Respect for England.

MURDER OF BRITONS AVENGED

Ratives of the Solomon Group of Islands Driven to the Interior and Many Killed.

San Francisco, May 17 .- John Carter, an ex seaman of H. M. S. Royalist, arrived here on the Australian from Honolulu. Carter came to Hawaii from Sydney, where the Royalist is now stationed.

England, according to the reaman, took very drastic measures in the punishment of the natives of the Solomon group of islands, and the villages at the mouth of the river Soy were cannonaded. A landing party started out for Verne, an adjacent town, and the savages were driven miles into the interior. A number were slaughtered. For four hours Soy was under fire. The trouble and the subsequent bombardment were brought about by the murder of Donald Guy last April and the later murder of eight inebriated English tars who went ashore at the island Malayta to enjoy a

The month after Guy was murdered the boat's crew of the brig Para was also fired upon by the natives. Two men were wounded. The Royalist proceeded to New Georgia and there learned that Guy had been surprised by natives and shot down. The sloop proceeded up the Soy river, and there found the passage blocked. The natives had taken to the bushes. The Royalist cleared for action, and in ten minutes literally blew the village of Soy off the earth. The land forces pursued the natives into the interior for several miles, but could

not force them into open battle. The Royalist then steamed to Malayta island and anchored off the town of Altai. The ship's guns were turned on the village and a quick fire opened. Two cutters armed with 7-pound rapidfire guns steamed close to the beach and poured shot into a little bunch of natives that were defending the chief's palace. A number were killed and wounded. One after another three villages were totally destroyed, the natives driven to the bush and the residence of one of the principal chiefs of the Solomon group blown to pieces with six-inch shells.

The Royalist then steamed around the island looking for fresh villages to try its gun crew's proficiency upon, and finally steamed to Wanawana. Elaborate preparations were made for a sea and land attack, the natives having assembled in great numbers. A steam launch armed with a Gatling gun and two cutters with 7-pound rapid-firing rifles were detailed to land a detachment of marines and sailors. Suddenly the Royalist received orders through a British steamer captain to cease operations and return to New Zealand. The slaughter of the defenseless was thus averted.

Peck Says Wisconsin Is Not a Silver

the recent democratic governor of Wisconsin, is at the Holland house. Speaking of the condition of his state, he said: "You see a good deal printed in the papers in the East about Wisconsin being torn wide open on the silver question. Those reports were perhaps true about a month ago, but conditions are very different today. The bubble has What the Silver Conference Has Deburst and the farmers and merchants are

thinking for themselves, and this thought has not done much for silver. of men who expected to make political capital out of the movement. Now political ambition is all right, perhaps, but the men who have flocked to the silver standard I do not think did it on ings and other appropriate means." account of convictions, but through the idea of gaining political chances. One month ago had an election taken place with a silver ticket in the field, I believe ernor Prince, of New Mexico; F. E. it would have swept the country. Today the silverites have only a scant following. Suppose a man had been elected on a silver ticket, he would hate ifornia. himself all through his term of office, for he would know very well that he could 'not deliver the goods.' Prosperity is returning, and with it a better understand-

rency, and nothing can shake her allegiance." Specie Payment to Begin Next Month-

ing of the financial question of the day.

way confidently that Wisconsin is se-

curely within the ranks for sound cur-

Both Metals Used. WASHINGTON, May 17 .- The text of the court recommended dismissal.

Chili's currency conversion bill, as passed by both houses of congress, has been received here. It provides for specie payments from June 1, 1895. As

both metals are to be utilized, the change How Natives Are Taught promises to have an important effect upon the world's supply of metals. The president of Chili is empowered for three years to coin \$10,000,000 in silver. All proceeds from the sales from nitrate beds shall be devoted exclusively to the pur- HILL HAS A FINGER IN THE PIE ceivership is to be paid by the assesschase of silver. Three gold coins, \$20, \$10 and \$6, are also provided for. The silver dollar is to weigh 20 grammes and The United German Committee Have be 835-1000 fine. Silver is not a legal tender above \$50, except to the govern ment, where it is received as gold. The government mint is also directed to exchange gold for silver dollars presented to it with that object. The act also prouides a system of bank currency guar-

> ble by the government if the bank fails. He Announces That His Op nions on Silver Are Unchanged.

> anteed by the government and redeema-

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 17 .- Senator Voorhees has arrived home for the first time since the adjournment of congress. He said:

"I am toe old to change my views on the silver question. I have always been a friend to silver, and it will always remain the money of the common people, while gold will be the money of the rich. I hope 1 will be alive to make another campaign on that subject. When we talk about free silver we must recollect this country was for 81 years prior to 1893 practically on a silver basis. This country fought the war of 1812, the Mexican war and the war of rebellion under silver. Opposition to it is knavish and speculative. By pronouncing against silver and driving it out as a currency, the purchasing power of gold is increased, and that is what the rich are after."

Evidences That a Cleaning-Up Process Has Begun.

New York, May 17 .- The Wall Street News Agency says: Evidences point to a cleaning-up process having been begun by the bond syndicate. The recent return to members of 40 per cent of their subscription money was the first step in this direction. It is uncertain when the balance will be returned., but some of extra gold is another step in the same statement that the progress of events be apparent to you." in the desired direction has been a good deal faster than the syndicate ex- London?" pected or even hoped would be the case. on a large scale, so noticeable last month, did not even see him, much less talk to has practically assured the country him." against any large demand for gold for syndicate's preparations were made against this danger.

A Trip Around the World to Be Com pleted in Ninety Days.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 17,-Colonel and Mrs. John Bradbury, of Los Angeles, existing." will leave on Saturday for Honolulu. This will be his first stopping-place on their trip around the world, which must be made in 90 days-ten more than Phineas Fogg, Jules Verne's hero, had at his disposal. It is said that the trip is the result of a bet made by the amiable young millionaire with some of his friends that he and his wife and sisters can make the trip via Suez canal in the time mentioned. The reasons for the 90-day trip are said to be two; one that NEW YORK, May 17 .- George F. Peck, as executor of the Bradbury estate, one of the richest in the West, Colonel Bradbary cannot be out of the state over 90 days without forfeiting his position, and the second is that he has made bets amounting to upwards of \$15,000 with members of the California Club in Los Angeles that he will succeed.

veloped Into.

SALT LAKE, May 17 .- The silver convention today provided for a permanent When the craze first started I saw a lot organization, to be called the "Bimetallic Union." The purpose of the at a maximum charge of \$20,000 per destroyed. A number of points report organization is to spread the doctrine of mile. The new bonds will be secured great damage to wheat, corn and potabimetalism at the ratio of 16 to 1 by the by a mortgage lien on the Northern Pa- toes, in addition to the destruction of "sirculation of documents, holding meet- cific system, including the St. Paul & fruit.

> Delegates were appointed as follows to attend the bimetallic league convention cent, all under the same mortgage. at Memphis, Tenn., June 11: Ex-Gov-Sargent, of Montana; ex-Governor Adams, of Colorado; C. M. Donaldson, of Uregon; Henry Laugenour, of Cal-

Paymaster Smith's Court-Martial. WASHINGTON, May 18.—The findings in the court-martial of Paymaster Henry R. Smith, of the navy, have been laid before the president by President Her- tion committee. bert. The charge against Smith, who is paymaster on the Concord, now on the there should be given for each \$1000 of the judge-advocate-general of the Asiatic station, was drunkenness, and Northern Pacific second mortgage bond navy, who is now carefully examining it was preferred by Commander Folger, of a \$1125 new 4 per cent guaranteed bond; with a view to ascertaining its regularity, the Concord. The fact that the case has for a \$1000 third mortgage bond a \$1000 and when this examination is completed been taken to the president means that new 3 per cent guaranteed bond, and at it will be turned over to the secretary of

Confirmation of Rumors Regarding Reorganization.

Approved the Plan Prepared by the Adams Committee.

NEW YORK, May 18 .- Among the passengers on the steamer New York today was President J. J. Hill, of the Great Northern, who has been talked of very much of late in reference to the proposed control of the Northern Pacific. He said:

"The reorganization committee of the Northern Pacific has a majority of each class of bonds, and is ready to push the reorganization of the road quite vigorously."

"Are the Great Northern people interested in the matter?"

"I am one of a number of gentlemen who are interested in the Northarn Pacific reorganization, and our company will be ready to do anything it can to facilitate the matter. We shall be glad to see the Northern Pacific reorganization on a basis which can carry its financial burden. The three failures of the Northern Pacific, commencing with Jay Cooke, have marked three financial crises or panics in America, and I think the placing of the company on a sound financial basis, as at present proposed, will do as much to restore the credit of the security holders here and abroad as

anything that could be done anywhere." "Will the Great Northern take part in the reorganization?"

"I am not prepared to say what the

"What are your relations with the many months to come. Most of the Vanderbilts, present and prospective?" "We have very pleasant relations with them," answered Mr. Hill, "but our relations are also pleasant with the other lines, ane we have no desire to make any closer alliances than are at present

The Reorganization Committee's Plan.

lays meetings of the united German the representative of the Deutsche bank of Berlin, for the reorganization of the Northern Pacific. and they have finally authorized him to carry out his plan, reservation consists of 216,000 acres, but which the bondholders will be recommended to accept.

zation plan is the foreclosure of the old | 000 acres to be taken up. company and the formation of a new company under special arrangements for this purpose.

Secondly, the new company is to issue a maximum of \$200,000,000 gold bonds, free of taxation. A sufficient amount of these bonds is to be reserved in order to replace the present first mortgage bonds Northern Pacific line, and will bear interest partly at 4 and partly at 3 per

new bonds are to be guaranteed, uncon- bor it is reported that not over 20 per ditionally, by the Great Northern railway by endorsing each bond, the Great Northern receiving in return half of the stock of the new company.

Fourthly, the board of directors of the new company is to consist of nine di- Medical Director Kershner, which has rectors, four of whom are to be nomin- just wound up at New York, was brought ated by the Northern Pacific reorganiza-

Fifthly, in accordance with his system least \$250 in shares; for each \$1000 5 per the navy for his approval.

cent consol, at least, \$500 3 per cent new PACIFIC cent consol, at least, \$500 3 per cent ner guaranteed bonds and \$300 in shares.

Sixthly, that overdue coupons of the second mortgage be paid in cash at the rate of 5 per cent annually. Those of the third mortgage are to be paid in cash Supreme Court Decision on ing to my standard to guide the rank at the rate of 4 per cent, and those in consols are to be adjusted at the rate of 21/2 per cent in new 3 per cent bonds.

Seventhly, the floating debt of the re ment of about \$11,000,000 on the old stock.

Eighthly, the reorganization and the raising of the necessary working capital is to be secured by a syndicate headed by J. Pierpont Morgan and the Deutsche

General Schofield Has Started on His

MEMPHIS, May 18 .- Lieutenant-General John M. Schofield, commander of the United States army; Mrs. Schofield, and Miss Kilbourne, her sister, and party, arrived in this city at 7:30 this morning. They were met at the depot by Major-General Snowden, commanding the encampment, accompanied by E. S. Kellogg, Fifth infantry; General Joe Wheeler, of Alabama, and a detachment of troops in the Third cavalry, under Major Keyes, and company A, United Confederate Veterans, under Captain Carnes. The latter command is composed of men who met General Schofield on a less friendly footing at Franklin, Tenn., in the fall of 1864, and who took this occasion to show their appreciation of their former adversary. At 11 o'clock General Schotield received the officers of the army temporarily stationed here. This afternoon the general visited Camp Schofield, but only in a private capacity. He will appear in state and review the troops Monday.

A Tramp's Home.

PHILADELPHIA, May 17 .- Ex-Postmaster-General Wanamaker proposes to build a hotel in this city at which any one may be fed and housed free of any cost whatever. The primary object of Great Northern will do, further than to Mr. Wanamaker was to establish an state that you may depend on the Great institution for the reformation of inebri-Northern looking out to the best of its ates, and in connection with this to ability for its own interests. It will be build an inn where unfortunates could most glad to co-operate with the bond- find a home. He has been giving the holders of the Northern Pacific to secure matter considerable attention of late and think it will be in a short time, The the results I have stated, and thus put is now determined to carry his plans calling from the syndicate members of that company on a sound basis. I do out. Since the matter first occurred to not care to go into the matter any fur- him he has been broadening the scheme, direction. There is authority for the ther at this time for reasons that must and now intends to not only establish a stopping-place for drunkards who may Did you meet J. Pierrepont Morgan in desire to reform, but to provide a temporary home for any unfortunate so-"No, there is absolutely nothing in journer who may be without funds, grades. Any attempt to raise more rev-The development of foreign investment that story at all," replied Mr. Hill. "I but possessed of a healthy appetite and enue from beer will bring to Washington declaration of independence and form a a desire to sleep elsewhere than in a warm corner or in a cheerless freight interests. To avoid clashing with demo-

Another Reservation Ready.

WASHINGTON, May 18 .- It is understood that the date for opening the Kickapoo reservation in Oklahoma. Settlement is fixed for next Thursday. Settlers will be required to pay \$1.50 an acre, 50 cents of which doubtless will be required for deposit on the original en-BERLIN, May 18 .- For the past four try. Copies of the proclamation have been prepared, and will be immediately Northern Pacific committee have been issued on official notification of the preconsidering the reports of Ed Adams, sident's approval. All necessary preparations have been made by the land office officials for carrying the provisions of the proclamation into effect. The re-131,000 acres of this have been withheld for allotments of the Indians and for The first point of the Adams reorgani- school indemnity purposes, leaving 85,-

Damaging Frosts.

Indianapolis, May 17 .- A white frost covered the central portion of Indiana and dragged to a hole of water, about shares to the amount of \$100,000,000, and this morning. The damage is very great, three feet deep, near the track, and held especially on early fruit, vegetables and under the water until dead. After the grain. In some localities the grass was frozen stiff.

CLEVELAND, May 17 .- There was anlater, and \$3,000,000 bonds are to be re- other destructive frost last night served in order to acquire independent throughout northern Ohio. Vegetation branch roads, and for new construction which escaped Sunday night's frost was

DETROIT, May 17 .- Dispatches from southwestern Michigan report frost this citizen. morning the most disastrous to fruit of Thirdly, the capital and interest of the any recent visitations. At Benton Harcent of the grape crop can survive.

The Kershner Court-Martial. WASHINGTON, May 18 .- The record of the naval court-martial in the case of to the navy department by the the judgeadvocate of the court, Lieutenat Laucheimer. It has been placed in the hands

the Income Tax Law

FIVE OF THE JUSTICES OPPOSED IT

Providing New Sources of Revenue-Will Suggest Imposing a Tax on Beer and Tea.

Washington, May 20 .- The supreme court today declared the income tax law unconstitutional in toto. The justices against the law were Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Gray, Field, Brewer and Shiras. For the law were Justices Harlan, White, Brown and Jackson.

A Tax on Beer and Tea is Contemplated. expected from the income tax and the occupation and one of operation. For admitted certainty of a deficit at the the first, he must have, as any military close of the fiscal year, treasury officials expert who knows the strength of the are beginning to turn their attention to revolution and who possesses a knowlthe question of providing new sources of edge of geography of the island may see revenue. When questioned on the sub- at a glance, at least 30,000 men in order ject the commissioner of internal rev- to occupy and defend the cities, towns enue, J. S. Miller, said the repeated sug- and strategic outposts already threatgestions for an increased tax on beer ened by the revolution. For his army would undoubtedly be called to the at- of operation as many more troops will be tention of congress.

"We must have more revenue," said in the field. the commisssioner, "and the easiest, "To maintain the war until spring, cheapest and least turdensome internal from physical and financial exhaustion tax would be on mait liquors. We could she will be compelled, as she was in increase the tax to any amount without Santa Domingo, to give up the fight. the expenditure of another dollar, or the Free Cuba will not need such a large employment of a single extra clerk. It military force, for, with our superior is just as easy to collect \$2 a barrel as knowledge of the island we can with one half that amount, and the difference and the same army of much less strength would not affect the price of beer to the numerically, assisted as we are by these consumer."

This statement indicates that this increased beer tax will become an ad- ish army of occupation to keep strictly ministration measure as soon as con- with the army of operation, haraseing gress meets. The production of beer for the fiscal year, ending June 30,1894, was ternate movements of sudden dissemin-33,334,783 barrels, so that an addition of ation and quick concentration." \$1 a barrel would bring in as much as was anticipated for this year from the income tax and quite as much will be received as duty unless prices improve.

Some of the treasury experts are figuring on a revenue duty on tea, and this a strong lobby representing the brewing cratic free-trade theories, an effort will be made to secure the imposition of revnue while the expected fight on the

heer tax is in progress. A Brutal Murder Committed Near

Grant's Pass. GRANT'S PASS, May 20 .- Charles Fiester, aged sixty-three, deliberately locked her three children in a closet, and drowned his wife near that city yesterday, in the presence of their three young only a purse containing a small amount children, the eldest of whom was ten of money. From the description given vears old.

The crime grew out of family troubles came to this city and persuaded his wife across the street from the police headto go to Merlin, where he was logging, quarters. and keep house for him. She consented to go for a week, and they started to Merlin, nine miles distant, with the three small children. After going about five miles they quarreled bitterly, and Mrs. Fiester started back for Grant's Pass, but was soon caught by Fiester woman was dead the man claims to have tried to drown himself, but failed, and sitting down on the track, sent the children to Merlin to tell the folks what he had done. He remained until the crowd came up from Merlin, and then H. Deviras, a Peruvian who has recently came to Grant's Pass and gave himself up to Sheriff Hiatt.

every one, and says he is ready to die. the elevation of Pierola to the presidency. he has resided at Merlin for a number of years, and always seemed to be a good be elected," said Mr. Deviras, "that

Cuba's Rebel Leader.

Herald from Hoguin, Cuba, says: General Gomez, of the Cuban armies, who passed near this place escorted by a cavalry force of 1200 men on his way to TIBM, WEAK BACKS, At druggists, only 250

Herald, of which the following is a translation:

"Magnaminity will mark this war as well as untiring energy. Among the veterans of the previous struggle flockand file of the younger generation of patriots of liberty to sure victory, there is noticeable a spirit of determination and an energy far superior to anything displayed during our last war, and entirely free from certain objectionable features which then tended to localize our movements and prevent rapidity of operations. The outlook for the success of the present revolution before many years is so bright that there can be no doubt that the republic of Cuba will be one of the new states soon to occupy its place among the free governments of the world. Martinez Campos has by force of circumstances been compelled to accept the only plan of campaign left to him to enable Spain temporarily to maintain possession of the larger towns and principal coast ports, and these will Washington, May 20 .- In view of the soon slip from her sickly grasp. Camcertain loss of the \$30,000,000 revenue pos will require a double army, one of

> advantages and by all the natural resources of the island, compel the Spanthe enemy upon every hand by our al-

> required to enable him to face our forces

For a Provisional Government.

New York, May 20 .- Advices at the Cuban revolutionary headquarters in New York state that Gomez has instructed all insurgent bands of 100 menwill have the support of the heavy im- and upwards to send a delegate to theporters, who wish to shut out the cheap general assembly which will meet at Yara in June to put into execution the

The Cuban chiefs have great hopes that the United States government will next session of congress at Washington.

Robbed by Masked Men.

OAKLAND, May 20 .- Three masked men bound and gagged Mrs. George Smith, last night, tied her to a bedpost. tobbed the house. The robbers obtained by Mrs. Smith, the three men are thought to be the robbers who bound of long standing. The pair had been and gagged E. L. Crum, night clerk at separated for some time, but Fiester Garrett & Taggert's drugstore, which is

Officers on Bicycles.

CHICAGO, May 20 .- Two officers on bicycles last night captured William Sullivan, a murderer, who would have escaped if the pursuers had been on foot. Sallivan killed William Barret on Thursday during a quarrel. When the officers sighted him he ran like a deer, but was overhauled after a brief race. The canture will probably result in the addition of a number of wheels to those already used by the police.

A Coming Election.

NEW YORK, May 20 .- According to A. arrived in New York, the coming election in Peru is almost certain to result He talked freely about the matter to in the triumph of the Catholic party and "So general is the belief that he will Gonzales Perada, leader of the liberal party, wil not even present himself as a New York, May 20 .- A special to the candidate. Perada is the open adversary of the Catholic party which has

long been in power." Puerto Principe, has sent a letter to the All pain bankhed by Dr. Miles' Pain Pills

Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report

