CONFER ON FASHIONS

Parisian Modistes Consult Before line. In front this coat becomes Setting New Styles.

Individual Ideas Developed Only After Main Points Have Been Settled-Some of the Fancies for the Coming Season.

ARIS.—The task of forecasting fashions is complex and bewildering enough in all conscience. though that is the term by which this but it is not enveloped in the altogether impenetrable fog with which really a net, very much like what many persons imagine it to be surrounded. One of the picturesque fallacies common to many awe-struck wemen has to do with the precautions with which the great French designers

This mistake, it must be understood, does not apply to the secrecy which is as every woman knows, net waists are | Eighty odd deaths have been reportmaintained with the utmost rigor in the individual ateliers after they really begin work on their new models. No pains are spared in protecting this stage of the game. But many women do not realize that this period of concealment is preceded by one of mutual consultation and agreement.

Weeks before the dates recognized as those on which the season's styles are to be launched the Paris dressmakers who sit on the thrones of tashion agree among themselves concerning a general basis on which to chronology and the geography of the styles they are to create.

In other words, these rulers of the blouses are a distinct novelty and Late reports from Tennessee have gust minds as to whether they will adopt the Orient or the Occident as the source of their inspiration; whether it shall be a "period" season, the Directoire, the early Victorian, or something clae. That they must agree on at least the general trend is perfeetly evident. Otherwise we should and ourselves confronted with a mere hodgepodge, a confusion which would leave us only worse confounded. For their own protection they must work from some central idea, and that is precisely what they do.

Individual Fancies Followed.

But, having agreed upon the main scheme, every member of the hierarchy is free to follow his or her own fancy in working out the modifications and details. And it is at this point that the epoch of closed doors and closed lips begins. Each of the great dressmaking houses of Paris has many separate ateliers, with an experienced designer in charge of every one of them. Each of these stellers produces its own model, guided, of course, by the head of the general est tablishment; so that, in the end, the whole Paris output of fashion, while Hee by the original agreement, is nevertheless characterized by great variety and originality.

As a matter of record, really revolutionary changes are not often introduced very abruptly. Abruptness, in fact, is the only thing that would make them revolutionary. The large movements of fashion are almost always gradual, not violent. They come haltingly, affecting first one detail, then another, so that any woman has time to adjust her wardrobe to it before it becomes the accepted order. All of which is here set forth as a contribution to feminine peace of mind in this period of healtation.

Straws that show which way the wind of fashion will blow may be looked for in such details as trimmings, colors and accessories. Last autums, for instance, the conspicuous showings of beaded and bugled laces, of yards and yards of rhinestone trimmings, of brocaded gold and silver tissues, were an unmistakable prophecy of the evening costumes with which the winter season has gittlered.

New Cubist Ribbons.

In the same way one can now find a very large straw indeed in the ribbons which are being shown by the importers. It happens to be a straw that has been preceded by enough of the same kind to make a stack of respectable dimensions; but this particular one is a new piece of drift. The ribbons referred to are in rather vioient Balkan colors. As for design they look as if they had emanated from the studio of a cubist or a futurist painter.

Possibly these new ribbons may represent long rows of portraits of ladies, but they certainly look more like disordered dreams of rugs, or like rugs which have been shaken into a confused mix up of colors and design. Other ribbons have a stiff border of fruits and leaves in crude colors along one side. They are not pretty, but they are undeniably striking. And they repeat the hint given by the cubists son will be marked by strong con- with sailor collar and white lace fichu ones to the effect that the coming seatrasts of colors.

Changes in Cotton Frocks. One of those changes usually de scribed as radical has taken place in the cotton suits and frocks that have been shown during the past weeks to attract women bound for southern resorts. Immediately after Christmas the show windows were full of white embroidered linens and elaborate models in Irish lace. Of course, these were simply the stock left over from last summer, when Irish lace had al-

ready begun to sing its swan song. Now these dresses have quite vanished, and their place has been taken by embroidered cotton crepes and volles, new ratines, linen crashes with borders, and, in the more elaborate costumes, by washable tulle combined with embroidered batiste, crepe, or er know when some friend is going volle. Some of these tulle dresses are to make remarks and tell you you an and Ambassador Jusserand exmost elaborately made. One charming ought to take more exercise."

Not Keen in Pursuit of Culture.

that Mrs. Boobfield to like-she makes

tions," casually remarked Mr. Amy to

Why, dear, she speaks four lan

some of it to me and I told her I 'Amy, I don't see what you find in thought it was all damn nonsense-" me weary with all her hifaluting no-

"Well, come to think of it," said

his strong-minded wife, as they sat revelewing their category of friends one if forgot to say it—but I meant it."

model has a waist in which the tulle the embroidered batiste, and the char DEATH LIST NOW In the back, over the waist proper, MORE THAN 90 little coatee of the tulle, with its thread tucks, comes only to the belt

part of the bodice itself. At either Up In Millions.

from the walst. The whole thing is a

revelation of what can be done with

this material. The inevitable note of

color (in this case Copenhagen blue)

back collar, the cuffs and the buttons.

misleading name to many women, al

bow at the neck.

New Ideas in Collars.

in neckwear is the circular flat collar

Smart Spring Gown.

Girdles and sashes become more and

They may be of almost any width, but

perhaps the most popular is from four

to six inches. One seen in a Fifth

avenue shop was of dark blue satin,

embroidered at the ends in bright col-

velvet has a sash of wide Scotch plaid

the knees. With a black charmeuse

gown is a black sash with bias ends

of white broadcloth, one piece model,

and trimming of black velvet ribbon.

3,000 feet deep, and one of them had

been carried to a depth of 5,045 feet.

Two of these boreholes alone gave a

combined outflow of nearly 15,000,000

Constant Suspense.

"Isn't it uncomfortable to be so

"Yes," replied Mr. Hefty. "You nev-

gallons daily.

stout?"

Our illustration shows a spring gown

ornamented with long silver fringe

touch of this season's magic.

"Tulle," by the way, will prove #

is introduced in the girdle, the turned North Central and Western Por- roung man. tions of Country Are Buried Under Snow Drifts.

material is known in the shops. It is made use of a French idea in devising swept parts of Georgia, Tennessee, blouses of this tulle and other ex Alabama, Louisians, Mississippi and tremely sheer fabrics. By themselves, Texas,

so delicate that the wearing of there ed and the total loss of life probably is a somewhat trying and uncertain will be increased when wire communiproceeding. It is practically impos cation is restored in remote sections sible to anchor them securely in any devastated by the cyclone. The damone position. And there can be no age to property cannot be estimated, such quality as "fit" because of the but will have to be computed in milnecessity of having them large in or lions.

der to keep them from breaking out. Twenty-nine persons are reported to This New York designer has got have perished in Georgia and damage around these objections by putting a to property is roughly estimated at corset cover of lace, embroidery and \$1,000,000. Calhoun, Gordon county, ribbons inside the net waist and fas Georgia, and vicinity bore the brunt tening both corset cover and waist to of the storm, and 11 persons are rethe same belt. The ribbons can be ported to have been killed. The other work. They decide what shall be the run in and taken out at will and the fatalities in Georgia were nine at combination corset cover and blouse Tucker, four at Eaglesville, three at easily laundered in one piece. These Clarkston and two at Columbus.

realm of chiffens make up their au quite an inexpensive one. Another increased the death toll in that state

but with a Persian border. The color- still are reported missing. Five nebreathing the spirit of the moyen age, ing is repeated in the buttons and the gross were killed near New Decatur, three persons perished at Calera and two each at Hoke and Bluff, Gainsville NEW NOVEL BY MRS. CURTIS and Duke.

A new collar fantasy is the Lafayette, a wide rolling one, in white satin sippi raised the death list from seven for example, with a piece of the satiaas first reported, to 13. These fataliset in between the waist and the colties occurred in seven counties. Wire lar itself. It is not as pronounced an communication with a number of innovation as the Robespierre specitowns struck by the storm still is inmen was, but it gives variety to the terrupted. V openings. Another distinct novelty No more deaths have been reported

from Louisiana, the death list remaining at seven. Six persons were killed by the cy-

crew and passengers escaped injury. to have been killed.

The storm west of the Tennessee river reached its gravest fury in Benton county, sweeping a path from a quarter to three-quarters of a mile wide diagonally across the country.

It is estimated that the damage done by the severe wind and rain storm which swept Chicago and Illinois will aggregate nearly \$1,000,000. In Chicago the wind attained a velocity of 50 miles an hour for several hours and thousands of plate glass windows and doors in all parts of the city were de-

molished. Dispatches from Northern Wisconsin say disastrous floods have been followed by one of the most severe snow storms of the winter. Railroad traffic in the northwestern part of the state paralyzed, telegraph wires have been put out of commission, but the change in temperature is moderating the floods, which were working great havoc.

Wind storms, accompanied by rain and hail, in the southwestern part of Kansas, did great property damage.

Two carpenters were killed at Louisville, Ky., when a high wind blew such as we are familiar with in lace, down a construction tower at the but now shown in ratine embroidery, Louisville Railway company's repair both silk and wool, in the ubiquitous shops. The wind reached a velocity Balkan colors. These will be seized of 60 miles an hour.

demoralized as a result of a heavy blizzard which swept Northwestern more epatantes, which is the Parisian's Nebraska and Southwestern Wyoming. way of saying rather more than we Freight traffic is at a standstill and mean by "stunning." Many of the overland passenger trains are reported sashes are fringed and embroidered, stalled in snowdrifts,

Culebra Cut Pushed Up.

Panama-The slide on the east bank of the Culebra cut, which first moved ored flowers. A French model in black into the cut on the night of February made another rapid movement ribbon, tied in a double how directly downward on March 15 toward the in front, the fringed ends falling below canal. It pushed the bottom of the cut near the center for a distance of stroying five tracks and overturning two steam shovels. There is now only one construction track in operation. The slide has ceased moving and the work of removing the mass of earth has already begun.

Friedmann Is Confident.

Toronto, Ont. - Dr. Friedrich F. Friedmann said to acquaintances that when he returned to New York the latter part of the week he expected to find a much friendlier attitude on the part of the medical profession to-

"I believe the prejudice which greeted me on my arrival there," said the German specialist, "has been removed. ties of several hospitals and shall con-

Treaty Extended Five Years.

Washington, D. C .- Secretary Bry-Anglo-American treaty of 1908, which

Octogenarian Says There Are Three and One is Mark of Joy, but the Other Two!

An octogenarian sighed and said: side of the skirt the tuite is draped in Property Loss In Gulf States man's life. The first, a very joyous Armies Resume Activities, and There are three milestones in a nilestone, is when he ceases to be talled a boy, and for the first time hears himself called 'a young man. Ah, how happy that makes him! A

"The second milestone is a milestone of gentle melancholy. It is when he ceases to be called a young man and for the first time hears himself called 'a man.' A man-not a Chicago-Indications from late re- young man any longer. That causes the French—and our mothers—cail ports are that more than 90 persons "blonde." It washes perfectly.

Clever ideas in Blouses.

A clever New York designer has made use of a French idea in devising and use of a French idea in devising weep parts of Georgia, Tennessee. ruefully.

> Innocent person—the child, the youth Pasha, visited the Red Crescent So three to 500 feet wide, demolishing or less similar conditions are to be or perhaps the girl-who first applied clety and begged the members to con- business houses and 25 homes. man'—he who first hears those words applied to himself quivers, for all his wrinkles and gray beard, for all his fat stomach and bald head, with ar anguish more poignant than youth has ever felt. An old man—how it cuts and tears. How it saps the strength! What a heavy, limp, hopeless feeling mands are considered extravagant, especially with regard to the payment of indemnity and the cession of Scutari and the Aegean Islands. Three persons were hurt and considing the property damage done by a storm which passed over Jerseyville, 30 miles northeast of St. Louis. Several houses were wrecked.
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white cotton crepe with a regular The loss of life in Alabama is estiis the literal truth that, even at this aroused vigorous protests.

Montenegrin jacket, also of the crepe mated at 13, although several persons had day. I'd rather get a blow in the With the improvement in weather hurt less."

a Romantic Story Built on Ingenious incident.

what he designed to be a short story bayonet. about two men who played a hand at The Turks, having been reinforced, poker, the winner to become absolute tried to recapture the redoubt, but in showed it to his wife, Isabel Gordon who were left on the field, The storm, which continued for two much Mrs. Curtis tells in the dedica known. succa late at night. Eleven are known genious and romantic story, the scener of which are laid in New York.

There seems to be a frivolous strain and 30 officers. taking hold of civilization, ruling out sobriety, earnestness, sincerity and making the times one universal grin If it keeps on this way for fifty years, there won't be a serious thought left Everybody will be telling a funny story or getting off an anecdote. The joke will everywhere prevail in conversation. The mention of a scientific ety. If a man wants to talk literature

face, and will not allow a serious rado, a suffrage state. thought to throw a shadow on it. Sit Senator Thomas said he had acceptlarity is running things everywhere, a suffrage amendment to the people of and if he only holds on a while he and if he only holds on a while, he it will be the dreariest of exisistence tion entitling women to the ballot. not to be telling or listening to a funny story.-Ohio State Journal.

Had to Argue or Pay a Debt. and friendship, conversing on all sub and friendship, conversing on all sub and economic loss to the nation fects with equal freedom. But from \$135,000,000 a year, according to this time he agreed implicitly to ev sections made by er, as formerly, disputed his positions on mental hygiene. This change of behavior did not long escape the notice of so acute an ob-1000 feet to a height of 30 feet, de- server, to whom it was by no means agreeable. It happened one day that a subject was started, on which they had before controverted; but now Mr Stanyon entirely acsquiesced in Mr Addison's opinion, without offering one word in defense of his own. Adtion, Sir, either contradict me or pay of the heavens. me my money."

Unconventionalities, "Squinchley, some of your friends

look, but you are." "If you'll glance at the dollar watch

"You have dropped in on me, old top, I suppose, because you've been kicked out of all other places." "Yes, I saw what the papers said called you a sport, a dead beat, and sod." a walking confidence game. Worse

than that-they proved it on you" What She Had Missed.

named O'Flaherty, whom her father alone was qualified to receive them. marry, and the other was a publican It is similar in terms to the named Finnegan. Mary herself favored the latter, and in the end married him. One day when she was set oculated by Dr. Frederich F. Frie tled in her new home she visited her

MILESTONES ON LIFE'S PATH PEACE TERMS RE-**FUSED BY TURKS**

Situation Is Gloomy.

Greeks Capture 1570 Men and 30 Offfcers-Europe Considers Demand Extravagant.

London.-There is no prospect for the conditions cannot be accepted, and The town of Provencal, La., was It is when he is first called 'an old it is understood that the Council of practically wiped out by a cyclone. A public concern," the report

that phrase to him. He will never tinue their efforts, as the government At Montgomery City, Mo., large forget the scene of its application, i was resolved to continue the war.

happy scene, perhaps, which suddenly turns funereal, dreadful. 'An ok ambassadors in London the allies' de-

What a heavy, limp, hopeless feeling against their incorporation by Bulgaria. Premier Venizelos, in reply, boldly declared that he long ago had notified the allies that Greece laid no ed an old man for a good many years claim of Thrace. This announcement, But it always tortures me. I made in the Chamber of Deputies, of 50 miles an hour.

face than be called old. It would conditions, the armies in the Near East have become more active, although thus far no news of a pitched battle of any importance has come through.

According to official reports issued at Sofia, the Bulgarians and Turks at tles in collision. In one case a rather sharp engagement resulted. Two Bulgarian parties sent out in the direc-tion of Akalon took a redoubt to the Some time ago Francis Curtis wrote east of that village at the point of the

possessor of the loser's future. He the attack lost 300 dead and wounded,

showed it to his wife, isabel Gordon
The same day the Turks advanced toward Kadikoul, but were repulsed. A Southern railway train was sho objected. "It is not a short story. According to reports, conditions in wrecked, presumably by spreading deat which must share the carrettee." wrecked, presumably by spreading dent which must shape the careers of Turkish warships are reported to have rails, near Round Mountain. The two men." "If you can visualize a fu bombarded the Bulgarian positions at ture for them," he replied, "do it." Sc Sillyri, but with what result is not

> The Greeks continue to gather in stray bodies of Turks. Near Arnitsa the Greek cavalry captured two Turkish battallons, comprising 1,570 men

SUFFRAGE MAKES BIG GAIN. Plan to Amend Constitution Has Chance for Approval.

president probably will be brought continued to come from the beseigers. Scientists Expect to Penetrate Regions formally before congress with the in-In the reorganization of its com-

At least that is the way everything seems to be tending. Society shim frage for women, and gave its chair
for the American troops. The Mexican sity of Pennsylvania and is bound for Brazil with a daring party of explorers and specific propers and dismers and sparkles along on the sur manship to Senator Thomas, of Colo-banded.

down to dinner, it's a laugh from sour to coffee. A committee meeting has more fun than it does business. His

Representatives of will be the chief ruler of all mankind American Woman Suffrage Associawill be so lonesome when he is by conference with President Wilson, in an address here. "The aim of eco-And the upshot of it will be that a man tion have made arrangements for a himself that he will commit suicide, when they will urge him to recomwants to give to last year's frock a diately west of Alliance, Neb., was and of course there will be many, for mend in a measure to congress an

Insanity Cost \$135,000,000.

Philadelphia.-There are more in-"Temple Stanyon," says Doctor sane persons in asylums and similar Birch, "on some exigency borrowed a institutions in the United States than sum of money of Mr. Addison, with students in colleges and universities. whom he lived on terms of intimacy and they are responsible for a direct erything Addison advanced, and nev secretary of the National commission

Mr. Beers spoke at the long table marked the opening of a week's conference and exhibition of mental hy-

Nearest Star Invisible.

New Haven, Conn. - Observations during some 20 years for parallax of dison was displeased, and vented his fixed stars have been completed at displeasure by saying with some emo Yale observatory. They have included 238 stars of the Northern hemisphere

The nearest to the earth of these stars observed and the nearest of all the stars of the Northern hemisphere is one of the seventh magnitude, invis say you're not as big a fool as you ible to the naked eye. Its distance in miles from the earth is represented by the figures of 46,000 billion, denoted of yours, Mr. Lingerlong, you will find in astronomical terms by about eight son on complaint of Annie Solltis, 14 it about time to say good night."

Wilson Gets Shamrock.

Washington - St. Patrick's day found President Wilson wearing in his about you this morning, Bingo. They hat a sprig of shamrock from the "old

the White House for the president a box of real Irish shamrock, the gift John Redmond, Irish member of the There were two sultors for Miss British house of commons. The presi-Murphy's hand. One was a grocer dent's secretary, Joseph Patrick Tum-

> Serum Supply Runs Low. London, Ont.-Twelve patents at the public health institute have been in-

SOUTHERN CYCLONE KILLS 33 WORKERS LIVE IN

High Winds Sweep From New Orleans to Atlantic.

New Orleans-Thirty-three persons are reported to have been killed and property valued at several hundred thousand dollars destroyed by a wind Half of Men Work for \$9 a and rain storm which swept portions of Louisians, Texas, Georgia, Alabama, Arkansas, Mississippi, Mis souri, Illinois and Tennessee Friday.

A deluge of rain extended over a more extensive area and practically demoralized telegraph and telephone service for several hours.

Only meager reports from the stricken districts were obtainable. The property damage at Brookland, Tex., was estimated at \$100,000. All

The storm which swept over the counties of Peoria, Woodford and Tazewell in Illinois did damage estimated at several thousand dollars, dry rooms impossible. Ventilation al-

Cease Firing, Cross Border and Surrender Arms.

Nogales, Ariz. - Constitutionalists at Sofia, the Bulgarians and Turks at Nogales, Ariz. — Constitutionalists stantly closed, even the cracks being Late reports from Northern Missis- "The Lapse of Enoch Wentworth" it Tchatalja have had reconnolitering pargales, Sonora, Friday night, and now are in possession of the border town, from the witchen, the washtubs, the after a flight which continued with garbage heap and the cellars, and in little abatement for 12 hours.

Casualties are estimated on both in each household one and twice as many wounded on both as a kitchen, while all

fifth cavalry, U. S. A., was seriously room and laundry, and in some cases wounded by a rebel bullet while doing a sleeping room. The head of the police duty near the international line household is not simply the head of here. The shot passed through his face from nose to ear. No other meaning of the term, a boarding Americans were wounded.

nown.

Late advices say the Montenegrin tack was at its height. Lieutenantshocks, and devastated a wide section worth," the novel she has built upon siegs guns have begun a fierce bomColonel Tate, in charge of the fifth organization. of country between Curryville and Reher husband's sketch. It is an in
which is in flames.

General Obregon, in command of the General Obregon, in command of the this report. This is intentional. rebel forces:

Cease firing, or I shall be after you at ited to a low moral standard, for phy-

At the same moment the firing from standard of morals the regulars under Colonels Koster-ers buy a fairly good grade of food, but of the children enrolled in the preconcerted arrangement, Lieutenant-Schools, one-sixth are reported suffer-ing from mainutrition." constitutional dered him to sound the Mexican "cease Washington. — A constitutional amendment giving the women the right to vote for president and vicefiring" order. The federal garrison UNKNOWN WORLD IS GOAL.

fact, a historic incident, a bit of phil dorsement of a senate committee being back the fire from his men, so that comply, etc., will be ruled out of soci fore the end of the present year.

Colonels Kosterlitzky and Reyes with ing back the fire from his men, so that Philadelphia. — Tears and cheers Colonels Kosterlitzky and Reyes with sent the yacht Pennsylvania on her their forces were able to cross to the way Thursday when she steamed science, invention, philosophy, he will mittees the senate took its woman have to decoy some doleful soul into suffrage committees, where it has refidential tone.

In the reorganization of the constant took its woman the forces were able to cross to the difference were able to cross to the their forces were able to cross to the fine forces were able to cross to the fine

Musty Theories Assailed.

Stanford University, Cal. - "The humanity. professors of economics in American as the "lost world," in the basin of the Amazon.

The expedition has been organized too little regard for the human will," and equipped by the University Mu-too little regard for the human will," and equipped by the University Mudeclared Professor M. L. Larkin, of the Stanford economics department, years and it is expected to reach reward the teaching of practical affairs and not the theories of 15th century theories. One difficulty in most innomics," he continued, "should be tostitutions is that the teachers are incapable. Poor pay is responsible for His chief associates are Dr. Franklin the dearth of capable instructors."

B. Church, an authority on tropical

Deport Fighting Chinese.

San Francisco-Steps were taken Friday by the United States government authorities to put an end 'to the tong war now raging in Chinatown pathway through the legislature, a bill Clifford B. Beers, and forever discourage such attempts having a maximum of eight hours a of Chinese secret societies to settle day labor for women was vetoed by their differences by employing gunmen Governor Oddie. The veto was susto assassinate members of rival tongs. luncheon of the City club, which This action followed frays in which pressing himself as in sympathy with two more Chinese were injured. If the object of the act, Governor Oddle indictments be returned and convictions obtained in the United States district court, the defendants will be deported.

> Girl Strikers Hold Up Car. Trenton, N. J.-Two hundred girl strikers at the Strauss woolen mills on the outskirts of this city held up a trolley car and blocked service for 40 minutes because Holdsworth Robinson, who is accused of striking one of the girls, sought refuge in the car. The girls got on the track in front of the car and would not move until police

> > Wright Patents Upheld.

reached the scene and arrested Robin-

Paris-The Wright aeroplane pat- they are cold bodles. ents were fully upheld by a decision in the fourth division of the Court of Ap-From Ireland Monday there reached peals, confirming a previous judgment rendered in the third division after reports from a technical commission. The hearing and arguments brought by the Wright brothers against several physical valuation of railroads author-French aeroplane manufacturers for ized by the last congress, declared no larly the warping wing princi- quired to complete the work. an infringement of patents, particu-

> Camera's Tricks Offend. Washington, D. C .- A Pennsyl

SQUALID HOMES

Week or Less.

Rooms Overcrowded, Sanitation Poor and Families Obliged to Live Without Privacy.

Albany, N. Y.-The report of the state labor department on its investi-

"Certainly it is a matter of grave man. Ah, how that stabs him. 'Ar Ministers has adopted the same view. negro boy was killed and 15 persons injured. The Grand Vizier, Mahmoud Shefket The storm cut, a wide swath from found elsewhere."

The investigators report that, prior property damage was caused and sev-eral persons injured, two believed fa-received a weekly wage of \$9 or less. tally, by the storm which swept Mont- while half of the women received less

ways is bad. Cellars were found filled The wind at Peoria reached a velocity with water, ashes, waste, garbage and

"Sleeping rooms are small, general-MEXICANS OBEY AMERICANS by when the number of occupants which they accommodate is considered. Some are windowless. Overcrowding is the rule. Owing to ignorance of the need of fresh air in a sleeping room, windows are kept con sleeping rooms is charged with odors ittle abatement for 12 hours.

Casualties are estimated at 100 dead again by the sleepers.

"In each household one room serves Private Allen A. Umfleet, troop G, a dining room, living room, wash housekeeper. The housewife is the The United States soldier was shot real head-is rather the financial ily forming only a part of such an

The term family is little used in bel forces:
"You have shot one of my men. textile workers. This cannot be credsicians testify to a relatively high

"Dealers state that the mill work-

reaches of the Amazon and to the headwaters of many of its mighty tributaries in the interest of science and They seek what is

Dr. William C. Larrabee, curator of the American section of the B. Church, an authority on tropical edicine, and Sandy McNab, a traveler of wide experience and a scientist.

Eight-Hour Day Bill Vetoed.

Reno, Nev.-After pursuing a rocky tained in the senate. Although exnot practicable and would prove more injurious than beneficial to The overworking of women, he said, was a condition not existing in Nevada as in other states.

Nebulae Cold, Is Belief Flagstaff, Ariz.—It has been discovered at the Lowell Observatory through spectroscopic observations that the nebulae in the Pleiades is illuminated by the reflected light of neighboring stars. It is regarded as a discovery of great importance to the astronomical world because of its direct bearing on the nature of thousands of other nebulae and on evoluyears old, who said Robinson had tion of the stellar system. The sup-struck her. were self-lighting; that is, that they were composed of fiery substances. The discovery would indicate that

Commission Is Not Dazed.

WASHINGTON. - Chairman Clark, sion, in a statement outlining the commission's preliminary plans catimate could be made of the time re-

The commission is not staggered or dazed by the duties that have been placed upon it," said Chairman Clark.
"The work will be proceeded with in

evening.

guages and knows all about Ibsen and Strindberg and Wedekin, and all those foreign masters," said Mrs. Amy, laud-

"Oh, dearle, you didn't swear like that to her, did you?"

Australia's Artesian Wells. Artesian wells are one of the most important sources of water supply in Australia. A government report states that in 1911, in the state of Queensland alone, there existed 785 artesian wells, whose total depth aggregated 334 miles. Of these, 113 were over

ward his treatment for tuberculosis. I have been invited to use the facilitinue my demonstrations as soon as

changed ratifications of the convention approved by the senate a month ago extending for a term of five years the Franco-American special arbitration treaty of 1908. This treaty provides for limited arbitration excepting questions of vital interest, independence or honor.

Suffrage Wins In Alaska

will expire June 4, next.