

MISSOURI GOES FOR ROOSEVELT

Delegates-at-Large Instructed For Him After Long Dead-lock in St. Louis Convention.

SCENES ARE STORMY IN FACTIONAL FIGHT

Ousted Roosevelt Committee-man Takes His Case to Court - Effort to Unseat T. R. Delegates.

St. Louis, April 26.—The Missouri republican state convention concluded at 6:30 o'clock this morning after a 24 hours deadlock. The eight delegates at large to the national convention are instructed for Roosevelt.

SEAMEN ON OLYMPIC ARRESTED FOR MUTINY

Giant Liner Forced to Abandon Voyage Because of Strike Aboard.

Southampton, England, April 26.—The White Star liner Olympic's voyage to New York has been abandoned and the liner today returned to port because of a strike of firemen and seamen on the vessel.

MRS. SARAH T. REAGAN HAS PASSED INTO REST

Young Wife and Mother Died at Early Hour Today, of Exhaustion, After an Operation.

Mrs. Sarah T. Reagan died at 4:15 a. m. today, at the age of 31, following an operation at the Methodist hospital. Death was due to exhaustion.

8300,000 Fire at Columbus, Ga.

Columbus, Ga., April 26.—Three firemen were injured and property loss estimated at \$1,000,000 was caused by the most destructive fire in the history of the city yesterday afternoon.

CALLS HARVESTER CHARGE NONSENSE

Roosevelt Says He Had No Reason to Favor Morgan Interests.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., April 26.—The talk about the suppression of the report is nonsense, said Col. Roosevelt last night, in a statement setting forth his connection with the International Harvester company case.

ASTOR AND STRAUS BODIES RECOVERED

Remains of C. M. Hays, Another Titanic Victim, Also Found by Cableship.

New York, April 26.—The bodies of John Jacob Astor and Isidor Straus, Titanic victims, were recovered and are aboard the cableship Mackay-Bennett.

ENGLAND IS TO PROBE THE TITANIC DISASTER

Survivors of Crew Will Be Subpoenaed to Testify in London.

London, April 26.—Survivors of the Titanic's crew, returning here on the Lapland, will be subpoenaed to appear before a court of inquiry when the vessel arrives at Plymouth tomorrow.

TRAIN IS BLOWN FROM RAILS IN WINDSTORM

Omaha, Neb., April 26.—Twenty-nine persons injured, one of them, James Davis, perhaps fatally, when a windstorm struck Union Pacific passenger train No. 25 a mile west of North Loup, Neb., late yesterday afternoon.

Californian Near as the Titanic Sank, but Her Captain Refused to Extend Aid



THE TITANIC DISASTER HEARING IN WASHINGTON. SENATOR FERKINS 2 SENATOR WA SMITH 3 SENATOR NEWLANDS, 4 SENATOR FLETCHER 5 MR ISMAY

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Transport Goes to Mexico After American Refugees

Washington, April 26.—The army transport Buford leaves San Francisco Sunday for the west coast of Mexico to pick up any American refugees who wish to leave the country.

RENEWED ACTIVITIES OF REVENUE OFFICERS

Reports of Big Seizures Received—Raid Planned in Virginia Counties.

For the past week the revenue men under Internal Revenue Agent A. R. Sams have not been very active in raiding the moonshiners of the district.

ATTENDANCE FAR LOWER THAN WAS EXPECTATION

For This Reason Sunday School Delegates Had to Pay Full Fare Home.

On the first day of the meeting here of the North Carolina Sunday School association, last Tuesday, it was stated in The Gazette-News that the convention of the association was attended by about 300 delegates from various parts of the state.

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MR. TAFT FLAYS COL. ROOSEVELT

Bitterly Attacks Former Chief-tain as Insincere and Unfit Again to Be President.

DETAILED ANSWER TO CHARGES MADE

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Boston, April 26.—President Taft donned his fighting clothes yesterday, abandoning his policy of silence under the attacks that Colonel Theodore Roosevelt had made upon him and upon his administration, and for the first time since Mr. Roosevelt announced his candidacy, launched into a bitter denunciation of the former president.

SURVEY OF STATE FROM THE CAPITAL

Interest in Insurance Company Merger—Program for Monument Unveiling.

Gazette-News Bureau, The Hotel Raleigh, Raleigh, April 26.

Raleigh people are greatly interested in the merging of the Jefferson Standard and Greensboro Life Insurance companies, every person asking the question, "Where will the home office go?"

The Raleigh Law and Order league met last night and received reports of work done since the last meeting.

The Raleigh chamber of commerce has already begun sending out information to cities and towns within a radius of 100 miles.

J. Wilbur Bunn, a Raleigh lawyer, is the fourth candidate to announce himself for the legislature.

Acceptance of statue to the state, by J. Y. Joyner, chairman of the committee.

Men Prominent in Public and Private Life Pay Last Tribute to Noted Soldier.

New York, April 26.—Men prominent in public and private life gathered here today to pay the last honors to Major General Frederick Dent Grant, who died April 21.