## CARPATHIA'S WIRELESS SILENT TODAY AS THAT OF TITANIC WHOSE CARGO SHE CARRIES

### SURVIVORS KNOW NOTHING OF LOSS

News of the Awful Cala: State Unknown to Those Who Were Saved.

New York, April 18.—The following bulletin was made public by the White Star line shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon: "Carpathia due Sandy Hook 9 p. m. Should dock at 11 p. m."

trade, in reply to a question in the house of commons this afternoon.

Will Ask for Funds.

Washington, April 18.—After a conference at the white house today between Secretary Nagel of the department of commerce and labor. Charles D. Hilles, secretary to the president, and Miss Mabel Boardman, the acting head of the American Red Cross, it was announced that an appeal to the people of the United States would probably be sent broadcast today by the Red Cross for funds to aid the destitute from the Titanic.

President Dost.

Montreal. April 18.—The Grand Mass and Cross and Cross of the Course in Convention Down.

The Hitanic's position was reported to have been latitude 41.16, longitude 50.14 at the time of her risaster.

Two Miles Down.

Baltimore, April 18.—"The bodies of the victims of the Citanic are at the bottom of the deep, never to leave it." Prof. Robert W. Wood of the chair of experimental physics of John Hopkins university said today.

"It is improbable that any of the corpses will ever return to the surface, as is the case with bodies drowned in shallow water. At the depth of two miles the pressure of the water is something like 6,000 pounds to the square inch, which is far too great to be overcome by buoyancy ordinarily.

Course in Convention

President Dost.

Montreal. April 18.—The Grand Trunk Railway this inc.
the following telegram:
"Mrs. Hays and Mrs. Davidson saved. No news of husband.
""Hayes." Trunk Railway this morning received

The message came from Woods Hole, Mass., and confirms the information thus far received to the effect that the president of the Grand Trunk is not among the suvivors.

Bridal Couple Safe.

Minneapolis, April 18.— Amessage received here today by Mrs. T. W. Stevenson, her mother, from Mrs. John Pillsbury Snyder, who with her

No Transfor at Sea.

New York, April 18.—Pennsylvania Railway officials today issued a statement denying emphatically that a personal message of any kind had been received from J. B. Thayer or any of the family who are on the Carpathia bound for New York. They say the only message regarding Thayer came from the officers of the White Star line to the effect that Thayer, his wife and son are aboard the Carpathia. President Franklin of the White Star line said the Cedric would sail as scheduled today and no arrangements to transfer President Ismay from the Carpathia. to the Codric at sea, so far as he knew, had been made. The fog is very thick down the bay and if it continues will delay the arrival of the Carpathia.

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Washingtaon, April 18.—The task of investigating the Titanic wreck was begun today by the senate commerce committee which appointed a sub-committee of seven headed by William Alden Smith of Michigan. He will leave at once for New York with the marken-ta-tarms to procure witnesses to attend the immediat hearing. J. Bruce Ismay may be among the first asked to testify.

Other members of the senate sub-committee are: Perkins, Bourne, Burten, Simmons, Newland and Fletcher. Chairman Cullom announced today he would call a meeting of the forcign relations committee on Saturday with a view to reporting out the mari-

time resolution requesting the presi-dent to open negotiations for an in-ternational agreement in regard to the

Are Indignant.

Washington, April 18.—Naval officials are suspending judgment upon the conduct of the officers of the Carpathia who have treated with scant courtesy requests for information transmitted through the cruisers Saliem and Chester by the government fields, including President Taft.

Mist of the Carpathia or with the Social of the Carpathia or with the Titanic a. The Carpathia or the Titanic a. The Carpathia, is a matter of conjecture. Naval officials reject the insinuation by the Cunard people that the naval wireless operators were incapable of handling the messages with due celerity. messages with due celerity.

New York, April 14—The Cutage of the April 15—The Cutage of the April 15—Th

be overcome by buoyancy ordinarily given drowned bodies by the gases

generated in time. "That the bodies sank to the bot-tom of the sea there is no question. The Titanic's victims who were not carried down with the boat followed

carried down with the boat followed until the very bottom of the sea was reached. There was no such thing as their stopping in their downward course a half mile, a mile or at any other point.

"Great changes have necessarily been wrought in the vessel itself by the enormous pressure to which it has been subjected. No effect was produced on any portion, or compartment, or room to whose inside as well as outside walls the water has access. In the asked whether Mr. Bryan would such instances the pressure from one

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the two countries are brought into the two countries are brought into community of grief through their common begreavement. The Americans share in the sorrow of their kinsmen beyond the sea. On behalf of my countrymen I thank you for your sympathetic message. (Signed).

—"William H. Taft."

The cause of the trouble has not been ascertained.

#### MYSTERY SHROUDS SUICIDE OF MRS. BUTTON NORTH DAKOTA CAN SUPPLY THE UNITED STATES

Enough Sugar Could be SECRETARY KNOX Grown in This State For Nation.

Echo of the Famous Chicago SECRETARY WILLSON EXPRESSES CONFIDENCE IN RESOURCES

**Democratic Convention** 

Now in Court.

Will not Commit Himself to

Course in Convention if

Elected Delegate.

Lincoln, Neb., April 18 .- In reply to

With 107 Killed and

80 Injured.

Told Senate Finance Committee How Cheaper Sugar Could be Produced Chicago, April 18 .- An echo of the conflict of court orders Monday which preceded the holding of rival demo-Aiding the Foreign Producer.

"attempts to aviate without motive power." The Greek church and the Roman church also must be omitted TO STAND TIED from consideration, he said, as neither desired unification except by absorption.

The speaker named the Luthera.

Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist churches and the Church of England as the denominations most fully Killed Woman Whose House awake to the desirability of unity.

TWO FOR TAFT.

Colorado Springs, Col., April 18.— Second district delegates to the Re-publican national convention: Caci-mero Barela, Trinidad, and Edward T. Elliott, Del Norte, instructed for

FOUND GUILTY. Kansas City, Mo., April 18 .- George Bowener, a negro, was found guilty today of the murder of Albert Un-derwood and sentenced to hang.

# THE GOVERMENT

Plant company.

This will enable the government to proceed at once to the trial of the United Shoe Machinery company and ten subsidiaries which have filed answers.

DASCEDATE CARCES

BASEBALL GAMES

Columbus-St. Paul; cold. Toledo-Minneapolis; cold. Indianapolis-Kansas City; cold. Louisville-Milwaukee; wet grounds.

### AT GREAT NORTHERN DEPOT LAST NIGHT SKINNER DEAD

tual of Milwaukee Victim of HAS RETURNED Apoplexy. Milwaukee, April 18.—Vice President J. W. Skinner of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company of Milwaukee died this afternoon of a stroke of apoplexy. He was 74 years

BOMBARDMENT ON

Italian Battleships Have Opened on the Dardanelles Batteries.

Has Found Out the Trouble

in the Latin-American

Republics.

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London, April 18.—The bombard-ment of the Dardanelles was begur Washington, April 18.—Secretary today, according to a special dispatch received here from Constantinople. Knox returned to the capital today, One Italian battleship has been damsatisfied that he had accomplished aged by a shot from the land bat-the mission upon which he was sent teries.

Deny Right of U. S. Government to Make Admonition

in Note Sent.

Rosebud county jail at Forsythe and hanged him to a tree on the main street of the town, because of his cowardly murder of Mrs. William Merrill at a lonely ranch house Tuesday evening. It was an orderly mob but described in the work of the washington governing. It was an orderly mob but described in the work of the washington governing. It was an orderly mob but described in the work of the work of the washington and public by Minister of Foreign Relations Calero, denies the right of the Washington governing the work of the work ing. It was an orderly mob but determined in its purpose to have revenge. There had been some talk of lynching, but the town was quiet throughout the evening. The mob seemed to have gathered at the jail by twos and threes.

About 2:30 o'clock this morning Sheriff McMullen heard that a mob was forming and hoping to head off the movement in its incipiency, he

was forming and noping to nead the the movement in its incipiency, he went over to town and began talking to the various men. The sheriff was soon hemmed in by a crowd, evidentsoon hemmed in by a crowd, evidently with the purpose of restraining his offenses only to the Mexican courts and therefore should not be made the recipient of a diplomatic

him. The officer then learned that the mob had gathered at the jail and he broke away and made a rush to that building. But in a moment he was seized by several men and quickly disarmed. The same treatment was accorded Under Sheriff Fleming who acted as jailer. WAGE INCREASE

> Engineers and Road Managers May Have Joint Meeting on Question.

New York, April 18.—Members of the conference committee of man-agers of eastern railways conferred

Just grains as cheek.

ASSEBALL GAMES
POSTPONED TODAY

NATIONAL.
Chicago-Cincinnati: bad weather.
Philadelphia-Boston: rain.
New York-Brooklyn; wet grounds.
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Detroit-Cloveland: rain.
Boston-New York: rain.
Washington-Philadelphia; rain.
Columbus-St. Paul; cold.
Louisville-Milwaukee; wet grounds.
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### SKINNER DEAD Vice President of Northwestern Mu-NOT BEEN FOUND

Was in Crookston Yesterday and Was Seen Going Toward Depot.

What has developed into one of the greatest mysteries Grand Forks has known in some years, is the unaccountable disappearance of J. A. Button, husband of the woman, Mrs. Anna Button, who committed suicide at the Great Northern depot about 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, by firing a bullet from a 32 caliber revolver into her brain.

The officials of Grand Forks, Crookston, Thief River Falls, Glenwood, New York Mills and Detroit, Minn., have been working on the case all day and up to a late hour not a trace of the husband has been found. The last heard of him was when he is alleged to have left the home of his former wife in Crookston about 6 c'clock Wednesday evening, and started apparently for the Great Northern depot in that city.

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From that time on nothing has been learned of him. Railroad employes saw no man of the description of Button, and the case is surrounded with a shroud of mystery which lead the officials to believe that the husband may have follewed the example of his wife and made away with himself.

Suicide Was Planned.

While the coroner's jury at the inquest this morning returned a verdiet giving the bare statement that the woman took her own life by shooting herself in the right temple, no conclusions were arrived at in regard to the cause of the rash deed.

That she had planned to take her own life was obvious as in her purse was found the following note:

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At the coroner's inquest held this morning it was shown that Mrs. Anna Button had been seen at the Northern Pacific depot at the time the Winnipeg fiyer came from Crookston and that she was presumably there for the purpose of meeting her husband.

At 7 o'clock or theresbouts she appeared at the Great Northern depot and asked Ticket Agent Neville for information regarding the trains. Her unusual height and the fact that she seemed greatly agitated over something or other caused the interest of a number to become aroused. She was seen to write a note on the back of an envelope and to start crying.

After having been told by Captain Sullivan where she could best stand to watch the passengers get off the train she eagerly scrutinized the travelers and finally when all had left the train she turned hurriedly, walked in the direction of the Great Northern express building and raising a revolver to her forehoad, fired one shot. The flash was seen by several who rushed to her side and who summoned the officials.

Killed Woman Whose House

He was Robbing—No

Arrests Likely.

Mexico, City, April 17.—Mexico replied to the warning note of Acting-Secretary Huntington Wilson tonight, declining to assume responsibility for Opozco's acts, denying the right of the Washington government to deliver the admonition contained thereing, taking exception to the communication directed to Orozco through Consul Letcher, and deploring the making public of this communication in the same note to which the government to deliver the admonition contained therein the was removed to the hospital, but died within three-quarters of an hour after the shooting.

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ton.
From what can be learned he to Crookston for the purpose of call-ing on his children and his first wife who reside there. At 6 o'clock Wednesday evening he took leave of his first wife and was walking down to-wards the Great Northern depot with wards the Great Northern depot with his son. Seeing a playmate riding a horse the lad asked his father to buy him a pony. Mr. Button did so and later bought a bridle. Since that time Family Differences.

he has not been seen.

Family Differences.

J. A. Button and his second wife, who committed suicide, had been divorced. The two were married at Aberdeen, S. D., on March 19, 1910.
The first Mrs. Button took up her home at Crookston and has resided there with her children since, her husband always furnishing her with a competence and taking good care of his children.

The woman who suicided and whose home was formerly in Detroit, Minn. was at one time married to a mall clerk, one Jager, who was arrested at Fergus Falls some two years or more ago on the charge of opening a mail sack. He was sentenced to thirty days and spent the time in jail. It was while he was incarcerated that he confessed to being a deserter from the army and was sent back to Fort Snelling.

Shortly after this Anna Jager secured a divorce and but little later married J. A. Button.

Since then Mr. Button has been conducting a business college at Glenwood, Minn., but of late closed the place with the intention of moving to Canada.

The Coroner's Inquest.

Some interesting facts were

the conference committee of managers of eastern railways conferred again today on the demands of the Brotherhood of Locomitive Engineers for a wage increase amounting to 18 per cent.

Instead of replying formally to the