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GO'NG OUT OF BUSINESS.

We have decided to quit the Clothing Business, and so we offer, begining Saturday Feb. 24th, our entire stock of Clothing and Furnishings AND BELOW COST as we want to wind up our Business by Apr:l 1st. Don't miss this se [e Fixtures also for sale.

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Time Table

VANDALIA LINE Terre Haute and Logansport R. R. For the North No. 10 8:07 A M. No. 8..... 9.11 P. M For the South. No. 21 6:27 A. M. No. 3..... 1.51 P. M No. 9...... 7:55P. M J Shugrae, Agt.

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House Burned.

This Friday macaing the house occu-J . H. over, at Maxinkuckee, burn be ground. The fire was caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove. The family and neighbors succeeded in saving most of the household goods. There was no insurance on the house or contents,

LOCAL BREVETIES.

Millet seed at John Osborn's.

Lettus, cabbage and new onions at John Osborn's.

Chas. Zechiel is now chief clerk t Menser's hardware. Something lifferent than weighing groceries and eatting calico.

James H. McSheehe and wife, of L gansport, are at their cottage on Long Point this week.

Best Chicago meats at John Osborn's.

Strawberry Beets in 31b cans at CULVER, INC. ! John Osborn's.

> The Republicans, of Culver, met last Friday evening and nominated the following licket. F. O. Ferrier, trustee second ward. S. E. Medbourn, trustee third ward; Wm. Porter, treasurer; Geo. Garns, clerk; D. H. Smith, Marshal and Samuel Buswell, town-committeeman. Later Gen, Garn refused to accept the nomination; and Summer Wiseman's name was placed on the ticket.

Both parties have placed good men on their ticket, and it only remains to be seen as to who carries the winning hand.

B n mas, oranges and lemons at

Babies pictures free. Special inducement. On Saturday May 5th, we will make free, a fine cabiner photograph of every baby brought to our gallery. Don't forget the date. Keen Bros., Photographers. Gal ery opposite P. O Culver.

Five foot stepladders at 49c at Osborn's.

We are pleased to inform the public that the Arlington Hatel has been opened for the season. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp are here superintending the cleaning up of the grounds and putting every thing in shape for the sammer campaign. As the Arlington stands upon one of the most pic turesque spots on the shores of the lake, and its genial owners have become famous es caterers to the comfort of its guests, the hotel is always headquarters for the bon ton people who come here for enjoy ment and recreation.

It is said that the Lake View will be op ened about the first of May.

Two bars of Kingan's soap 5c at John Osborn's.

Wm, Quinn, section foreman at this place, is now very busy putting in new tres in the track near the depot. Also the beautiful railroad parks are receiving proper attention.

Choice canned peaches, plums pears and apricots at John Osborn's.

Miss Anna Hunt, of Hibbard, is in town this week and will continue through next week, soliciting subscriptions for the life of Evangelist Moody and other choice works. Those of our citizens who conemplate purchasing the history of Mood-'s wonderful life, should 'certainly patronize this lady, as she has no other way to provide for herself and aged father and mother.

Young and Keen are crowded with work.

Mrs. Carl and daughter Lulu were visitors in Plymouth Wednesday.

Read Porter & Co's. advertisement in another column of this issue.

J. M DeLap, of South Bend, was here this week looking after a busi ness opening.

Thirty tons of tame hay for sale at the L. C. Dillon farm, just north of Culver.

Marshal Mawhorter, with a gang of men, is doing good work upon our streets at present.

Services at the M. E. church next of this community to attend. Sunday as follows:

Junior League 2.30 p, m. Senior League 6.30 p. m. Preaching by Pastor 7 30 p. m. All are cordially invited. F. O Fra-

Notice is hereby given to the electors of Culver, Marshall county, Indiana, that an election will be held in said town on the 7th day of May, 1900, for the purpose of electing town Trustees for the 2nd and 3rd wards, a town Clerk, Treasurer and Marsnal. Witness my hand and official seal evening's entertainment will be of this 11th day of April, 1900.

THOS. CLIFTON, Town Clerk. R. Kreuzberger, of Logansport, was in town Wednesday. His park has been to attend. Tuesday evening's 1-c-M ss Della Oglesbee, of Plymouth, cleaned, and now with the green grass spect Sun lay with Miss Julia Lam- springing up, it looks as though spring is here in earnest.

> Dr. Stevens reports that Mr. L T Vanschoiack, who has been quite ill, has so far recovered that he has been out building fences, trimming trees, etc. As he will be 88 years old his next birthday, the fact that he can do any manual labor can be chronicled as something wonderful.

Nearly every paper in the county published that D. R. Avery's restaurant burned in the late fire, but such was not the case. He still conducts the Park Cafe, which is situated a block west of the burned district.

We have secured the services of George Snyder, a thorough printer, and hence are prepared to do all kinds of work on short notice. We also desire to increase the local news department of the HEGALD and hence invite one and all to leave us items of interest.

Do not forget the Sabbath School convention, which will be held at the Evangelical church next Saturday. A very interesting programme has been prepared relative to Sabbath school work, and as the Sabbath school is one of the great factors that develop the moral character of the young, it should receive the hearty support of the entire community.

Rev, Fraley will soon take a much needed vacation and visit friends at Greencastle and elsewhere. During the past year this young divine has accomplished a wonderful work, not only spiritually has be benefitted his church's interests, but he has labored hard and faithful in assisting to erect the new church at this place, and in the complete overhauling and practically rebuilding the church at Popular Grove. In coming here the past year in order to complete the work, we understand he made great sacrifices, as he could have had another place with at least \$300 more per year salary attached, and with a great deal less work. By doing this, Rev. Fraley bas followed directly in line with the teaching of Christ, who thoughl not of tomorrow but did his duty where it would accomplish the most and best results for humanity. The work accomplished by this young divine should certainly be appreciated by the citizens of this entlre community, and we feel that it will be.

Notice-I ship work for the Troy Steam Laundry, of Warsaw on Tuesday night. Those wishing to send, please leave bundles at Con Bona ker's barber shop, and he will give them his prompt attention.

The Thirteenth Annual Commenc ment of the Union Township Schools, will be held at the M. E. church, Culver, Saturday evening, April 28. There are 24 graduates. Hom. Chas. Drummond, of Plymouth, will deliver the address to the graduates. A most elaborate programme has been prepared, and it will pay the citizens over Sunday.

Lecture Course.

The Epworth League Lecture Course will commence Tuesday evening, May 14, and end Thursday evening May 16. Rev. J. W. Maxwe'll, of Kewanna, will give the first lecture and his subject will be "Army reminiscences." He is an eloquent and profound speaker and as he was a chaplain in the service, he will know whereof he speaks. This special interest to the old veterans, and they are most cordially invited ture will be delivered by Rev. S. W. Goss, of Crawfordsville, Ind., entitled "Woman's Greatness" Mr. Goss has appeared before a Calver audience before, and all who heard him pronounced him to be one of the very best speakers of today. He should be heard to be appreciated. Wednesday evening's lecture will be delivered by Rev. Horace G. Cgden, of Attica, Ind. His lecture is entitled "Our Boys." We have heard Mr. Ogden, and do not besitate to say that he will give you something grand. As a pulpit orator, full of life, en husiasm and spirtuality he League is giving this lecture course for the purpose of raising money to in the Latin course. go toward paying for the new M. E. church. Irrespective of party, creeds or sectarianism, all should feel proud that this splendid edifice stands in our city, and should not hesitate to patronize liberally any legitimate entertainment, which has for its object the sole purpose of relieving the church of debt.

Borr Oak.

Mrs. Nancy Burns, of Burr Oak,

H. B. Williams is quite sick.

M. Felters is suffering with rebumatism and neuralgia.

Dr. Loving is making many marked improvements around his home. On account of the searcity of logs the saw mill is idle for a few days.

Thomas Garver house, east of town. Geo. Wilson and daughter left for North Dakota last week, where they will reside in the future.

Thursday Mr. Kleopfer and his chief clerk, Mr. Dibble. were here and put down in Wm. Vanderweele's parlors several yards of the celebrated Wilton velvet carpets. With other interior improvements, William has a home that will compare favorably with those other "coupon clippers." However, if you desire a first class article in the carpet line at right figures, call at Kloepfer's when in Plymouth.

Owing to illness in his family, Louis Nedilinger was unable to go to North Dakota as previously chronicled, but will go later.

ACADEMY JOTTINGS.

Capt. Eisenhard spent Sunday in Obio.

Mrs. K. C. Morehouse, of Omaha, Neb., was here over Sunday.

Capts. Wickham and Blackford were in Chicago over Sunday.

Mrs. Agnes DeVay, of Indianapolis, was here this week visiting her

Geo. T Anderson, of St. Louis, paid his sen, cadet Anderson, a visit

Gallery practice under Capt. Dutton is progressing very nicely. Some interesting scores have made,

F. H. Weeks, of Akron, Ohio, and C. M. Brown, of Goodland, Ind., were here last week visiting their

Capt. de Blumenthal's class in free hand drawing has been doing landscape sketching of late.

Some of the famous fisherman among the faculty bave been indolging in their favorite pursuit of bass fishing to a considerable extent of late. If they continue their Isaac Walton pursuits long enough, the bay in front of the grounds will be cleared of all snags, weeds, etc.

A large force of men have been kept very busy this week cleaning and heatifying the grounds. The pier has been put in place, and many neccessary improvements have been

Mr. Henly, a gentleman in the University of Chicago, preached an excellent sermon to the cadets Sunday morning,

The first classmen were given a four day's vacation this week to prepare their orations. There are sixhas few equals. The Epworth teen men in the class, four in the Classical, six in the Business and six

> Next Saturday afternoon the base ball season opens at C. M. A., Purdue University being pitted against the home team. Our boys have been doing some hard practicing and despite the many obstacles in the way, have succeeded in building up a team that will be perfectly capable of upholding Calver's honor. The following is the probable line-up for next Saturday's game:

Crawford 3b, Anderson c. Stifel l. f. Canfield r. f., C. Smith 1 b, Prector 2b, W. Jackson cf. Bauman ss, Woodward p.

We have some very strong teams on our base ball schedule this year, and if we win all of the games, every J. Crum has moved into the man in the school will have to work toward that end. We have a team that is worthy of all the support wecan give them, and there should be no lack of enthusiam among the "rooters." 'Let us do our "rooting" in a respectable manuer, but above all, keep up the school spirit and cheer the boys on to victory.

Died.

Mrs. Catherine Brought, who lived upon the east side of the lake, died April 18th, of heart failure, aged 73 years, one month and nine days. Funeral services were held April 19th, at east Washington church, and were conducted by Rev-Wyatt. Her remains were interred in Washington cemetery by undertaker Easterday.

WANT DAKOTA FARMS

MANY IMMIGRANTS FLOCKING INTO THE STATE.

So Numerous Is the Movement tha Houses Cannot Be Found for All-Much Property Changing Hands-Kills Himself After a Relapsc.

Immigration to Plankinton, Kimball Pukwana, Armour, Geddes, and Gardner S. D., has been so rapid that all the old buildings are occupied and hundreds of persons who have arrived during the last few weeks have been obliged to be satisfied with their canvas-covered emigrant wagons or with board shanties. It is noticeable that all these people are looking for farms or for stock ranges. Large tracts of land ranging in price from \$5,000 to \$20,000 are changing hands. The Canada and South Dakota Cattle Company, recently incorporated with a capital of \$200,000, has been examining the land west of Chamberlain for a mammoth range. The immigrants that are now arriving all appear to be men of means, who intend to engage in the stock business, or in farming on an extensive scale, and will therefore develop the natural resources very rapidly. All business is done on a strictly cash basis, and as a consequence the towns are thriving.

NO HOPE FOR CAPTAIN CARTER.

Convicted Army Officer Must Undergo Sentence of Circuit Court.

In the Supreme Court at Washington Chief Justice Fuller handed down the opinion of the court in the case of Captain Oberlin M. Carter, dismissing his appeal from the decision of the Circuit Court for the southern district of New York. The chief justice held that no appeal could be entertained by the court, the applicant having exercised his remedy of an appeal to the Circuit Court of Appeals. The effect of the decision is to leave in force the decision of the Circuit Court refusing to interfere in the sentence of the court martial which sentenced Carter to five years' imprisonment.

KEEPS VOW TO KILL HIMSELF.

Man Who Breaks Temperance Pledge After Six Years Commits Suicide.

At Muncie, Ind., George Phillips, aged 35 years, came home intoxigated the other night and killed himself. He called from out doors for his wife to put the three children to bed so that they could not see him, then he walked into his bedroom and fired two he wis into his heart. Wan hard He had not t two bullets into hear for He had not taken any liquor before i six years, and had told his wife that if ever he drank again he would kill himself and possibly her. The woman expected to be killed and kept the baby on her lap as a protection. Phillips was a fruit commission merchant.

Finds Huge Masses of Gold. J. H. Brownlee, the provincial surveyor,

has returned from Atlin and says the richest strike of free gold in Alaska is that made on Spruce creek, in a cavern. The discoverer in drifting to reach a supposed old channel of the creek was rewarded by striking a pocket of gold, out of which, when Mr. Brownlee left, he had taken out a pound in almost a solid mass.

Looks Like a Murder.

The dead body of Charles Burke was found in front of a house in San Francisco occupied by John Dempsey and wife, who said he had been killed by falling down the front steps. His watch and \$28 were found secreted in the house and the Dempseys were arrested. March 18 William Gill was found dead at the same place, under similar circumstances.

Negro Dies from Laughter.

In St. Louis Bud Ferguson, a negro. 26 years old, laughed himself to death because the St. Louis baseball team had defeated the Pittsburg nine and he had won a large sum of money staked on the result. He laughed so heartily and continuously that he caused a hemorrhage of the lungs and died on a street car before aid could be summoned.

Prairie Fires Canse Loss.

Prairie fires are raging in various parts of the Northwest. At Carrington, N. D. the large cattle barn and machinery shed of the Farnham and Davidson ranch were destroyed, and Foreman W. M. Rice was fatally burned. Near Beaton, Minn., eight farm dwellings were burned, and families are left destitute.

Chicago Man Ends His Life. A guest, registered at Hotel Hall, Al-

bert Lea, Minn., as C. P. Casgrain, Chicago, rowed to the deep water of Mountain Lake, took off his hat and coat and jumped overboard. Before help could reach him he sank.

Dynamite Under a Lock.

An attempt was made to blow up lock No. 24 of the Welland canal at Port Colburn, Ont., with dynamite by two men who made their escape. The lock was badly damaged.

Man and Wife Lean to Death.

Albert J. Deady, aged 28, and his wife aged 16, locked in each other's arms, leaped from the Apple street bridge into the canal at Dayton, Ohio, and were drowned. Both bodies were recovered.

Wheeler Resigns His Seat. Gen. Joseph Wheeler has written letter to Gov. Johnston resigning his seat as a member of Congress from the Eighth Alabama district.

Duke of Argyll Is Dead. George Douglas Campbell, Duke of Arzyll, died in London, aged 77 years.

WILL EXPLORE SIBERIA.

Three Scientists Sent by American Museum of Natural History.

Three scientists, comprising the Jessup expedition sent out by the American Museum of Natural History of New York to explore the unknown portions of northwest Siberia, have sailed from San Francisco. They are Norman C. Buxton, an American, and two Russians, Waldemar Gogaras and Waldemar Jackelson. One object of their trip will be to determine whether or not the American Indian is descended from Asiatic stock. The Russians will touch mainly upon the ethnological phase, studying the native language and songs, customs and physical characteristics of almost every tribe that inhabits the northeastern section of Siberia. Buxton will confine his work mainly to the zoological field, toward making a new and rare collection of birds and mammals for the big museum in Central Park. They expect to be gone for at least two years.

ULTIMATUM FOR TURKEY.

Will Be Sent Unless the United States Is Paid at Once.

Diplomatic relations between the United States and Turkey are strained to the breaking point because of the Sultan's bad faith. An ultimatum from Washington to Constantinople is a probability in the near future. The United States charge d'affaires at Constantinople will be directed to inform the Sultan that this Government must insist on the payment, without further delay, of the \$100,-000 indemnity for outrages on American missionaries and the destruction of their property. Only prompt action on the Sultan's part can avert the ultimatum. These claims were fully recognized as valid by Turkey more than five years ago. They have been made the subject of diplomatic representations successively by Ministers Terrell, Angell and Straus.

TO GET \$1,000,000 EACH.

Two St. Louis Lasses Told They Are

Heirs to a Holland Estate. Miss Louise Eversole and her sister Mabel, pretty young St. Louis girls, have been informed by their attorney that they are heirs to \$1,000,000 each in their own right and that the money is now ready for them. The fortunes are part of the Ludwig Fischer estate in Holland. Fischer died nine years ago. His estate was converted into money and held by the Government for the heirs until now it has reached the total of \$17,000,000. Much difficulty was encountered in finding the heirs. Dr. Eversole died at Springfield, Mo., recently. His two daughters went to St. Louis to live with Dr. M. Tupper, a relative. Louise is 18 years old and Mabel 13.

THOUSANDS OF JAPS COMING.

Orientals Landing at Puget Sound in Unprecedented Numbers,

The present importation of Japanese to Puget sound has reached unprecedented figures and thousands more of the subjects of the Mikado are now afloat headed this way. During the month of April 3,500 Japanese have been landed in Puget sound points and British Columbia and of the men landed in the latter ports fully two-thirds find their way across the border. The reason for the present rush is that the Japanese are leaving their native land in consequence of the reported imminence of war between Japan and Russia and that the closing of the gates of Hawaii has diverted the stream of Japancse this way.

Famous Zinc Mine Is Sold,

The noted Rubber Neck zinc mine at Joplin, Mo., has been sold to an English syndicate. The consideration was \$300,-000. This makes an investment of \$800, 000 for this syndicate within a week. It is rumored that the syndicate has a capital of \$10,000,000 back of it, and will endeavor to form a combination for the control of the big producing mines of the Missouri-Kansas district.

Officials Are Held Responsible. At Lima, Ohio, the Circuit Court has affirmed the verdict of a judgment of \$18,-000 and interest against N. L. Michael,

V. P. and Gus Kalb, officials of the American National Bank at the time it was robbed of the money a year ago. The stockholders brought suit to recover the money so mysteriously stolen, alleging negligence upon the part of the officials.

Bequest for Princeton University. President Patton of Princeton announc-

ed that the university had recently received the sum of \$45,000 by the will of August Van Winkle of Hazleton, Pa., \$25,000 to be used in the erection of a gateway on the campus and \$20,000 for a register's office to be connected with the gateway.

Unveiling of Bartholdi Statue. Bartholdi's statue of Washington and La Fayette, the gift of Charles Broadway Rouss to the city of New York, was unveiled with fitting ceremonies in Lafayette square in the presence of more than 3,000 people. Gen. Horatio C, King made the presentation speech.

Was a Friend of Lincoln.

Sullivan M. Cutcheon, ex-Speaker of the Michigan House of Representatives and prominent in local business circles, died at his residence in Detroit, aged 67 years. While superintendent of schools at Pirtsfield, Ill., in 1858 he became an intimate friend of President Lincoln.

Brazil Uses American Coal.

Col. Charles Page Bryan, United States minister to Brazil, has obtained an official assurance from the Brazilian authorities that American coal shall be used on the Brazilian railways and in the vessels of the Brazilian navy.

Indicted for Bank Robbery.

N. L. Michael, ex-vice-president of the American National Bank, which was robbed at Lima, Ohio, two years ago of \$18,000, was indicted by the grand jury for the robbery.

Twenty-four Persons Drowned. The French fishing boat Hoche has foundered off Crookhaven, Ireland, in a the American administration of the islstorm, twenty-four persons being drownand.

WRECK ON THE B. & O.

ENGINEER IS KILLED AND FIRE-MAN BADLY HURT.

Former Is Caught Under His Engine and Burned to Death-Bridge Gives Way While Being Repaired - Supposed Blind Man Sees Again.

An east-bound train on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern crashed through the bridge two miles east of Dillsboro, Ind. Five cars of merchandise were destroyed, including one which contained several barrels of whisky. The bridge caught fire and enveloped the wreckage in flames. Engineer George Crone of Seymour, Ind., jumped from the cab, but was caught under the engine and burned to death. Fireman Reynolds of Seymour met the same fate. The head brakeman jumped, escaping death, but was seriously injured by jumping. The bridge was being repaired.

SIGHT IS SUDDENLY RESTORED.

New Jersey Man Recovers His Vision After Sixteen Years of Blindness.

Emanuel Mandel of Trenton, N. J., for sixteen years totally blind, had his eyesight restored a few days ago through an unaccountable turn of nature. One day recently Mr. Mandel was sick and his illness continued, and he began to experience violent pains in the head. He commenced to cry from the pain, but he was startled into silence when upon putting his hand to his head he saw the hand distinctly before him. Astounded at the gleam of daylight which he perceived after sixteen years of gloom, he looked up and saw the gray hair and well-remembered face of his wife, whom he had never more expected to behold.

WIRELESS SERVICE ON LAKE. New Telegraphy to Be Tried Between

Racine and Milwaukee. Preparations are being made to give wireless telegraphy its first trial on the lakes. The American Wireless Telegraph Company is erecting a station and a 150foot signal mast at South Point, Milwaukee, for communication with the Racine lighthouse at North Point. Some of his work against them. the Goodrich boats will also be fitted with apparatus for telegraphing the station as they pass there on their trips. It is expected the first tests can be made

next month. POSSE KILLS CATTLE THIEF.

Running Fight of Six Miles Ends in Death.

Manager Fullerton of the Webster City, Utah, Cattle Company discovered two men mutilating brands on his cattle. They threatened to shoot and he retreat-With the assistance of Sheriff Preese and posse the thieves were overtaken seventy miles north of Thompson's and ordered to surrender. The thieves showed fight and were followed six miles further north, all exchanging shots, one of the outlaws being instantly killed.

Find Indictment for Arson.

In Cincinnati the grand jury indicted W. W. Thomas, proprietor of the People's Tea, Spice and Baking Powder Company, "for burning property which was insured," and Harry Watters, principal of the Watters Business College; Mary Stone, confidential bookkeeper for Thomas, and his brother, Isaiah Thomas, "as accessories to the burning of Thomas' wholesale grocery house" last November.

Women Perish in Flames.

Mrs. A. Lindahl and Mrs. J. Bjornson lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the entire business portion of Edinburg, N. D. The buildings were wooden and very dry, there having been no rain for weeks. Not a building or a dollar's worth of goods in the business section was saved. Twenty stores, two elevators, a train of Great Northern freight cars and a locomotive were destroyed.

Dead Woman in Church Pew.

A woman, unidentified, but a victim of starvation, was found dead in a pew at St. Stephen's Church in New York on Easter Sunday. A case of starvation, say the doctors, and her emaciated form and hunger-pinched features corroborated what they say. None of the visitors to the morgne, whither the body was taken, could identify it.

Youth Shoots Father Dead,

Edward Podmore, a 12-year-old boy, shot and almost instantly killed his father, John Podmore, at Anderson, Ind. It was either kill the father or the latter would kill the family of wife and four children. A coroner's jury found the boy had killed the father in self-defense and released him from jail.

Convict Accuses His Father.

William Russell of Wallingford, Conn., 20 years old, was found guilty of robbery and attempt to murder Thomas Ennis. He broke down on the eve of his departure to the penitentiary and confessed that he had lied to the judge and jury in order to save his father from a convict's

Fatal Fire at Muskegon.

The Immanuel Holland Reformed Church burned at Muskegon, Mich. Nicholas Carey, driver of a book and ladder truck, was killed by the falling of the rear wall, and Ben Peterson, who with Carey was on a ladder, was seriously injured. Loss about \$5,000, uninsured.

Tin Can Companies Combine,

stated extensions have been granted un-

The deal for a consolidation of the leading tin can companies of the country is still under way, though not yet completed. Options are held on nearly all the important plants, and in most cases it is

til June 1. Poll of Cuba Finished. The population of Cuba is 1,572,797. This is the finding of the census taken by

LINCOLN MEMORIAL ASSURED.

J. S. Culver of Springfield Will Erect Nancy Hanks Monument.

Gov. James A. Mount and the Indianapolis members of the Nancy Hanks Memorial Association met the Spencer County Commissioners and the citizens of Rockport and Lincoln County at the latter place and agreed upon the purchase of sixteen acres of original forest surrounding the grave of the mother of Abraham Lincoln. The county will purchase the land and the association will then ask the next Legislature to appropriate a sufficient amount to park the grounds. J. S. Culver of Springfield, Ill., agrees to erect a monument on condition that the Nancy Hanks Monument Association will keep it repaired.

TRAMPS IN RUINED VAULT.

Chicago Police Find Rendezvous in an

Abandoned Building. In the ruins of the McClurg building at Wabash avenue and Madison street, Chicago, whose tall and silent walls have stood since the disastrous fire of over a year ago, the police discovered a rendezyous for tramps. Within shouting distance of the busiest street corner in the world, with thousands of persons passing every minute, for more than six months the members of a gang of tramps have made their quarters there and have held nightly carousals without being disturbed or molested.

DECISION AGAINST NEGROES.

Must Not Mix with Whites ia Street

Cars in Alabama. The Alabama Supreme Court has decided a case where a street railroad company enforced a rule that whites and negroes should occupy separate portions of the car set apart for them respectively. A negro woman was put off the car for refusing to obey the order and sued for damages. The lower court decided in favor of the railroad and the Supreme Court affirmed the decision.

His Body Hacked to Fieces. Chief of Police Alex. A. Main of Stevenston, B. C., was found murdered. His body was literally hacked to pieces. Chief Main had made successive raids on the hold-up men and thugs who have caused trouble in former years, and it is supposed that his death is their revenge on

Death Ends Swift Divorce.

At Lancaster, Ohio, the divorce case of Moses Swift against Martha Swift was to be heard and the defendant had arrived from Chicago to fight the case. The next morning the plaintiff died, with the defendant on her knees at his bedside praying for his restoration.

Four Burned to Death.

A large tenement house occupied by Italian and negro families near Rockpoint, Pa., was destroyed by fire. David Abiatte, an old man, and his three young nephews, Joseph, Pastelle and Edwin Abiatte, were burned to death.

Jennie O'Neil Potter Is Dead. Jennie O'Neil Potter, the well-known elocutionist, died at St. Luke's hospital, New York, from cancer. She was 28 years old and was born in Patch Grove,

China Protects Christians.

The Chinese Government has issued an edict directing all viceroys and governors to warn armed organizations that they must refrain from acts of hostility toward native Christians.

Noted Piano Maker Is Dead. Napoleon J. Haines, aged 76 years, founder of the piano firm of Haines Brothers, died suddenly in New York, of apoplexy.

Fatally Stabs His Son. Charles Broges of Williamsburg, N. Y., was stabbed to death by his aged father in a fight over a dog, which the son had brought in out of the rain.

Alaskan Commissioner Nominated. The President has nominated Hiram H. Folsom of Alaska to be a commissioner in and for the district of Alaska, to reside at Juneau.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Chicago-Cattle, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, shipping grades, \$3.00 to \$6.00; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$6.75; wheat, No. 2 red, 64c to 66c; corn, No. 2, 38c to 39c; oats, No. 2, 22c to 24c; rye, No. 2, 54c to 56c; butter, choice creamery, 17c to 18c; eggs, fresh, 10c to 12c; potatoes, choice, 25c to 40c per bushel.

Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, choice light, \$3.00 to \$5.75; sheep, common to prime, \$3.00 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2, 71c to 73c; corn, No. 2 white, 40c to 41c; oats, No. 2 white, 28c to 30c.

St. Louis-Cattle, \$3.25 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$6.00; sheep, \$3.00 to \$6.25; wheat, No. 2, 70c to 72c; corn, No. 2 rellow, 37c to 39c; oats, No. 2, 25c tr 26c; rye, No. 2, 55c to 56c.

Cincinnati-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$6.00; sheep, \$2.50 to \$6.25; wheat, No. 2, 73c to 75c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 41c to 43c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 26c to 28c; rye, No. 2, 59c to 61c.

Detroit-Cattle, \$2.50 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$5.75; sheep, \$3.00 to \$6.25; wheat, No. 2, 71e to 72e; corn, No. 2 yellow, 40c to 42c; oats, No. 2 white, 29c to 31c; rye, 60c to 62c.

Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 mixed, 71c to 72c; corn, No. 2 mixed, 40c to 41c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 24c to 25c; rye, No. 2, 55c to 57c; clover seed, old, \$4.80 to \$4.90. Milwaukee-Wheat, No. 2 northern,

64c to 66c; cern, No. 3, 38c to 40c; oats, No. 2 white, 27c to 29c; rye, No. 2, 57c to 59c; barley, No. 2, 42c to 44c; pork, mess. \$12.75 to \$13.25.

Buffalo-Cattle, choice shipping steers, \$3.00 to \$6.00; hogs, common to choice, \$3.25 to \$6.00; sheep, fair to choice, \$3.00 to \$6.75; lambs, common to extra, \$4.50

Senate to fight for the Nicaraguan canal New York-Cattle, \$3.25 to \$6.00; hogs, \$3.00 to \$6.00; sheep, \$3.00 to \$5.75; bill. wheat, No. 2 red, 76c to 78c; corn, No. 2, 47c to 48c; oats. No. 2 white, 29c to 31c; butter, creamery, 15c to 19c; eggs, western, 12c to 14c.



The Senate on Tuesday heard Senator Hoar speak against the retention of the Philippines, and then resumed consideration of the Alaskan civil code bill. In the House the second day of debate upon the naval appropriation bill was confined closely to the subject matter of the bill. The questions of armor plate and the building of warships in Government yards attracted most attention.

The Senate on Wednesday passed a resolution introduced by Mr. Mason appropriating \$25,000 for bronze medals, to be distributed by the Secretary of the Navy among certain officers and men of the North Atlantic squadron who particla pated in naval engagements during the war with Spain. Devoted the rest of the day to consideration of the Alaskan civil code bill. The House debated the naval appropriation bill under the five-minute rule. A motion to strike from the bill the contingent fund of \$500,000 for the Navy Department was defeated. Conference report on the urgent deficiency bill was adopted.

In accordance with the recommendation of the President in his message the Senate on Thursday passed a joint resolution providing for the administration of civil affairs in Porto Rico, pending the appointment of officers under the Porto Rigan Government law recently enacted. The Alaskan civil code bill was again under consideration, the debate continuing on the Hansborough alien miners' amendment. Mr. Carter presented formally his substitute for the Hansbrough amendment and delivered a speech in support of it. Mr. Spooner antagonized both the original and substitute amendments, holding that the courts ought to settle the conflicting claims without interference by Congress. The House spent the day considering the naval bill in committee of the whole. The most important action was the striking out of an appropriation of \$100,000 for the use of the navy in making surveys and charts of the waters of our new island possessions. The regular appropriation of \$10,000 was put in the bill, the work to be done by the coast

and geodetic survey. On Friday the Senate had under consideration the conference report on the Hawaiian civil government measure. Final action upon it was postponed until Saturday. The Alaskan civil code bill was considered for a brief time. Mr. Foraker pronounced a eulogy on Lorenzo Danford, a former Representative from Ohio, and the Senate adopted resolutions expressive of its sorrow. In the House after protracted discussion of the naval appropriation bill the provision enabling the Secretary of the Treasury battleships Mainerupp armor for the \$545 a ton. was ruled out of the bill. Also the provision to repeal the \$300 limitation placed upon the price of armor by the current law. Two amendments to modify the provisions for the increase of the navy, which authorizes two battleships and six cruisers, were defeated. One proposed to add provision for six gunboats and the other to strike out the provision for the battleships.

The Senate on Saturday agreed to the resolution of Mr. Bacon asking the Secretary of War for information relating to the extra allowance for army officers stationed in Cuba and Porto Rico. The Quay resolution was taken up and Mr. Perkins (Cal.) spoke in favor of seating Mr. Quay as a Senator from Pennsylvania on the appointment of the Governor. At the conclusion of Mr. Perkins' speech the Quay case was laid aside until Monday. The House passed a naval appropriation bill without a record vote. As adopted the measure provides for two battleships, three armored cruisers and three protected cruisers. The \$545 figure on armor was stricken out. After 1 p. m, the House devoted itself to eulogies of the late Representative Settle of Ken-

On Monday the Senate began a two days' debate on the right of M. S. Quay to a seat as a Senator from Pennsylvania. Speeches in favor of scating Quay were made by Chandler, Kenney and Penrose. Those speaking in opposition were Platt of Connecticut and Quarles. The House entered into general debate upon the postoffice appropriation bill. The minority dissented from the provisions relating to extension of the pneumatic tube service, special fast mail facilities and the cost of railroad transportation.

At the National Capital. Delagoa Bay Railway award will be accepted.

A 20,000-acre buffalo reserve in New Mexico is favored.

No more superimposed turrets are to be used on warships. Our Philippine army consists of 63,-

585 officers and men. Havana and Pinar del Rio departments

have been consolidated. Pure food legislation is expected to be

considered this session. Colorado Republicans are pushing Wol-

cott for Vice-President. Tawney's repeal of war tax proposed will only cut off \$364,904 a year.

Mail bag repair shops may be moved to Columbus, Ohio. More central. Manila customs receipts were \$2,916,-

870 in 1897 and \$3,825,150 last year. At Indian Head proving ground armor plate, resisted the atack of 10-inch guns. Senator Morgan carried every county, and the Alabamaian will be back in the

Secretary Root wishes to have national guardsmen in the artillery service act as first relief for the guns of the coast defense.

THE BLUFF THAT WON.

"I would not be a wife," she said, "A perfect slave for life," she said. "The wedded pair leave pleasures fair, And face the hard world's strife instead,

So I'll be gay while yet I may.

If once we two were married, then You'd want your way, I'd not obey-It is so hard to please you men. The coming years will bring their

tears; I know that happy lives are rare, The cares of one I wish to shun, And don't want those of two to bear.'

"I grieve that you think so," he said, "Alone our troubles go ahead;

When two unite, their cares grow light Dividing them, you know," he said, "Each helping each, 'tis tilus we reach The best and purest joy and peace; Your pleasures gay soon pass away,

But love when true will never cease. Though care you shun, ere life is done, Each one you'll learn must have a

The sun may shine, the day be fine, But days are always not so fair.

As you won't wed, good-bye," he said "A sailor's life I'll try instead,

I soon shall be upon the sea, For danger now I do not dread." "You might be drown'd and never

found; That fear," she said, "would make me frei:

Such dreadful care, I would not bear, So dear, you must not leave me yet." And then that maid her love betrayed, By clinging to him oh! so fast,

"Cares come and go," she whispered WW.

last."

"But love like yours, I know will

Mrs. Mansfield, Strategist I.

"I have made a discovery, John," said Mrs. Mansfield, looking up from her knitting.

John Mansfield, retired merchant, alderman and Mayor of Pimperne, looked up from his paper.

"A discovery, my dear?" he said, assuming his best magisterial manner. "I'ray what is the nature of this remarkable occurrence?"

"I find that Miss Ansom has a photograph of yourself, which she treasures in secret."

"What do you meau, my dear?" ex-

claimed Mr. Mansfield xplained Mrs. "This morning" Miss Ansom's Mansfield, found her absorbed in the contemplation of some object which she held. She had evidently not heard my knock, but the noise of my entrance startled her, and, as she hastily hid something in a drawer, a photograph fell to the floor. She snatched it up, flung it into the drawer and closed it, but not before I had recognized it as your photograph. I pretended not to have noticed the photo, preferring to have an explanation from you."

Mr. Mansfield was the picture of helpless amazement.

Miss Ansom, it must be explained, was a bright and charming young lady, whom Mrs. Mansfield had recently engaged as a companion.

"I am quite at a loss to explain the affair," said Mr. Mansfield, in tones quite unlike those of the Mayor of Pimperne. "Possibly it was given to her by a mutual friend."

"Then why should she make a mystery of it, and gloat over it in private?" demanded Mrs. Mansfield grimly.

"My dear," said Mr. Mansfield, with a return of dignity, "I do not understand you! If I mistake not it was something she hid in the drawer which she 'gloated' over, not the photograph."

"I am not sure which it was," said Mrs. Mansfield, with strained calm-

Now that the first shock of amazement was over, Mr. Mansfield's pomposity returned rapidly.

"Ah, very possible, my dear, Miss Ausom, whom I have every reason to think is a young lady of good discernment and sound judgment, has found something in my public life which she has been good enough to admire. Miss Ausom has had every opportunity of studying my work for the past three months, and also the general course of municipal life in what, I think, may he regarded as a noble borough. What more natural, then, that this young lady, seeing the portrait of a gentleman, clad in the robes and insignia of the office of chief magistrate of this borough, displayed in the photographer's window, and, recognizing in that gentleman myself, should purchase that photograph?"

Mrs, Mansfield listened with immovable features.

"A very good explanation," she commented, "if it had been one of your official photographs. But the one in Miss Ansom's possession is one of those you had taken about two years ago, before you were elected mayor. We ordered only a few of them, I remember, and I thought we

had disposed of them all. The question is-how did Miss Ansom obtain one? I did not give it to her."

"Then I can only say that you must be mistaken, my dear," said Mr. Mansfield, with asperity. "On your own confession you only saw it for an instant. How can you be certain that it was a photograph of myself?"

"If you think my eyes deceived me, perhaps you will believe your own! The photo is still in the drawer; Miss Ansom has had no opportunity of removing it, for I sent her on an errand. It is in the first drawer of her dressing table, if you wish to satisfy your curiosity."

"Mrs. Mansfield, do you think that I am going to steal into a lady's room and pry into her private affairs?" cried the magistrate, rising. "You forget yourself, madam!"

Mr. Mansfield went upstairs in high dudgeon to make some alteration in his dress preparatory to going out,

He was forced to acknowledge himself quite at a loss to account for that photo being in Miss Ansom's possession, which admission was rather extraordinary on his part.

He prided himself on his keen insight, his strict impartiality, and his firmness in discharging his magisterial duties. But an exhibition of these qualities was not confined to the bench. Of the latter he had made a lavish display in his home, as Mrs. Mansfield found to her cost.

It was only twelve months ago that his unbending will had driven their only son, Jack, to South Africa,

Mr. Mansfield had determined that his son should marry rank and beauty in the person of a daughter of a local magnate.

But handsome Jack Mansfield elected to manage his own matrimonial affairs, and upset all his father's brilliant plans by falling in love with a pretty nobody, whom Mr. Mansfield had never even set eyes on-a governess in a house where he was visit-

Finding all arguments, persuasions, and commands alike useless, Mr. Mansfield finally told his son he must either fall in with his wishes or leave his home forever, and look for no further assistance from himself. Jack chose the latter course, and within a week set sail for South Africa.

The loss of her only son was a source of great grief to Mrs. Mansfield. But all her tears, pleadings and reproaches could not prevail on her husband to relent, and as time rolled on her importunities ceased.

Having dressed himself to his satisfaction Mr. Mansfield left the room. Suddenly his progress was checked by the sight of a wide-open door. What tempting fiend could have left the door of Miss Ansom's room so invitingly open, displaying, as it did, the very drawer in which the much-discussed photograph was supposed to lie?

Mrs. Mansfield had, as she well knew, struck her husband's weak spot when she mentioned curiosity.

"It would be the work of a moment," he reflected, "to take just one glance into that drawer to satisfy himself of the truth of Jane's story."

With a cautious look round, he noiselessly entered the room, partially closing the door behind him. He opened the drawer boldly, and-yes, there it was-the very first thing that caught his eye-his own photograph!

It was as his wife had stated, one of the few he had had taken about two

years ago. Horror! Somebody was coming!

A light step on the stairs, and a sweet voice humming the refrain of a song, heralded the approach of Miss Ansom herself!

What was to be done? Could he allow her to find him in her room, prying about like a curious housemaid? He, Alderman Mansfield, Mayor of Pimperne! There was only one thing to be done.

Miss Ansom entered and closed the door behind her. Mr. Mansfield could hear her moving about the room, still singing lightly to herself.

"She is taking off her hat and jacket," he thought, "In a few minutes she will leave the room. Then I can slip out unobserved."

Everything, no doubt, would have happened just as he wished, had Tiny -Mrs. Mansfield's darling pug-not followed Miss Ausom into the room.

The spirit of investigation was accent. strong in Tiny. In the course of his present explorations he naturally looked under the bed. He immediately sent up an ear-plitting series of barks and yelps, at the same time dancing about with every canine token of delight.

Mr. Mansfield responded to Tiny's joyful recognition with silent curses, and, hearing Miss Ansom's expressions of surprise, and that she was approaching the bed to learn the cause of Tiny's excitement, he slowly emerged with a very red face and a very ruffled appearance generally.

"Don't be alarmed, Miss Ansom, I beg," he cried, seeing that that lady looked dangerously like shricking. "Er-my unexpected appearance fills you with amazement, no doubt."

"Mr. Mansfield!" she ejaculated, in tones of incredulous astonishment.

"Er-I must, of course, explain, and humbly apologize for my despicable conduct!"

His worship then proceeded, with abrupt and jerky sentences, quite devoid of their usual flowery trimmings, to explain his presence in her room.

Greatly to his relief, she did not look very angry when he had finished. She said nothing at first, but, opening the fatal drawer, produced somewhere from its depths two more photographs, which she put into his hands, saying:

"You see, I have photographs of other members of the family as well." Mr. Mansfield gazed at them in astonishment. They were pictures of his wife and son!

"Why, who gave you these, Miss Ansom?"

"Jack," she replied simply, with lowered cyclids and a pretty flush on her face.

"Jack!" he cried. "My son?"

"Yes." she whispered. "But I-I don't understand! I was not aware that you had ever met him! He is in South Africa!"

"It was for my sake he went there," she replied softly.

There was silence for a few minutes. "Then you are the young-er-lady whom my son wished to marry in opposition to my wishes?" said Mr. Mansfield severely.

"Yes," she murmured.

Mr. Mansfield thought deeply for the next few minutes. After all, he liked Miss Ausom immensely; and if he still proved obstinate, she would, of course, leave the house, and perhaps this morning's ridiculous adventure might be mentioned, and-yes, he would be merciful.

"Well, Miss Ansom, I need hardly say that your story has astonished me beyond measure. But I will not disguise from you the fact that during the time you have been with us you have won my highest esteem, and, in fact, I regard you with feelings of paternal affection. We must write to that young scamp and have him home. Meanwhile-

With cry of joy Miss Ansom flung her arms around his neck and imprinted a kiss on his nose.

At that moment the door opened, and Mrs. Mansfield stood on the threshold with hands uplifted in horfor. She could not have timed her entrance with greater precision had she been waiting, with eye at the keyhole.

"John! Miss Ansom!" she gasped Mr. Mansfield looked frightened.

"My dear," be cried nervously, "I am going to write and tell Jack to come home. She is, in fact, the young lady about whom we had that foolish quarrel."

It took Mr. Mansfield quite a quarter of an hour to make his wife understand clearly the facts of the case. But when she did understand she burst into tears and rapturously embraced Miss Ansom, assuring her of her undying affection.

Mr. Mansfield at length managed to slip away, congratulating himself on the success with which he had extricated himself from an unpleasant position. After all, he was glad of an excuse to welcome his boy home again.

But perhaps if he had heard what passed between his wife and future daughter-in-law when they heard the hall door close behind him he would have realized that they had scored on all points.

"Dear, darling Mrs. Mansfield!" cried Miss Ansom, embracing Mrs. Mansfield afresh. "How good of you to have me here as your companion, and then to devise this clever plot! Why, it was quite a drama!"

"In which you played your part very well, my dear!" replied the old lady, patting the girl's cheek affectionately.

His Arm Was Too Short.

Every occupation has its own ver nacular, which is apt to be terse and picturesque within limits. To a pas senger who stood on the front plat form of an Amsterdam avenue car the other nigh, the motorman became sen tentiously communicative.

"Your partner in there has tried to collect two fares from me," remarked the passenger.

"Oh, he's new," said the motorman briefly. "He's not my partner." "So?" exclaimed his interlocutor,

with an interrogatory and encouraging "Yes, Bill, ain't working here any

more," continueed the gripman, giving the brake a twist. "Bill was my regular man-good fellow, too," "Why did the company let him go?" "Dunno, but I guess they thought he

had a short arm for the register," surmised the man of the grip, as he brought the car to a stop.-New York Mail and Express.

What One Boy Ate.

George Day, a colored boy, was arraigned in police court at Evansville. Ind., charged with breaking in a fruit store. He admitted he ate seventy-five bananas and fifty-three oranges, besides three pounds of nuts, all in three hours time. He is only fourteen years old.

HUNDREDS FALL IN LUZON.

Past Week of Filipino War Most Deadly of Its History.

Last week was one of the bloodiest of the Filipino war since the first day's fighting around Manila. Authentic reports, mostly official, show a total of 378 Filipinos killed, twelve officers and 244 men captured and many more wounded. The number wounded is hardly guessable. Considering that the Filipinos entirely lack hospital facilities a great majority of the wounded will die. Probably the week's work finished 1,000 insurgents. The American loss was nine killed and sixteen wounded. Two sergeants and one private were killed in ambushes while escorting provision trains.

The insurgents have been aggressive in almost every province of Luzon. Gen. Pio Del Pilar's band, numbering 300, which was out of sight for three months, the leader being reported killed, has reappeared in its old field about San Miguel. Pilar is supposed to be in command again. He gave the American garrison at San Miguel, consisting of three companies of the Thirty-fifth infantry with a Gatling, a three hours' fight during a night attack. The loss of the insurgents in this engagement is not included in the foregoing total, as they removed their dead and wounded, but pre sumably it was considerable.

Twenty Filipinos in the province of Ba tanges attacked Lieut. Wonde, who, with eight men, was scoting near San Jose, The lieutenant and five men were wounded and one private was killed. Sergeant Ledoius of the Thirty-fifth infantry was badly wounded in an ambush near Baliuag. Lieut. Balch of the Thirty-seventh infantry, with seventy men, bad a five hours' fight with 400 insurgents in the Nueva Cacera; district. Twenty of the insurgents were killed.

Col. Smith of the Seventeenth infantry, who captured Gen. Montenegro and brought him to Manila, is in the isolation hospital suffering from smallpox, presumably caught from the Filipinos. Col. Smith's command captured 180 officers and men with Montenegro.

One hundred escaped Spanish prisoners from the province of Tayabas, south Luzon, have arrived at Manila. The insurgents have 400 more Spanfards in that district. Recently the Filipinos destroyed several rods of the railroad line near Paniquo in an unsuccessful attempt to wreck a train.

FIANCEE HIS CHILD.

Photograph Leads to & Discovery and Ends an Engagement.

But for an accidental discovery of his dead wife's picture in his affianced wife's photograph album, Adam Cordiff, a middle-aged Ohioan, living near Hopedale, would have been married to his own daughter. He had arrived in Charleston, W. Va., to be married to the young woman, Miss Lucy Cole, and on the evening before the ceremony was sitting with her looking at the portraits in an album. He was surprised into sharp exclamation by seeing the picture of his wife, dead for more than eighteen years. Miss Cole, noticing the exclamation, said: "That is my mother; she has been dead many years."

In answer to Cordiff's excited questioning the whole story came out. Miss Cole is not the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cole, with whom she is living. They adopted her when she was a little child, and she therefore took their name. She said she never knew who her father was and could not remember her mother. Her adopted parents were able to explain something of the story.

Side Lights on. the Boer War.

Mrs. Joubert, the widow of the late Boer general, has from the days of her earliest childhood been used to war's alarms. She can load and fire off a gun, and on many occasions has shown the greatest courage. She has an extensive knowledge of Kaffir warfare and her ad vice has often been acted upon by her husband, plans of campaign being freely discussed over her dinner table. During the Magatoland campaign she, notwithstanding the heat-over 100 degrees in the shade-and the fever, joined the general a week or two after his arrival, accompanied by only two or three little Kaffir maids. Finding Gen. Joubert in anything but a comfortable tent, she routed him out, erected a tent of her own and installed him amid all the comforts of home. What was more, she recon structed the general's mess arrangements and cooked his meass with her own hands

If the printed pictures of British officers in South Africa are true to life they reveal the secret of the great mortality among them. The large per cent of killed and wounded officers has been attributed generally to the superior marksmanship of the Boers. The latter undoubtedly shoot well, but it does not require a high order of marksmanship to top over men clad in knickers with bosoms built on the balloon order. The central feature of the uniforms look as though the "bishop sleeves" worn by women a few years ago had been converted into abbreviated trousers for the warriors at the front, and the underpinning is so long drawn out as to present the appearance of golf sticks in boots. The veriest amateur could scarcely miss such irresistible targets. They would provoke an unloaded gun to action.

Gen. Lord Kitchener's reputation has been seriously compromised not only by his strategic blunder at Paardeburg, which cost 1,500 men in a single day's fighting, but also by the complete failure of Lord Roberts' transport service, which Gen. Kitchener organized. Kitchener's expedition through northern Cape Colony to quell the rebellion also proved an utter fiasco, and his officers, among whom his stern, overbearing methods make him highly unpopular, write most disparagingly concerning him.

INDIANA INCIDENTS.

RECORD OF EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK.

Mistaken for a Panther-School Teach er's Horrible Suicide-Hurt in Row Over Politics - City Must Pay for Brick Paving-Kicked to Death,

William H. Green, a young man of Peru, was shot under peculiar circumstances in the woods two miles south of there by a companion, who mistook him for a panther. During a few weeks past a full-grown panther has been seen by different parties, and always accompanied by two well-grown cubs. On recent night Green, with twenty other young men of Peru, armed with guns and reenforced by forty-odd farmers of the neighborhood, attempted to effect its capture. Green was lying behind a log, and hearing a noise, raised himself to a stooping position, when he was shot.

Lebanon Loses a Suit.

After Lebanon City put up a stubborn fight against receiving the brick pavement on Pearl street, charging inferior workmanship and material, in a longdrawn-out trial at Frankfort, in which a number of expert witnesses were introduced and the jury took a railroad trip of thirty miles to view the work, judgment was rendered against the city. The costs in the case have exceeded the assessments, with a threatening suit for damages.

Cut to Pieces by His Guest.

At Osgood Jefferson Davis Brayden and a man named Morgan got into a drunken row over politics, and Brayden, who was at Morgan's house, attacked Morgan with a knife. Morgan's wife rushed to his assistance and her thumb was cut off by Brayden. Morgan's head and face were badly cut and a long gash two inches deep was inflicted in his side. Brayden after a fight with Marshal David Rick was arrested and taken to jail at Versailles.

Commits Suicide by Fire.

Mina Beadle, a school teacher at Tyror, committed suicide by pouring kerosene over her head and clothing and then setting fire to herself. She was instantly enveloped in flames, which burned her so severely before assistance arrived that she died in great agony an hour after the deed was committed. Miss Beadle had made two previous attempts at self-destruction.

Kentuckian Is Kicked to Death.

John H. Walker, who moved to Kokomo a short time since from Kentucky, was mysteriously murdered. He recognized his assailants, but died without telling their names. He was kicked to death. It is thought the men do not live in that vicinity.

Masked Men Sandbag a Farmer.

Charles Ricer, a Kokomo farmer, was assaulted and robbed. He started to town with \$900 wrapped in a handkerchief in his pocket. As he was passing a wood two masked men sandbagged him and secured the money.

Within Our Borders.

Greensburg national bank has been organized with \$50,000 capital. It is the city's third bank.

Summittville will get one of the two bottle factories to be built by the American flint glass workers' union.

Mrs. Ed Helmich, 22, was found dead in bed at Evansville, with her baby in her arms. She was perfectly well the White sailing on Robinson's lake the

companions were was capsized and Leifer was drowned. Robert Grammer, Albany, has been appointed guardian of Edgar C. Justice,

poat in which Charles Leifer and several

who admits he is a drunkard. Justice petitioned for the guardian himself. An elk's horn, five feet long, was unearthed by ditchers near Monument City. Mrs. William Horton, near Somerset.

ried to cut her throat. Motive unknown. Because Howard Lore received a letter from his mother in New Lexington, Ohio, demanding that he be a good boy he walked east of Muncie and threw himself in front of the Big Four express. He was literally ground to pieces.

Dogs burrowed under the deer inclosure at Riverside Park, Indianapolis, and the other morning every deer owned by the city was found dead. The throat of each animal was badly gnawed and lacerated and there were indications of a stubborn

John Thrailkill was fatally hurt in a runaway at Kokomo. Thrailkill, a prominent Jackson township farmer, was returning from town when a runaway farm team ran into his buggy. The wagon tongue entered his body, piercing the

The State teachers adjourned at Evansville after choosing these new officers: President, Charles N. Peek, Princeton; vice-presidents, C. F. McIntosh, Spencer, and Hamilton Powell, Rockport; secretary, Miss Lizzie Beal, Terre Haute; treasurer, W. D. Dekerlin, Martinsville.

John Martin of Kentucky, a prisoner in the Jeffersonville State prison, was discovered with a revolver. He was placed in solitary confinement, and this led to the discovery of a plot among the prisoners to make a break for liberty at the north gate by killing the guard. Martin admitted his part of the affair.

Mrs. Andrew Egnew of the Western House, Lagro, by a plucky act prevented a band of cracksmen from getting nearly \$2,000 from the store of G. S. Fulton & Son. The robbers made two attempts to blow open the safe, in which were funds belonging to the postmaster, Fulton, and several depositors. At the second explosion Mrs. Egnew was aroused and rang a bell violently. This frightened the robbers, who fled without picking up the money thrown out upon the floor by the

explosion.

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ISSUED EVERY FRIDAY.

THE PAST.

I said: "The past it is dead. I will bury it deep and still, With a tablet over its head, 'Of the dead one may speak no ill."

I dug deep down in the loam, I sealed up the grave with prayer, But the past was the first one home And waited to greet me there.

-Jeanette Blus Gillespy in Columbia Literary

ANTS ACT AS STRATEGISTS.

Colonies of the Insects Transact Business With Military Precision.

From a military standpoint the methods employed by ants to provide food for an ant colony are almost perfect. Their foraging parties are faultless, their overseers, and are practically both in planning and execution, and held in a voluntary servitude. There are almost uniformly successful. A are laws to regulate the treatment of resident of this city who visited South the laborers, and their employers are Africa gives this description of a foray of an army of ants.

The army, which he estimates to have numbered about 15,000 ants, started from its home in the mud walls of a but and marched in the direction of a small mound of fresh earth but a few yards distant. The treatment. It is probable that the conhead of the column halted on reaching | dition and the treatment of the laborthe foot of the mound and waited for the rest of the force to arrive at the place of operations, which evidently was to be the mound of fresh earth. When the remainder had arrived and halted so that the entire army was assembled, a number of ants detached themselves from the main body and began to ascend to the top of the mound, while the others began moving so as to encircle the base of the mound.

Soon a number from the detachment which had ascended the mound, evidently the attacking party, entered the loose earth and speedily returned, each bearing a cricket or a young grass- the academy making arrangements hopper, dead, which he deposited upon the ground and then returned for a fresh load. Those who had remained on the outside of the mound took up the crickets and grasshoppers as they were brought out and bore them down to the base of the hill, returning for a fresh load. Soon the contents of the mound seemed to be exhausted, and then the whole force returned home. theh carrying his burden of food for

Herenmunity. the regular foray planned and executed with military precision, the country surveyed, the depot of provisions known accurately before the march was made and at the mound prodential division of labor and care taken that none of the victims should escape.-New York Herald.

Test For a Weak Mind.

Two men in a cafe were discussing a gift by a noted millionaire of a targe sum of money to found a college chair of psychology.

"What is psychology, anyway?" asked oue.

soul," said the other.

"What's the good of that?" asked the skeptic.

companion. "I have studied it to some extent myself and can detect a weak it for whooping cough has shown that it minded man from a strong mi ded one obsthat disease of all dan pours conseby a very simple test. For instance, if quences. Sold by T. E. Slattery, Druggist. I can make you say 'fourteen' against your will you lack will power. Will you let me try it on you? I believe I can make you say it."

"Make me say 'fourteen' against my will? You can't do it. Fire away!" And this is the way the test worked: A .- How much are six and four?

B.-Ten.

A .- How much are eight and three? B .- Eleven.

A .- How much are nine and seven? B .- Sixteen. A. (triumphantly)-Aba! There, you

said it. I knew you would.

B. (indignantly)-Said what? A .- Sixteen.

B .- But "fourteen" was the word we chose for the test.

A. (coolly)-Well, you've said it now, anyway .- New York Tribune.

Children of the Stums.

"Perhaps what I have seen of child life in the slums has made upon my heart the deepest sears." writes Mrs. Ballington Booth in The Ladies' Home Journal. "Poor little scraps of bumanity, sick, puny and deformed, or, what was even worse still, vile and evil in word and disposition before the haby accents had left their words, Does all Kinds of Dental Work very The streets swarmed with them, playing, quarreling, fighting andd the jostling crowd and traffic until late into the night, and the houses were full of little figures that slept on the floor or crouched in the corners to get away from the drunken and brutal, who delight in abusing the weak. In summer death's angel mows them down! through the hot season as the scythe cuts the flowers amid the hay, and it has often seemed to me that on such a mission his black robes vanish, and he is a veritable angel of light."

BOER SLAVERY.

A Form of Contract Labor Equivalent to Fervitude.

There is no legal slavery in the Transvaal, "The Sand River Convention," for the settlement of the boundary between Cape Colony and the Transvaal, signed on Jan. 7, 1852, stipulates that "no slavery is or shall be permitted in the country to the north of the Vaal River by the emigrant farmers," and in the convention of 1881 between the Boers and the British this stipulation prohibiting slavery is reallismed. Nevertheless there is a form of contract labor in the mines of the Dutch republic which is equivalent to slavery. The natives that are employed in the mines are under contract for six months or more, and receive from 1 shilling to 3 shillings-that is, from 24 to 75 cents-a day. They are kept in corrals, known as "com; ounds," surrounded by high fences with barbed-wire nettings ten or twelve feet from the ground; they are not allowed to communicate with their friends outside except through the medium of required to furnish them proper food and clothing, religious instruction, medical at ention, etc. Government inspectors are employed to see that these laws are enforced, but, as naturally would be the case, there has been a great deal of complaint about brutal ers depend upon the character of their employers. Nominally the natives are allowed free choice of employers and enter into service voluntarily, with full permission to leave at the termination of their contracts, but it is fre quently alleged, and probably true, tha m many cases their employers take ad vartage of their ignorance to coerce and U-treat them.

Harry Culver, of St. Louis, is at o take the school to St. Louis next Friday to participate in the Dewey Day celebration and act as the Admiral's escort in the parade.

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Facts Brought to Mied by an Approaching State Centennial.

Ohlo was admitted to the United States as a State in 1802 and in 1902 there will be a formal official observance of that event by Ohio residents Congress has appropriated \$500,000 on condition that the city of Toledo raise an equal amount, which has been done, and a site is being prepared on Lake Erie, a few miles distant from the business center of Toledo, which, when completed for the buildings, will represent a cost of \$300,000. Few American Plates have occupied a place of such infinence in national affairs as has Ohio. Not only is President McKinley an Ohio man, but every candidate for the Presidency nominated by the Republican party since the close of the civil war has, with one exception, been a native of Ohio. Of the conspicuous services in the maintenance and exten sion of the financial system of the United States of Chase and Sherman as Secretaries of the Treasury it is usual to speak in praise, but these are not the only Ohio men who have been distinguished in the Presidents' cabinets. The first Secretary of the Interior Thomas Ewing, was an Ohlo man. Lincoln's Secretary of War, Edwin M. Stanton, was an Ohlo man. The Secretary of State during the Spanish war Judge Day, was an Ohio man, and there was an Ohio Attorney General when Mr. McKinley came into office on March 4, 1897. Grant, Sherman, Sherldan, Crook, Custer and McPherson were all Ohio men, and on the Democratic side in politics Hendricks, Thurman, Pendleton and Payne were either natives or residents of that State.

Ohio's influence upon material matters, on the development of agriculture, and the extension of manufactures has been most important, but, unlike some of the other States in the same part of the country, Ohio has diversified its efforts to such an extent that in the product of such varied items of commerce as fish, wine, coal, pottery, wool, glass, agricultural implements, iron, wheat, beer and seeds, it occupies an important if not a leading position.

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Nassau's Big Tree.

In Nassau, the capital city of the Lahama islands, they say "the tree in the public square"-not the trees. Now the public square of Nassau is quite as large as that of most cities of the size. but there is only one tree in it, and that tree literally fills the square and spreads its shade over all the public buildings in the neighborhood. For it is the largest tree in the world at its base, although it is hardly taller than a three story house. It is variously known as a ceiba or a silk cotton tree. but the people of the low islands of the West Indies call it the hurricane tree; for no matter how hard the wind blows it cannot disturb the mighty, buttressed trunk of the ceiba.

Its trunk throws out great curving, windlike braces, some of them 20 feet wide and nearly as high. These extend into the ground on all sides and brace the tree against all attack, while the great ee asales an at a thick shade great branches spread a thick shade overhead. In the tropic sunshine of midsummer, hundreds, even thousands, of people may gather in the cool of its sladow. No one knows how old the great tree is, but it must have been growing hundreds, if not thousands, of years. A very old picture in the library at Nassau shows the tree as big as it is at present, and even the oldest negro in the island cannot remember when it was a bit smaller.-Washington Post.

Tom Corwin's Rendy Wit. Governor John Brough was once It is a stove which has no Equal matched against Corwin and in his speech said:

"Gentlemen, my honored opponent of home industry, has a carriage at home which he got in England; had it a Call shipped across the water to him. How is that for supporting home industry and labor?"

When Corwin came to the stand, he made a great show of embarrassment. He stammered and began slowly:

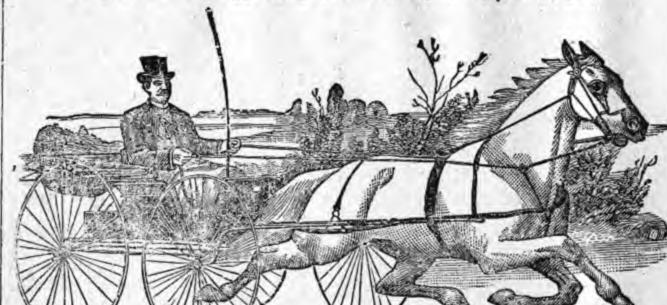
"Well, gentlemen, you have heard what my friend Mr. Brough has to say about my carriage. I plead guilty to the charge, and I have only two things to say in my defense. The first is that the carriage came to me from an English ancestor as an heirloom, and I had to take it. Again, I have not used it for seven years, and it has been standing in my back yard all that time, and the chickens have converted it into a roost. Now, gentlemen," with a steady look at Brough, "I have nothing further to say in my defense, but I would like to know how Brough knows anything about my carriage if he has not been visiting my henroost!" - Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Mile a Minute Down the Alps.

The spot in the Swiss Alps that attracts the winter sportsmen of Europe is the Cresta run, at St. Moritz. which is just one mile in length. The tobogganing season here begins about the middle of November, when the first snow falls. The condition of the run is not left to chance, but the slide is prepared under the direction of a committee. Swiss toboggans in contrast to the Canadian ones, made entirely of wood, are raised on runners shod with iron or steel. The expert rider lies prone upon the toboggan, head foremost, both hands grasping the framework at the sides and both feet employed in steering. Iron spikes are secured to the toes of the boots, and by trailing one or the other foot along the ground the big sled may be guided. But as this fashion of steering tends to diminish the speed the most skilled riders use the feet as little as possible and depend upon shifting the position. Though the Cresta run is a mile in length, the whole distance may be covered in 70 seconds. At the steepest point a mile a minute is made.



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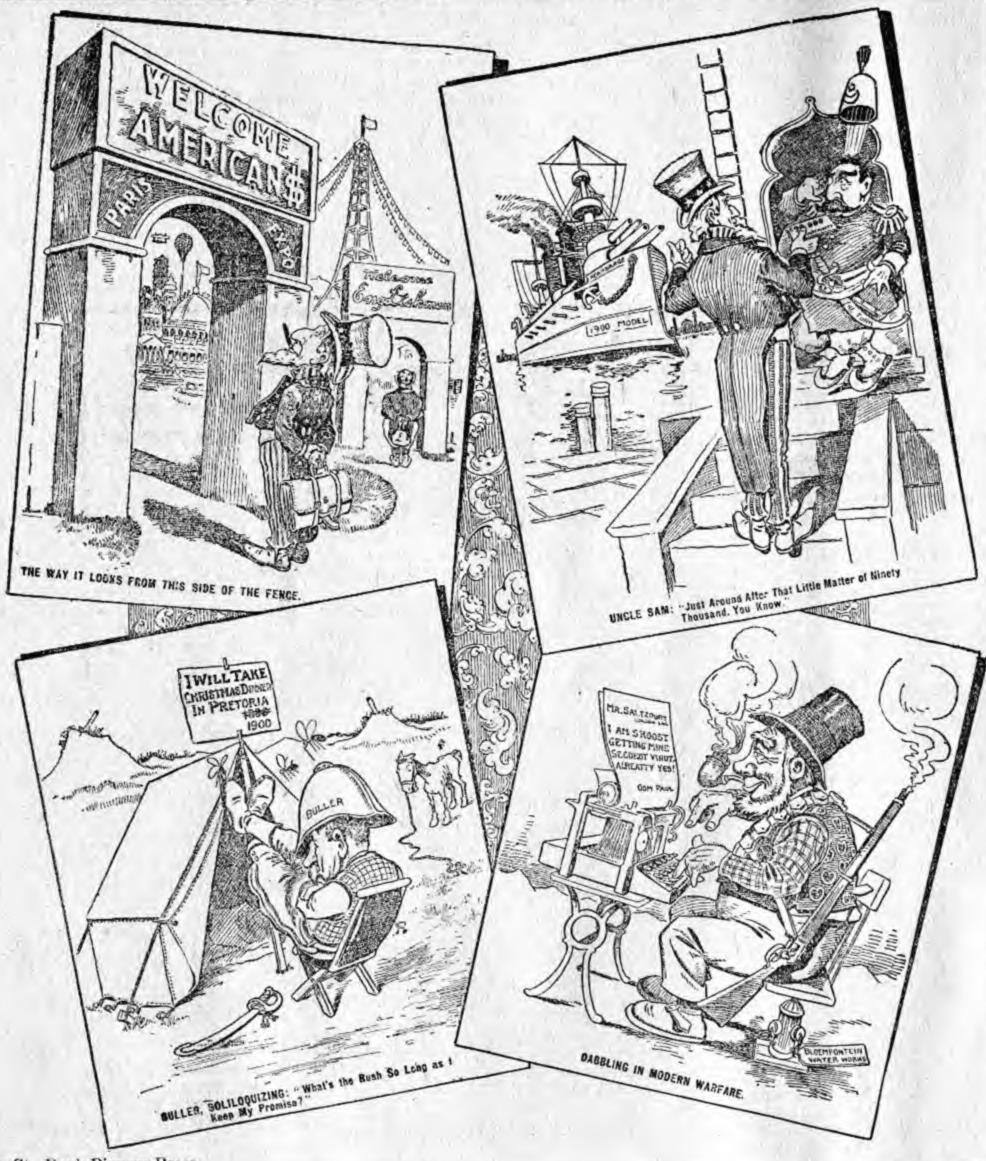
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FOREST FIRES IN THE NORTH.

Vast Areas in Minnesota and Manitoba Wrapped in Flames.

Almost the entire northern portion of Minnesota and the lower portion of Man-Itoba is in flames. In Minnesota the fire area extends for many miles through St. Louis and Itasca counties in the heavy erai timber of the State. Already sevout small settlements have been wiped the biad as this are threads and grows

The loss of life will, it is believed, be heavy, as reports received in Minneapolis show that many persons have already perished. In the path of the flames were the homes of hundreds of settlers and nation have been decidedly conflicting. homesteaders. Searching parties with The closing down of several of the Ameriwagons and accompanied by doctors and can Steel and Wire mills caused considnurses, are scouring the edges of the erable excitement for a time, but the conburning district in the hope of picking up viction has been forcing itself home upon to recede the destitute condition of the persons who have managed to escape, although the chances of finding many are merely the act of a reckless and despersmall. It is the opinion that the loss of ate gambler in the stock markets. Wall richest cotton sections of Mississippi, not life will equal that of the Hinckley fire street naturally suffered some disturbof a few years ago, when nearly 400 persons lost their lives.

Timber country in the northern portion of closed at a decline. There continued to houses and stores. In '71 it reached a the State and in the lower portion of be an abundance of news of a bearish na- height of only two feet in the buildings. Manitoba is as dry as tinder, caused by ture and of quite as much importance to The same wire says all goods are ruined the lack of rain and the absence of heavy all the grain markets were the reports snow last winter. The fire has already and statistics of the last seven days, as deep sea. All bridges which have been invaded the proposed national park of was the Government crop report the pre- the means of ingress and egress have Minnesota, in the Leech lake region, and vious week. This season of the year been swept away. The farmers all around the small towns in that locality are brings with it the irrepressible, ever- the surrounding country are now in bad fighting for life.

Swan river, 100 miles northwest of Du- interest among speculators. The spread planted corn and cotton. Their fences Juth, is one vast furnace, with little between the prices of the May and July have been swept away, the crops plantchance of escape for the settlers living options held steadily at 1%c. A spread of ed totally ruined and most of their live within the fire lines. Thus far half a hundred or more logging camps, in addition corn has had has been the spasmodic to several small towns, have been swept away and not a word has been heard from the hundreds of men employed in

Winnipeg dispatches say that the forest fires along the southeastern border are important and influential factor being the still raging, but the exact amount of dam- weather. Apprehension was felt that beage or loss of life has not been ascertain- cause of the heavy rains in the corn belt American property during the Armenian ed. An entrapped special train succeeded the planting would be delayed and farm- massacres. The Sultan agrees to pay in breaking through the flames after one ers' deliveries retarded by bad roads. The the Americans under the same conditions of the most thrilling trips in the history rains have ceased in most places and this as apply to citizens of other foreign of railroading. It brought in with it news has been accompanied by reports states who sustained losses in the same several stragglers found in a desperate of fine growing weather, depressing uprisings. The Sultan dreads an Americondition near Vassar. Besides immense prices. quantities of ties and wood, two large lumbering outfit's with forty wagons and over sixty other wagons are known to be burned. The drivers and bushmen have scattered in all directions and out of 200 only about thirty are known to have reached a place of safety. The remainder are doubtless struggling desperately through the woods for their lives.

OKLAHOMA ELEVEN YEARS OLD.

Youngest Territory Now Has Population of Over 400,000.

Oklahoma is eleven years old. In April, 1889, the first strip of Indian lands was opened to white settlers. The Cherokee strip, with its 6,014,239 fertile acres, was opened in 1893, and now the territory's settled area is something over 19,000,000 acres. The area of Oklahoma is 38,715 square miles. There are now twentythree organized counties and the population is over 400,000. The assessed valuation of property of the territory for 1899. was \$42,982,414. There are twenty-five towns with a population of over 3,000, six with a population of over 5,000, and two with a population of over 10,000. There are four territorial school buildings that stricken portion of Kobe, China, have a descendant of a relative of the Irish cost nearly \$1,000,000.



York-The outlook for the iron and steel trade has been the subject of considerable comment, both in speculative and legitimate business circles. Statements coming from authorities on the sitmost people that the whole thing was people is just beginning to be revealed. ance by reason of this move.

Chicago-After a week of comparative For the first time in many years the dullness the grain and provision markets varying prospects for the new crops which shape for making a crop this year. Most The country between Hibbing and never fail to cause anxiety and arouse of them had put out their fertilizers and 2c is the general talk. The only support buying by the bull clique, which, although small, is supposed to be practically in control of the situation and is bucking against a large majority. Everything has been in favor of lower prices, the most





Ninety Houses Burned. Ninety of the houses in the plaguebeen burned to stamp out the plague, patriot.

RAINS DELUGE THE SOUTH.

Drenching Torrents Fall Over All the Flooded District.

The flood situation in Louisiana and Mississippi was just beginning to brighten when it began pouring rain over most of the same district again. Reports from Mississippi and Louisiana tell of a steady, drenching fall and that the streams are again raging.

This flood has been the most destructive of any within the memory of the oldest inhabitants. One in '71 approached it, but the ruin was not so widespread. From Vicksburg on the Mississippi river across to Jackson, thence on a line to Meridian, Miss, and on down to Mobile ruin and desolation mark the path of the great flood. Cotton and corn crops are totally destroyed and as the waters begin

In Bayon Pierre district, one of the only are the crops destroyed, but the subsoil of the fields has been washed to sea. A special from Enterprise, Miss., says the water is standing five feet deep in the and that houses were carried off to the stock drowned.

SULTAN WILL PAY.

Uncle Sam's Threat to Send Warships Brings Favorable Reply.

The Porte has replied to the American demand for payment of the \$90,000 claimed as compensation for damages to can naval demonstration in the Mediterranean, and his worry over the indemnity complication has had the effect of leading him to abandon the arbitrary raising of customs duties. Whereas the ambassadors hitherto have lodged with his majesty four ineffectual protests, now he consents to negotiate the matter.

The representatives of the other great powers at Constantinople watch the issue of the Turco-American difficulty with great interest, correspondents say, for if the United States succeeds in getting a settlement from this bad debter the other powers will demand the immediate adjustment of their claims. It is claimed by foreign correspondents that the American Government actually threatened to send the Turkish minister, Ali Ferrouh Bey, his passports unless the matter is quickly cleared up.

Notes of Current Events. Japan is said to want to get a foothold n southern China.

George Houcke's paint and tin ship, Springfield, Ohio, burned. Loss \$7,000. George Seager and wife, Cincinnati, were wbbed of \$1,500 worth of jewelry. Gen. Botha's wife was a Miss Emmet,

Ellen Terry's One-Line Part.

This story is related of Ellen Terry: One evening a company of amateurs were about to give a performance for the benefit of some charity. There was one very small part, that of maid-servant, and each one of the amateurs loftily said that she would not play it. Very much provoked, Edith Wardell, daughter of Miss Terry, who was one of the company, startled everybody by announcing that she would get her mother to do it; and, sure enough, she did. On the night of the performance the little theater was crowded, and when the maid appeared in her pink clothes it was a wonder the applause that greeted her did not lift the roof off the house. It was with the greatest difficulty she finally succeeded in getting silence enough to say the one line that was her part: "Please, ma'am, did you say you were hout or hin?"

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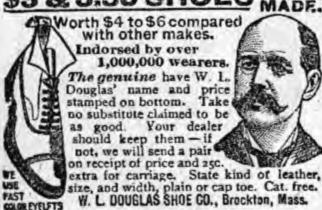
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ROBERTS ARRAIGNS BULLER.

Commanding General Scathingly Re-

views Spion Kop Movement. All England is agog over Lord Roberts' dispatch, in which he severely arraigns Sir Redvers Buller and Sir Charles Warren. After sketching Gen. Buller's intentions, as communicated to Sir Charles Warren, who commanded the whole force, Lord Roberts points out that Gen. Warren seems to have concluded, after consultation with his officers, that the flanking movement ordered by Gen. Buller was impracticable, and, therefore, so changed the plan of advance as to necessitate the capture and retention of Spion

Lord Roberts continues: "As Warren



GENERAL BULLER.

flanking movement which was recommended, if not actually prescribed in the secret instructions, he should, forthwith, have acquainted Buller with the course be proposed to adopt. There is nothing to show whether he did so or not. But it is only fair to Warren to point out that Buller appears throughout to have been aware of what was happening." Further on he says: "But whatever faults Warren may have committed, the failure must also be attributed to the disinclination of the officer in supreme command to assert his authority and see that what he thought best was done, and also to the unwarrantable and needless assumption of responsibility by a subordinate officer."

CUBA'S CENSUS COMPLETE.

Shows a Population of 1,572,797, with a White Majority.

Cuba numbers 1,572,797 souls, according to the census just completed by the United States Government. It is said that this is the first accurate enumeration ever made in the island. Officials of the War Department now acknowledge there is no reason of further delay in granting of municipal suffrage. The census shows that the white native-born Cubans hold a safe majority of the votes under the property and educational limitations to be imposed upon the exercise of suffrage in the island. There are 187,826 white adult males who were born in Cuba, as against 96,083 born in Spain, 6,794 born in other countries and 127,300 colored. The figures themselves show that the proposed basis of suffrage would not result in the Spaniards gaining control of the island.

WAR NEWS IN BRIEF.

The British casualty list lengthens out

Italy has refused to intervene in the Boer war.

If hard pressed, the Boers will retire across the Vaal river.

Close estimates place the number of Boers in Natal at 12,000.

Kruger attended a conference of Boer commandants at Brandfort. Boers practically again hold the Free

State eastward of the railroad. Gen. Chermside has taken command of

Gatacre's column at Bloemfontein. Commissioner Fischer says the present

Boer strength at the front is 38,000. The Boer forces have changed their

tactics and are now on the offensive. Three thousand armed Basutes line the

frontier to resist Boer encroachment. Winston Churchill declares that 250,

000 men will be needed before the war is Frank Smith, wealthy mine owner of

Barkley West, has been captured by the Boers.

Hilyard Steyn, brother of Free State President, expects the war to last till Christmas. The British losses at Wepener in four

days' fighting were eighteen killed and The British Government is closing con-

tracts in New York for 30,000 horses for army service. The British war office proposes to land

at Cape Town before the end of May, 20,000 horses. British officers are instructed not to

take any more expanding bullets to Africa for revolvers. The Boers have mounted several heavy guns in commanding positions in the Big-

garsberg mountains. It is calculated that Lord Roberts now has 214,000 effective troops, with 12,000

more affoat or under orders. Lord Roberts has warned Cape Colonists that further acts of hostility will be

treated with rigorous martial law. Fifteen thousand British are required to guard 107 miles of railway between Bloemfontein and Norval's Point.

A British scout who has visited the Bloemfontein water works reports that the machinery and dams are intact.

The Boers have again crossed the Orange river into northern Cape Colony, stirring up a new rebellion among the Dutch.

Wagner as a Humorist.

When Wagner's energy was not expended in his art work, says Gustav Kobbe, in "Wagner's Personality" in the Forum, it found vent in many humorous sallies.

that he would never learn to play the piano. "But," he added, "I play a great | which he used to its utmost capacity. deal better than Berlioz." The waggishness of this remark lies in the fact | markable man," said the judge promptthat Berlioz could not play at all.

During a rehearsal of the "Rienzi" overture in Dresden, the trombones time." were too loud. Instead of rebuking

the mangrily, he said, with a laugh: "Gentlemen, we are in Dresden, not marching around the walls of Jericho."

After "Tanhauser" was brought out, a German composer of little note, named Chellard, said that the "Song to the Evening Star" was "wrongly barmonized," and suggested certain harmonies which should be substituted for those employed by Wagner. When Wagner was among friends it was one of his favorite diversions to seat himself at the piano and sing the "Song to the Evening Star,"a la Chellard.

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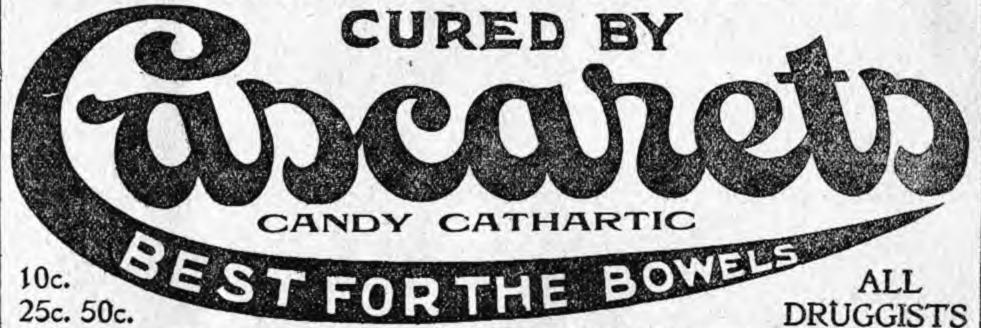
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