president former president of the United of the Union Iron works, say States Steel corporation, will ing he is informed that plans meet Prince Tsai Hsun, uncle drawn by the Bethlehem Steel New York. Sept. 17.-Theodore of the emperor of China, here company, through Schwab,

Reply to Criticism of Press

on the Report.

approved by the navy department

WRITTEN BY AUTHORITY

Heads of All the Departments

in Washington.

Washington, Sept. 17 .- Copies o

was written by authority of the pres-

make no distinction in federal patron-

Passes.

Chicago, Sept. 17 .- Railroads in the

Western Passenger association, com-

gent" republicans.

NORTH DAKOTA ACCIDENT UPON GAMBLING DENS IS RATHER A MYSTER

District Attorney Whitman Will Endeav- Navy Department Issues Statement in or to Stop the Evil in New

York City.

New York, Sept. 17 .- District Atpurpose to fight energetically gambling of the naval court which investigated in this city. He announced the inten- the recent oil explosion and fire on the tion of organizing a "gambling bureau" to deal with the evil.

The "bureau," he said, "will not be out a statement in which it says the a squad organized for the purpose of installation of oil burners was after conducting raids on suspected places, but a bureau of five or six competent deputies to sift evidence and prepare cases that convictions may be obdon't believe in going shead with insufficient evidence."

LUMBER FREIGHT RATES THAT NORTON LETTER ADVANCE IS SCHEDULED

Points on Vicksburg, Shreveport & Pacific.

Washington, Sept. 11 .- A general advance on lumber freight rates, by he crook, poor crook and rich crook the Vicksburg. Shreveport & Pacific Rallway company, participated in by sent from Beverly to the executive 280 other interstate carriers, is sus-pended today by the interstate com-companied by a note saying the letter merce commission. The tariff suspended provides advances principally on ident, yellow pine lumber from all points on The the line of the Vicksburg, Shreveport & Pacific company to all points in the age between "regular" and United States. The commission suspends the operation of tariffs until January 5, 1911, to have opportunity Will Cut Down Number of Annual to investigate them and determine whether or not they are reasonable.

Big Egyptian Cotton Crop Expeted.

WILL FIGHT FOR

Cavalieri Denies That She Has Sought to Compromise This Matter With Chanler Family.

day that his client will fight for her ment, whereby Chanler has turned nied she had asked for, or accepted, a the president. empromise from the Chanler family.

as Natalina Cavalieri, spinster, an hopelessly demoralized.
Italian subject, resident in Paris.

Committee Will Sus

After defining the purpose of the agreement as designed to remove all toubts that might exist owing to the Washington, Sept. 17 .- In view of different nationalities of the princiformer Whitman today declared it his press comment on the striking findings pals as to the law governing their tain Secretary Ballinger in their remutual property rights, the document proceeds to state that, "in considera-North Dakota, to the effect that the and of said intended marriage" Chanaccident was due to faulty design and tate of the late Mrs. Laura Delano, subject to a mortgage of about \$140. a design used a long time with success "for her sole and separate use In other navies and the detailed plans absolutely." For the same consideraion of one dollar and the intended Owing to the nature of the accident marriage, the bridegroom "doth furand the rapidity with which terrific ther covenant" to pay his wife \$20,heat was evolved, says the statement 000 a year in four quarterly installvidence as to the cause of the acci-"all payments free from income or other taxes," and "for the purpose of securing the payment of the said yearly sum" Cavaleiri is constituted his true and lawful attorney, irrevocable, to collect the rents

> Should the income from the real state prove insufficient at any time pay the \$20,000 yearly agreed on, second hower of attorney is conerred to govern the income payable rom the fund held in trust for him y the New York Life and Insurance Trust company.

Should this additional income still rove insufficient, a third power of attorney is conferred to govern the income from the fund held in trust by he Union Trust company.

With the exception of these details the letter written by President Taft's secretary. Charles D. Norton, to an the agreement specifies that the propunnamed Iowa politician, have been crty of each of the principals "shall remain the separate property, and under the sole control of each of them. and, furthermore, that their status the president, has become untenable. and capacity generally shall be governed by the laws of the state of New The letter said Mr. Taft would York.

> filing of the original here by her lawyers would be her first step in any effort to interpose her rights between him and his creditors, who, it is supposed, will contest the agreement The document not only confers the weeping powers enumerated above.

BALLINGER MAY **RESIGN SEPT. 26**

Secretary of the Interior Will Put Matter of His Retirement up to Cabinet at Its First Meeting. - IIB

BALLINGER CONVINCED POSITION IS UNTENABLE

Disappointed Over Failure of Investigating Committee to Protect Him from Adverse Report of Minority.

Washington, Sept. 17. - Whether Richard A. Ballinger's resignation as secretary of the interior will follow upon the meeting of the cabinet September 26 to attend which he is now en route from Setattle; or whether he will retain his position indefinitely— at least until after the delivery to congress of the reports of the committee which investigated his steward-ship of the public domain, depends now upon the attitude of his cabinet assistants.

Mr. Ballinger is coming to Washington, his friends here insist, wholly unconscious of any act on his part, either of commission or of omission for which he should be condemned, and has determined to force his chief and his official colleagues to be in effect his judges. If they concur in the view at present attributed to Mr. Taft sustained as an innocent and persecuted man, he will retain his position; if they fall so to back him up, he will resign forthwith. That this in subtance is Mr. Ballinger's present position was learned here last night upon authority hardly to be questioned.

Will He Retire "Under Fire?" At the first meeting of the cabinet after the summer recess, Secretary of War Dickinson, the democratic mem-ber, will not have returned from the Philippines, and therefore be saved from the embarrassment of participa-tion in what is regarded as largely a problem of republicas policy, meeting is expected to last three and the president expects to clear up a number of important matters; but it will surprise nobody here if the Bal-

the time. Rumors have been constant and decidedly definite here during the past few days to the effect that Mr. Bal-New York, Sept. 17 .- Counsel for linger's resignation would be one of Roosevelt told the members of the next week to close a deal for have been favorably considered Mme. Cavaleiri, the singer, said to-menting but his friends, including his meeting; but his friends, including his assistants in the interior department, She is coming to this coun- have refused to believe that he would try to see that the prenuptial agree. retire "under fire," and have pointed to his of-repeated declaration to the contrary, and to the recent statement ver to her what is said to be his en- attributed to him that he would reire fortune, is carried out. She de- sign only at the specific request of ever, admitted themselves and the secretary to be alive to the fact that The pre-nuptial agreement between the turmoil and uncertainty into Robert W. Chanler and the prima don- which the protracted controversy has na of Paris, was filed yesterday in the plunged the department, must be abatoffice of the register of New York ed soon unless this important branch county. Cavalleri's full name is given of the public service is to become

Committee Will Sustain Him. Nobody here doubts that a majority -all but one of the republican memers-of the so-called Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee will susport to congress. The views of that majority to that effect are well known. tion of the sum of one dollar paid. But Secretary Ballinger and his partisans here were greatly disapointed ler shall assign to his wife all his that the absence of Senators Root and real estate, all his interest in the es- Flint from the Minneapolis meeting left the pro-Ballinger portion of the committee in the minority, and permitted the democrats and the insurgent republican member to put forth reports condemning him which, for many weeks, will stand before country as the only findings of the investigating committee; whereas he had relied upon the majority for a vindication.

> Position Untenable. It is this failure of the committee

to take final action which, it is said, has determined Secretary Ballinger's course. It was said here yesterday by a close friend of the secretary that had the majority of the committee been ready to report at the Minneapolis meeting he would then have tendered his resignation to the president and urged its acceptance upon the ground that the dissensions to which he has been a party were detrimental to the public interest. When the committee failed at Minneapolis to action as a whole, and when there was no quorum at the subsequent meeting in Chicago, it became appar ent that no decision could be looked for practically for several months.

This situation is said to have convinced Mr. Ballinger that his position, in spite of the continued support of Unable, as he sees it, to resign as either vindicated or condemned by either vindicated or condemned by the committee, he has decided, it is compel her husband to carry out the terms of his pre-nuptial contract, the tion or condensation

Superior Arrested While Entering His

Lisbon, Sept. 17.—According to to-day's papers, Mgr. Baldomero, sup-rior of the Aldea Bonte friars, was ax-rested as he was entering a Spanish monastery, which was recently closed by imperial decree, its occupants ex-pelled and threatened with arrest if they returned to this country.