ROOSEVELT'S VIGOROUS LETTER ON THE SOUTH

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat, March 7, 1904.

To the Editor of the World's Fair:

I desire to call your attention to the news stories in the Saturday issue of the Associated Press concerning the statements made by my Excellency, Mr. Roosevelt, in his speech in Philadelphia, in which he expressed his opinion that the South was not as progressive as it should be.

As a native of the South, I cannot help but feel that this is a false statement. The South has made great strides in recent years in the fields of education, industry, and agriculture.

Moreover, the South has a rich and diverse culture that is a valuable asset to the nation as a whole. The South has produced many great leaders and artists who have contributed to our country's culture and history.

The South is not perfect, but it is certainly not the落后地区 that Mr. Roosevelt suggests. I urge you to seek out the facts and form your own opinion rather than relying on the biased reporting of the Associated Press.

Sincerely,
[Signature]

FRANCIS CHANGES HIS PLANS; WILL VISIT PARIS AND BERLIN.

Telegram Advises From France That President Loubet Would Refuse to Receive His Instructions From the Continental—Will Go to Madrid, and Expect to Meet the Kaiser March 3—May Stay in Home March 15.

RUDOLPH AND LEWIS, UNION BANK ROBBERS, TAKEN BY PINKERTONS AT HARTFORD, CONN.

Desires Were, Who Killed Detective Schenck When He Tried to Arrest Them, and Win FreeAnswer. Half the State of Missouri. Pursued by a Danse Posse. They are Taken by Surprise While Escaping, but Do Not Surrender in Drawing Their Weapons—More Than £500 in Their Possession and Two Trans—Now Held to be Captured.

POPE CONTINUES CELEBRATION DESPITE PHYSICIAN'S PROTEST.

VATICAN, March 15—Pope Pius XI, the world's pontiff, was today making a full recovery after his recent illness and continues to receive the respect and affection of the Roman Catholic Church.

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Although it has been in session fifty-two days, only twenty-two bills have been passed—eleven being blocked progress by the manipulation of the C. F. Mc-

CHANGE IN RIVER CHANNEL.

Democratic Cause Of Large Portion Of Wyandotte Reservation and The Smoky Top of its Old Bed.

SUIT GOES AGAINST PACKING HOUSES.

Home of Alfred Armstrong, an In-

union bank robbers taken by pinckertons.

LITTLE ABATEMENT IN FLOOD SITUATION.

Governor Van Meter's statement today that the river was going higher was not confirmed by the observations of the United States engineers at New Orleans and at Potosi. The river at New Orleans was at 44.5, and at Potosi it was a little over 43. The U. S. engineers at both points reported that the water was not rising as rapidly as they expected it to rise, and that the highest point of the river was not yet reached.

Handkerchiefs and Lace.

Fine linen handkerchiefs and lace will not be ruined by the current. To clean them, wash in Iveron soap and water. This will give rise to the hands (the two are very delicate). It is better to leave them in the soap and water about two thirds full of soap, then rinse in clear water. After this, place them in hot water and a little bluing should be used to dip the pieces into before drying. Stretch perfectly smooth on a marble surface for a pan of glass and allow to dry. With lace care should be taken that the wrong side is against the marble or glass surface. Iveron Soap—90c a pound. Per Cent. Pure.

OHIO BEGINS TO RISE AGAIN.

In the northwestern part of the state the river was rising again. It was reported that the Ohio at Piqua was at 51.5. The Ohio at Dayton was at 50.5, and at Cincinnati it was at 50. The U.S. engineers at Cincinnati reported that the river was still rising, and that the highest point was not yet reached. It was also reported that the river at Covington, Ky., was at 48.5, and at Louisville it was at 47.5. The U.S. engineers at both points reported that the river was still rising, and that the highest point was not yet reached.

LOWER PITTSBURG SUBMERGED.

Lower Pittsburg, Allegheny and Ohio banks were flooded. The river at Lower Pittsburg was at 45.5, and at New Kensington it was at 44.5. The U.S. engineers at both points reported that the river was still rising, and that the highest point was not yet reached. It was also reported that the river at Johnstown, Pa., was at 43.5, and at Altoona it was at 42. The U.S. engineers at both points reported that the river was still rising, and that the highest point was not yet reached.

BLOOD POISON.

In the case of a man who was suffering from blood poison, Dr. W. F. Smith, of Philadelphia, was called in to see him. He found that the patient was suffering from an acute form of the disease, and prescribed a course of treatment which was followed by marked improvement. The patient is now convalescing. Dr. Smith is a well-known and respected surgeon, and has a large practice in the city. He is a member of the American Medical Association.

COMMITTED TWO DESPERATE CRIMES WITHIN A MONTH.

In the case of a man who was arrested for murder, it was proved that he had committed two desperate crimes within a month. The first was the murder of a woman, and the second was the robbery of a person. The man was subsequently convicted of both crimes, and sentenced to death. The case was tried in the Superior Court of the city, and was well conducted. The defendant was represented by a competent counsel, and the prosecution was conducted by the district attorney. The case was well argued, and the defendant was found guilty of both crimes.
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THIS IS THE "OREGON BOOT" TO BE USED ON RUDOLPH AND COLLINS.

STRIKE OF COAL MINERS IN ILLINOIS APPEARS IMMEDIATE.

Joint Conference at Springfield Plans to Make a Settlement Concerning Schedule.

RUDOLPH DELIVERS ULTIMATUM.

Secretary of Miners' Organization Demands There Will Be No More Coating.

ALL PROPOSALS VOTED DOWN.

Disagreement Blows Over Baby to Be Killed in Vicksburg—Captains Offer Six Bucks and Miners Demand Ten.

REPORT TO SPAIN SUCCESSFUL.

Spanish Court in Mourning.

STONE MAY BECOME A SENATE LEADER.

Democrats Will Hold Caucuses Today to Select Chairman of the Caucus for Honored Jane.

ANTICIGARETTE BILL WINS IN THE MISSOURI SENATE.

FRANCIS' TRIP TO SPAIN IS TO BE SWORN IN MONDAY.

Will Take President Part as Vice Chairman of National Democratic Organization.

Senator Culberson is ill.

Returns to His Home in Dallas.

Government Map of St. Louis.

Will Be Printed and distributed.

Time of the Illinois strike.

Garfield had just died or perhaps murdered.

Culberson was the head of the company.
WEAPONS WHICH ROBBERS TRIED TO USE ON CAPTORS

Robert H. Roach, formerly a criminal lawyer in St. Louis, has been appointed the official state’s attorney and attorney general of Missouri by Governor H. H. Johnson. He will receive $10,000 a year for his work.

Kaiser will send her to throne to World’s Fair.

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CROWD SET ON FIRE BY EXPLOSION OF WACKED OIL TANK.

Human torches try to escape the grasp of death in the fiery flood.

MORE THAN $100,000 IN CAGES.

Twenty-two cages have been recovered, all birds beyond hope of recognition.

SPECTATOR TELLS OF SCENES.

At least 500 persons were present at the scene, all of whom were in the building during the time of the fire.

ONE HUNDRED PERSONS IMPRISONED BY FIRE.

St. Louis papers report that 100 persons were imprisoned by fire in the building, but the official report is that only 15 were actually imprisoned.

LEADING TOPICS IN TO-DAY’S REPUBLICAN.

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1. The anti-Suffrage Bill in Congress.
2. The tariff question.
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5. The foreign policy of the United States.

MISSIONARY RESOLUTION.

The Missouri House of Representatives has passed a resolution expressing the desire of the state for the establishment of a missionary society for the work of education among the heathen in the Far East.

GOVERNMENT WEATHER BUREAU SENDS OUT A FLOOD WARNING.

Danger Line Forecasted All the Way Down the Mississippi and the1 Continuous Service Information That the River Will Continue to Rise for Ten Days Past. Relief Office Active to Prevent the Loss of Lives Which Are Expected to be Lost by the Coming Waters.

OLD RIVERMEN ARE BEGINNING TO GROW MORE AID.

Washington, March 10—The view of the Southern States is discussed by the United States Department of Agriculture, which has issued a bulletin on the subject. The bulletin states that the old rivermen are beginning to grow more aid.

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FLOOD STAGE APPROACHING A CRISIS AT MEMPHIS.

Geo: Eakes, who is in a 32-foot boat, and the weather bureau predicts a stage of thirty-eight feet, which will do all kinds.

GENERAL Rains Send All Mississippi Tributaries Up.

The river is rising in every point, and the water in the Mississippi is only a matter of days away from the crest. The river is expected to reach a stage of thirty-eight feet this week.

LEADING TOPICS OF THE DAY'S REPUBLIC.

As the river continues to rise, the Republican leaders are calling for immediate action to prevent the loss of lives and property.

END OF BAUHOFER CASE NOT IN SIGHT.

The case of Bauhofler remains unresolved, and the outcome is uncertain. The lawyer for the plaintiff, Mr. Smith, has filed a motion for a new trial.

HOGG WILL RUN FOR THE SENATE.

The Senate race is heating up, and Hogg is expected to announce his candidacy soon. The race is expected to be a close one.

REPUBLICANS SELECT TICKET.

The Republican party has selected their candidates for the upcoming elections. The ticket includes candidates for governor, senator, and representative.

COLLINS AND RUPHOLAD ADMIT ROBBERY FOLLOWED BY A GREAT CROWD WHICH AWAITED TRAIN.

Collins and Rupholad, who were arrested for the robbery of the Union Bank, have admitted to the crime. The bank was robbed yesterday morning, and the robbers fled in a hurry.

The robbers were caught when they tried to board a train to Chicago. A crowd of reporters and photographers surrounded the train, and the robbers were arrested.

The robbers were identified as John Collins and James Rupholad. They are expected to face charges of robbery and murder.

The bank robbery was one of the most daring in recent memory. The robbers were able to evade the police and escape into the city.

As the investigation continues, the police are seeking leads and information from the public.

The bank robbery has sparked outrage and demanded justice. The community is calling for a thorough investigation and fair trial for the accused.
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Rudolph Attributes His Present Trouble to the Alleged Persecutions by the Residents of Franklin County, Missouri, Where He Spent His Early Boyhood

"Says he was sought out by the mob because he was a wealthy banker who had loaned money to the local residents."

BY WILLIAM RUDOLPH.

Until I was 15 years old, my life was much the same as that led by any other country boy in Central Missouri. Perhaps I was treated rather better than some, but there were many who got less than me and who did much harder work. But I was never rich. My employer was not rich and it was necessary for me to start work before I was old enough to become well paid. I worked at little or nothing. In fact, the greatest part of what education I possessed was obtained after I left Missouri.

I attribute my present trouble to the persecutions of residents of this county. Because I could do so, I placed in some stores, not as laborer but in a capacity to have no. I got the name of a desperate character.

After working around banks for several years, I decided that I could do better away from home and secured work in the state near Paul River. 

On the night of the 3rd of June, 1899, I was arrested and brought before the judge in Frank County. I was charged with the theft of a bank. The case was tried and I was found guilty. I was sentenced to five years in prison. The sentence was upheld on appeal and I was sent to the state penitentiary.

I have no intention of leaving prison. I have been told that I will be released in five years. I will work hard to earn my Keep and get back to my former life as a banker. I will never again be allowed to carry a bank.

RUDOLPH SAYS HE WAS PERSECUTED.

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Bank Robber Bill Rudolph Tells His Own Life Story.

"I was seeking to make a living, just the same as any other man."

NEUROLOGIST'S STUDY OF WILLIAM RUDOLPH.

BY DOCTOR FRANK R. FRY.

"He was found to have a high degree of intelligence and a strong will."

MISS HELEN GOULD MUST REST FROM CHARITABLE LABORS.

"She has been working hard to support her family and has suffered from overwork."

THE ST. LOUIS REPUBLIC.

A new and revealing account of Bill Rudolph's life story has been published, adding new dimensions to his life story.