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REPUBLICANISM.

IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO SEPARATE IT FROM PROTECTIONISM.

Nothing Now Marks a Difference Between Republicans and Democrats Excepting Their Views on the Subject of Free Trade.

In an interesting communication to the American Economist Mr. R. S. Hinman asks the question, "What is Republicanism?" Mr. Hinman is a Connecticut farmer of fourscore years or thereabouts, ripe in experience and, as his letter shows, a deep thinker and an able writer. He is not identified with manufacturing. He is merely a tiller of the soil. He evidently clings to the antiquated notion that Republicanism and protection are Siamese twins, bound together by an arterial connection, the severing of which would be pretty certain to cause serious consequences to both twins. Many persons have in the past held this view of the vital relationship beween Republicanism and protectionism. Many still entertain this belief, but it certainly seems to be true that many have argued themselves into the conviction that it would be perfectly safe and altogether wholesome for Republicanism to cut itself loose from its twin. Mr. Hinman is not of this way of thinking. He sees no particular difference between Democrats and Republicans except as to free trade and protection; that no Republican can claim to be a better citizen than his Democratic neighbor on any save the sole ground that he is a better protectionist; in short, that nothing but protecion separates the two parties at this time. Especially does the wise old Connecti-

out farmer object to Republicans considering the tariff as a local issue. Our best and greatest Republicans have not so considered it. They have, as Mr. Hinman rightly contends, "looked alike upon the sugar planter of Louisiana, the woolgrower of Texas, the woolen manufacturer of Connecticut and the steelmaker of Pennsylvania." Upon no other basis can protection endure. Its survival as a policy depends upon its application as a national issue and not as a local issue. Discrimination between one industry and another industry, between one section and another section, is the beginning of the end of protection. As with protection so with reciprocity. There should be no reciprocity for the benefit of one interest and at the expense of another interest. Such reciprocity arrangements as we may engage in should be for the benefit of all alike. Of this character, as Mr. Hinman well says, would be the reciprocal trade dickers that should remove a strictly revenue duty from articles which we cannot ourselves produties by another country. In this way the national treasury would pay the cost; the whole people would pay it. No one industry or group of industries would be required to make injurious sacrifices for the benefit of some other group of industries. Protective duties may be changed as to rates whenever the people so desire; they should never be changed as to equal and fair application; least of all should they be manipulated by means of treaty bargains in which the people have no voice either as to negotiation or ratification.

Mr. Cleveland's Conciseness. Mr. Cleveland has been accused of sentences which are longer and broader and deeper than the average mind finds it easy to handle. Unkind persons have accused his style of pomposity, and the flippant have insinuated that, like Oliver Wendell Holmes' katydid, "he says an undisputed thing in such a solemn way." But when he replied to a question about some recent chattering of William Jennings Bryan he was as clear, as concise and as incisive as the most exacting of his literary critics could demand. Said Mr. Cleveland: "He's got the stage. Let him go it. I guess that is definite enough." Bacon could not have done better.-Philadelphia Record.

In many ways Mr. Hinman's asking

and answering of the question, "What

is Republicanism?" are timely and in-

DEMOCRATIC IMPOSSIBLES.

Mr. Olney has not been seen in the presidential field since he retired behind Mr. Cleveland, and his disappearance is supposed to be final .-- Philadel-

Mr. Bryan insists that Mr. Cleveland is impossible while he himself is only highly improbable.-Washington Star.

It is becoming more and more evident that if the Democrats secure Grover Cleveland as a presidential candidate they will have to resort to force. -Providence News.

Tammany has been blowing frost upon Judge Parker's presidential boom. That is because it is believed Judge Parker is Man Friday for ex-Governor Hill. Even Tammany is not bad enough to stand Hill.—Binghamton (N. Y.) Republican.

Mr. Oiney has expressed himself as the man the Democrats should nominate. And now it is Gaston's turn to say something.—San Antonio Express.

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HIS FIRST CHECK.

The Way the Piece of Paper Worried Thomas A. Edison.

Thomas A. Edison once told a friend the story of his first acquaintance with any big sum of money. It was when he was struggling with his earlier inventions, and he had about as clear an idea of the value of a bank check as the man in the moon. He had finally sold his patent on the gold and stock indicator to the Western Union Tele graph company and had called at its office to close the deal. After a few preliminaries he was given a check for \$40,000. He eyed it curiously and appeared to be puzzled what to do with it. Observing his perplexity, General Lefferts, then president of the Western Union, told him that if he would go to the Bank of America, in Wall street,

he could get the cash on his check. "So I started," said Edison, "after carefully folding up the check, and went toward Wall street. So uncertain was I in regard to that way of doing business that I thought while on the way that if any man should come up to me and offer me two crisp \$1,000 bills for that piece of paper I would give him the check very quick-

On his arrival at the Bank of America he half tremblingly shoved his check out to the cashier. The latter scrutinized it closely, gave him a piercing glance and said something which Edison, being hard of hearing, failed to understand. That was enough. He was fully convinced that his check was not worth \$40,000 and again thought as he rushed out of the bank that any man who would give him \$2,000 for it could have it. He hurried back to the office of the Western Union and said he could not get any money. A clerk was sent to the bank with him to identify him.

"This man," said the clerk, "is Mr. Thomas A. Edison, to whose order the check is drawn."

"Why, certainly, Mr. Edison," said the cashier. "How would you like your money-in what shape?" "Oh, any way to suit the bank; it

doesn't make any difference to me, so long as I get my money.' Edison was given \$40,000 in large bills. After dividing the roll into two wads of \$20,000 each he stuffed one

speed out of Wall street. The next day he began work on his first New York laboratory.-Success. Powells' Corn Cure, a positive cure being quite sure that Cleveland is just for soft and hard corns. Why be simple partisan criticisms, the presibothered with Corns when you can

JAPANESE PROVERBS.

There is no miracle in true doctrine. Human life is like the dew of the

The fallen blossom never returns to the branch. There is no shore to the bitter sea of

Birth and Death. Never let go the reins of the wild colt of the heart.

One confession effaces the sins of even three years. Only by reason of having died does one enter into life.

With one hair of a woman you can tether even a great elephant. Even the touching of sleeves in passing is caused by some relation in a former life.—Lafcadio Hearn's "In Ghost-

Washington's Father.

ly Japan."

My father, Augustine, has been deenergy. I apprehend that he was of a serious tendency, for Lawrence, my him in a storm of anger because the fer iguana stew to chicken fricassee. clergyman who was to have baptized my sister Mildred was too much in liquor to perform the ceremony.-From Washington" in Century.

Pretty Customs of Japan.

Japanese ladies are like the French conversation. They pay fewer visits, but stay infinitely longer, always two or three hours and sometimes a whole day. They are received by the maid, who places a large silk cushion for them to rest upon, and much time is spent in detailed inquiries concerning each other's family. There is no special calling day in Japan. They visit when their fancy takes them, and they never go empty handed to a friend's house. The gifts are usually fruit or flowers or perhaps a fresh fish, and whatever they take is always daintily wrapped in a little box of paper or into each trousers pocket and made all

Should Go by Default. If the assembled Democracy in na tional convention cannot declare something better in the way of issues than dential campaign will go by default to cure them for 15 cent? Powell's Drug | the Republicans, as it did three years and more ago.—Camden Courier.

PEOPLE OF THE DAY

The Landis Trio.

There are three Landis brothers, familiar to Washington-Charles, who is the eldest; Fred, who is almost the baby member of the house, and Kenesaw, who used to be private secretary to Gresham when the latter was secretary of state. They are all of a kidney-bright, witty and unconventional. All of them betray the flavor of the western soil in which they grew. Charles and Fred are newspaper men. Kenesaw is a lawyer in Chicago, whither he went from the state department.

Kenesaw was the first to introduce the family to Washington, and there are few people who had anything to do with the second Cleveland administration who will ever forget him. It seemed a mockery that such a breezy smasher of precedents should be attached to the "foreign office," as the state department was called in those

The Vindication of Dreyfus.

The signs are that Alfred Dreyfus, who when captain of artillery in the French army and attached to the war office was charged with supplying certain secret information to the German government, is soon to be entirely vindicated. It will be remembered that Captain Dreyfus was dismissed in disgrace from the service and after a secret military trial at the Cherche Midi in 1894. In 1896 public sympathy was aroused for Dreyfus by disclosures which were made showing that he was the innocent victim of a plot, the outgrowth of the anti-Semitic feeling in



ALFRED DREYFUS.

the army. In 1898 Dreyfus was brought back from Devil's island and given another trial at Rennes, where after many sensational features, including an attempt to assassinate Maitre Labori. chief counsel for Dreyfus, a verdict of "guilty with extenuating circumstances" was returned. The sentence was ten years' imprisonment, but Dreyfus was almost immediately pardoned by President Loubet.

The criminal branch of the court of cassation in Paris has ordered a new trial in compliance with a motion made by counsel for Dreyfus. At the beginning of this latest proceeding in the celebrated case the attorney general informed the court that the charges against Dreyfus were found upon investigation, in the light of later information, to be "miserable" and without foundation and "valuable only because of the mystery cleverly thrown about them."

Ate Their Gods. The gods of most South American scribed as a good planter and a man of tribes of Indians are generally looked upon as sacred, but when the gods become a nuisance it is time to put an brother, once gave me to understand end to them; at least, that is what a that most of the few books at Wake- certain tribe along the Zabari river field were religious, but whether this think. They worship the iguana and was so or not I do not know. Like monkey, but as soon as the iguana some of the rest of us, my rather had a started eating chickens they thought high and quick temper, which, as he it time to stop worshiping him and used to say, he had to keep muzzled. to eat him in place of the chickens he I remember being terrified at seeing had eaten. This they do, and they pre-

The Elect of Boston. I can remember when it was jocose-S. Weir Mitchell's "The Youth of ly said of some families of Massachusetts that they claimed to have had, in the time of Noah's deluge, a persikon (a peach), referring to the boat to themselves, and I can recall, on the other hand, when a social aspir- its fruit, intimates pretty closely the in their love of social intercourse and ant in Boston asked, "Who belong to kind of estimation in which it was the really old families, grandmamma?" and when that relative shook her weary head and said, "Mostly no one, my dear."--Thomas Wentworth Higginson in Atlantic.

Amusing the Children.

Mrs. McShantee (triumphantly)-I see ye are takin' in washin' again, large picture of Dr. Edward Everett Mrs. McProudee! Mrs. McProudee Hale on the wall. The woman of the (whose husband has lost a paying job) house explained it thus: "Well, you -Sure it's only to amuse th' childer. They wants th' windies covered wid and want me to keep 'em, and I don't steam so they can make pictures on know anything about 'em, but if they

"Don't you suppose it is possible for

a man to go through the world without telling a lie?" "I doubt it. Almost every man has been in love at some time in his life."

Better heresy of doctrine than heresy of heart.-Whittier.

MAKING MATCHES.

Hand Labor and Slow Methods When the Industry Was New.

The first really efficient lucifer match must be put to the credit of Mr. John Walker of Stockton-on-Tees, who in the year 1827 placed them on the market under the name of "Congreves," in compliment to Sir William Congreve, the inventor of the war rocket. These matches were sold for a shilling a box. which contained, besides a few dozen of the matches, a little piece of folded sandpaper, through which each splint of wood had to be drawn before it could be made to inflame. An original tin box, stamped with the royal arms and bearing the word "Congreve," is preserved as a curiosity in one of the London museums. As in the case of all other industries,

this one was initiated by hand labor alone. The splints of wood were no doubt originally dipped in the igniting composition one by one, but subsequently they were tied up in bundles and dipped en bloc, the workman giving each bundle a twist with his hands so that the end of each splint would be free to move to a certain extent and absorb a little more of the compound than it would if kept quite still. The next advance was to fix the splints in a frame so that each was separated from its neighbor, and this frame, containing about 1.500 matches, would be brought down on a marble slab upon which the composition was spread. prison was banished to Devil's island The tipped matches, still in their frame, would then be dried in air for a few hours and afterward placed in a heated chamber to complete their desiccation. Manual labor is now almost wholly dispensed with in the manufacture of matches. The employment of yellow phosphorus for the charging of matches made the industry a very unhealthy one, and the workpeople, if not in the best of health, ran the risk of contracting a terrible disease known as necrosis of the jawbone, the vulgar name for which was "phossy jaw." With improvements in manufacture this evil has now been eliminated.-Chambers'.

YOUTH AND AGE.

The Thoughts That Filled the Maiden

and the Old Lady. It was 9 o'clock in the evening, the night of the great dance in the assembly room.

She was almost ready. A few final touches, a little readjustment before the mirror, and then, beautiful and stately, she stepped out into the hall and slowly descended the stairs.

She was very young, but her calm, and other certain little gestures of surety in herself indicated that she was not new at the business of the evening. Somehow there was a touch

of sadness to her face. As she passed down the stairs she paused in front of the library, with her party wrap over her arm. In the library, her face half shaded from the evening lamp, sat an old woman. Her silver hair was smoothed back from a forehead that time had not spared

from wrinkles. She looked up from the book she was

reading with a bright smile. "Off again, my dear?" she said.

"Yes, grandma. It's another dance. I had to go. But it's so tiresome." She sat down wearily and gazed for a moment absently into the flickering fire on the hearth. There was a brief silence; then the old woman spoke:

"My dear, you do not seem yourself tonight. Of what are you thinking?" Her granddaughter looked up. "Of the past," she said, with a sigh.

And then she said as she rose and gathered up her wraps: "But, granny, you seem unusually cheerful tonight. Of what, pray, are

you thinking?" And the old woman replied, "My dear, I was thinking of the future."-Twentieth Century Home.

The Tomato.

The tomato has a curious history. After the revolution of Santo Domingo many French families came from there to Philadelphia, where they introduced their favorite "pomme d'amour." Although introduced from South America as early as 1596 into England, it was looked upon with suspicion and its specific name, lycopersicum, derived from lykos (wolf) and beautiful but deceptive appearance of held. It is now, however, almost universally used.

Her Test.

An Oregon newspaper man says he was once traveling in the back country of Oregon, and, going to a little inn for lodging, was surprised to see a see, a good many strangers come here know Edward Everett Hale's picture I know they're good for something, and I let 'em stay."

Father's Reward.

"Why don't you go to work and earn money as I did at your age?"

"My dear father," said the complacent youth, "if I were to go ahead and work, what would be the use of your having done so?"-Washington Star.

JAP REVERSES REPORTED.

Rumors in St. Petersburg Cause Prices to Rise on Bourse.

HAVE CROSSED THE YALU.

Mikado's Soldiers Are Now Intrenched in Manchuria-Floating Bridges Destroyed,

Port Arthur, April 27 .- The situation here and in this vicinity today is un-

St. Petersburg, April 27-6:29 p. m.-The general stan beneves that one of the Japanese columns, while attempting to cross the Yalu river at Turnenchen, sustained severe loss, owing to unexpected shelling by a Russian battery from the opposite side, which destroyed the Japanese pontoons.

The Japanese, the general staff says, tried to cross the river at six or seven different points and succeeded only at one point. The staff has no further

St. Petersburg, April 27, 3:12 p. m.— The crossing of the Yalu river by the Japanese forces did not impress the Russians in view of the reports of the ensuing Japanese reverse. These reports be came more persistent at noon and caused an all-around rise in prices on the bourse, but so far, there has been no confirmation of them officially.

Paris, April 27.—A dispatch to the Temps from St. Petersburg says:
"The Japanese continue to cross the Yalu river in small squads. The Russian tactics seem to be not to seriously spaces these prediging representations." oppose these preliminary movements.

"The staff of the ministry of marine gives credence to but does not positively confirm the report that the Vladivostok squadron sank two Japanese transports bound for the Island of Sakahlin."

Liao Yang, April 26.—The Japanese forced a passage of the Yalu yesterday, two companies crossing between Tchangdjiou and Siaopoussikhe. Heavy firing was heard near Tatungkau, where it is believed the Japanese made a feint in order to distract attention from the real point of passage. So far no bridge spans the river. It is believed the Russian fire succeeded in destroying the floating parts of the Japanese bridges.

Admit Success of Japanese.

St. Petersburg, April 27.—The censors committee did not give out the dispatches received regarding the movements of the Japanese across the Yalu river. It was intimated that information had been received that the Japanese had crossed the river, but this was accompanied by a statement that the success of the enemy should in no sense be regarded as an important victory, the Russians having no intention of vigorously contesting the passage, their plan being to annoy the enemy as much as possible.

Have Intrenched in Manchuria.

It is evident from the dispatches received here that in order to render a crossing feasible the Japanese made a feint on Tatungkau while the troops actually crossed some miles up the river near Tchangdjioa. Two companies were first thrown into Manchuria and unquestion ably intrenched and immediately under the cover of their guns reinforcements

It is regarded as probable that when wil! march along the Manchurian bank of the Yalu in the direction of Antung, near which lies the road on which the advance can continue to Fenghoangtchang, where the first determined stand of the Russians

Will Attack Baltic Fleet.

Paris, April 27 .- A dispatch to the Petit Parisien from its Shanghai correspondent says: "A rumor is current here that Japan intends to occupy a portion of the Fukien coast, opposite Formosa, with the object of preventing the Russian Baltic squadron passing through the Formosa strait."

China Is Very Careful.

Pekin, April 27.—Owing to the great fear entertained by the Chinese government of unknowingly violating neutrality, it interprets the rules concerning contra-band of war in such an exaggerated manner as to seriously interfere with legitimate commerce. At present it is detaining at Shanghai an American cargo of tinplate, tea and lead. The American minister has protested to the ministry of foreign affairs.

RUSSIAN FLEET TO BE ACTIVE. Will Use Submarine Boats in Attacks

on Admiral Togo's Squadron.

Port Arthur, April 27.-The successful trials of the submarine boats here are regarded by the Novi Krai as opening fresh prospects for active operations on the part of the Russian fleet.

Submarines Safe. St. Petersburg, April 27.—3:12 p. m.— M. Boubnoff, who has been awarded \$12,500 for improvements in submarine bacter in an interview says: "There is boats, in an interview says: "There is less danger in navigating a submarine boat than a torpedo boat, and during a battle the former is safer than other

New Element in the Combat.

St. Petersburg, April 27.—The entrance into the service of four submarine boats at Port Arthur means the addition of a new and formidable weapon for the de-

new and formidable weapon for the defense of that stronghold.

The dispatch of the boats in sections over the railroad has been shrouded in secrecy, and even today many in St. Petersburg are inclined to doubt the report by officials of their presence at Port Arthur or to accept the information as trustworthy.

The officials here are not certain that Japanese have submarine boats, as they possessed none before the war, but since the beginning of hostilities they undoubtedly have laid down a number of them.

Japs Look at American Submarines.

Fall River, Mass., April 27.—Capt. Simeon Lake of the Lake Construction company of Bridgeport, Conn., said here today that representatives of the Japanese government had been here inspecting hese government had been here inspecting the submarine torpedo boat Protector, but that negotiations for the sale of the boat to the Japanese had not formally been begun. He was not in a position, he said, to state whether the boat would The Protector, which has been laid up

here for the winter, was launched today and sailed for Newport.

FLEET AGAIN AT GEN SAN.

The Russian Squadron Believed to Have Returned to Korean Port.

London, April 27.—A special dispatch from Kobe, Japan, says several vessels, believed to be Russian, were again sighted off Wonsau (Gen San), Korea, today, St. Petersburg, April 27, 6: 27 p. m.—The admiralty has no confirmation of a current report that Wonsan (Gen San), Korea, has been bombarded.

TAKES RELICS TO WAR TO KEEP OFF DANGER.

to Assume Command of the Port Arthur Fleet.

St. Petersburg, April 27.—Admiral Skrydloff left St. Petersburg for Moscow today. His departure was marked by scenes similar to those which accompanied the farewells of the other com- The Towns Above East St. Louis May manders. There was a large crowd at the Nicholas railroad station, including Grand Duke Alexander Michaelovitch, brother-in-law of the Emperor; Marine Minister Avellan, Vice Admiral Rojest-vensky, the commander of the Baltic squadron, and other officials. Many ladies presented the admiral with

bouquets The Archmandrite Cornellius bestowed on Admiral Skrydloff a sacred image of St. Alexander Nevsky, the patron saint of St. Petersburg, and delivered an ad-dress, saying the faithful members of the orthodox church would pray the Almighty to protect the admiral against every danger and give him victory.

The admiral was sprinkled with water

from the miraculous spring of St. Sera-phin, the hermit of Saraoff, whose recent canonization was attended by the Czar and Czarina Armlets were also handed to the admiral and he was presented with an ikon containing relies dating from the

Thirteenth century.

The departure of the admiral's train was marked by a great demonstration.

BRITISH DRIVE OUT DERVISHES FROM TOWN

Blue Jackets Take Illig, Somaliland, Losing Three Dead and Six Wounded -Enemy's Loss Heavy.

London, April 27 .- The admiralty has received an official report of the capture of Illig, on the coast of Somaliland, from the Dervishes. Three blue jackets were killed and six wounded.

Rear Admiral Atkinson-Willes, commander-in-chief of the East Africa sta-tion, says the fighting occurred April 24. The British stormed the Dervishes' stronghold gallantly and drove them out with heavy loss. The British and Italian tlags were raised side by side over the Zaribas, which will be demolished. Illig be handed over to a tribe friendly

LOOTING OF TOMB HASTENS HIS DEATH.

New York, April 27 .- Carroll Livingson, grandson of Gen. Harry Livingston and "Lady Mary" Livingston, and a colateral descendant of the chancellor who administered the oath of office to President George Washington, is dead at his home here. He was 71 years old. News of the desecration of his ancestor's tomb at Hudson, N. Y., hastened his death. Mr. Livingston retired from the bank-ing business many years ago and devoted much time to amateur sports. He won many prizes in live bird shooting tournaments in France and the United States.

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

150 Families Are Driven from Their Homes.

the Mississippi river registered 32.2 and is still rising. It is expected that 35 feet will be reached by tomorrow. There was a slight break in the levee north of St. Louis, on the Illinois side, and the flood is threatening Madison,

St. Louis, Mo., April 27.-Early today

Venice and Granite city. The water has risen to the level of the streets in West Madison and people are abandoning their

It is estimated that 150 families have been forced to flee and that 10,000 acres of farm lands are inundated.

RUSSIANS UNPREPARED.

German War Correspondent Tells of Mismanagement at Port Arthur-Small Force to Defend Fortress

blatt, writing from Harbin, Manchuria, under date of April 4, says he found the Russians much more unprepared for war than he anticipated. High officers assured him that the garrison of Port Arthur amounted to only 8000 combatants when the first attack occurred. Much censure, the colonel adds, was heard in army circles of the mismanagement of the defense of Port Arthur.

OLNEY WINS MASSACHUSETTS. Secures the Delegates in Fourteen Out of Eighteen Districts.

Boston, Mass., April 27.-Democratic conventions for the election of delegates to the national convention at St. Louis were held in the fourteen congressional districts of the state, and in all but four of the districts delegates either or favorable to the nomination of Richard Olney for the presidency were chosen. Of these delegates twenty-one are claimed for Olney, six are conceded to Hearst, while one is unpledged and non-committal.

BOMBARDED REBEL FORT.

Dominican Government Warship Forced to Sail Away.

Cape Haytien, Hayti, April 27.—The Dominican government cruiser Presidente has arrived here. She reports that while on her way from Puerto Plata to this port she stopped at Monte Cristi on the north coast of Santo Domingo and fired several shells at the forts, which are held by revolutionists. The latter re-plied and obliged the cruiser to cease the

LOVING COUPLE ACQUITTED. Woman Would Do Anything That Husband Commanded.

Chicago, Ill., April 27.—Edward Travis and wife of Baltimore were today acquirted on the charge of shoplifting.
This is the case in which the plea was Morey. made for the wife that she should be held innocent because whatever she did was by her husband's command and, accord-ing to the Bible, a woman must obey her husband at all times.

SIX HUNDRED MINERS RESCUED.

Taken Out Through Secondary Openings Following Fire in Colliery.

FLOODS ARE THREATENING

Admiral Skrydloff Leaves St. Petersburg Mississippi Is Rising Rap'dly and Danger Is Increasing.

DYKES ARE BEING BUILT.

Not Be Able to Keep Back

the Waters.

St. Louis, Mo., April 26.-The Mississippi has passed the 30-feet danger line and the stage today was 31.3 feet. The stage is creeping up at the rate of an inch and a half an hour. The rise is one of the most rapid ever recalled by the rivermen. The water is backing up in the creeks around East St. Louis, but Mayor Cook, who last year directed the forces in constructing dykes, declares that the city will be able to withstand the anticipated stage of 35 feet. The greatest danger is said to be about twenty miles north of East St. Louis, where the levee first

broke last year.

At Madison, Venice and Granite City, the tri-cities located just north of East St. Louis, dykes are being constructed by large forces of men. Already much bottom land is under water. Many people have left their homes.

Heavy Fall of Rain. Rain poured in St. Louis and vicinity all night and continued today. At St. Charles, 25 miles northwest of St. Louis. the Missouri river is out of its banks and people have been driven from their homes in the bottom lands. The Missouri is rising at the rate of 2½ inches an hour, having risen 8 feet since Saturday.

Ferry boat service at St. Louis has been elegated because of the difficulty.

been abandoned because of the difficulty in making landings in such a strong cur-

No Danger at Kansas City. Kansas City, Mo., April 26.-The Kansas river here and above receded slowly today, but Col. Connor, the local weather observer, says the fall will be very gradual and that the stream may rise slightly again before it reaches its normal stage. There is a great volume of water coming this way, which is being emptied into the Kansas river by its many tributaries, all of which are bank full. No serious damage, however, is expected at this point. The bridges here are in no further danger. No heavy rains are reported from this part of the southwest today.

Floods in Iowa.

Keokuk, Ia., April 26.-Both rivers are rising at an alarming rate. The Mississippi is now within a half foot of the danger mark. The Des Moines river has risen 4 feet in the last twenty-four hours and is now running over the lowlands. All districts flooded last season are again in danger and general rains for two days will break the levees, which have just been repaired. The full force of the flood is felt here where the Des Moines river empties into the Mississippi. Much alarm is felt by residents of Alexandria, Mo. Reports from up the Des Moines say the river is rising an inch an hour and the Mississippi is also rising steadily.

Damage in Indiana. Indianapolis, Ind., April 26.—Rain, hail, wind and electric storms did considerable damage in southern Indiana. At Paoli, Greenville and Nashville, telephone and telegraph lines sustained great dam-IS STILL RISING. and telegraph lines sustained great damage. Thomas Keating, who was fishing in Silver creek, was struck by a bolt of lightning and instantly killed. Many people helicity in the struck of the stru

nent, took refuge in cellars. Killed by Tornado.

Fairland, I. T., April 26.—Half a dozen business blocks were destroyed by a tornado that swept through here Sunday afternoon, killing seven persons outright and injuring a number of others. Three of the injured will die. The dead:

LAMAR, MRS. MARY.
LEMASTER, MRS. JOHN.
BROUGHT, ARTHUR.
A CHILD of N. J. HOUCK.
RUSSELL, ELIJAH, his wife and child.

It is estimated that the tornado caused property damage to the extent of \$10,000. Four miles south of here the tornado was even more severe. Farmhouses and barns were completely demolished, and farm stock was killed.

Heavy Rains in Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., April 26.—Reports from southeastern Nebraska tell of heavy rains, overflowing rivers and flood damage. The Nemaha river is out of its Berlin, April 27.—Col. Von Gaedke, war correspondent of the Berliner Tageblett writing from Harbin, Manchuria, and part of the town of Table Rock is inundated. All around Sterling farm At Humboldt Sterling farm At Humboldt both the Nemaha and Long Branch have overflowed, flooding the lower part of the town, forcing residents to desert their HOPED TO CUT HIS WAY OUT homes. The Blue river is nearly bank full at Beatrice and trains on the Manhattan (Kan.) branch of the Union Pa cific are delayed.

Tornado in Oklahoma. Guthrie, Okla., April 26.-A tornado struck the town of Pawhuska, the capital of the Osage nation. The Catholic school building, a large, three-story stone structure, and many smaller buildings, were wrecked. Only one person was seriously injured.

"WEBERFIELDS" NO MORE.

Partners Part and Agree to Never Use Old Firm Name Again-Plans for Future.

New York, April 26.—Papers have been signed dissolving the theatrical partnership between Joseph Weber and Lewis Fields. This brings to an enc. the stage association of the comedians, which began twenty-five years ago. The firm name of Weber & Fields is, by mutual agreement, never to be used by either of them. Weber has purchased his partner's interest in their theater at Twenty-ninth street and Broadway and

will hereafter conduct it alone. forts, which are The latter re- contract for a term of years with another firm. In connection with this plans are now being made for the construction new theater in Broadway, near Forty-second street.

CZAR GETS BIG LOAN.

Scranton, Pa., April 27.—Six hundred men at work in the Pinebrook colliery were rescued through secondary openings following a fire, which caused \$6000 loss.

Der cent.

The syndicate guarantees \$80,000,000 and, in all probability, there will be a public subscription. The details cannot be officially confirmed.

POPE PIUS ADVOCATES JUSTICE FOR NEGRO.

In Letter to Editor Chiles Pontiff Says That Sentiment Is Shared by Most Americans.

Topeka, Kan., April 26.-In answer to resolution adopted by the Western Negro Press association, urging that papal influence be used to secure "better treatment of the negro race in this country," Pope Pius X. sent a letter to President Nick Chiles of the association and editor of the Topeka Plain Dealer. Mr. Chiles yesterday made public the communication, which came through Car-dinal Gibbons. The letter says:

I have much pleasure in assuring you that his holiness has read the resolution with interest and sympathy, and I am commissioned to thank you and all your associates rordially in his name. The sovereign pointiff is well aware that there are many Catholics among the negroes of the United States, and this knowledge increases his interest in the welfare of your race. His holiness, as the vicar of Christ, extends his loving care to every race, without execution and he the vicar of Christ, extends his loving care to every race without exception, and he must necessarily use his good offices to urge all Catholics to be friendly to negroes, who are called, no less than other men. to share in all the great benefits of the redemption. The life and example of St. Peter Claver, and of so many other Catholic missionaries show that this is no new conception of the apostolate entrusted to the church of Christ. Whilst frankly admitting that crimes may Whilst frankly admitting that crimes may often be committed by members of the negro race, his holiness advocates for them the justice granted to other men by the laws of the land and a treatment ln keeping with the tenets of Christianity.

I am confident that these sentiments are shared by the vast majority of the great American people and by those who are responsible for the custody of the principles underlying the American constitution.

MERRY DEL VAL.

Papal Secretary of State. Whilst frankly admitting that crimes may

GHOULS RIFLE VAULT.

The Family Tomb of the Livingstons at Hudson, N. Y., Is Broken Into.

New York, April 26 .- A special dispatch to The World from Hudson, N. Y., says the startling discovery was made today that the family tomb of the Livingstons on the nearby ancient Livingston manor place, had been broken open on Saturday night and robbed of

The body taken away, and of which there is no trace, was that of the wife of Gen. Henry W. Livingston (Fighting Harry), famous half a century ago for her beauty, wealth and social prestige and known because of her undying fidelity. ity to the memory of her husband as the "Widow Mary." The metallic coffin, in which the body was sealed forty-five years ago, also carried off.

That in which Gen. Livingston was laid a quarter of a century earlier, was demolished and the bones of the dead soldier were strewn about the vault. The winding sheet in which he was wrapped, and which had all but crumbled into dust, was thrown upon the marble floor and partially covered the skull.

A third coffin, with the body it con

tained, is gone as completely as is that of Mrs. Livingston. The identity of the occupant of this casket is not yet known. All of the other coffins in the vault had been pried open, and the bones of the occupants had been dumped out.

The indications are that ghouls were in

search of jewels supposed to have been buried with the bodies. The people of all this section are greatly aroused over the desegration of the historic tomb, which has been the resting place of members of the illustrious Livingston family ever since the days of the Dutch regime.

ple, believing that a cyclone was immi- TRIES TO DYNAMITE RUSSIAN WARSHIP.

Himself-Thought to Be Part of Revolutionary Society's Plot.

Cronstadt, April 26.-A sensational story is affoat here of an attempt to destroy the battleship Alexander III.

According to the reports, a sailor saw a stranger, wearing the uniform of an officer, going down into the engine room of the battleship, followed him and saw the stranger attach something connected with wire to the dynamos. After the stranger left the sailor examined the atachment and found it to be a bomb. The sailor at once cut the wires, ran ap on deck to tell what had happened

and found that the stranger had hanged himself. The crew of the Alexander III., it is added, were instructed not to speak of the occurrence, and it is said that the stran-

Alexander III.

Captain of the Variag Tells of His Plan of Battle When Attacked by the Japanese.

Sebastopol, April 26.—Capt. Rondnef, former commander of the Russian cruiser Variag, in an interview is quoted as

"It is not true that I asked the other captains to accompany me when I went out of the harbor with the Korietz and Variag. All I wanted was that the Japanese let me out into the open sea, I then expected to break through their

CZAR'S HEALTH IS GOOD.

Report That Russian Emperor Is Breaking Down Is Denied in St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, April 26, 4:55 p. m .-The reports that the Emperor's health is unsatisfactory are untrue. He transacts business with his ministers, receives them as usual, takes his customary walk in the garden of the winter palace in the afternoon, and later, almost daily, takes a drive about the city.

Noise Not Counted. Speaker Cannon put the Philippines bill on passage.

"All in favor will please say 'Aye." There was a gentle piping of "Ayes" on the Republican side.

front to act as nurses.

WORK OF CONGRESS.

PROCEEDINGS IN THE SENATE.

In the Senate on the 21st the pension appropriations bill, carrying an appropriation of more than \$137,000,000, and the emergency river and harbor appropriations bill, carrying \$3,000,000, were passed, as was the bill increasing to 640 acree the size of homestead entries in western Nebraska. In the debate on the pension bill Mr. Scott denounced the pension laws, advocating a service pension of \$25 per month. In the debate on the emergency river and harbor bill Mr. Gorman criticised the Republicans for not bringing up a general river and harbor bill, and Mr. Elkins replied that the state of business was not such as to justify such a measure. Bills were passed establishing a supreme court for the Indian Territory and giving the General Federation of Women's clubs the right to hold blennial meetings outside of Washington. Senator Warren and Mr. Platt of Connecticut clashed over the report in the court of claims in connection with the Judge Swayne case. The Senate, at 6:15 o'clock, adjourned.

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The general deficiency appropriation bill occupied the greater part of the Senate's time on the 22d, but before its consideration Mr. Gallinger spoke in defense of the tariff policy of the Republican party. While the deficiency bill was being read Mr. Cuilom spoke on the Hitt Chinese exclusion bill attached by the House as a rider. He offered an amendment to strike out several clauses. Mr. Lodge also offered an amendment excluding Chinese and other allens whose immigration is encouraged by any transportation company. The bill for government of the Panama canal zone was sent to conference. The reading of the deficiency bill being completed, the Senate, at 5:15 p. m., went into executive session, and at 6:15 adjourned.

In the Senate on the 23d the Mann bill

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sage of bills to which there was little or no objection, and an executive session. Final conference reports on the sundry civil, general deficiency, postoffice and the military academy appropriations bills were agreed to practically without opposition. Mr. Teller spoke on the public land question, and Mr. McLaurin on the old age pension order and trusts and in criticism of the President. The bill creating a merchant marine commission was passed. A resolution authorizing the continuation during the recess of the inquiry into the right of Mr. Smoot to his seat in the Senate was favorably considered during the day. From 4:34 to 9:25 the Senate in executive session confirmed a big batch of nominations, and

after that hour put through a large number of minor measures, including pension-bills. At 11:02 p. m. the Senate took a recess until morning.

PROCEEDINGS IN THE HOUSE.

In the House on the 21st a substitute for the Kittredge bill for the government of the Panama canal zone was passed over the protest of Mr. Harrison. A rule was adopted for the consideration at any time of the bill creating a commission to investigate the merchant marine. The House defeated a resolution to pay Mr. Slemp of Virginia \$1500 for expenses incurred by him in defending his title to his seat. The establishment of a life-saving station near Eagle Harbor, Keweenaw Point, Mich., was approved. The House passed a bill amending the act for the protection of persons furnishing materials and labor in public works so as to give the government priority over subcontractors or furnishers of material in suits on the bonds of the contractors. A resolution was agreed to reconstitute the President to renew mercetic tractors. A resolution was agreed to re-questing the President to renew negotia-tions with governments which discriminate against Jewish citizens of the United States, with the view to securing equal freedom of travel and sojourn with all other citizens. The House, at 5:25 o'clock, adjourned.

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After devoting considerable time on the 22d to conference reports on routine and private bills, the House listened to a brush between Mr. Lind of Minnesota and Mr. Curtis of Kansas on the former's substitute for a resolution of inquiry as to the acts of the Dawes commission. Mr. Lind said the men sent as guardians of the Indians of Indian Territory had taken advantage of their official positions for loot and speculation. Mr. Curtis said the charges had not been proved. Mr. Lind's substitute, which asks the secretary of the interior for information as to what action has been taken in the Dawes commission investigation, prevailed, 97 to 91. The sundry civil bill was sent to conference with Messrs. Hemenway. Gillett-and-Burton conferees for the House. Two hundred and thirty-three pension bills were passed in forty-five minutes. Messrs. Hepburn, Lovering and Adamson were appointed House conferees on the bill for government of the canal zone. Mr. Grosvenor called up the bill creating a commission to investigate the American merchant marine, which was discussed but laid aside without action. Consideration of the Alaskan delegate bill was resumed, but was interrupted by Mr. Kitchin of North Carolina, who assailed President Roosevelt and Mr. Grosvenor, the former for his attitude on the race question and the latter for alleged change of front toward Roosevelt after his nomination for Vice President. Mr. Kitchin and Mr. Grosvenor occupied the floor until fe23 o'clock, when the House adjourned.

In the House on the 23d the speaker appointed a committee to represent the House

conference committees, set speeches, passage of bills to which there was little or no objection, and an executive session. Final conference reports on the sundry civil, general deficiency, postoffice and the miligeneral deficiency. A bill regarding the employment of vessels of the United States for public purposes was passed by a strict party vote. At 5:18 the House took a recess until tomorrow

morning. The House on the 27th agreed to confer-The House on the 27th agreed to conference reports of the postoffice, military academy, sundry civil, general deficiency appropriation bills and others of less importance. At 6 o'clock the House took a recess until 9 o'clock, when it reconvened and adopted the conference report on the emergency river and harbor bill.

SPORTING NEWS.

Pinkey Evans, the little Boston fighter who was knocked out at Battery D. Chicago, Friday night by Billy Finucane, made his second appearance in a Chicago ring Saturday, when he easily outpointed Paddy Nee of Pittsburg in the principal bout of the show held by the Chicago

Athletic association. The reference back of the entry of Lou Scholes for the diamond sculls by the Henley stewards to the Canadian Association of Amateur Oarsmen may prevent the Canadian champion taking part at Henley this year. It is extremely doubtful whether the Canadian associa-tion will youch for Scholes under the amateur definition of the Henley stew-

Kid McCoy and Philadelphia Jack O'Brien are to meet in battle on June 14 in Philadelphia. New articles have been signed for a six-round bout at the middleweight limit, 158 pounds.

James Coffroth of the Yosemite club. San Francisco, is trying to get the Fitz-simmons-McCoy fight for Decoration day. He promoted the contest in which Pitz-simmons took the light heavy weight championship from Gardner last Novem-

Lou Dillon, "the trotting queen," has begun training at the Memphis track, and the famous mare shows as much antipathy toward traveling in front of a sulky as a youngster just being broken to harness. Millard Sanders, her train-er, endures all her yagaries with unfailing good temper and says she acted just the same last spring in California when she started to train. Thus far she has absolutely refused to trot in harness, and Sanders is obliged to train her like a thoroughbred, giving her a long gallop daily under the saddle, a performance she appears to enjoy remarkably. The moment she is hooked up to a eart, however, she starts a performance worthy of a circus. Sanders makes little effort to "All opposed say 'Nay,' " continued the curb these antics, and says she will set-the down to her old self in a week or

There was a thunderous burst of "Nays" from the Democratic side.

"The nays seem to make the most noise," said the speaker, calmly, "but the last carried out, the champion trotter will American Women.
The syndicate, it is understood, includes the Russo-Chinese bank and the Hottinger group. The loan is to be contracted in treasury bonds at the rate of 98 per cent.

The syndicate guarantees \$80,000,000 and, in all probability, there will be a public subscription. The details cannot be officially confirmed.

King Edward recently left some cherry stones on his plate at a public function. The moment he left the table a crowd of American ladies scrambled for them, with the object, it is said, of handing them down to their descendants as family heirlooms.—London Daily Mail.

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-More than 10,000 Japanese women have already volunteered to go to the front to act as purses.

Dr. J. T. Hernsheim, formerly of Kennowski and the stormach punches.

Kid Gilbert fought six rounds with town and moved on his farm at Pleasant Griff Jones of Philadelphia last week.

mare Abbie Strathmore (2:074) to Bloomington, Ind., to the Gentry farm, Bloomington, Ind., to the Gentry farm, to be bred to the great McKinney (2:11½). Ed Hall, who trained for the doctor last season, is now at Louisville, Ky., with a string of good youngsters, and reports the black mare Phyllis (2:14½) to be in good shape. She is owned also by Dr. Hernsheim.

> The speed committee of the West Chicago Driving club has decided upon the following classes and purses for the meeting for July 13-16 inclusive. Trot, 2:35, 2:26, 2:19, 2:12, 2:30, 2:25, Pace, 2:13, 2:25, 2:20, 2:10, 2:16, 2:35.

Coach Alonzo Stagg of the University

of Chicago was formally received into membership at the first session of the football rules committee held in Philadelphia Saturday. It was a significant occasion when the west for the first time was represented in the deliberations of this important body and the eastern men united in saying that the recognition of the west argued well for the success of the sport

The official guide of the National Association of Professional Baseball leagues, more generally known as the "minor league guide," and published by A. G. Spalding & Bros., has reached the third year of its publication. The editor is T. H. Murnane, president of the New England league and sporting editor of the Boston Globe. It is devoted to minor league affairs exclusively and is valuable to headed! to baseball fans and players alike.

Harry Maxwell, a well-known sporting character of Oshkosh, died last Sunday from dropsy, aged 49 years. He was quite an authority on boxing and baseball and never missed a boxing bout that was within reach of Oshkosh

Kansas won the mid-winter interstate team race at live birds at Kansas City last week with a score of 118 out of a possible 125. The lown and St. Joseph teams tied for second honors, each making a score of 116.

Buddy Ryan's manager, Sig Hart, has received an offer to match his man against either Martin Canole or Willie Fitzgerald in Butte, Mont., June 13, which is 'Miners' day." Charle Neary. however, has the preference if Herrera, Yanger or Mowatt will meet him.

KNOXMAKESREPLY

The Attorney General Sends a Reply of Trust Cases to Congress.

NO CRIMINAL PROSECUTION

Refuses to Give Out Certain Facts Because It Would Be Incompatible with Public Interests.

THE ANTHRACITE COAL CASES.

Washington, D. C., April 28 .- In answer to the resolutions of inquiry as to trusts introduced by Williams of Mississippi, Attorney General Knox sent two communications to the House.

First replying to the question as to whether any criminal prosecutions had been begun by him against persons involved in the decision of the supreme court of the United States in the Northern Securities case as guilty of violating the laws by entering into combinations in restraint of trade, the attorney general

I have the honor to say that no criminal prosecutions have been instituted against the persons referred to in the resolution, and that further than this, I do not deem it compatible with the public interest to comply with the resolution.

Anthracite Coal Investigation.

The other resolutions asks if any investigation ever was made by the department of justice of the so-called anthracite coal trust, consisting of the anthracite coal carrying railroads. The attorney general replies to this as follows:

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I have the honor to say that during the time of the anthracite coal strike the department of justice began an investigation for the purpose of determining whether the anthracite coal business was conducted through a combination or conspiracy in violation of the anti-trust act of 1890.

This investigation had not proceded far until I discovered that, if such a combination existed, the evidence of its existence had been adroitly concealed, and that if it was to be established, the task would largely depend upon the government's ability to secure evidence of a chain of circumstances which, in the aggregate, would establish a combination.

Seeking Evidence of Pool.

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In view of the fact that this department possessed no powers to compel the production of books and papers, to examine witnesses under oath, I opened up the subject through a representative of the department of justice with a representative of the interstate commerce commission as to the advisability of the interstate commerce commission's making a general investigation into the question as to whether the anthracite coal roads were engaged in pooling, charging exorbitant rates for the transportation of coal, preventing the coal from charging exorbitant rates for the transpor-tation of coal, preventing the coal from reaching its natural markets; in short, of obtaining through the powers of the com-mission evidence of the facts, the sugges-tion being that the committee should in this respect, and within its functions, repeat its action which led to the developments of the facts upon which the general govern-ment based its case against the joint traffic association, and later against the Northern Securities company.

Complaint to Commission. About this time a complaint was made before the interstate commerce commission
raising the questions above referred to.
During the progress of the hearing before
the committee upon this complaint several
witnesses refused to produce papers and
answer questions which the commission considered and ruled to be germane to the insidered and ruled to be germane to the in-quiry; whereupon, under the direction of the attorney general, proceedings were be-gun in the United States circuit court in New York for the purpose of compelling th coal companies of produce papers and an

swer questions.

The circuit court dismissed the petition of the Interstate commerce commission, whereupon an appeal was taken by the United States under the act of February 19, 1993, directly to the supreme court of the United States.

Hearings to Be Renewed.

On motion of the attorney general the case was advanced and argued by a representative of the department of justice and a special assistant attorney, at the instance of the interstate committee to compel the production of the testimony, and as I am informed, the commission is about to renew the hearings, which, when completed, will lay before the department of justice, in connection with other evidence it has gathered itself and has been furnished to it by sundry persons, all available information in relation to the alleged combination.

Further than this I do not deem it compatible with the public interest to comply the interstate committee to compel th patible with the public interest to comply with the resolution

DROWNED IN MILL RACE.

Kaukauna 10-Year-Old Is Missing and Is Believed to Have Fallen Into Swift Current.

Kaukauna, Wis., April 28.-[Special.] Arthur Miller, aged 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Miller, has been missing since by the fire of March 27. Tuesday afternoon, when soon after school he took his fishpole to go fishing. A lad who was seen with him says that the saw the Miller boy fall into the tailrace of the Badger mill. Many are as sisting in dragging for the body. The boys hat was found far below on the channel caught in the brush in an eddy but the search for the body so far is in

FIGHT ON PRESIDENT M'LEAN.

Head of Iowa University Will Be Asked to Resign.

Sioux City, Ia., April 28.-It is reported that the regents of the state university, at their meeting at Iowa City in May, will take up the question of a change in the presidency of the institution. President George E. McLean, who came four years ago from Nebraska university, has fallen into bad relations with powerful friends of the university by his methods of handling its interests in the Legislature. Last winter the institution asked \$408,000 of extraordinary appropriations, and because of the fight on President McLean, this was cut to \$80,-The committee took the action, it was stated, as a rebuke. The alumni sociation rallied and secured about \$200 .-000 from the Legislature, but became convinced, according to reports, that President McLean had outlived his usefulness.

TWO RIVERS COMPANY LOSES.

Payment of \$25,000 Authorized by Chas. L. Mann, Is Upheld.

Escanaba, Mich., April 28.-[Special.]. The jury in the circuit court here re-used to allow the claim of the Two Rivers Manufacturing company for \$25, 000 against the Metropolitan Lumber company of this city. In the testimony introduced at the trial it was claimed that Charles L. Mann of Mann Bros., Milwaukee, authorized the payment of notes aggregating \$25,000, which were signed as his personal notes, out of the proceeds of the sale of a quantity of timber by the Two Rivers Manufacturing company. It was claimed by the officers of the Two Rivers Manufacturing company that Mann was not so authorized by

MOTHER ACCUSED OF

Alleged That She Murdered Young Woman to Secure \$2000 Life Insurance.

Sidney, N. Y., April 28 .- Utterly unconcerned at the gravity of the evidence which, with each succeeding witness, as piled up against her, Mrs. Henrietta De Witt read a newspaper while the story of her daughter's death by poison, which the mother is more than suspected of having administered for the sake of of having administered for the sake of getting insurance money, was told. The dead girl, who was 17 years old, was known as Florence Mackintosh, and was believed to be Mrs. De Witt's stepdaughter. The woman admitted on the witness stand today, however, that the girl was her own child. Florence died several days are under most suspicious ciral days ago, under most suspicious cir-cumstances. A post mortem examination showed that the girl had died of arsenic poisoning, and Mrs. De Witt was arrested. Florence carried a life insurance policy for \$2000, and it is charged that to obtain this money Mrs. De Witt, who is the beneficiary, killed her own She waived examination and was held to the grand jury.

ELECT ARCANUM OFFICERS

P. T. Krez of Sheboygan Is Made Grand Regent-Age Limits Are Changed.

Oshkosh, Wis., April 28.-The grand council of the Royal Arcanum changed the age limits from 21 and 55 to 18 and 50. Reports showed 4278 members in Wisconsin and the benefits paid last year amounted to \$114,500. Officers

were elected as follows: were elected as follows:
Supreme representatives, H. P. Morse, Wauwatosa; Dr. O. W. Carlson, Milwaukee; alternates, S. A. Eckstein, Milwaukee; E. A. Dow, Plymouth; grand regent, P. T. Krez, Sheboygan; grand vice regent, Fred Gibson, Fond du Lac; grand orator, C. M. Boyler, Wausau; grand secretary, C. D. Simonds, Milwaukee; grand treasurer, D. E. Cameron, Milwaukee; grand chaplain, W. H. Johanott, Monroe; grand guide, J. A. Francois, Green Bay; grand warden, S. R. Armstrong, Racine; grand sentry, George Ewen, Antigo; grand trustees, W. G. Oliver, Oconto; L. F. Schiller, Green Bay; F. C. Arnold, Oshkosh.

STUDENTS CELEBRATE VICTORY. Dean Birge's Shingles and Sidewalks Are Used for Bonfire.

Madison, Wis., April 28.—Wisconsin students celebrated the victory over the University of Illinois baseball team at Champaign in a manner equaling any celebration ever held over a great gridiron contest. A bonfire was suggested and all the wooden sidewalks in the vicinity suffered in consequence. The stu-dents helped themselves to ten packages of shingles which were to be used in re-covering Dean Birge's house, and took other things of an inflammable nature. Fully a thousand students took part in the demonstration.

TERROR DRIVES MAN TO SUICIDE. Soldier at Fort Snelling Feared He Would Be Executed.

St. Paul, Minn., April 28.—Private John Schneider, Co. E, Twenty-first infantry, who, fearing he was to be courtmartialed and executed for over-staying leave of absence, shot himself in the head at the Fort Suelling post hospital. Schneider's suicide was due to terror of military discipline inspired by prankish comrades who told him stories of rigid rules, the infraction of which incurred extreme punishment or death.

HENRY MORRISON IN A STUPOR. Man Who Killed Wife and Daughter Unable to Appear in Court.

Richland Center, Wis., April 28.— Henry Morrison, who shot and killed his wife and daughter and attempted to Klingaman, lies in a half stupor in his cell. A coroner's inquest was held over the

bodies and a double funeral was held Woodstock. A hearing was to have been held vesterday, but the prisoner was not able to walk from the cell to the justice

CAPITOL PROGRAMME IS READY. Building Commissioner About to Submit

Layout to Competing Architects. Madison, Wis., April 28.-The capitol uilding commission has determined finalthe competing architects. This procompeting architects. gramme will be sent to the competing architects, among whom are Ferry & Clas of Milwaukee, Koch of Milwaukee and Gilbert of St. Paul and New York. It contemplates substantially capitol, the part of the plans to be executed at once to include the east and west wings and those portions destroyed

All the members of the commission, excepting Edwin Reynolds of Milwaukee, were present at the meeting.

MISS CORA MARSH IS MISSING. Niece of Illinois Congressman Disappears from Home at Warsaw.

Des Moines, Ia., April 28.—Miss Cora Marsh of Warsaw, Ill., daughter of the late Judge John W. Marsh, probate judge of Hancock county, and niece of Congressman Marsh, has disappeared, and She is 30 years old and a striking brunette.

Strictly Business.

"Yes, sir," said Col. Rednose, relating his trip to a northern city, "they wer certainly the most commercial people ever saw; couldn't get them to talk abou anything else except business. And they had the price of everything from real estate to an alderman down fine. I tell you. One day I saw a funeral going by, and as we take a lively interest in mortuary statistics down in Kentucky, it occurred to me to ask a citizen what the death rate in his town was. I expected the averned control of the state of of the st ed the average death rate to be at 2 per cent. annually, but what do you reckon his answer was? He made a minute's calculation and replied: '\$56.75, including medical attendance and coffin. New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Only Two Kinds of Men.

Representative John Sharp Williams, the Democratic leader of the House. went to Texas a few years ago with a party of prospective English land investors. They stopped at a small town, and the mayor took them to the leadng saloon and introduced them to the bartender, saying: "Jack, these gentlemen are earls, dukes and lords from England. What do you

think of that?"
"Well, Bill," said the bartender to the

-A new acid has been discovered by

KILLING DAUGHTER. SETTLE WILL CASE.

The Battle for the Fair Millions Is Ended by a Compromise.

NELSONS RECEIVE \$775,000

Relatives of Mrs. Fair Drop Litigation-Twelve Million for Mrs. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Oelrichs.

FAIRS DIED IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT.

New York, April 28.-It has just been learned that the terms of final settle ment between the Fair estate and the heirs of Mrs. Charles L. Fair will entail a total payment to the Nelsons of New Jersey, representing Mrs. Fair's family, of nearly \$775,000, exclusive of personal property estimated to be worth \$50,000 or \$60,000.

It is understood that the Nelsons have accepted \$250,000 in cash as a compromise for their claims, and that the battle for the Fair millions is ended. Besides this sum, they will eventually receive approximately \$100,000 additional. As they received \$425,000 in tional. As they received \$425,000 in September, 1902, their total inheritance amounts to nearly \$775,000.

This final settlement is in accordance with an iron-bound agreement which the Nelsons have signed not to offer any furher obstacie to a complete and final set-

James G. Fair millions will be distributed together with the Charles Fair estate in San Francisco within two weeks. Mrs. Oelrichs will leave for San Francisco this week to join her sister, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., who, with her husband, already has proceeded to the cific coast.

By the terms of the settlement it is said Mrs. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Oelrichs will receive about \$2,000,000 each from the estate of their brother. They will, at the same time, receive some \$8,000,000 as the portion of the James G. Fair estate which would have gone to their brother, Charles, who was killed, with his wife, while automobiling in France.

ORDER 300,000 JAPS TO GO TO THE FRONT.

Second Reserve Army Called Out for Active Service and Third Army Will Mobilize.

Shanghai, April 28.-The second re-

Rebels Rout Three Hundred Government Troops in a Battle in San

from Monte Cristi, Santo Domingo, reports that 300 government troops were engaged in the recent attack on the Jiminez force at Guayacan. After a fierce battle the government troops were defeated. Their losses were 41 killed and 16 wounded. Gens. Cabrera, Arroyo and Luna were killed. Twelve of the Jiminez force were killed. Twelve of the Jiminez force were killed.

NEGRO BATTLES WITH POLICE. Siege Lasts for Ten Hours Before Black Is Killed.

Oakland, Cal., April 28.-After a fierce battle between the police and Wilson Anderson, a negro, lasting ten hours, Anderson, derson was shot and killed. Anderson had driven a white woman and a colored porter from the house where he lived, at the point of a pistol, and when police nen attempted to arrest the negro he barricaded the doors and windows and fired at everyone who appeared. Twenty police officers surrounded the house, and a running battle was kept up, over a hundred shots being fired by the police. When the negro fell from wounds there were nine bullets in his body.

WEDDING AT NEW LONDON.

Miss Eva Demming Becomes Bride of F. O. Towne of Antigo.

New London, Wis., April 28.gressman Marsh, has disappeared, and cial.]—The marriage of Miss Eva Demher relatives fear she has committed suiof Antigo occurred at the home of the bride's parents last night. Rev. Moore of the Congregational church officiated. The bride was attended by Miss Mildred Seigert of Antigo and Miss Josephine Knapstein of New London. Miss Beatrice Uttermark of Weyauwega ren-dered Lohengrin's wedding march and "Hearts and Flowers" during the cere-mony. The young couple left for a short bridal trip, after which they will be at home at Antigo.

> EMULATE CAR BARN BANDITS. Kenosha Boys Hold Up Emil Klacker-"Just Like Niedermeier.

Kenosha, Wis., April 28 .- Four more boys were arrested on the charge of holding up Emil Klacker Sunday night. This quartette includes Stanley Neubauer, Anton Schaeffer, his cousin of the same name from Chicago, and Frank Rubo-In the hold-up the Schaeffer vitz. from Chicago is said to have declared: "I've held up lots of people in Chicago. I'm just like Niedermeier, and if you don't give up your coin I'll fix you.

SAYS HOGS ARE HIS POLITICS, Col. Bryan Answers Facetiously When Asked for Interview.

think of that?"

"Well, Bill," said the bartender to the mayor, "they ain't but two classes of men in this here place. One class takes sugar in their'n and the other ain't so darned particular. What'll you have, gents?"

Appleton, Wis., April 28.—[Special.]—Col. William Jennings Bryan last night when asked about things political said: "You ought to see my hogs out on my farm. Why, if you want any real fine stock, come to me." Col. Bryan lectured here last night on

"The Value of an Ideal." The Metho-dist church was packed and the orator Dr. William Foster of Princeton university, which he has named the trisulphoxyarsenic acid.

dist church was packed and the orator was received with a torrent of cheers as he came out on the platform.

POSTAL FRAUD JUDGE

President Appoints Justice Peter Pritchard to the United States Circuit Bench.

Washington, D. C., April 27 .- President Roosevelt today nominated Justice Peter C. Pritchard of the supreme court of the District of Columbia to be United States States judge of the fourth circuit, in succession to the late Judge Charles H. the government of the United States has succeeded in raising an interesting international complication. It will be

The fourth circuit includes the states of Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and West Virginia, and under the law the appointee had to from the shore to the United States

and under the law the appointed be selected from one of these states.

Justice Pritchard, who formerly was senator from North a United States senator from North Carolina, has served on the supreme bench of the District of Columbia but a short time. He presided at the trial of Machen, the Groffs and Lorenzs, who recently were convicted of postal frauds.

Two Men Supposed to Be Buried Under Ruins of New York Factory. New York, April 27 .- Two probation-

DIE FIGHTING A FIRE.

ary firemen are supposed to be buried in the ruins of the John Stanley soap works in West Thirtieth street. This building was destroyed by fire early this morning. One other fireman was caught by falling walls and was taken to Bellevue hospital seriously injured. Many narrow escapes were had by the

fremen, one great source of danger being the frequent explosions of chemicals in the building.

The damage to the soap works is estimated at \$130,000. The lumber yards of the Dunbar Box and Lumber company also were hadly damaged by the pany also were badly damaged by the

Men were placed at work at once on the ruins, but the two firemen, if they were buried, undoubtedly were killed in-\$200,000.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS. MILWAUKEE, APRIL 27, 1904.

EGG AND DAIRY MARKETS.

MILWAUKEE—Eggs—Market firm. Strictly fresh laid, at mark, cases returned, 10c; seconds, 12c; checks, 10c.

Butter—Steady; choice grades are in fair demand; dairy is about steady; creamery, critical property of the strictly of the demand; dairy is about steady; creamery, extra, lb, 23c; prints, 23½c; firsts, 20@21c; seconds, 16@17c; storage extra, 17@18c; renovated, 16@17c; fancy dairy, 17c; roils, 14c; lines, 14c; packing stock, 12c; whey, 8c. Cheese—Steady. American full cream twins, 8½@9½c; Long Horns, 9@10c; Daisles, 8½@9½c; Long Horns, 9@10c; Limburger, per lb, October, 12½c; winter make, 10c; off grade, 7@8c; fancy new Brick, 10@11c; low grades, 8@9; Imported Swiss, 25c; Drum Swiss, domestic, 14c; fancy Block, 14c; Sapsago, 18c.
PLYMOUTH, Wis., April 26.—Twenty-nine factories offered 1555 boxes of cheese, all of which sold as follows: 202 longhorns, 9½c; 98 do, 9½c; 454 daisies, 9½c; 375 do, 9c; 257 twins, 8½c; 10 do, 8¼c; 64 Americas, 9½c; 95 do, 9½c.
CHICAGO, 11., April 27.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 14@23c; dairies, 13@24c, 185

Shanghai, April 28.—The second reserve army of the Japanese, numbering 300,000 men, has been called out for active service.

The third Japanese army, of about the same number of troops, has been ordered to mobilize, and be ready to march on short notice. It is possible that even a fourth army may receive mobilization orders within a short time.

VICTORY FOR JIMINEZ.

5940, 3942; chickens, 13621c. Eggs —Easy; at mark, cases included, 164/40164/20. Cheese—Easy; dalsies, 9694/2c; twins, 9c; Young Americas, 106/104/2c. Poultry—Live steady; turkeys, 12c; chickens, 12c. Potatoes—Weak; Burbanks, 1.1461.18; Rurals, 1.1261.20. Veal—Easy; 506/60-lb weights, 4c; 65/675-lb weights, 45c; 85/6110-lb weights, 56/6c. NEW YORK, April 27.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 3762 pkgs; extra fresh creamery, 24/624/4c; common to choice, 14/6234/c; state dairy, comson to choice, 14/6234/c; state full creamery, large and small fancy, September, 11/62114/c; do good to prime, 91/6/106. Eggs—Easier; receipts, 29/167 cases; state, Fennsylvania and nearby, average finest, 18/4c; firsts, 17/6114/c;

by, average finest, 18½c; firsts, 17@17½c western firsts, 17½c; storage selections, 180 MILWAUKEE LIVE STOCK MARKET. Troops in a Battle in San

Domingo.

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HOGS—Reccipts, 6 cars; market steady; light, mixed, 4.75@4.90; fair to good medium and heavy, 4.80@5.00; fair to good medium and heavy, 4.80@5.00; fair to good medium and heavy, 4.80@5.00; fair to good medium and heavy, 4.80@5.00;

MILWAUKEE HAY MARKET. Timothy, firm; carlots, choice timothy, 11.00@11.50; No. 1 timothy, 10.50@10.75; No. 2 timothy, 8.50@9.50; clover and clover nexation idea was one of the cherished Albemarle attended in person, with a timothy, 8.50@

Prairie hay steady; choice Kansas, 10.00 @10.50; No. 1 Kansas, 9.00@9.50; No. 2, 7.50@8.50. steady: rye, 8.75@9.00; oats, 7.00; wheat, 6.00; packing hay, 7.25@7.50 MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

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MILWAUKEE—Wheat — Firmer; No. 1
northern, on track, 95c; No. 2 northern, on
track, 93c. Corn—Firm: No. 3 on track, 51c.
Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, on track, 43c:
No. 3 white, on track, 39@42c. Barley—
Steady and good demand for malting barley;
No. 2 on track, 65c; sample on track, 40@
62c. Rye—Weak; No. 1 on track, 40@
62c. Rye—Weak; No. 1 on track, 72\(\frac{1}{2}\)c.
Provisions—Higher; pork, 12.12; lard, 6.77.
Flour quotations are: Hard spring wheat
patent, in wood, 4.80@4.90; straight, in
wood, 4.65@4.75; export patent, in sacks,
4.10@4.20; first clear, in sacks, 3.70@3.80;
rye flour, country pure, in sacks, 3.60@3.70;
city pure, in wood, 3.80@3.90.

Millstuffs are steady, quoted at 17.50 for
bran, 18.50 for standard middlings and 19.50
for Milwaukee flour middlings in 100-lb Millstuffs are steady, quoted at 17.50 for bran, 18.50 for standard middlings and 19.50 for Milwaukee flour middlings in 100-lb sacks; red dog, 21.00; delivered at country points, 50c extra.

CHICAGO, iii. April 27.—Wheat—May, 87c; July, 83%c; old, 84%c; September, 80c; old, 81%@811/4c. Corn—April, 46%c; May, 46%c; July, 485/@48%c; September, 48%c; becember, 44c. Oats—May, 39%@39/2c; July, 37%c; September, 31%c. Pork—May, 12.17½; July, 12.47½@12.50; September, 12.60. Lard—May, 6.75; July, 6.92½; September, 7.07½. Ribs—May, 6.52½; July, 6.72½; September, 6.85. Rye—May, 6.7c; July, 64c. Flax—Cash northwestern, 1.06½; southwestern, 1.00; May, 1.00. Timothy—April, 2.95. Clover—April, 10.75. Barley—Cash, 33@57c.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 27.—Close—Wheat—May, 79%c; July, 73%c; September, 70½@70%c; cash No. 2 hard, 87@89c; No. 3, 81@85c; No. 2 red, 99c; No. 3, 93@97c. Corn—May, 43%@431/4c; July, 43/4@431/4c; cash No. 2 mixed, 47c; No. 2 white, 2 mixed, 34%@371/9c.

16@47c. Oats—No.
mixed, 3f\(\pmu_{40}\)371\(\pmu_{5}\)c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 27.—Close

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., 40\(\pmu_{6}\)c; September, 80\(\pmu_{6}\)c; on track, No. 1 hard,

100. 1 northern, 92\(\pmu_{6}\)c; No. 2 north-

ern. 90%c.
ST. LOUIS. Mo., April 27.—Close—Wheat
—Firm; No. 2 red cash elevator, 97½c; May,
92c; July, 81@81½c; No. 2 hard, 89@91c.
Corn—Higher; No. 2 cash, 45%c; May, 46%c;
July, 47@47½c. Oats—Higher; No. 2 cash,
41c; July, 37c; September, 31½c; No. 2 white, 45½c.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,000, including 200 southerns; market weak to 5c lower; beef steers, 4,00@ 5.40; southern steers, 3.75@4.50; southern cows, 2.75@3.50; native cows and helfers, 2.00@4.50; stockers and feeders, 3.25@4.60. Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; market weak to 5c lower; heavy, 4.90@4.95; pigs and lights, 4.25@4.92½. Sheep—Receipts, 3000; market 10c higher; sheep, 3.30@6.00; lambs, 5.75@6.75.

6.75.

OMAHA, Neb., April 27.—Cattle—Receipts, 7500; market 5@10c higher; beef steers, 4.50@5.30; cows and helfers, 3.00@4.25; stockers and feeders, 2,75@4.15; calves, 3.00@5.75. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; 5c lower; heavy, 4.75@4.85; lights, 4.50@4.75; pigs, 4.00@4.50. Sheep—Receipts, 8500; market active, steady; sheep, 3.00@5.50; lambs, 5.75@6.90.

SANTO DOMINGO.

IS GIVEN REWARD. Little Island's Complications with the United States.

The action of the insurgents of Santo Domingo in deliberately firing on the American flag, killing R. C. Johnston, a naval engineer, wounding Charles Doctor, a bugler, and otherwise committing warlike acts against the government of the United States remembered by those who have kept auxiliary cruiser Yankee. The small American flag in the stern of the boat was riddled. Doctor was wounded in a subsequent engagement of the Columbia with some of the insurgent forces. About a week after the killing of Johnston, it will also be recalled, a merchant steamer named the New



ENTRANCE TO HARBOR OF SAN DO-MINGO CITY.

York discharged her cargo at the port

tion that resulted in making General Jiminez president. In 1902 occurred another revolution, which was successful in forcing Jiminez to resign, on which the vice president, Vasquez, was installed, to be succeeded in 1903 by General Morales, against whom the present revolution is directed. In Santo Domingo the president is elected for four years, unless sooner "revoluted" out of office.

The people are of mixed Spanish, negro and Indian blood. The government is modeled on that of the American republic and so far as form is concerned is said to be quite ideal.

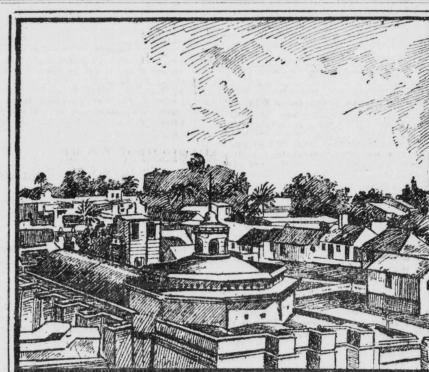
Santo Domingo is one, of the most beautiful of the West India islands. It lies between Cuba and Porto Rico. In Samana Bay it possesses one of the finest natural harbors in the world. It was this port which President Grant was especially anxious to secure as a coaling station. The oldest settlement made in the new world was on this island, Columbus himself having founded it. Here the great discoverer was buried and here for a number of years was the capital of the Spanish possessions to the new world.

At the end of the eighteenth century Spain ceded the eastern half of the island to France, which held the western half. Soon after the entire country under Toussaint L'Ouverture gained its independence. In 1844 came the rebellion of the eastern portion of the island, resulting in the formation of the present Dominican Republic.

FAMOUS BLAZES IN LONDON.

British Houses of Parliament Were

Burned on Oct. 16, 1834. Oct. 16 is a day to be associated with fire in the minds of Londoners, for on that date, in 1834, the houses of parlia-The total property loss is estimated at of Santa Domingo under what was ment were busined down, and on the thought to be an agreement of the con- same day, in 1733, Berkeley house was tending forces. She was fired on by destroyed by fire, says the London the insurgents, however, and the Unit- Chronicle. Berkeley house stood on ed States cruiser Newark retaliated by the site of the present Devonshire shelling the town of Pajarito, in which house and Evelyn does not seem to the rebels were encamped, afterward have thought much of it. "The stairlanding a force of marines and driving case is of cedar," he writes. "The furout the insurgent troops. All of this niture is princely; the kitchen and stanaturally led to further complications. bles are ill-placed and the corridors Though the rebel forces have been worse. * * * The porticos are in very thoroughly beaten in subsequent imitation of a house described by Palengagements with the troops of Presi- ladio, but it happens to be the worst dent Morales, the island is yet in a in his books." The fire was caused, very unsettled condition, and there is according to the Daily Journal of the a considerable party, in which the com- day after, "by the workmen leaving a mercial element predominates, that is glue pot among shavings, which boiled favorable to annexation to the United over while they were at breakfast and



GENERAL VIEW OF THE CITY OF SAN DOMINGO.

purchase elaborated a plan looking to were searched as they went out." American possession of Santo Domingo. It is probable that the idea did not ment over sixty-nine years ago was originate in the United States, how- caused by official stupidity. For cenever, but in the island itself, for the turies the accounts of the exchequer merchant classes there have always had been kept by means of the antifavored an American protectorate.

minican Republic sent a formal propo- tapeism scouted the idea, and the use sition to President Grant looking to of tally sticks was continued down to the annexation of Santo Domingo to the year 1826. In 1834 the large stock the United States. It was in July, was ordered to be destroyed, and in-1869, that Grant received the proposal, stead of distributing them to the poor and he lost no time in sending a special commissioner to the island to look | decided that they should be burned in into conditions and report. After some the stove of the House of Lords. The further negotiations the treaty of an- stove became overheated, set fire to the nexation was prepared, the question paneling, the paneling set fire to the was submitted to the voters of Santo House of Lords and the House of Domingo, who gave it almost unani- Lords set fire to the House of Commous approval at a special election held for the purpose, and Grant submitted the treaty to the United States Senate for ratification. Charles Sumner, chairman of the foreign affairs committee, bitterly opposed the ratification of the treaty, and succeeded in securing sufficient support to defeat the treaty. The annexation talk died down and has not been renewed until recent years, although the commercial party in the island still continued to

favor the plan. Meanwhile affairs in the little republic were in a troubled condition. There were frequent uprisings, and presidents came in rapid succession until in 1886 General Ulysses Heureux was elected, and the constitution was so altered that he could succeed himself. This he did with somewhat monotonous regularity, so contriving matters that it was impossible to oust him. Heureux was a young man when he went into office and an ambitious one. He became practical dictator of the country, banishing or executing those who opposed him. In this manner he continued in power until 1899, when he was assassinated.

the Heureux regime came the revolu- the microbes gnaw."

States, or at least to a protectorate by set fire to the house." This was before dreams of President Grant. Indeed, it party of guards, to secure what goods even antedates Grant, for Secretary were saved from being plundered by Seward about the time of the Alaska the mob; and all persons unknown

The burning of the houses of parliaquated tally stick, and though in the It was doubtless due to this influ- reign of George III, a proposition was ence that President Baez of the Do- made to use pen, ink and paper, red of the neighborhood, some wiseacre mons. The cost to the nation was about £2,000,000.

As to Joe Chamberlain.

In London clubs they are telling of a bon mot of Winston Spencer Churchill, the Prince Rupert of the crusade against Chamberlainism. He was asked if he thought there was any truth in the report that Mr. Chamberlain was suffering from "softening of the brain." "No fear," snapped the young commoner viciously. "He has a malady of a different sort-hardening of the heart."

An Improvement.
"Isn't it grand," cried the girl at Niagara, "to see that great mass of water falling down, down! Could anything be more impressive?" "Why, yes," replied her matter-offact escort. "It would be more ex-

water fell up, up, up."-Chicago Post. It doesn't cost very much to think as long as you don't back your con-

trordinary and worthy of comment,

it seems to me, if that great mass of

clusions with hard-earned cash. "Things are so quiet," said the Shortly after the violent close of brakeman to-day, "that you can hear CHAS. E. MASON, Publisher.

\$1.50 per Year in Advance.

The Delta's price for publishing notices of entertainments given by religious or other societies, to which an admission is charged, or from which a profit is expected, is FIVE CENTS PER LINE. Resolutions of any society or organization will be published at the same rate. CARDS OF THANKS WILL BE CHARGED FOR ATTER CENTS PER LINE. TEN CENTS PER LINE.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVEN-TION.

A Republican Convention for the County of Delta, will be held at the Court House, in the city of Escanaba, on Tuesday, May 10, 1904, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of selecting delegates to represent said county at conventions, as follows: Nine delegates to the Republican Convention of the Twelfth Congressional District of Michigan, called to be held at Ishpeming, on May 14, 1904; nine delegates to the Republican Convention of the state of Michigan, called to be held in the city of Grand Rapids, on May 18, 1904; nine delegates to the Republican Convention of the State of Michigan to nominate three candidates for Justices of the Supreme Court of Michigan, yet to be called; nine delegates to the Republican Convention of the State of Michigan, to nominate State Officers, She had wanted for a long while to yet to be called and nine delegates to the Republican Convention of the Thirtieth Senatorial District of Michigan, yet to be called. Also to elect a chairman and members of the Republican Committee of Delta County, for the ensuing two years, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention. Each one delegate for each one hundred votes, or moiety thereof over, cast for governor at the election in the last preceeding Presidential year, each township and ward being entitled to at least one delegate, making the representation as follows:

Baldwin Township, 1; Bark River, 2; Bay de Noc, 1; Brampton, 1; Escanaba, 1; Fairbanks, 1; Ford River, 2; Garden, 2; Maple Ridge, 1; Masonville, 4; Nahma, 2; Sac Bay, 1; Wells, 1; Escanaba city: First Ward, 3: Second Ward, 2; Third Ward, 4; Fourth Ward, 3; Fifth ward, 3; Sixth ward, 3; Seventh Ward, 1. Gladstone city: First ward, 2; Second ward, 3; Third ward, 1;

Fourth ward, 1. Gladstone, Mich., April 13, 1904.

> By order of O. B. FULLER, JOHN P. HOLM, T. B. WHITE, A. M. BRANSHAW, ERICK ANDERSON.

Executive Committee of the Republican County Committee. G. R. EMPSON, Secretary.

Inspiration For a Ball Gown. Among the many characteristic stories that have been told of the methods that were used by the great man dressmaker of Paris, Worth, in creating his surprises there is one of a commission he received for a fancy gown which a great belle desired to have absolutely unique. The great man spent the night consulting with his collaborators, but the idea refused to materialize. Weary with their fruitless toil, the three artists stepped out on a balcony to rest and forget their disappointment in a cigarette. "Voila! It is the dawn!" said one. "Ciel! It is the dress!" cried Worth, and "Dawn," with its subtle harmonies of gray and violet and rose shot through with gold, was the success of the ball.

The First Preaching In Maine.

The earliest church permanently established in Maine is said to have been Episcopal. Services were held at Saco in 1637. At what is now Popham services were held frequently in 1607, the the rites of the Episcopal church in any part of the United States north of Virginia and the first Protestant minister in any portion of this vast territory.

Poker.

wenzel was changed into poker.

Snubbed Again.

"Have a care, madam," said Mr. Meeker, summoning up a little spunk. "The worm will turn!"

"Did you ever know the worm to hurt anybody when it turned?" calmly light, chin in hand, before the picture. asked his wife.-Chicago Tribune.

through this world, but we are not stopping here. Let us make the jour- indeed it looks like me, or as I might ney agreeable to each other.-School-

A Mercenary Preference. ents were poor, but honest."

despise him, but she preferred a man whose parents were neither."-Washington Star.

Which Was Far Worse. Williamson-Does your wife always have the last word? Henderson-Well, if she doesn't, old fellow, she looks it .-Smart Set.

It is better to swallow a lie than to ntter it.

************** On the Trail of a Maltese

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KOXOXOXOXOXOXOXOXOXO It was the kitten that began it, the Maltese kitten whose name was Dot. though it was usually called by any endearing epithet which came handy. It ought not to have tired of the paper ball provided for it, nor gone on a tour of exploration into the hall, nor then into Graham's studio. But the last was Graham's fault, because he had neglected to close the studio door when he went out.

Of course, Miss Mabel Hastings had to get her pet, and, of course, as the kitten would not come at her call, the only way was to go into the studio

She found it after a considerable search sitting serenely beneath the big chair under the long studio window. With the kitten safe in her arms she should have gone back to her interrupted work. She did not, however. She listened to the voice of the tempter, who told her that her opportunity her. was come at last; that having seen so much it was no harm to see a little more, and that no one would know. know what Graham's studio was like, lied her forces for a defensive attackand if it suited with him, and a number of other things.

It is the first step that counts. From a general survey Miss Hastings de- Graham. scended to a particular examination. She tiptoed across the room, glanced at the books and inspected the Japa- doing the painting?" she said coldly. nese ivories in a cabinet on the wall. Then, having imbrued one finger, as township and ward will be entitled to it were, and nothing having happened, hardly brave of you to try to get out of there seemed to be no reason why she it that way. It's just like me." should not dip in her whole hand. Besides, if Graham should come, she had the kitten for excuse. It was to the ly, "and if it is you had no right to kitten she talked as she wandered

> "He wouldn't care at my looking at his pictures, kitty," she confided as ed about for a palette knife and found she rummaged in a stack of canvases, it. "and anyway if he doesn't want them "What are you going to do?" asked looked at why does he put them with Mabel faintly. their faces to the wall? He ought to know that that would make any one- can't. You see, my whole heart and any one desire to see them. I wonder skill have gone into it, all my dreams if they are rejected pictures and if he and hopes and ideals, and I can't." He hates to see them as I do that pile of handed the knife to her. rejected stories of mine. Perhaps that | She took it, but did not use it. is why he leaves them wrong side out. don't know how," she said, "and I should say. 'Italian Peasant Girl.' I it? It's my picture." don't think much of her. Old man with "The mouth is wrong, you said, and thing. It's pretty, but I can't make it wrong go out." out. Just look at the dust behind them too. It's all over my skirt. It would be a giveaway if he should come. Only I'd say I got it hunting for you. Did if it did," whispered Miss Mabel Hasyou ever see anything like this table, tings, "not even if it took forever." Dot? I wish I dared straighten it up. It was some moments later that Ma- white and pale pink. Rose foliage in He needs some one to keep things in bel thought to look for the Maltese which the leaves are scarcely larger by heaven to remain bachelors, for or-

der is heaven's first law. It must be nice, though, to feel above obeying it." She moved about the room as she don't you?" talked, studying the sketches on the wall, testing the softness of the divan, feeling the texture of the tapestries, running her finger along the mantelshelf and looking at it with mock hor-

"It's just the kind of studio I thought he'd have, Dotlets. It's just like himbig, sunny and not too many books nor too many curios nor cluttered up with furniture. I don't like a finicky man yor a booky man, and he isn't either. I knew he wasn't. Is that the model's throne over there, I wonder-that platform? It doesn't seem to have been used much, and yet he's been painting this morning. I'm going to see what it is. It's covered by a curtain, but a peep

won't hurt any one." The easel stood in the corner by a table littered with half squeezed tubes. brushes, palettes and paint rags, as if the painter had thrown them down in first instances of the performance of a sudden heat of exasperation over the inadequacy of his art.

Mabel drew the curtain from the picture and then sat down hastily on the worship and preaching by an ordained painting stool. It was her own picture she was looking at-her own and yet not her own. Not the everyday, story writing, money worried Mabel Hastings whom her looking glass reflected, Germans claim that poker is an old but a girl clad in some soft, exquisite German game which for more than clinging eastern fabric, reclining grace-100 years has been played and is still fully in a deep chair of inlaid ebony. being played in some districts of West- There were jewels gleaming in the phalia. Emigrants took it to the Unit- meshes of her coiled hair, and row upon ed States, where its name of schar- row of pearls clasped the delicately curved throat. Her hands were playing with the roses in her lap. Her eyes were dreamy.

"Now, how did he know, Katinka, that I cared for roses?" said Mabel when, after the first moments of surprise, she settled herself in critical de-"And such roses—dream roses—just opening to the June air. How did he Just think of it! We are passing know-if it is me? I suppose it isn't me really, but I like to think it is-and look if I had beautiful things and dwelt in a fairy palace. Only, I'm afraid, kit, that I'm not half so pretty as that girl. She hasn't any bother "She despised him because his par- about making her purse fit her necessities nor trying to make stories end "No," said Miss Cayenne; "she didn't nicely. I don't think she writes at all, that girl-there's no ink on her fingers. And yet I just know it is, and I'm rather glad-only, of course, it's horribly impertinent in him; you can't

know how impertinent. "And the pearls! Did he put them around my neck for effect or to show how well he could paint them? Maybe-maybe he wanted just to give them to me. It was very extravagant of him, kit. I'm sure he can't afford them, and, of course, I can't accept come to pass."

them. I'll have to say I'm greatly WOMAN AND FASHION obliged, but I couldn't think of accepting them-only I'd like to.

"Then, too, there's nothing I could give him in return-at least nothing he'd want. I can't make him any nicer than he is, and so in our stories. I put him in just as I see him -only sometimes he's rich and sometimes poor and sometimes a soldier and sometimes an artist. I don't know why he will insist on getting into my stories, but he does. That's all I can do for him, Fuzzikins, and that isn't much, for they often reject him. The editors, being crusty and cantankerous and homely old bachelors, are probably jealous. If-if I were an editor. Katinka, and he should come for my acceptance, I don't think I'd reject him-only I'm not an editor, and so he'll never know.

"Do you suppose he painted me because he wanted to-because he liked me and wanted me to have beautiful things or just to make a picture that would sell? He needs me to sit for him, though. That mouth is not quite right-and the eves"

"That's what's bothering me, the eyes," said a voice. "I knew they were not right, but I've had so little charce

Mabel jumped and felt the blood surging up into her face. Graham was standing by the easel, smiling down at

"I-I came after my cat," she said confusedly. "It came in here, and I had to get it. You left your door open, you know, and"-Miss Mastings ral-"and then I saw this picture, a picture of me.'

"I thought I left it covered," said

She deigned no answer. "Isn't it usual to ask the sitter's permission before "How do you know it is you?"

"Why, any one can see it is. It's

"It is a beautiful face."

"I didn't mean that," she cried hotmake me beautiful nor to give me those things-or to paint me at all." "I suppose I hadn't." Graham reach-

"Destroy it, or, rather, let you, for I

"You might correct it." "It would take a lifetime." "I don't think I'd mind so very much

Bachelors are so untidy, which kitten, which had somehow tumbled to than maidenhair fern trims the under shows that they were never intended the floor. "When you retouch the pic- brim. Pale blue ribbon velvet is arture, Ned - Ned, dear," she said, ranged around the upper side of the "couldn't you put Dot in somewhere? brim, and a large loop bow of the same I think Dotlets deserves a reward, is on the under side at the left back.

And Graham agreed.

At the Rainbow's End.

tor, "Richard Mansfield and I were traveling together with a company in North Carolina. Hard luck followed us everywhere we went, and salaries more shapely garment than it used to were long overdue.

"'Let's disband,' three or four mem-

bers suggested. "'Wait until we get to Raleigh,' ited a telegram received from the man-

company, and all went to Raleigh with have a changeable effect. light hearts. Arriving at the statio most of the company scrambled insian omnibus. Mansfield and I mounte the seat with the driver and studied the landscape.

"'Beautiful, isn't it?' Mansfield exclaimed, and I nodded my head. "'And the sunset-it's simply grand! he continued.

" 'Sunset!' repeated the driver. 'Where is any sunset?'

"'Why, over there,' said Mansfield, pointing to a red glare on the horizon. "'That's no sunset,' replied the driver, with a look of disgust on his face. 'That's the op-ry house burnin' down.'

The Legend of St. Denis.

St. Denis was a wanderer in the wilds of the Thessalonian forests for the space of seven years. The strange foods that he ate and the constant companionship of nothing but beasts and birds had a startling effect. His fingers grew claws, and his hair became as the fine feathers of an eagle's neck and breast. Finally, when nearly heartbroken by the changes that his wild life was making in body and mind, he wandered over to a fine looking mulberry tree and ate heartily of the fruit. The tree was enchanted, and partaking of its fruit brought a change more terrible than all his other transforamtions-he lost every semblance to a man, instantly changing his shape and likeness to those of a deer. He lay down under a tree and bemoaned his fate in these words: "I was of late a man, but now a horned beast; I was a soldier, but now a prey for dogs. My bed of down I must exchange for moss, and musick for hewleing windes." While thus lamenting his fate the tree spoke to him in words of cheer, informing him that in seven years he would be a man again,

Perfect Harmony Required. The well dressed girl insists upon material and trimming being in perfect harmony, and she also buys with view to durability as well. For waists crepe de chine, taffetas and lib-



A STYLISH WAIST.

great demand. All will stand seashore air and hard usage, and, while not so suggestive of summer coolness, they are little warmer than the sheer stuffs. The above illustration pictures a waist of golden brown crepe de chine. The cuffs, front panel and long shoulder piece, which extends to the cuff, are of silk Cluny lace dyed to match material. The deep girdle is of self tone louisine.-New York Mail.

A Flower Spring.

"A good ostrich fall makes a good flower spring" is an old saying with the milliners, and the spring of 1904 will bear out the truth of this statement. Roses promise to take the lead this spring. The tiny button variety in single and double garlands edge the Hum! 'Spring Scene.' Rather good, I don't think I want to. Can't I have brims, encircle the crowns or otherwise trim the hats. Medium size roses are used as garniture in single or doupipe, moonlight or sunrise or somethe eyes. I couldn't let anything ble wreaths, and large roses are often used singly. When the large flower is employed tiny green leaves bordering the brims make a charming effect.

A large white chip picture hat with a flare front brim is decorated with a wreath of small, half open rosebuds in

The Girls' Sweaters.

The girl who believes in physical culture and who takes her exercises "Several years ago," said an old ac- night and morning with systematic regularity, to her the sweater is of course indispensable. But even for this purpose the sweater is a much be. The stitches are often arranged closer together as they near the waist

line, giving the figure a tapering effect. These sweaters for gymnasium, home pleaded Mansfield. 'We always play exercise wear and outdoor sports are to big business there.' And he exhib- made up in a great variety of attractive models. Some are made in the ager of the opera house which said conventional sweater design and have that every seat in the house had been the only opening at the neck. They are frequently knitted in the English vest "This hint cheered the disheartened stitch and in shaded yarn, so that they

For a Little Girl.

This design shows a charming little frock for a child, having two features that continue in vogue, the box plaited style and the Russian idea of closing. The effect is very pretty of the double



breasted front, which is outlined by a narrow backward turning tuck and two rather wide plaits on either side. This little frock can be made of any soft woolen material suitable for children's wear. The matter of trimming around the collar and cuffs is exceptional. This idea is also good to follow in making tub frocks, using white madras, duck, pique, linen or cham-"which," the account says, "did truly bray and embroidery inserting for the

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Department of the Interior LAND OFFICE AT MARQUETTE, MICH. April 4, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the Circuit Court for Delta county at Escanaba, Mich., on May 17, 1904, viz:

Homestead application No. 8762, of John Johnson, for the se 1/4 of sw 1/4 and sw 1/4 of se 4 section 26, township 40 north, range 21 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Ole Stromquist, of Rapid River, Michigan

Michael West, Gabriel Lindgren, Gust Anderson, of Gladstone, Michigan THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Marquette, Mich.

March 24, 1904. Notice is hereby given that the followingnamed settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the circuit court for Delta County at Escanaba, Mich., on May 9, 1904, viz Homestead application No. 10577 of William I. Ely, for the north west quarter (1/4), section 26, township 41 north, range 22 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultiva-

tion of said land, viz: Clarence A. Stearns, George W. Green, Andrew Brooks, William A. Miller, all of Gladstone, Mich,

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First publication April 2, 1904. TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.—NO-UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE.

MARQUETTE, MICH. March 25, 1904. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of

June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, J. Pett Nelson, of Rock, county of Delta, state of Michigan, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1136, for the purchase of the sw 1/4 of se 1/4 of section No. 6 in township No. 42 n, range No. 22 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Clerk of the Circuit Court for the County of Delta, at Escanaba, Mich., on Monday, the 6th day of June, 1904.

He names as witnesses James Nelson, of Rock, Mich., Godfred Swanson, of Escanaba, Mich., John M. Nelon, of Rock, Mich., Edward Nelson, of Rock, Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their

claims in this office on or before said 6th day of June 1904. THOMAS SCADDEN, Register.

First publication March 12, 1904. TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.—NO-

United States Land Office, Marquette, Mich., March 4, 1904. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892, William Elsiger, of Nahma, county of Delta state of Michigan, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1131, for the purchase of the sw 1/4 of the nw 1/4 of section No. 12 in township No. 42 n. range No. 20 w, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the clerk of the Circuit Court for the County of

day of May, 1904. He names as witnesses: Archie Johnston, William Diamond, Sam Jennings and David Forbes, all of Nahma, Mich.

Delta, at Escanaba, Mich., on Monday the 16th

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 16th day of



Appearances

Make the first impression. After you have long known a man and learned his sterling worth, you do not note the details of his apparel; but when for the first time a man asks you for your confidence you instinctively eve him closely and try to form, from his external appearance, some conjecture as to his honesty and reliability. If he is cleanly and his apparel neat, you will be more disposed to favor him than if he be dirty and slovenly.

So, if a letter or circular comes to you from a stranger; if it be dirty and ill printed you doubt the ability of the sender. If, however, it be well printed on good paper, and treats of matters of interest to you, you are at once impressed more or less distinctly with the idea that you have

Found a Good Man to Deal With.

Experience may prove this idea right or wrong; but first impressions are important. Many a good offer has been rejected, to the loss of both parties, because it was made in an improper manner. You cannot afford to wear illfitting and soiled clothing if you are soliciting the patronage of particular people. So you cannot afford to use "blacksmith printing" if you are trying to engage the attention of intelligent men who know good printing when they see it.

Good Printing, Like Good Clothes,

Gives you standing at once with a new customer or with the man whose favorable opinion you are trying to gain. Of course, not all who use good printing are reliable and capable; but the reliable and capable man will always have his printing properly done—if he can. You can, because no other kind is

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Try a new suit of printing. Order now in advance of your needs and get the best fitting results.

Get the Best.

Doings of the Week in and About Gladstone 3

News Items That Are of General Interest to Our Local Readers.

From the Escanaba Mirror it is learned that all the docks on the east side of racong sustained painful injuries about the bay, except Farmers' dock, have the head and arms from jumping from been carried out by the ice. Robertson's a wagon which his team was running sion. dock which was but recently finished away with; it is thought that the inand was to be used as a landing for the juries are not serious or permanent, but steamer Duluth is completely gone, not the shock to a man of his age and weight even any of the planks being left to tell caused much alarm. He is now fast rethe story of the great ice crush. The covering. An Escanaba man had government dock near the Peninsula brought him a horse which he contempoint light house was also carried out as plated buying to mate with one he has. were the old gravel pit dock and Skaug The horses were harnessed together for Brothers dock. James Stratton's dock a trial, but there were no hold-back was badly damaged, one of the cribs be- straps; and though Mr. Narracong urged chickens. And you can't buy one for ing carried out, but that can be repaired that he be allowed time to procure them without considerable loss. The Robert- from some neighbor, he was overruled son dock was not built on piles as are and the two men drove up town, and that weighs 144 pounds. There are the larger docks of the bay, but rested thence returned on Wisconsin avenue to- some on the second ward poll list that on cribs anchored with stone and the ward home. The horses were nervous, weigh more than that. Nicht wahr? work of again putting in these cribs will and as they increased their speed the be the largest item of expense in con- wagon struck their legs and they began nection with the construction of the to run. Mr. Narracong, seeing a stone she will visit relatives and friends. new dock. The government dock which pile ahead, jnmped out; he landed was carried out had been built for near- heavily and his face was much cut and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar P. Barker, a daughly eight years and like the Robertson scratched, superficially only. His arms ter. dock was constructed on cribs and the also caused him much pain but it is loss sustained from its destruction will thought that nothing serious will result. not be great. The remainder of the Isaac Ash is known to many in Gladdocks carried out were in the main not stone, having been long employed on the costly and can easily be rebuilt.

like day we have had since last Novem- has made him remarked. The Marber and the populace emerged from its quette Mining Journal says: "Isaac winter seclusion to stroll down the sun- Ash, doubtless the tallest man in Marny streets and get a foretaste of summer. | quette county, if not in the upper penin-People were even seen looking over the sula, has just been sworn in as a guard to the lower elements in humanity. If year, which was adopted. Council adgarden seeds in the stores and trying to at the Marquette branch of state prison a labor union strikers he immediately ardecide if it were wise to put in melons and is now being familiarized with his and cucumbers before the first of May. new duties. Ash has lately been a reshis partly educated readers begin to hate Already the yards have put on their ident of Alger county and has lived at employers, good and bad. His first act | How Two Brothers Settled a Matter spring suits and the grass has come forth Trenary. He is known to a large num- is to villify the man who pays out the at a bound, green as a boutonniere on ber of Marquette people, as he has visit-St. Patrick's Day. Capt. Fisher can put ed the city a number of times. Many his ball players in the field whenever he have wondered at his usual elongation. lent law-breaker and criminal. Thus, is ready. Last week it was winter; now Ash is just a shade under seven feet in for his own supposed gain, he arrays it is summer. There is no spring in his shoes, and is of goodly weight, being employe against employer—a direct and courteous in manner, red cutaway

attended by all who have a dollar in the keeping any men under his charge in to the advertisers. The penny that he them said to the other: "I have been of getting the house started and the fact thing but the most respectful treatment The support of his enterprises come from be a terrible thing for the survivor to that many extra expenses were incurred, and behavior." the house has made a profit during its first year. But there is a financial ques- der makes Teeth clean, breath sweet, against the employing class, that will, tion to be met and the opinions of the gums rnby, 25 cents a bottle. stockholders will be of great value. They are now to take all authority into perior division of the Northwestern say this country. their own hands and consign it to those that the trouble caused by tramps is unwho in their view will do the best for doubtedly the worst that have been all concerned. Do not fail to be pres- known in years and the pest extends the destruction of business and of law. ent if you have a stock certificate.

chapped hands, face and lips. Elegant not in single file, but in hordes and the ployers to this class of publishers. One time of life." So they tossed up who to use after shaving

the A.O.U.W., who is this year an are infesting. The tramps are so nu- the employe who should both act as a and was accepted. All three lived toupper peninsula man, a resident of Iron- merous that in many cases the railroad unit and not as opposing forces, each gether and the wife nursed both brothwood, says that there have been over men are actually kept in fear of them. 500 suspensions by members of that or- It is early in the season for these pests der since the first of January. The in- and what to do with them is a serious cease in the rates of assessment conse- question. They are likely to become ances that will make clear to employer quent on the action taken at the last more numerous as the weather grows and employe alike the need of centinued meeting of the grand lodge became ef- warmer and more difficult to deal with. and steady operation of our industrial fective April 1. Only the part of the new plan pertaining to the guarantee ing ice this spring, but there seems to fund was adopted, but this has operated have been no great destruction. The to raise the rates.

ed with brick at a cost of about \$7 per Still, a large body of this, moving at a front foot of property. Brick was de- very slow speed, will break up any cided upon by a vote of the owners and a structure that it hits at the right angle. large majority chose that material. On So there has been much piling and plank-Delta avenue it would cost about \$200 ing broken all along the shores of Green per lot of 28 feet. Asphalt could be put Bay. in for the same money.. It is not probable that any move will be made this day to fit out the Portia. R. P. Mason year in the matter of paving Delta; but will go there the first of the week and it will do no harm to investigate the both will be back a few days later, methods adopted by our neighbors in bringing the tug with them. She is the peninsula.

The harbor of Gladstone is open to craft of all kinds, but no large steamers are expected for a week or two. The Straits are still blocked with ice and none of the big fellows are yet on the way. All Gladstone is waiting anxiously for the season's work to begin and it seems as if it is a sin to waste these bright, golden days when the water gleams in blue and silver like an invitato a summer festival.

The field of ice between Gladstone and Escanaba went out Wednesday night, leaving the harbor open to the lake. Only a large floe lay against the Escanaba docks Thursday morning, blocking the entrance there. This, however was thin and weak and soon disappeared. The Lotus is expected to make her first trip either this afternoon or to-morrow.

Menominee has been chosen as the place for the annual meet of the Upper Peninsula High School Athletic association this year. The association includes art's. nearly every high school in the upper peninsula and it is expected that nearly all of them will send teams here. There will be a big reception and dance for the visitors in the evening in the

Hair Tonic, none better, every bottle morning. guaranteed. 25 cents small size, 50 cents large size.

Wednesday afternoon Supervisor Nar-

Rapid River branch, and often a visitor Wednesday was the first mild, spring- to this city, where his unusual length day, in addressing an assembly of Ohio well built. He is a quiet, gentle-man-tendency toward anarchy, and he does coats, white cords, black boots, caps The meeting of the opera house stock- nered man, and well liked by his ac- this for the purpose of gaining subscrib- and gloves." When past sixty years holders this Friday evening should be quaintances. He should have no trouble ers, so that he can charge heavy prices of age one night after hunting one of concern. Notwithstanding the expense order. His bulk does not invite any gets for the paper does not yield a profit. thinking neither of us can have much

Powell's Favorite Toilet Cream for boes are traveling up and down the line, the continued payment of money by em-Grand Master Workman Thomas, of throwing them off the trains which they into closer harmony the workman and down to Okehampton next morning

Some damage has been done by movagony has been so long drawn out that Shelden street, Houghton is to be pay- the ice had become thin and weak.

> Capt. Burt left for Manitowoc Monhigher, having been altered this winter in the dockyard there.

> Sixteen inch summer wood, full cord, delivered to any part of the city, \$2.50. Call up C. W. Davis, phone 7.

The mayor and the street committee went over the line of the bay shore road the first of the week and are ready to talk business to the county road commission. Now that the ice has gone, there will be many eyes watching for work to begin on this highway.

The Hon. Coin Harvey, a man who wrote a book-now forgotten-some time during the latter part of the nineteenth century, says it would be unwise to bring up the silver issue this year.

The engineering shops at Michigan University are attended by nearly a thousand students, and very nearly repay their cost by the annual income received in fees.

Beautiful Oiled Wall Paper for kitchens and bath rooms. See it at Stew-

Wanted, a kitchen girl and second girl. Apply at residence of W. F. Hammel, or telephone 88.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eaton arrived Try Powell's Glycerine and Quinine home from their wedding trip Tuesday

The entertainment given by Mrs. Saidee Gray Cox at the Methodist church, Saturday evening consisting, of original humorous stories and sketches, was greatly appreciated by all who were monologue "The Bewildered Club President" was particularly good. Her selections were charmingly rendered.

Alderman Burrows is doing business in his capacity of councilman; he wants to know the why and wherefore of municipal matters and is an advocate of order and system. These are useful qualities in one who does business for the city. And he has efficient assistance and F. Huber. and will certainly make some impres-

Soren Johnson and John Thul drove to the county seat on Wednesday and each secured the costly red card that endures until 1905. They took time by the forelock and thus avoided the rush.

The alderman, with rake and spade, is working like dickens; he fills his garden full of seeds to feed the neighbor's less than twenty-two cents a pound.

News comes from Iowa of a goose

Mrs. F. H. Wilkinson left Thursday Johnson and Magnus Anderson. morning for Charlevoix, Mich., where

Born, at Bay City, Mich., April 20, to

If you want a good Seidlitz powder, one that will act, send to Powell's for it. THE ECRU PRINT.

One of the heaviest advertisers of the editors, said: "I have in mind a certain yellow journal whose owner is a demagogue and grandstandplayer of the raigns all employers so villainously that money to work people and flatter the workman, even after he becomes a viothe advertiser, yet he is using every have to remain here alone. Don't you Powell's Myrrh and Orris Tooth Pow- means in his power to create sentiment think one of us ought to marry?" if continued to its ultimatum, break so for a long time." Railroad men on the Chicago-Lake Sn. down every form of law and order in know of any lady?" "Yes; I do. Is

seeking the other's destruction.

"Let the editorial columns of the newspapers ring with fair, just utterenterprises. It is not a true policy for the editorial end of a newspaper to condemn universally employers and pander to employes, simply in an effort to build up circulation. That sort of policy is as sure to bring ruin as sin is sure to bring its reward. Just in proportion as a newspaper lowers its character and standing and value to the readers.'

PLANTS IN BEDROOMS.

In the daytime, when sunlight stimulates their nutrition, plants can do no harm in bedrooms, for then they give off oxygen and are useful in ablonger by twelve feet and will swim sorbing from the air the carbon which is injurious to animal life. The free use which is made nowadays of flowers and plants in our hospitals is in itself sufficient proof that this is a wholesome means of ministering mental cheer and comfort to the sick and suf-

At night the case is different. Then all plants and flowers are removed from hospital wards, because they exhale the carbonic acid which they have gathered from the soil and air and thus give off by a process similar to respiration a gas which is injurious.

We may therefore conclude that during the hours of darkness, when the respiratory process is active and the nutritive is at a standstill, plants should have no place in our bedrooms. What is prudent in spacious wards is imperative in smaller chambers.

A GREAT PIANO OPPORTUNITY Lyon & Healy, Chicago's largest music house, has just bought out the western house for the Weber Piano and other celebrated instruments. Hundreds of beautiful pianos that crowded the big put to bed every night at 7 o'clock just Weber salesroom on Wabash avenue A dispatch in a Detroit paper alludes to our harbor as "Little Bay Denoquette." What d'ye call it.

Webst satesfoom on wabash avenue will now be sold by Lyon & Healy. Prices will be quoted that will make it Prices will be quoted that will make it Walls to decorate with the biggest line possible for almost any family to secure of Wall Papers in Delta county. We a Weberor other high piano. All pianos have the goods; you can take them home are selected by experts. Pianos shipped anywhere. Write to-day for the Bargain List. It contains new pianos as low as \$125; and second hand pianos as low as \$100 and every instrument is an excep-Powell's Headache Powders are the tional bargain. Write to-day to Lyon & Healy, 2 Adams Street, Chicago.

CITY COUNCIL

The city conneil met Monday evening with all present but Alderman LeBlanc. James Lavalle asked the council to remove a Finch telephone pole from the fortunate enough to be present. The sidewalk in front of his house. The clerk was instructed to notify the Finch people to move it. Committee on Bonds reported in the following bonds which were approved by the council.

J. A. Stewart. Sureties, J. T. Whybrew and Thos. O'Connell.

A. J. Bellaire. Sureties, M. A. Bellaire and H. B. Laing. A. H. Powell. Sureties, S. Goldstein

Jos. Brousseau. Sureties, Henry

Hubert and Geo. La Rosche. Edw. McMann. Sureties, John Malloy and Thos. O'Connell.

John Thule. Sureties, Soren Johnson and John P. Holm.

Jos. Podesta. Sureties, Magnus Anderson and Martin Weinig. Jos. Laviolette. Sureties, Henry Hupert and Gaspard Lacomb.

Soren Johnson. Sureties, Gust Nelson and Fred Anderson. Gust Nelson. Sureties, John Berg-

man and Fred Anderson. McIntyre & Hodge. Sureties, Swan Chelander and John Ohman.

August Lillquist. Sureties, August

Jos. Eaton. Sureties, Louis Tardiff and I. G. Champion. Eric Osterberg. Sureties, Edw. Reagan and Thos. O'Connell.

Magnus Anderson. Sureties, August Johnson and Jos. Podesta. Fred Anderson, Sureties, Soren

Johnson and Claus Swenson. Louis Tardiff. Sureties, I. G. Champion and J. J. Gagner.

Printing bids were reported in by the committee with recommendation that the bid of I. G. Champion for printing proceedings of council and water board at 15 cents per folio be accepted and most dangerous type. He panders to that he be awarded contract for ensuing

THEY DIDN'T PART.

of Matrimony. An English book of reminiscences tells of two squires named Leaman of Ivybridge-"two thin, delicate looking old men, twin brothers, seventy-two years old, with white hair, very gentie "Yes," was the reply. "I have thought | there any one you fancy?" On com-It is time the advertiser ceased pay- paring notes it appeared they had both ng money out to an anarchist to use for selected the same woman, the manager through the upper peninsula. The ho- I wish to protest most earnestly against these years without a wry word, and trainmen are kept continually busy great aim of the honest press is to bring should marry her. The winner rode ers in their last illness and was left

WRITERS' CRAMP.

It Is a Sort of Paralysis of Either the Muscles or Nerves.

Writers' cramp, which is more paralysis than cramp, is caused by excessive writing, especially when in a weak or depressed condition. It is still a matter of doubt whether this embarrassing defect is due to a failure of the central nervous system or whether it arises in the muscles involved

Duchenne, one of the highest authorreputation for fairness and integrity, ities on nerve diseases, holds that it is just in that proportion it lowers its an affection of the great nerve centers, for local treatment of the hand does no good, and cramp rapidly appears in the left hand if the sufferer transfers the work to it. It is probably caused by the complete exhaustion of some portion of the brain which presides over the movements of the group of muscles involved.

Rest is the chief, if not the only, cure, though the substitution of a keyboard typewriter in the early stage is often of no avail. A dial machine, which must be grasped with finger and thumb, is not so successful. Pianists, violinists, telegraph clerks, tailors and many others suffer from a similar cramp.

SEE THIS?

C. W. Lightfoot is offering a sure enough bargain on Delta avenue, Powell's old stand, the best business stand in the city, on terms that will beat paying rent.

Also two nice lots on Minnesota avenue, opposite John P. Holm; these are on the bargain counter C. W. LIGHTFOOT.

DISAPPOINTED.

A small miss who had but recently mastered her catechism confessed her disappointment with it thus: "Now, I obey the fifth commandment and honor my papa and mamma, yet my days are not a bit longer in the land, for I'm the same.'

WANTED

with you; no ordering from samples. J. A. STEWART.

GARDEN TOOLS

-AND-

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

Now is the time to get them and the place to get the best prices is at the store of the

NICHOLAS HARDWARE CO.





If the Heavens Should Fall

And destroy your house and property are you prepared to stand the loss?

If insured in a weak company why not get into some of the big ones I represent-companies that are paying millions on Baltimore policies with scarcely an effort. Insurance in such companies brings peace of mind. If interested call.

G. R. Empson

"The Good Old Summer Time"

Is close at hand. When the ash heaps in the back yard commence to push up through the snow the old man begins to plan for building and repairs-new roofs, additions, or possibly a fence, shed or barn is needed.

Get Lumber Prices From C. W. Davis

Ring up No. 7, state your needs and he will tell you how small the cost will be on any Lumber you need.

'Phone 7. C. W. DAVIS.

REAL ESTATE Business and Residence Lots for sale on easy terms. C. A. CLARK, Agt.

Weinig Sausage

The only sausage maker who guarantees his product to be the best of its kind. All kinds constantly fresh made. Why not get the best when they cost no more?

If you are in doubt try Weinig's Sausage. It is conceded that his goods are without a Rival.

WEINIG'S MARKET The men who have gone before us Have sung the songs we sing; The words of our clamorous chorus They were heard of the ancient King.

The chords of the lyre that thrill us, They were struck in the years gone by, And the arrows of death that kill us Are found where our fathers lie.

The vanity sung of the Preacher Is vanity still to-day; The moan of the stricken creature Has rung in the woods alway.

But the songs are worth resinging With the change of no single note, And the spoken words are ringing As they rang in the years remote.

There is no new road to follow, Love! Nor need there ever be. For the old, with its hill and hollow,

Love! Is enough for you and me. -Century.

FR HE tall, beautifully formed girl settled her broad shoulders more comfortably against the sunwarmed rock behind her and glanced rather contemptuously at the small, well-knit man beside her.

"I'm sure I never could endure a man who was not physically brave and strong," she said, with the irritability of a woman who is conscious of an inconsistency in herself. She was provoked to find herself liking this little man with his charming conversational powers.

"And how about mental and moral courage?" he questioned.

"Secondary consideration to me,"

she answered, curtly. "How you must admire Mr. Dent, our young football enthusiast," he

said. "I do," she said, rising and going out to the farthest jut of the rock on

which they sat. "How slippery this seaweed is," she called over her shoulder, and then with a little scream she slipped into the deep water around the rock. "Oh! Mr. Kendon," she cried, "please help

me, it's so deep here.' The young man remained where he was. "I happen to know, Miss Drew, that you can swim like a fish, and I am too dry to care to take another

She let herself sink once, and then the big form of Mr. Dent, in immaculate white sult, rounded a corner of the rock. He saw her rise and he dashed into the water and bore her to the rock. She turned with her head erect and walked with him toward the

Dick Kendon noticed a freezing temperature around Miss Drew the rest of the day, but next afternoon, regardless of Mr. Dent's hints at the danger of commanded Mr. Kendon to take the place at her side.

They drove through the parkway, and, coming to a fountain, Edith Drew requested her companion to get her a drink. He was rinsing the cup when four rowdies of the Sunday afternoon type came up to the water.

"Gee, fellers, see the little dude!" cried the largest one. Mr. Kendon continued to rinse the cup without a glance at them.

"Oh! see the strawberry blonde in the automobile! Say, Willie boy, where did your flame buy her hair bleach? I want to try some myself, and I like the color of her paint, too. Dick Kendon's eyes blazed. "You

dirty, lying dogs," he cried. "If I had a gun I'd shoot you all as if you were a lot of mongrel curs." The big bully stepped toward him with doubled fist and Dick threw the contents of the dipper full in his face.

"Consider that I have struck you in the face," he cried, flaming with anger. "I would not really soil my hands on you." And before the rowdy could hit him, he dashed for a near-by elm tree, and was up and out on the furthest point of a small limb with the agility of a cat.

"Go," he called to Edith, "go home quickly; I'm safe here, the limb won't bear two.'

With a quick turn of the automobile Edith rode straight for the men who were hunting vainly for stones on the smooth gravel road, and knocked one fellow to one side. The others started to run and she chased them full speed with the machine almost on them until they disappeared, leaping over the flower beds and bushes. Then she returned to the young man dangling from the elm.

"No, indeed," he answered. "I'm aware that my position is elevated, but it is ridiculous, and a woman does not forgive that in a man. I shall wait until you go."

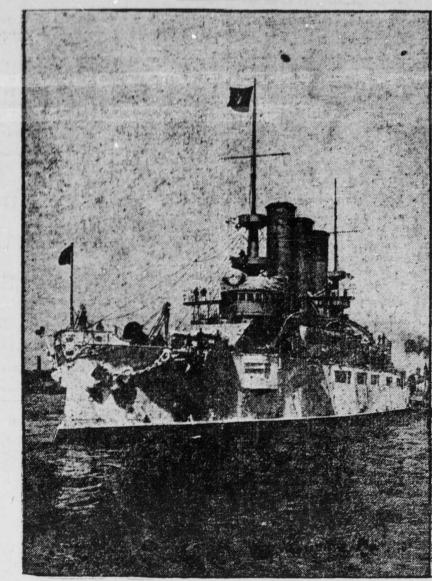
"I shall not go," she replied. "You must," he said. "I shall take the next train for the city and the episode of our acquaintance will be ended. "But," and here his voice shook, "by heaven, you shall know that I loved you, and if I didn't know you despised me, I would show you that a little man's love can be as great as a big

one's.' "Dick." he heard from below, "I think physical courage is a secondary consideration, and I'm sure discretion is the better part of valor. If you'll come down now I'll try to give you a little of a big girl's love!"-Indianap-

COST OF NAVAL BATTLE.

Five Minutes Fighting Requires an Expenditure of \$70,000 on One Ship. 'From Tuesday to Sunday," Victor Hugo wrote in his diary on Jan. 3, 1871, "the Prussians hurled 25,000 pro-

BATTLE SHIP MISSOURI, ON WHICH A GUN EXPLODED, KILLING TWENTY-NINE MEN



The battleship Missouri, on which a turret gun exploded, killing twentynine officers and men, has been in commission only since last autumn, her official trip taking place Oct. 21. She is a sister ship of the Ohio and the new Maine. Her displacement is 12,300 tons. She is heavily armored, and her armament is in proportion, being four 12-inch guns, sixteen 6-inch guns and a number of smaller weapons. The Missourl also has two submerged torpedo tubes. Her complement is 551 officers and men. She is commanded by Captain William S. Cowles, a brother-in-law of President Roosevelt. Recently the Missouri, owing to her defective steering gear, narrowly escaped sinking the Illinois.

trucks to transport them. Each shot cost 60 francs; total, 1,500,000 francs. The damage to the forts is estimated at 1,400 francs. About ten men have been killed. Each of our dead cost the Prussians 150,000 francs."

This extract, says London Tit-Bits, gives one an excellent idea of the cost and ineffectiveness of big-gun work on land a generation ago, when it took an average of 2,500 projectiles, costing 150,000 francs, to kill a single man and to inflict less than £6 worth of damage on the enemy's fortifications.

But time has changed since then, and munitions with them, and the great guns of to-day, on the sea at any rate, give a vastly different account of er running her own automobile, she themselves. During the recent war between America and Spain it will be recalled that the Brooklyn poured such a deadly deluge of projectiles into the Spanish warship Viscaya that within five minutes the latter lay at the bottom of the sea a rent and battered iumble of scrap iron.

> In all the Brooklyn fired 618 shells at the Vascaya and the bill of destruction read thus:

To 141 8-inch shells, at £50 each, £7,050; to 65 6-inch shells, at £21 each, £1,365; to 12 6-pounder shells, at £1 each, £12; to 400 1-pound shells, at 12 shillings 6 pence each, £250.

Thus the five minutes firing cost the United States £8.677, and during each minute of the duel the Brooklyn hurled 123 projectiles at her enemy at a cost of £1.735. If we add to this the cost of the Viscava's answering fire we see could scarcely have cost less than £3,000 a minute, or at the rate of £180,-000 an hour. We must remember, too, that on neither ship would it be possible to use all the available guns at once; so that there is still a large margin for increased expenditure when a man-of-war is in a position to use her fighting powers to the utmost.

But let us take one of our own firstclass battleships, the London, and esimate the cost of five minutes' fighting, assuming that she could use all of her forty-six guns throughout.

The London's four 12-inch guns, which, by the way, cost no less than £220,000, fire armor-piercing shells weighing 850 pounds each at the rate of two a minute, each projectile, with its cordite charge of 1671/2 pounds, costing £80. Thus in five minutes' fighting these four destruction-dealing monsters would hurl at the enemy forty projectiles weighing more than

eighteen tons and costing £3,200. Each six-inch gun, of which she has twelve, costing £3,750 each, throws shells of 100 pounds weight, costing £14 apiece, and in five minutes of rapid and continuous firing these guns would pour into the enemy's ships a hurricane of projectiles weighing twentytwo tons, at a cost of £6,688. So far we have only accounted for sixteen out of

the forty-six guns. The London twelve-pounders number sixteen and cost £555 each; from the mouths of these guns no fewer than 960 shells could be poured in five minutes, representing nine tons of metal and a cost of £2,880.

Each of the half-dozen three-pounders has a firing capacity of thirty shells a minute, so that in a five minutes' fight they alone would send £900 worth of metal into the enemy's side; while the eight maxims would send out a storm of death-dealing bullets weighing more than six hundredweight and

costing £140. Thus, in five minutes' fighting, using all her forty-six guns, the London would vomit forth over fifty tons of wouldn't be in it.

would work out to more than £14,000.

Method Now the Same as Used Eight Centuries Ago.

stained glassmaker follows without mportant variation the simple methods of the French monk of eight centuries ago, says the Booklovers' Magazine. The first requisite is the design. The artist makes a small water-color sketch to show the general design and color scheme, accompanying it with detailed studies. From this two large drawings or "cartoons" are made, the exact size of the desired window. One cartoon shows where the "leads" will be placed—the thin strips of lead, holtransverse section like the letter H, which form the framework to bind the pieces of glass together. Another drawing gives the size and shape of each piece of glass. This cartoon is cut into its component pieces by a pair (or triplet) of three-bladed scissors, which leave between their parallel blades a space sufficient for the leads.

These cut-out patterns are put together again on a large glass easel, to which they are attached by wax and give the effect of the leads. The easel is then placed against a window where the light can stream through it. The of glass exactly the same size, cut that the fight between the two ships from a sheet of glass of the color called for by the color sketch. The sketch is not followed slavishly; expergest improvements. To a greater or less extent this stained glass is suping. When all the pieces have been in position, where it is made secure by

Ill-Timed Appreciation.

The gloomy and repressive observance of the Sabbath that remained long from the days of the Puritans has happily died out in America. People no longer believe that happiness on Sunday is a sin. In parts of Scotland, however, the sterner view still holds.

William Maccallum lived with his family on a farm several miles from the village. On Sunday he was wont the kirk. The rest of the family followed in the cart.

and James were swinging gravely along on their way to the kirk. For solemn silence.

fine dee."

His father turned on him in righteous offense: "Es thes a dee to be talkin o' dees?"

ing christened, all the other mothers laugh in their sleeves. But for the frames some pictures

jectiles at us. It required 220 railway projectiles and the cost of this barking

MAKING STAINED GLASS.

The twentieth century American

the spaces between are blacked in, to artist or his substitute replaces each paper pattern on the easel by a piece iment with the actual glass will sugplemented by painted glass, on which the colors are fired as in china paintcut they are transferred to the "leading" drawing; the flexible leads are twisted into shape and soldered at the joints and a special cement applied to make the whole water-tight. The window is now complete, ready to be put copper wires fastened to the transverse bars of iron.

to stride with his long-legged son James over the four miles of road to

One Sunday-an unusually fine Sunday, when the air was filled with the strength of the hill breezes-William three miles their mouths were shut in

Finally the delight of living got the better of the son's decorum, and he said soberly, suiffing the air, "'Tis a

When a baby squalls when it is be-

BOMBARDMENT OF NEW CHWANG IS REPORTED.

Japanese Fleet Said to Have Attacked the Port Held by the Russians.

Tien Tsin, April 26 .- It is reported upon good authority that the Japanese bombarded the town of New Chwang last night. The Russians here deny that there is any truth in the re-

St. Petersburg, April 26.-5:39 p. m. The authorities here have no news to confirm the reported bombardment of New Chwang last night.

The naval staff has no confirmation of the reports from Tokio and Seoul of the GERMAN TROOPS' destruction of a Japanese merchantman by Russian torpedo boat destroyers at Won-San or the appearance there of three Russian cruisers belonging to the Vladivostok squadron. Whether Capt. Essen, commander of the Vladivostok squadron, has taken the squadron on a raiding expedition down the coast is secret which, naturally, would not be divulged. If true, doubtless it was the purpose of demoralizing the people on the coast and in the hope of playing havoc with the Japanese transport fleet, but no official news of the result of such a raid could reach St. Petersburg until

JAPS VICTIMS OF MINE LAID BY RUSSIANS.

Explosion in Korean Mountain Pass good their losses. Fatal to Large Number of Soldiers.

Seoul, April 18, via Shanghai, April 23 .- (Delayed.)-A mine laid by retreating Russians in the mountain passes south of Wiju exploded while the Japanese infantry were passing it. Many Japanese soldiers were killed and wound ed. Details are unobtainable.

KUROPATKIN IS SUPREME GENERAL.

Russian Forces at the Seat of War.

St. Petersburg, April 26.—Gen. Kuropatkin, it is believed in the highest military circles here, is destined to become commander-in-chief of all the Emperor's forces, both military and naval, in the far east. Vice Admiral Skrydloff, because of the minor role which the fleet will play, has already expressed his will-inguess to serve under Gen. Kuropatkin.

SUBMARINE BOAT AT PORT ARTHUR

by the Russians Received in St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, April 26.-A dispatch from Port Arthur says: "Experiments with submarine boats have been attended with brilliant success. All is quiet in the region of the fortress.'

MRS. WIGGS ARRESTED.

Heroine of Celebrated Story Lands in Louisville Police

Louisville, Ky., April 26.-Mrs. Mary Bass, the original "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," was presented in police court today on the charge of throwing a jar of slops on the head of Mrs. Emily Smith of Hazlewood, a suburb of Louis-

The scene occurred in the rear of Mrs. Bass' domicile, whither Mrs. Smith went after repeated knocks at the front door to gain a response.

Mrs. Bass contended that her life has been made miserable by the visits of people from all sections and climes, who were prompted by no other motive than urlosity.

Mrs. Smith, on the other hand, main tained that she was prompted by a spirit of charity, gaining the impression from the book that "Mrs. Wiggs" was in need of assistance. The case was adjourned until next Friday.

POPE WILL PROTEST TO ALL CATHOLIC POWERS

Visit of President Loubet to the King of Italy Is Considered an Insult.

Rome, April 26.-It is asserted that the protest of the Pope against the presence of President Loubet at the quirinal will take the form of a note to all the Cath-

THREE THOUSAND ARE WITHOUT ANY SHELTER.

Fire Destroys Two Hundred Houses in Town of Buczacz, Aus-

Lemberg, Austria, April 26.-About 200 houses of the town of Buczacz were destroyed by a fire which broke out at midnight April 25-26. Some 3000 of the inhabitants are homeless.

SOVEREIGNS GO TO RACES.

King Edward and Oueen Alexandra Land at Kingstown, Ireland, and Are Accorded Splendid Reception.

April 26. - King Edward, Queen Alexandra and their suites, landed at Kingstown from the royal yacht Victoria and Albert before noon, and soon afterwards proceeded to the Punchestown races. The sovereigns were accorded a splendid reception, and large crowds assembled to greet them. The vessels in the harbor were gaily trimmed with bunting, while Kingstown

JAPS WILL OPERATE THE KOREAN MINES.

Will Buy All the Bullion from the American and English Prop-

Seoul, Korea, April 26.-1 p. m.-The German steamer Amigo has arrived at Chemulpo with bullion from the American mines at Unsan. It is reported that the imperial Japanese mint at Osaka has guaranteed to supply monthly the specie necessary to insure the running of the British mines at Eunsan, contracting to take the total bullion output of the mines. The wage payments of the mines amount to about \$7500 per month. The mint will pay, in the value of gold, the difference between the mines' bullion output and the amounts advanced. The upper section of the mines of the mines of the mounts and the amounts advanced. The upper section of the mines of the mounts and the mounts advanced. put and the amounts advanced. The uninterrupted output of both the American mines at Unsan and the British at Eunsan is assured while the Japanese are

LOSSES ARE HEAVY.

Maj. Von Glasennapp's Column Have Lost 63 Per Cent. of Officers and 25 Per Cent. of Privates.

Berlin, April 27.-Capt. Dannhauer, the Lokal Anzeiger's special correspondent with Maj. Von Glasennapp's column in German Southwest Africa, has sent a dispatch by heliograph, via Windhoek, announcing that the losses of the column through deaths, wounds and sickness since immediately prior to the battle of Owiiko-korero, March 13, were officers, 63 per cent., and privates, 35 per cent. Forty-four men are now sick with typhus, be-sides those sent to Windhoek. The col-umn was not molested by the enemy, but apparently is unable to undertakes military operations. The troops are suffering from night frosts and heavy rains and are awaiting reinforcements to make

RENEW INVESTIGATION INTO "BEEF TRUST."

Department of Commerce and Labor Sends Board to the Chicago Stockyards.

Chicago, Ill., April 27.-With an increased force, representatives of the bureau of corporations of the department of commerce and labor renewed the investigation into the alleged "beef trust" at the stockyards today. Prof. E. D. Durand came on from Washington with an ex-pert accountant to take charge of the inquiry and to assist Special Agent Tarroll, who has been at work since James R. Will Be Named Commander-in-Chief of Garfield left for the west.

CHINESE CRUISER IS A TOTAL LOSS.

American Warship Goes to Rescue, but Is Unable to Save Celestial Ship.

Shanghai, April 26. - The Chinese ruiser Hai Tien, which struck the rocks at Eagle Point, sixty miles southeast of Shanghai, is a total loss. The United States cruiser New Orleans went to the assistance of the Hai Tien today, but her efforts were unavailing. The crew of the Hai Tien were rescued. There was no loss of life.

STEAMSHIP RUNS ASHORE. CIVIL BILL IS REPORTED.

lowed on both sides and looking in a Report of Successful Experiments Made British Ship Craitgneuk, Laden with Sugar, Aground Near South Brigantine Station-May Float Again.

Atlantic City, N. J., April 27.-The British steamship Craitgneuk, sugar-laden, from Matanzas for Sandy Hook, went ashore near the South Brigantine lifesaving station today during the severe northeast storm. It is believed that the steamship will float at the next high tide. The vessel is lying in an easy po-

FIRE CAUSES BIG LOSS.

Brainerd (Minn.) Suffers \$70,000 Conflagration-First Reports Were Much Exaggerated.

Brainerd, Minn., April 27 .- The fire which had been previously reported as having wiped out a large portion of the business part of the town was confined to the Hartley building, occupied by four firms, whose aggregate loss will be about

TOWN IS SUBMERGED,

Cahokia, Ill., Is Reported to Be Entirely Under Water-Homes Abandoned and Schools Closed.

Belleville, Ill., April 27.—It is reported the town of Cahokia, Ill., a few miles south of here, is entirely under water. Most of the residents have left their homes to the mercy of the flood, while all the schools in that section have been discontinued.

GIRL BITTEN BY SCORPION.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 27.—Miss Mabel Lane, daughter of Freeman P. Lane, was bitten by a large black scorpion at her home in Excelsior. Turning deathly white from the pain of the sting, Miss Lane seized a pair of hair curlers, wrenched the insect from her finger and placed it in alcohol. Then she smiled and telephoned for a physician. Dr. Miles of Excelsior arrived at the Lane residence and prescribed opiates to

relieve the pain. He permitted the wound to bleed freely and Miss Lane is Miss Lane, who had been in Cuba for three months, returned home Sunday morning. She was unpacking her trunk and had removed a number of articles, including a pair of house slippers, in one of which the scorpion was concealed.

DEFENDS BATTLESHIP THEORY. Representative Foss Says Big Warships Are Useful.

Washington, D. C., April 27.—Representative Foss, chairman of the House naval committee, takes issue with Senator Hale, who declared this government wasting the \$150,000,000 expended for battleships and cruisers.

"The information concerning naval bat-tles in the far east is vague," said Mr.

Foss, "and we have no reliable informa-tion on which to base an opinion as to what modern warships will do.
"Since the building of modern fighting ships began there has not been a battle between fleets which were equally matched. Therefore I contend that it

CRANE WILL NOT MANAGE THE CAMPAIGN.

Governor of Massachusetts Will Not Be Chairman of the Republican National Committee.

Washington, D. C., April 27 .- Former Gov. Murphy Crane of Massachusetts was one of the President's callers today. Mr. Crane has been talked of for the chairmanship of the national Republican committee, but it can be said with reasonable definiteness that, for various reaons, he will not manage this year's cam-

LOCOMOTIVE EXPLODES.

Three Men Are Fatally Injured and Five Buildings Are Wrecked at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 27.—Engine No. 2220 of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, eastbound, exploded early today, while passing Tenth street, Braddock. Three men were fatally injured, three others dangerously hurt and five buildings were wrecked. Two of the houses caught fire and were destroyed. The fataliy in-

jured are:

M. A. Hunter, engineer, Connellsville.
I. J. Gorn, fireman, Connellsville.
Fred I. Deagle, Mars, Pa.
Those seriously hurt are: Harry Dowling, Warren Dowling, George Bordook

a long freight train and was moving with considerable speed, when suddenly there was an explosion. This was followed by a cloud of steam, cinders and flame, which continued to be forced into the air until the engine reached Eleventh street, a block away. Here it left the tracks, the boiler being blown twenty-five feet, striking St. Paul's Polish Lutheran church and partly demotishing it, while a cylinder head crashed through an icehouse. The cause of the explosion has not been ascertained.

EIGHT HOUR BILL DEAD.

Crushing Defeat to the Lobby of Labor Agitators-No Chance for

the Act. Washington, D. C., April 27.-The labor agitators who have been tripping over each other in the corridors of the capitol for months, sustained a final and crushing defeat when the Senate committee on education and labor decided to take no action upon Senator McComas' eight-hour bill at this session of Congress. Inasmuch as the next session must be devoted exclusively to the consideration

and passage of appropriation bills, the inference that the McComas bill is dead beyond resurrection is a fair one. The Hitt bill, also providing for an eight-hour day for persons engaged in the manufacture of supplies for the United States government, was killed in a similar manner by the House committee

on labor. The agitators will have to renew their fight in the fifty-ninth Congress. There is nothing for them to do during the life of the present Congress but regret that the labor committees of the two bodies were not made up of legislators who would obey orders from the unions.

Conference Agreement Clears Up Differences Between Houses-Milwaukee Lighthouse Depot Retained.

Washington, D. C., April 27.-The conference agreement on the sundry civil appropriation bill, reported today, clears up all differences between the two houses on his measure.

ions for the depot for the ninth (Lake nigan) lighthouse district; Presque isle, Mich.; tenders for the Lake Superior lighthouse district, and Prestigo reef light vessel, Wisconsin, are retained. The House provision making the appropriation hereafter to be made for the enforcement of the Chinese exclusion act

Senate amendments making appropria-

available for the Bertillon system of identification, is restored. The appropriation for the enforcement of the anti-trust laws in made available, as proposed by the House, for the fiscal year 1905, instead of until expended, as proposed by the Senate. The House provision of \$85,000 prevails, instead of the Senate provision of \$135,000, for assistant attorneys in special cases.

SARTORIS WEDS IN PARIS.

Grandson of Gen. Grant Becomes a Catholic for the Sake of His Bride.

Paris, April 27.—The wedding of Capt. Algernon Sartoris, grandson of the late Gen. Grant, and Mile. Germaine Cecile Noufflard, niece of Charles E. Halle, director of the New Gallery, London, took place this afternoon at the Church of St. Honore d'Eylen. There was a large and Honore d'Eylau. There was a large and fashionable attendance, including the Marquis and Marquise de l'Aigle, Mrs. GIRL BITTEN BY SCORPION.

Insect Found in Trunk on Arrival from Cuba.

Minneapolis, Minn., April 27.—Miss

Marquis and Marquis de l'Aigle, Mrs. Leishman, Baron and Baroness Le Bauny, Jean De Reszke, Comte de l'Aigle, Maj. T. Bentley Mott, the United States military attache; Miss Fannie Reid, representing Mrs. Sartoris, and many members of the American colony. Capt. Sartoris became a Catholic re-

cently for the sake of his fiancee. ASKS RELEASE FOR DEBTS.

Duluth Banker's Creditors Will Only Get 25 Per Cent.

Duluth, Minn., April 27.—Charles F. Leland, president of the defunct Commercial Banking company, has filed an application in the United States court asking to be discharged from bankruptcy. Claims aggregating \$121,000 are proven against his estate. Patrons of his bank, it is said, will receive but a little above 25 per cent. of their deposits.

MUST PAY TO SEE THEMSELVES. St. Louis Fair Officials Refuse to Change Pass Rule.

St. Louis, Mo., April 27.-A final de-ision was reached by the world's fair officials on the protest by the foreign commissioners general against the ruling that foreign exhibitors pay \$1 for the photographs on their season passes. ommissioners refused to change their

GREECE ACTS INDEPENDENTLY.

No Trouble Anticipated at St. Petersburg Over Smyrna Incident. St. Petersburg, April 27.-The foreign

office here does not expect complications over the Greek naval demonstration off has not yet been demonstrated that the battleship is worthless. If battleships arrest of the secretary of the Greek conwas bright with Venetian masts and festoons.

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NEW JAPANESE SUPPLY BASE.



The establishment of a provisioning depot on Lungsway bay as a base of supplies for the enormous army which is progressing toward the Yalu river, is a move of the greatest importance and shows how superior the commissariat arrangements of the Japs are to those of the Russians.

NEW YORK EVERY DAY.

Louis exposition.

Sixteen Hindu snake charmers and jugglers on their way to the St. Louis exposition arrived on the steamship Maestic from Liverpool.

Miss Tisdale of Boston, who went to

now another is to be tacked on October 14, in honor of Christopher Columbus. Which shows that the Italian vote is large enough to bid for.

The marriage of Frederick R. Hamlin a well-known theatrical man of New York city and Chicago, and Miss Mary Burton Cadow of Chicago was solem-nized by Rev. John R. Paxton.

James C. Kennedy, a well-known writer on sporting subjects, died suddenly in an elevated railroad train in Brooklyn, N. Y., at the age of 37. For a number of years he was a partner of P. T. Powers and William A. Brady in managing biords trace most suited by the state. bicycle race meets, prizefights, etc.

One of the youngest stock speculators in the country is Clifford, the 12-year-old son of Victor Herbert, the composer. The lad already is figuring on the day

David Rothschild, former president of the failed Federal bank, was held for the action of the grand jury on a charge of larceny. Bail was fixed at \$25,000. George M. Leventritt, Rothschild's counsel, said that probably no attempt would be made to secure the prisoner's release

Albert M. Palmer, the theatrical manager, has filed a bankruptcy petition in which he gives his liabilities at \$152,994, and says he has no assets. According to the schedules, many of Mr. Palmer's debts date back to 1888, and were constanted in this city. Prockley, Stanfard tracted in this city, Brooklyn. Stamford and Chicago. The claims are all unse-

The first election bet known to have been recorded for the approaching campaign was announced on the tickers in Wall street. The bet of \$5000 even was made by Frederick H. Brooks of 7 Wall street that Roosevelt would be the next President. Mr. Brooks made the wager as commissioner for two Wall street houses and one in Cincinnati. houses and one in Cincinnati.

In the presence of his son, eight grand-children and four great-grandchildren, James S. Van Court, a rich resident of Mount Vernon, in his eighty-sixth year and three times a widower, has been married to Mrs. Louisa Pines, 40 years old. The wedding was solemnized at the home of the son, who is 57 years old, and, like his father has been married four times.

George Proctor, the pianist whom Mrs. Jack Gardner intends to adopt legally as her son, has been her protege since he was 13 years old. Mrs. Gardner heard the boy play in 1889, learned his widowed mother was sacrificing her all to give him a musical education, then stepped in and with her great wealth sent young Proctor to Europe, where he completed his studies at her expense.

The Columbia university council made granted by Columbia to a Chinaman was given to Chin Gung Gen of Tien Tsin. Chin's specialty is constitutional law. He was a student of the imperial Tien Tsin university from 1893 to 1901, and received a bachelor's degree from the government in 1901.

And now the typewriter girl has "organized." Long celebrated in song and story as a thing of beauty and a joy forever, she has emulated the example of the sterner sex and means to stand against it for her rights. Back of her is the power of the American Federation of Labor, one of the chief organizers of which, Herman Robinson, has undertaken the preliminary details.

Loretta Young, one of the "Poppy Girls" in "The Wizard of Oz." died suddenly at her home after she had been eperated upon and while coming out from the anaesthetic. Dr. C. M. Tobynne, who performed the operation, said death must have been due to a weak heart. The girl had been under the doctor's care for a week. Before that she had been a for a week. Before that she had been a believer in Christian Science, and al-though ailing nearly a year, had refuse l to have a doctor.

A mysterious package containing \$2000 worth of jewels, which was received by mail at the tenderloin station, found a claimant when Mrs. Sarah F. Kimball called on Capt. Cottrell and told him she had lost them in an "L" station. Several other women called at the police station and acked to see the gens. Mrs. station and asked to see the gems. Kimball, who is a dealer in jewelry numbers in Union square west, was the only caller, however, who could describe

On the steamer Seraphos, which arrived from Mediterranean ports, were 107 Arabs and Turks en route for the St. \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000 for the aged preachers and the widows and orphans of Methodist preachers.

"Aunt Louisa" Eldridge, whose name is venerated by all good player folk, is authority for the statement that there never was a time when the Professional Woman's league was so much in need of Miss Tisdale of Boston, who went to the pier to say good-bye to Ethel Barry, more, who was sailing for England, staid aboard too long. The ship sailed away, carrying her to Europe.

New York has a surfeit of holidays, and now another is to be tacked on—October to the long of the companies which stranded it is the league's purpose to give them chenever possible.

> Advertisements have been published in he city record and elsewhere calling for bids for the largest single issue of mu-nicipal bonds ever put out by the city of New York. The total amount of bonds all purposes will aggregate \$37,000,-). The record to the present time for single issue is \$16,000,000. In addion to the size of the coming issue it will be the first time any bonds are sold under the new law permitting "all or none" bids, on condition the bidders also present alternative bids for "all or part" of the

Despite the protest of the attorney for he Society for the Prevention of Cruelty Animals and one of the presiding jus-ces, twenty-nine of the thirty-three men The lad already is figuring on the day when he will have a seat on the New York stock exchange. He buys and sells stock outright. He only has lost on one the fight were fined \$100 each. Two cases were adjourned. When "Allan Budd" was called to the bar there was a general craning of necks, and Mr. "Budd" grew very nervous before he was permitted to return to his sear. ermitted to return to his seat.

> Emperor William of Germany, and is made up entirely of gifts that he and his consort received at their wedding in 1881. The silver pieces were presented to the royal couple by the various Prussian cities, one from each city. They will be on exhibition in the German building at the exposition. The value of the silver, which is in charge of Herr Sachau, an attache of the royal Prussian bousehold, is roughly estimated at \$150,000.

Frank W. Sanger, a well-known theatrical man and at one time associate of Nate Salsbury, died of pleuro-pneumonia. At the time of his death he was president of the Madison Square Garden association, and at various times had been with the Frohman syndicate and the forces of Maurice Grau. Mr. Sauger was of Revolutionary New England stock, and was born fifty-four years ago. As a young man he entered on a stage career and was at one time leading man for Miss Adelaide Neilson, but it was as joint owner of "A Bunch of Keys" with Willie Edouin that he laid the foundaion of the large fortune he left.

Plump, with a well rounded face and figure, 5 feet 4 inches in height, although only 14 years old, Josephine Beck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Beck of Newark, is masquerading somewhere clad in clothes belonging to her father and brothers, with her long, dark brown hair cropped close. After reading in a New York paper a story of a girl who played pranks while disguised as a boy, Josephine, after dropping a hint to her mother of her intention, cut The Columbia university council made an award of the various fellowships of the institution. The first fellowship ever the institution. The first fellowship ever tresses were found in a pond near the granted by Columbia to a Chinaman house. The police are looking for the

> There is going to be a queer legal tussle here in a few days. It appears that John L. Sullivan hocked his \$10,championship belt for \$1800, and that after the pawnbroker had waited until the legal limit passed he sold the emblem of the Boston gladiator's greatness for \$2900. John would not have thought much about the matter, but he is broke now and some of his friends have called his attention to the fact that he is legally entitled to the difference between the sale price and the amount of the loan, plus the interest. He has a lawyer working on the case. John has had the belt up for over two

> Dr. Frederick H. Sykes of Columbia university lectured on "Charles Dickens' Works." "Dickens," said Dr. Sykes, "was the ideal newspaper reporter. The newspaper office was his chief school. and the newspaper office is superior by far to any university when it comes to acquiring an intimate and detailed knowledge of men and things. Journalism was the basis of his great work. The wholesome training he enjoyed while a reporter for several years of the Lon-don Chronicle gave him an insight into human nature that was responsible in a great measure for the true to life portraitures he afterward gave to the

James N. Abeel, who, it is alleged, represented himself to be J. Ogden Goelet, Jr., and persuaded Miss Eleanor Anderson, the daughter of a Sixth avenue restaurant keeper, to promise to marry him, is on trial before Recorded Goff, charged the control of the before Recorded Goff, charged the control of the charge of the control of the charge of the cha Rev. Dr. James Boyd Brady of Worcester, who was commissioned by the New England conference of the Methodist church to raise \$250,000 for the relief of superannuated preachers to replace that embezzled recently, has evolved a more ambitious plan. He will go to the

Miss Anderson. Miss Anderson recently obtained a judgment of \$55,000 against Abeel in a civil suit.

The practice of wearing heavy mourning bands on the sleeves of light over-coats has been declared to be in bad taste and it has been abandoned. Originally this was a military mark of mourn-ing, and then undertakers took it up and placed crepe bands on the sleeves of pall-bearers. From this point it spread to the permanent mourning band on light overcoats, and it raged unchecked for three or four years. In New York here one never sees this mark of sorrow any more, Women, who usually first fall victims to fads, never took kindly to this one, although last year one would occasionally see a mourning band on the sleeve of a smart covert coat.

So great was the joy of Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris at recovering, through the honesty of a little French flower oman, her jewels-jewels of \$5000 intrinsic value, but priceless in historic worth—that she fell in a swoon at her room at the Holland house. As she reeled she clasped to her breast a heartshaped locket, containing a tube rose hand when he died. Mrs. Sartoris bropped the jewels. They were found by a "sandwich man," who sold them to the flower woman, who outbid a peddler. For 50 cents Mme. Lena de Guelle obained what a sub-treasury could not buy. The peddler, however, purchased a buy. ring which the police expect to recover.

That the singing of the pupils of Mrs. Emma H. Eames is not a nuisance was decided in the Tenth municipal court in the case of Mrs. Mary A. Chisholm against James T. Kilbreth, Mrs. Eames' mother, and Mrs. Emma Eames Story, the prima donna. Kilbreth lived in the Inverness apartment house and left there last October on the ground that the last October on the ground that the noises issuing from the adjoining rooms, where Mrs. Eames taught young song birds how to soar, were so discordant he could no longer abide. He moved out, and the prayer of Mrs. Chisholm, owner of the house, was granted, that he be compelled to pay rent. Judgment was given exprised him for one month's root. One of the unique exhibits designed for the Louisiana Purchase exposition at St. Louis arrived on the steamer Pretoria.

The exhibit consists of twenty cases of silverware. It is the personal exhibit of

> building at Twenty-third street and are kept clean. One is by contract and Broadway turned robbers and relieved the other is by a staff of window cleaners Mrs. Nellie Grant Satoris of \$5000 worth of jewels, some of which were given to her by her father, Gen. U. S. Grant. She carried a small bag containing the eral rule. With the uptown department jewels hidden in the bosom of her dress. stores the work is usually done by con-After making her purchases she went to tractors. In one of them, for example, After making her purchases she went to the Fifth Avenue hotel for luncheon, accompanied by her maid. After leaving the hotel she handed the bag of jewels to the maid, who gave it back to Mrs. Sartoris as they left. They then went across Fifth avenue and around the corner of the Flatiron building. The wind was blowing very hard at the time. After making her purchases she went to tractors. In one of them, for example, every window in the building must be cleaned once a month at an average price of 6 cents a window. The work need not be done all at once, of course, but every window must be cleaned within the month. All city window cleaning is done by contract. The dome in the Chemical bank is cleaned by contract, and were out of range of the contractors can choose their own time. corner and were out of range of the winds, she remembered the bag and discovered that it was gone. She thinks are not permitted to work while the tenthat the wind blew it away from her ants are in the building. and that someone picked it up.

A man stood on a Harlem corner the other day accosting passersby. Taking each one aside he spoke in low tones and handed him a coin, sometimes a nickel, sometimes a half dollar. The recipient nodded and started into a saloon midway An inquisitive man walked in the block. over toward the stranger, who nodded and handed him a quarter telling him to go down to the saloon and spend the money. This was the explanation.

"We've got a jay in there we're going to which Dr. Blumer based his opinion was the owner. The pitchblende as ever came out of it. The Austrian government has made a corner in it, and the price is up to \$250,000 for one-fifteenth of a grain. Go and find radium. Somewhere in the Monogram where going to sell out to, and we guaranteed him so much business daily, so we've got to make good until the deal is closed. It was a little dull today, good many of the boys away, so my partner is keeping the jay inside while I'm giving the business a boost on the outside."

Where got a jay in there were going to which is opinion was the taking of \$200,000 in securities from Little Compton to New Bedford in an old meal bag. "Don't you know," asked little dull today, good many of the boys away, so my partner is keeping the jay inside while I'm giving the business a boost on the outside."

Where nind Austria. Try China and Lagan. What's the matter with India, or Petsia, or Thibet?"

She spoke with the fiery enthusiasm of Wear.

They have a new game in New York city especially designed for the sucker city especially designed for the sucker who thinks he can play pool. It is called "Lemon," and it receives its name from the color of the ball which figures most importantly in the game. It is a kind of variation on pin pool, and the answer is: "You lose." The professional lemon squeezers have the usual way of enticing the monied dupe into the game. They also among themselves and mad and play among themselves, and good naturedly lose a few dollars back and forth. Then the onlooker becomes interested. He thinks the game is as easy as steal ing a bottle from a baby carriage. He is graciously permitted to enter, and when he reaches his full gage on a betting proposition the "lemon" men mercifully relieve him of his money.

David Rothschild, until recently president of the wrecked Federal bank, is under arrest. Assistant District Attorney Kresel, who has charge of the case, said: "Rothschild toid me he did not know where the \$225,000 went. A lot of it, he says, went for expenses. He said to me that he would like to know himself where the money is." Mr. Kresel asserted that Rothschild got the money from the heart by means of accommodation the bank by means of accommodation notes. "He would get some friends to him a note for \$5000 or \$10,000, which he would have discounted in his own bank by a discount clerk," continued Mr. Kresel. "He would have the amount of the note placed to his own credit and he drew on that." Rothschild redit and he drew on that." Rothschilds charged specifically with the misappropriation of about \$200,000.

A proposition by the Interborough Rapid Transit company, lessee of the Manhattan Elevated lines, to found a pension

All these now maintain relief benefit funds, and the employes criticised the pension scheme on the ground that they would be called upon to pay all the money into the fund from which the benefits were to be paid. This would reach \$120,000 yearly, and in case of a strike all might be discharged and the entire fund lost. There are nearly 4000 employes on the elevated lines.

"Tom" McGuire, for many years treasurer of the Fourteenth Street theater, is talking again. Though his tongue was cut out recently to save him from dying of cancer, and he never expected to be able to speak again, Mr. McGuire can now make himself understood, although in a way that cannot fail to be painful to the many friends he has made in theat-rical and political circles. His throat is becoming trained, as it were, to adapt itself to the changed conditions, and as time goes on it is expected that his ability to express himself in sounds will increase considerably. He is practicing on the alphabet now and is able to tell his friends how much better he feels general-In fact, without a tongue, McGuire learning again to talk much as a child learns by repeating again and again simple words and phrases.

New York has few saloons that have been in existence for more than sixty years. On one of the Third avenue corners, below Thirty-fourth street, is an establishment which has been used as a people find it hard enough to endure bar-room continuously since 1840. The same signs hang over the door today that were put up when it was customary to call such places inns and the saloon goes still by that title officially. The corner building in which it stands is unchanged. It is a two-story brick structure of a directness and simplicity of architecture equal to the pictures drawn by children on slates. It is not probable that any of the vintages now served there date from the time the place was opened. They are supplied from the usual sources that provide for the corner saloons. But there are plenty of signs of the antiquity of the establishment in its gloomy interior.

Passengers on the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse ex-perienced a fire on board at sea. While the blaze was not dangerous, the pas-sengers became excited and needed the assurance of the ship's officers to calm them. The fire was discovered the first day out from Bremen in a baggage department next to the rooms occupied by the mail bags. Chief Steward H. Krage sounded an alarm and all the stewards assembled. While half of them charged the fire in the baggage room the others set about removing the mail bags and the baggage not in the blazing room. Before they finished this the volunteer firemen drenched the room and extinguished the blaze. The only passenger losing bag-gage was Herman Loeb. Among the passengers were many notable foreigners coming to this country to attend the opening of the St. Louis exposition.

town three young men in the swell set met the other day to look at some shirts that cost \$120 a dozen. They were not imported, neither were they loud in design or expensive in fabric. They were just plain, everyday shirts, looking much the same as one sees in shop windows marked \$2.50, and even \$1.50, and made in New York. There are many rich young men in New York, and others in western cities who order from New York, who pay anywhere from \$75 to \$100 a dozen for their shirts. The fashionable shirtmaker does not think much of an order for shirts at less than \$60 a dozen. In this particular the New York swell is much more extravagant than his English

There are two systems by which the windows in New York's tall buildings the Chemical bank is cleaned by contract. In many instances the contractors can choose their own time for the work, but in some cases they

his relatives and left \$200,000 to a small

bag?" "Yes: and it's my belief, from a generous nature. They discussed the what I have read of Hetty Green, that project at length. she is an insane woman," retorted the doctor.

Rent riots are feared on the east side and the police have refused a permit for a parade by the people of the Ghetto, who are protesting against an advance in

rents.

The east side Joan of Arc, Bertha Liebson, is the girl of the hour among the poor tenement dwellers. She is a slender, brown haired girl, with a pair of singularly clear and serene brown eyes, a di-rectness of speech which lacks all consciousness, and with a trace of pathos in her voice or a sudden dimpling of a smile Bertha Liebson is a leader in the move-ment of the east side tenants against the oppression of grasping landlords. Bertha will tell you with a gleam of her white teeth that it is the suffering of the children that wrings her heart. She has seen evictions in east side streets, and has sorrowed for the men and women, but it is the helpless children that have most touched her.

"If you ever have seen that little heap of furniture, sometimes only a table and a couple of chairs and perhaps a bed, at the side of the curb, with a plate on top, you know what a Jewish dispossess case is The plate is the purpose of the curb. is. The plate is the mute way of asking

help.
"But it is awful for the children. Big things like that, but little children just starve and die, and it seems like murder." Her first definite resolve to enter the field in the cause of the people was taken at a big mass meeting. After the men had spoken, this girl, who had performed so many labors of love among those poorer and less enlightened, made her way to the platform and in a few stirring words urged the men and women present to take steps to protest against conditions which threatened to crush them.

LIGHTEN THOU MINE EYES.

When the drowsy wings of Death Rustle at my chamber door; When the Spirit which is Breath Breathes upon me evermore;

When the tarrying Soul delays When the tarrying the late of the late of

Lighten Thou mine eyes lest they Knowing that which is not Thee. Lead the wayward Soul astray Hopeless through Eternity.

A NARRATION OF FACTS.

BY BARRY PAIN. Hubert Melancthon Smiles was an experienced journalist and as truthful as myself. It was no fault of his that his occupation had suddenly failed him. It was the inevitable result of the processes of time that had led that morning to his In a fashionable bachelor apartment up dismissal. He was 20. Too old at 20it was a bitter thought. He was laborious, accurate, and still fairly active for a man of his years. But he was too old for "Pearsworth's Popular Paper," and "Pearsworth's Popular Paper" bad in the most delicate manner possible told

> What added to the bitterness of the thought was that only the day he had attained the hopes of his heart and become betrothed to Ann, third daughter of Alured Wilkinson of 124B, Selina terrace, Bayswater. It had seemed certain that within a year he would be able to make her his bride. They were both well aware that no one had ever loved as they loved. They had mentioned it to each other. And now he found himself with his occupation and income gone. Alured Wilkinson was a hard man, who had made his money and lost his illusions as a memorial mason, and he would under these changed circumstances. He would insist that his daughter's engagement should be broken off and he would see that it was so.

So, if I tell you that Hubert Melaucthon Smiles felt rather annoyed you cannot be surprised. But his active mind (at the age of 20 he had retained practically all his faculties) saw at once that annoyance alone would never put an end to his troubles. It was necessary to act, and before acting it would be wise to

and before acting it would be wise to take counsel. He called a hansom at once and drove off to see Ann, third daughter of—well, as aforesaid.

It was his good fortune to find her alone. He kissed an assortment of her features and unfolded to her his sad story. "Amaryllis," he said, "what is to be done?" He called her Amaryllis for prettiness prettiness.

"I have it," she said. "You must take up with some new work, something as

"Courage!" she said; "there's as much

project at length.

Later in the afternoon Hubert Melance thon Smiles might have been discovered n a Picadilly book shop inquiring for the latest works on chemistry and mineralogy, and three weeks afterward he had bidden a long farewell to London and was on his way to Thibet. He had al-ways heard that things happened in Thibet which did not happen elsewhere, and that the country was not at present over-touristed. That is why he selected it.

* * * * * * * Two years had elapsed, Two years had elapsed. A man of emaciated appearance, clothed in rags, stood on the steps of 124B, Selina terrace, Bayswater, and rang the bell. If you think that this ragged man was Hubert Melancthon Smiles you have guessed it right first time.

"I am not a beggar," he said in answer to the parlor maid's assurance that they never gave anything to anybody, "Potentially I am a millionaire. If you give my name to Miss Ann Wilkin-

you give my name to Miss Ann Wilkinson she will see me."

The parlor maid gave as much of the name as she could remember, and Miss Wilkinson came down into the hall, where he stood grasping the remains of what once had been a hat.
"You do look a fright," she said. "You

might have got some other clothes before

you came here. I'm just going out and can't stop more than a minute. Keeping pretty well? Why didn't you write?"
"Ducksie," he said—I forgot why he called her ducksie—"this is a cold way to receive me after my long absence. I did write, but the postal arrangements in the interior of Thibet are irregular— grossly irregular. Is it thus you welcome one who loves you-one who has come to lay his heart and the radium which he has won for you at your feet?"
"Radium? You might have said that before. You darling? How much? Where is it?

"There are tons of it. I dare say." "Sweetheart! Got any of it with

"No. The man who owned the mine gave it me in exchange for an old knife. You see, the radium throws off so much heat that no one can get within five miles of it without being burned to a

"I'll never speak to you again," she exclaimed petulantly. "Whatever I ask you to do you always make a muddle of it". A minute later Herbert Melaneth

Smiles knew that the door of 124B. Selina Terrace, Bayswater, had closed upon him for the last time.

If this simple narration of facts brings one careless reader to reflect for a mo-ment on the dangers of doing too much

it will not have been written in vain.



She (at the musicale)—That piece she splaying is very difficult. He (bored)-I wish it was impossible.

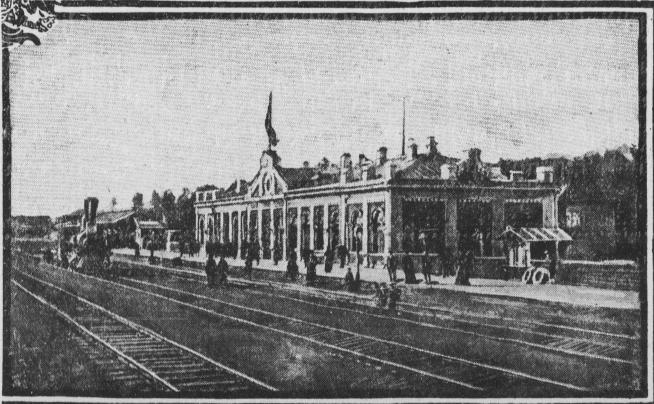
A Queer Place of Worship.

One of the most remarkable places of worship in the world is the miners' chapel in Myndd Menigdd Colliery, Swansea, Wales, where for more than fifty years the workers have each morn-Dr. George A. Blumer, the noted alienist, stated in court that from all he had read of Mrs. Hetty Green he believed her insane. Dr. Blumer was testifying in an action in which the will of Edward Howland, an eccentric former resident of Little Compton, who ignored his relatives and left \$200,000 to a small left. tained from a solitary Davy safety lamp generally chosen to officiate. Boston

Scarfpin with Wearer's Monogram.

Monogram scarfpins are among the lat-

DEPOT FOR MILITARY STORES.



S'TATION at ZLATOUSI

By Russia's great Trans-siberian railroad she will transport the bulk of her army and munitions of war to the scene of hostilities in the far cast. On the vast mileage of this railroad, now the scene of strenuous activity in the forwarding of troops and stores, a notable point is Zlatoust, where there is much concentration of traffic and which presents the aspect, under existing conditions, of a hive of human industry.

Rapid River Locals.

the Salvation Army, in the Detroit last Sunday. The prospects are favor-Tribune: "Back to the land! The land- able for a good class. less man to the manless land. The solution of the problems of congested in one word-Distribution. Place the this trinity of waste into a unity of production. Scientific colonization prefers the man with a family to the cowboythe man without money to the man with a fortune—the small farmer who works his own fields to the large land owner who employs hired labor. The tendency of modern civilization has been to drive the family to the wall; the city employer wants the single man or woman, the farmer wants the cowboy. Domicide, or the destuction of the family, is worse than homicide, or the destruction of the individual. The family unit is the pivot of national prosperity. The family will take care of the nation that takes care of the family. System- years. atic colonization enables the family to create a home for itself." The Salvation Army has been colonizing families for the past six year on irrigated lands. Senator Hoar has introduced a colonizaation bill at the commander's request to assist poor families to farms.

Baseball is becoming interesting. The team and the poorest. Escanaba high school team will play the diamond repeatedly in former years. tion is now open. There is more or less talk of a team this have gone away. Some talk of a Gladstone-Rapid River team. In Fred Gravelle Rapid has an exceptionally good player, and he has made his mark again and again. If a team is formed here, he will certainly be its leader.

The Salvation Army observes a self ing briskly these fine days. denial week from May 1 to May 8. This is done to increase the funds which they use in their good work, and is increased by many thousands of their friends who go to Green Bay. assist them. From the figures given cadets, employes, corps, outposts and Saturday, May 7. bondsmen, are 85,200. Their army ex institutions for men and women, 620, been working. with a capacity of 33,000. They assist day.

The U.S. was about to appropriate \$8,000,000 for a new battleship, when Perkins are visiting relatives here for a and has been grand secretary for forty the Petropavlovsk went down, and Con- few days. gress is waiting to see whether submarine boats are not a better investment. If the battleships sink all the torpedo boats and the torpedo boats sink all the battleships Congress will get scared and save the money.

sermon by Father Jacques at the Catholic church Sunday of last week. It was one of the best sermons ever heard here, not only in the words but in the delivery. This was his parish some years year. ago, and people here are much interested in him. He is now at Marquette.

The rain of Saturday swelled the creeks tremendously, and it is said that the Rapid was never so high before. It overflowed the road several feet deep north of here. The Tacoosh drive ended last week, and the drive on the Rapid started Monday.

Last Saturday the University of Michigan athletes carried off the honors in the intercollegiate contests, defeating Yale, Harvard, Chicago, Cornell, Prince- the past week. ton, Columbia, Georgetown, Iowa and New York. Great is Michigan.

Mr. Caswell's new barn will be started within the month. It will be 28 feet by 130, the full length of the lot. He will purchase twenty horses as soon as possible. His headquarters is opposite Dar-

row's store. The news comes from Hungary that a strike has tied up every railroad there, as they are all owned by the government. The result is a crisis. Government ownership has some difficulties

Fred Gravelle, Henry Barbeau, and Arthur Huxford drove to Gladstone Sunday to see the ball practice of the Gladstonians, and the first two attracted considerable attention from the "fans."

A Menominee woodsman named Thomas Holms exhibited a time check a few days ago for 3,310 days pay. He worked for the firm over 20 years, and has drawn his pay sparingly.

The saloonkeepers bonds for the com-Masonville. Five were brought to Judge Sinnitt on Monday.

Another leap year party was given Saturday night at the Opera House, by the promoters of the last one, Misses Buchman, Rabideau, Guerno and

Miss Hannah Carmody, who has been teaching school at Alton, came down Monday night to the Laing hospital, seriously sick with typhoid fever.

William Dillabough sold his house and lot this week to Mr. Dausey, the There are seven men in the gun's crew superintendent of the Escanaba Lumber on these guns. To fire a four inch com-

company at Masonville. The Rev. S. A. Walton instituted a

Says Commander Booth Tucker, of Sunday school four miles north of here

The Modern Maccabees held a reception last Thursday in farewell to Mr. population and immigration is contained and Mrs. John Johnson, who leave Rapid River this week for Lyle, Washingwaste labor on the waste land by means ton, where they will reside. B. W. of waste capital, and thereby convert Young and family will accompany them as far as Penryth.

> It is is said that an orchestra will be formed here soon by some of the young ladies and gentlemen of the town. An orchestra is a real necessity here, and will certainly prove a success.

> A meeting of the firemen was held on Tuesday night, but no particulars can be learned at this writing. It was intended to settle definitely the matters brought

The Rapid River is overflowing from the bridge at Cole's to the railroad track, and it may be supposed that considerable damage will be done, as in former

Mrs. O'Brien, of Ashland, Wis., is visiting her daughters, Mrs. A. Miller of Masonville and Miss Kathryn O'Brien, the local school teacher. The upper peninsula firemen's tourna-

11. Prizes will be given to the best The weather is rapidly opening the

All Stars of that city Saturday. Rapid bay, and the high wind of Monday clear-River has distinguished herself on the ed out large quantities of ice. Naviga- until all grand lodges adopt the diplo-W. W. Carmody bought five horses

year, but many of the best ball players from Levi Barbeau last week. Mr. Barbeau will probably go west soon. It now remains to be seen how long

the Russians can remember the Petropavlovsk. Nobody else can.

The boys have formed a junior baseball club, with uniforms, and are practic-

The Royal Neighbors are scheduled to

out, their forces, including officers, give a May dance at the opera house on Jesse Rushford came down Sunday

tends over forty-nine countries, social morning from the woods where he has Miss Mamie McGovern of Escanaba,

on an average, 21,000 poor persons a spent Saturday here with her aunt, Mrs. G. Ambrust.

this week Mrs. Casey has been quite sick with

winter cholera. Much interest was taken here in the day to visit her relatives for two three est office of the Royal Order in the

A school entertainment will be held about the last of May, as usual each

Mrs. Waldo is recovering from her heumatism, and will soon be well.

Wilford Bezner of Masonville is dangerously sick with pneumonia. H. W. Cole sold his race horse Syl-

vester to Gus Roberts last week. The German Lutheran church will soon be repainted a light color.

Mrs. A. Murchie is visiting relatives at Escanaba this week

Peter and Joseph Schultz went up to their places Sunday.

E. L Soule spent Sunday in Escana-

MISCELLANEY.

The grave of the German poet Heine, in the Montmartre cemetery, Paris, is said to be visited by more persons than customary for visitors to leave their lodge. cards. Of 295 cards found on Heine's grave thirty were left by English and American visitors and over 250 by Germans and Austrians.

All the region of the upper Amazon and its tributaries offers magnificent facilities for cattle ranching. When the higher lands are reached there are vast stretches of prairies, or "savannas," as they are called, with a climate like spring all the year, where cattle enough to supply a continent can be raised,

practically without expense. Expert estimates of the probable manufacture of automobiles in several states of the Union in 1904 give the principal place to Michigan, with Ohio second. Even Massachusetts and Wisconsin surpass New York in the list, while Illinois makes an extremely poor ing year have been presented, six in the showing. Detroit and Cleveland are town itself, one at Fish's and one at the two cities which surpass all others in this republic as centers of the production of the self motors. It seems

odd that New York and Chicago should

lag behind them so far. The \$1,336,000 asked by the secretary of the navy for gun practice during the year seems enormous until one considers the cost of firing the big guns now in use. To fire a thirteen inch gun costs for powder and shell about \$500. Four times a year the men are exercised in big gun practice, with regulation charges, each man of the gun's crew firing four shots at these trials. mon shell costs \$17, a six pounder \$3.86

and a one pounder \$1.14.



The Royal Arcanum promptly fulfills every fraternal and financial obligation as fast as it matures.

Large gains in membership are being made in Minnesota. The state has been divided into seven classes, and prizes amounting to \$475 will be awarded to councils showing the greatest

One of the oldest and most enterprising councils in the order is Commonwealth of Brooklyn. During the year 1903 this council made large gains and now has a membership of over 500.

Recent reports from many jurisdictions are so satisfactory that there is little doubt the order will have 300,000 members by May 1. Pennsylvania councils have done ex-

and now have a membership of over The new officers should be given ev-

cellent work during the year just closed

ery possible aid and encouragement. MASONIC.

Visitors Must Show Diplomas In New Hampshire-Trestleboard Designs. The grand lodge of New Hampshire adopted a resolution providing that no visitor to a lodge be examined for admission until he exhibited his diploma issued to him as a Master Mason in good and regular standing by his lodge and under its seal and the seal will be held in the Soo, Aug. 9, 10, and of his grand lodge, says the American Tyler. Members of other jurisdictions in which diplomas are not issued will now find it difficult to obtain access to New Hampshire lodges. Regular as well as clandestine Masons will suffer

ma plan.

last annual grand communication. In Greater New York there are twenty-eight Masonic lodges which work in the German language.

A Masonic club has been formed among the faculty and students of the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis. The grand lodge of Pennsylvania approved the plan to establish a home Mrs. Boudah is recovering fast. As in the central part of the state for Massoon as her sister arrives here she will ter Masons, their wives, widows and children. The proposed home is expected to cost \$300,000.

There are 520 Masonic lodges in Indiana, with a membership of about 38,-

Baalis Sanford of Brockton has been re-elected grand master of the grand lodge of Massachusetts. John H. Medary, grand secretary of the grand lodge of Maryland, was lately elected grand secretary emeritus,

with salary continued during his life. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rabideau of He is at present ninety-two years old Mrs. G. A. Ambrust is visiting her James D. Richardson, sovereign

daughter Mrs. R. Clark of Escanaba grand commander of the southern jurisdiction, has been appointed provincial grand master of the Royal Order of Scotland in the United States, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mrs. Darling went to Escanaba Mon- Josiah H. Drummond. This is the high-United States.

There are over 118,000 Master Masons in the jurisdiction of New York.

ODD FELLOWS.

To Expel Saloon Keepers From the Order-Friendly Grips.

Grand Master Pavey has determined to force out of the order in Ohio every saloon keeper, bartender and gambler. He has issued a mandate that the men under the ban must either honestly and legitimately renounce and give up their business or be expelled from the order. He says: "Any noble grand who shirks or refuses to do his duty will be suspended. They Mrs. Pat Hayes has been sick during must convict and expel from the order all such members." Further, he says, "Any lodge that puts on trial and convicts such a member and fails to suspend him shall have its charter arrest-

ed at once." The grand lodge of Oklahoma fined a number of lodges for delinquency in sending in their semiannual returns. Zola's, which is quite near it. It is These fines ranged from \$1 to \$37 per

> The three links is now worn by more men than is the badge of any other secret organization. This has been accomplished because the order has been true to itself and its mission.

The Odd Fellows of Ontario now have a membership of nearly 30,000. Edwin H. Whitney of Lansing, Mich.,

who died recently, had held the office of grand secretary of the grand lodge of Michigan and grand scribe of the grand encampment for thirty years. An Odd Fellow to be entitled to a

member in good standing for twentyfive consecutive years or more. The grand secretary of Tennessee reports a membership in that jurisdiction of 20,243 in 320 lodges, a gain for the

past year of 6,650 members and 40

"veteran's jewel" must have been a

lodges. The Loyal Association. The order has been almost phenome-

nally successful and has enjoyed a healthy growth, now numbering nearly 7,000 members.

The association obtains its members in states north of the Mason and Dixon line, the section known as the fever belt being barred.

A special feature is the emergency fund, instituted five years ago and which on Dec. 1, 1903, amounted to \$103,099.85.

In 1903 nearly \$125,000 was paid to the beneficiaries of members who died during the year. Twelve assessments are called annually.

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