CRISP'S COMMITTEES

MILLS AS WAS EXPECTED RELEASELY TURNED DOWN.

ger Chairman of Ways and Means—It a Bosses the Appropriations—The Pelions Assigned to the Michigan Men. Mr. Belknap's Position.

Washington, Dec. 23.—At noon to day Speaker Orley announced his com-mittees. More than usual interest wa-attached to the announcement, though the principal appointments have been public property for several days. Mr. Orley stood firm in his attitude toward Mills, and that gentleman was 'turned down' in a somewhat summary manner. The committee on wax-s and means is

ommittee or ways and means is up as follows: William M. r. Illinois: Benton McMillin. see; H. G. Turner, Georgia; W. ny, West Virginia; Montconery, sy; J. R. Whiting, Michigan; B. ly, Indians; W. Bourke Code-w York; Moses T. Stevens, Mas-ts; W. J. Bryan, Nebrasks; T. Maine; J. C. Burrows, Michi-eph McKenna, Californis; S. E. New York; John Dalzell, Penn-

ntucky; E. M. Dockery, chler, C. R. Breckenridge, arnes, Compton, J. H. O'N setts; L. F. Livingston, D

acoustics, and territories; H. H. merchant marine and fisheries; ray Stout, public lands, and on a coustles; S. M. Stevenses and mining; H. H. Wheeler, I. Logan Chipman, chairman of se on the election of president president; James S. Gorman, ures on postoffice department; Youmans, expenditures public.

ngs.
Belknap expressed a preference
e committee on military affairs,
called upon by the speaker, and is
stood to be very well satisfied,
so understood that he will later
de a member of a special commit-

lolman had been in a measure disdef or several days, but there is no
alment of the fact that it threatoccasion a serious rupture in the
cratic ranks. The pressure which
sen exerted so unavailably upon
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cre the trace. The result is not
be ascertained.

THE NICARAGUA CANAL

Government Money But Does Was Government Bonds.

es. e net income of the Suez canal last was \$12,000,000, and it is increas. It is confidently expected that the ragua canal will pay even better this.

A PERSECUTED WOMAN

A PERSOUTED WOMAN.

Amere G. Blaig, Tr. Made site by Excitement and Trooble

YORK, Dec. 23.—The taking of
tony in Mrs. James G. Blaine, Jr.'s
or divorce will be resumed before
ee Dadiel Lord, Jr., tomorte,
were no proceedings in the case.
Mrs. Blaine was ill on Sature
and Sunday. The excitement and
attendant on the legal proceedattendant on the legal proceed-

e rested quietly today, spending y the whole day in her room and the she are reported to be much r and stronger. Her son, whose dy is a point in the suit that is not much trouble, is on his way to he will spend Christmas with his or in this city.

NOT CONFIRMED

Department Has no Knowledge on Valparaiso Riot Report. the Valuaration Miss Report.

Washington, Die. 23.—The state department has received no official intimation is regard to the report that the
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LONDON, Dec. 23.—A dispatch just recived here says that the steamship Thingvalia (the Danishor Thingvalia, of the Corbon of the Corbon

APPOINTMENTS CONFIRMED

Michigan Man Secures a Small Si-Plum.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The sens

FOR FREE SILVER

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ing a tew turnips.

A Frieth Week in Missent.

Sr. Leuts, Dec. 23.—At ant-boind freight train on the Missour Pacific jumped the track four miles west of Pacific, Mo. Engineer Joseph Hill was seriously jojured and may not recover.

A brakeman named Holoss was also badly injured. The wreck was a bad one and the tracks were blocked until a one and the tracks were blocked until a central serious processing the serious processing the serious process of the ser

fell in torrents and all streams ros rapidly. No serious damage to ship ping is reported, but it is feared that a number of vessels have been lost along the coast.

Fighting Preacher Dead.
FLINT, Mich., Dec. 2s.—Rev.
Hamilton, the "fighting preache
the old Twenty-third Michigan Infa
died suddenly of rheumatism of
heart at his home in Mt. Morri
night.

No Let Up on Field.

New YORK, Dec. 23.—District Att
ney Nichols stated this afternoon the

Jules Simon Dying. Dec. 23.—Jules Sim

BOB BLACKER CHOSEN

TO FILL THE OFFICIAL SHOES OF TH LATE SECRETARY OF STATE.

e Looks Over the Ground and Then cepts—Soper Pays in Twenty-Five Dolla to Cover His Debt to the State—The Scandal May Be Hushed Up.

Scandal May Be Hushed Up.

LANSING, Dec. 25,—Hon. Robert R. Blacker of Manistee was formally tentered the position of secretary of state by Governor Winnss last, night, and today came here to look over the ground. After poxing limself as to the situation that the power of the company of the situation of the company of t

There is a growing feeling that an at

THE CIRCUIT COURT

il Jan. 4. he jury in Judge Grove's court in replevin case of Edwin Mead et al. inst Leman H. Chapman returned a lict of 6 cents and costs for the ntiff and against Thomas J. Hopkins

surety.

Evidence in the assumpsit case
Judson E. Rice engainst Hezekial
Edwards was taken and the case
journed until this morning.

TO SAIL THE GRAND

The Valley City Transportation Com New Organized.

The Valley City Transportation pany was organized yesterday; we view to filing articles of incorporation.

The object of the company is the struction of one or more steel-hull at

struction of one or more select-bulisteem to boats and the operation of a transport to lion line on the Grand river. The captial is \$20,000 divided into 800 shares. The directors are M.B. Church, S. M. Lennon and C. H. Leonard of this city, anneed to the control of the cont

THE BUILDERS' EXCHANG

ects a List of Delegates to the Nat

of electing delegates to the national convention of traders and builders to be held at Cleveland, O., Jan. is. There was a lively interest manifested by many of the members and after quite a general allow the following delegates were selected to the following delegates were selected and J. H. Hoskins; alternates, John Dregge, H. E. Doran and James Curtis. A committee of five consisting of John Dregge, Geo. I. Davidson, Fred Schrift was a first property of the control of the consistency of the control of the con

inaginable little twins may be seen a Robert Gunningham's, 10 Stockin, street. Thoy are boys: The little fel lows: were one year old Dec. 13 and lows: were one year old Dec. 13 and will be seen the little fell be well as the twely, but leave the little street, and it is not little by the little stockings will contain many Christ little stockings will contain many Christ little stockings will contain many Christ and the little stockings will contain many Christ donates them.

ALIEN LAND ACT VOID

Judge Collins Pronounces Unconstitu the Law Almed at "Lord" Scully CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Judge Collin day decided that the allen land

day deedled that the allen land act passed by the Illinois legislature in 1887 was illegal and void. The set restricts the right of allens to acquire and hold real and personal estate and provide for the distribution of the lands then owned by non-resident allens. "Lord" Scully, whose rack-rauting in "Lord" scully, whose rack-rauting in rian laws in the British parliament, was the person at whom the Illinois statute was almed. That allen "lord" has state, and was wasted of acres in this state, and was the person at the system that has improvershed Ireland.

SUDDEN DEATH

J. Creswell, ex-Postmaster e United States, Expired at ton, Maryland, Yesterday.

Chicago Republican convention of 1808 In May, 1808, he was elected secretary of the United States senate, but de elined. On March 5, 1809, he was ap pointed postmaster general by General Grant and served until July 3, 1874.

IT IS GROWING

THE THEATERS.

Dockstader's merry minaries wi sing, dance and be funny at Power's to night. The company will give thre performances, tonight, tomorrow aften noon and Christmas night. The ar-vance sale is unprecedently large and the engagement will no doubt be th-most profitable of the season.

dented in the history of the house and the prospects for the balance of the sea-son is very flattering. Mr. Geary will move his family here and personally superinted the fast growing patronage. The Nelson combination at Redmond's continue to please the patrons of that house. The different acts well merit the generous applause bestowed on them and the audifence leave the theater well satisfied.

Smith's opera house wa filled last night by an enth that tendered the Sensa company a royal welcome.

Theater Notes. It cost Mrs. Langtry 875, per American dates.

Bernhard's name is as if it were spelled "Barenar."

Mme. Judic, the once famous queen of comic opera, recently sold her jewels in Paris for the benefit of her children. The next play Charles H. Hoyt will write, after "A Temperance Town" is write, after "A Temperance Town" is most of the proper in Missourt."

Born in Missouri."

Mrs. William H. Grane is said to have been her husband's treasurer for more than the reasurer and to handle between the reasurer in the reasurer. It have been her husband's treasurer and to handle between the reasurer in the reasurer

MEMORIAL SERVICES

The first of the services will be held next Sunday evening at the Korth Di-vision street M. E. church, at which time Rev. John Graham, will deliver a sermon in honor of the departed memi-tribute will be read in honor of those members of Custor post who within the cast year have been symmond before head the services will be interpreted with The services will be interpreted with one excellent selections of yould mu-double the services will be interpreted with concerned to the services will be interpreted with the services will be interpreted with the service will be known to concern.

Cyrus Field Growing Better. New York, Dec. 23.—Cyrus W. Field till continues to improve and is now

SHIP BLOWN TO PIECES FRANCE

A Large but, Uaknown, Number, of Fe Killed-Legs, Arms and Pieges of th Vessel Mired in Inextricable Con-fusion—A Vivid Description

ment.

New blood will be injected into the editorial rooms which, it is stated, are to be under the management of Mr. Quimby. Sidney H. Woodford of The Evening News will be given the position of city editor.

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In building the fence.

Sarah Skinner was arrested yesterday of a fermoon in the act of sneaking goods of the property of the property

IN POLICE COUR

Another discassion of the prosperity of The families of Messrs. W. O. Hughart and W. S. Howard will leave for their winter residences in Zellwood, Fla., early nest week.

Nicholas Schenofen has commenced suit in the circuit court against John Schenofen and Commenced suit in the circuit court against John Schenofen and Commenced Tarish were approaching railway cross-terists were approaching railway cross-

ssociation. WM. DUNHAM, Attest: WM. P. INNES, Sec'y.

ALL kinds of musical instruments, from a Jews harp to a Steinway plane, can be found at Julius A. J. Friedrich's, at 30 and 32 Canal street.

BRAZU, NO GOOD HUSTLING UP THE WORK

A LARGE FORCE OF MEN BURRYING ALONG THE COURT HOPSE.

apid Progress Beling Made on Every Flo and It Will Be Ready for Occupancy Much Sconer Than Lie Fublic Dared to Hope A Reporter's Exchange

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TORE DOWN THE FENCE

as granted, restraining Doyle fro rfering with the plans of the di building the fence.

istives at Lim Hall and Almy.

The authorities at police headquarter
esterday made up a neat purse for the
elephone girls at the central exchange

trains were apprinted to the control of the control

The Swedish Society Norden helected the following officers:
President—Andrew Hanson.
Vice President—M. S. Swanson.
Secretary—Fred Aspergrend.
Financial Secretary—A. Anderson.
Cashier—H. M. Holmes.
Librarian—Eric Johnson.
Assistant Librarian—Neis Holmes.
Trustees—John Anderson, Gust Ake

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ous. ems ridiculous that the Unite It seems ridiculous that the United States should have a war with Chill, but it really begins to look that way. There is more malice and cussedness in the matter on the part of Chill than justice. The original fault of all the trouble is Minister Eagan. He made himself a conspicuous partisan of Balmaceds and picuous partisan of Bainnaceda and urue became an objectof hate by the utionists. When Bainnaceda fell in should have been promptly re-d. His retention at Santiagot act the successful revolutionists a red rag does a bull in the rica, he shook the rag at them when he refuge to Bainnacedans in the rican legation. Then again during loody struggle the revolutionist ves-fluta, was saiced at San Diego, d with arms, but as she was only by a deputy United States marshal loaded with arms, but as she was only held by a doppty United States markal she carried him to sea with her and put out for Chill. Then began the famous chase down the Pacific coast that resulted in the recapture of the itaat. This was another grievance against the United States on the part of the revolutionists and the matter has not been helped any by the persistant effort of our government to hold the Itaat by a struggle in the state of the

Canada as well as Chill.

Ir will not escape notice that D. J.
Campas, the chairman of the Democratic state committee, resented the
mention of his name in connection with
Rowley's appointment in a saloon at
mignight, as an insult and libel. The
Detroit Free Press got very warm under
monered to "an outage." and promonered to "an outage." and promass so digraceful that Mesra. Cammaps. Barnes, Dodge and Montgomery
and The Free Press all call it a shame
and outrage to be connected with it,
what do these leading Democrats and
this leading state organ think of the this leading state organ think of the

stance in connection with Rowiey's ap-pointment that was talked of at the time among politicians, the same being Rowley's threats against Soper and the party if he was not appointed deputy secretary of state. These threats of Rowley excited Stone, Davis and Rosen thall to their last successful effort with il to their last successful effort witer. So far the story goes that Row sent Mr. Campau to withdraw hine, but another version at the time that Rowley withdrew his name is son and took occasion then to the reward to the might expect for his timent.

EY-MAYOR DONNAVIN is a Barnes BY-MAYOR DONALYIK IS BARNES DUBLICAN AND HEROFOR A SUPPORT ROWLING AGAINST SOME STATE AND THE ROWLING AGAINST SOME STATE AND THE AND T

It is a very rowley sort of a row

MUST SOPER SUFFER ALONE? The general sentiment is that Day " A Democra

against Rowley and Rosenthal We will suppose that Sop mand a divy with Rowley and cede that the offense is so gr dishonor Soper and forbid his secretary of state, what will with those other high officials in the "bargain and sale?" fall alone?

J. C. BLANCHARD of Ionia has been t Lansing in Soper's interest and we infe he will be associated with Cook as So he will be associated with Cook as per's counsel. He is a valuable acquition to Soper's side and with Cook make a law team of great power in particular case. If Messrs. Blanch and Cook are given a chance in the vestigatiou more hearts will bleed the

of party than \$500.

The pictures being circulated by certain newspapers of Mrs. J. G. Blaine ir would make her pass for a sister of John L. Sullivan. These pictures are un doubtedly gross libels on the fair lady list the Democratic party had a few more such friends and advocates as Bowley it wouldn't be able to polenough votes to carry a township in the

state.

That Threat of War.

Ionia Sentinel: Deputy Secretary
State Rowley has sent out a long pap
denying the alleged deal by which
was agreed that a part of his salary w

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THE SOPER SCANDAL

THE LATEST PHASES OF THE VERY MIXED

oper Tries to Pull the String on His Resignation—His Attorney Hatches Out a
Fine Legal Question—Comments From
Various of the State Papers.

LANSING, Dec. 23.—As a result of L. Soper's conference with Hon. I cook of Muskegon, his attorney, he offfied Governor Winans, formally

If. Soper claims to expect to again take p the duties of his office in the near fu-ure and that he cannot be dislodged. This morning he surrendered the keys this private office to Deputy Rowier, and by reason of this his subsequent clion creates the greatest surprise. The properties of the properties of the control of the toper has any legal rights, under such clion—the considers Soper's resignation of the properties of the control of th

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