He Gives Up Claim on Mature Bride for \$20,000.

HAD TRIED FOR MILLION

All Picas for Forgiveness Fail, and He Agrees to Separation-Will Return to California or Mines in Mexico.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24 .- (Special.)-The American this morning says:

"After besectaing and imploring his bride with impassioned earnestness by telephone and in person, daily for almost a week, to forgive his deertion of her after his dreadful outburst of temper over her refusal to settle \$1,000,000 on him, Wilson Misner yesterday, it is reported, aban-doned all hope of being reconciled to the former widow of Charles T. Yerkes and, it is alleged, agreed to a formal separation in consideration of sum of \$20,000.

"The settlement was effected, so a close friend of Mizner last night said, in the Fifth-avenue mansion over which the young Californian had ruled for the brief period of two weeks. "Louis S. Owsley, the co-trustee with Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner under the Yerkes will, who had been summoned by her

from Chicago two days ago, was pres-ent when the alleged agreement for eparation was entered into. separation was entered into. The formal proceedings are to be taken at once and Mixner, so the story goes, will then leave New York for good, going either to California or to those mines in Mexico, of which he told at the time of his wedding."

SAYS TYREE ADMITTED IT

Raiff Confirms Charge of Deficit in Insurance Funds.

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 23.-The preliminary examination of Hiram Tyree and Cameron C. Wylie, president and secre-tary, respectively, of the Continental Life Insurance & Investment Company, charged with certifying to the Secretary company's business, was continued today in the Police Court.

The most important witness was F. M. Raiff, of San Francisco, former manager of the Western Agencies Company, a San Francisco adjunct of the insurance com-pany. Mr. Raiff testified that in a pany. Mr. Raiff testified that in a recent conversation at Sacramento. Tyree had admitted to him that when the report was made to the Secretary of Utah there was a deficit of \$28,000 in the company's treasury, and that to avoid showing this deficit it was necessary to keep the books open after December 31, 1904, which was the date of the report to the Secretary of State. It was some weeks after this date before the report was

filed.
Through Mr. Raiff, the prosecution introduced a letter from Mr. Tyree to Mr. Raiff, written since the institution of the criminal action, in which Tyree stated that he hoped to influence the County Attorney to dismiss the action and that in this effort he had the assistance of the leading business mea and financiers of Salt Lake City.
William E. Block, private secretary to Samuel Newhouse; Philip Harding, former bookkeeper of the insurance company, and Dr. H. N. Mayo identified checks drawn in favor of the insurance company subsequent to December II, 1904.

company subsequent to December 31, 1904, but which appear in the company's books as having been received prior to that

ing Attorney admitted that he had failed to make out a case against Mr. Wylie, and the charge against him was dismiss Tyree will begin tomorrow morning.

MANSFIELD WILL RETIRE

Actor Plans to Quit Stage Before Powers Wane.

BOSTON, Feb. 33.-Richard Mansfield BONTON. Feb. 23.—Richard Mansheld tenight authorized the statement that he had formulated plans for retiring from the stage. It is Mr. Mansfield's intention to play in three more seasons, ending his theatrical career in the Spring of 1969. Mr. Mansfield is a comparatively young man, being less than 50 years old. It is his desire, he says, to retire from the stage before his dramatic powers wane and before the present strain on his ner-vous energies shatters his health. Beyond his three remaining seasons Mr.

ond his three remaining seasons Mr. pects to make a tour of the world, how ever, and it is probable he will give some attention to literary work. Two of the eading American universities have offered the actor chairs in their faculties but it is not known that he will accept

FEELING MORE AMICABLE

Delegates at Algeeiras Hopeful of Peaceful Outcome.

ALGECIRAS, Spain, Feb. 23,-The first feeling of depression over Germany's re-jection of the French proposals is grad-ually wearing off, and a slightly more hopeful feeling is observable among the delegates. This is due largely to the ami-cable spirit shown between the French and German delegates during the formal debates on the Moreccan hank execution. The discussion will be continued tomor-

row.

The deadlock on the question of policing Morocco is unchanged, but the improved feeling also extends to that question.

ADVISED TO MOVE.

(Continued From First Page.) R. Shafter, who commanded the United R. Shafter, who commanded the United States Army in Cuba during the Spanish-American War, passed through here yes-terday on his way from a hunt in Mexico, to his California home. Discussing the Chinese situation and the possibility of intervention by the United States, he

"If there was an uprising in China this country could not get sufficient furces in the field to make a showing. There are many troops in the Philippines, but they would not be available for a clash with the Chinese. The danger, if there is any, is to the Americans situated far inland. If they were attacked, it would be all over before the United States

could get troops to the spot.
"So far as the naval forces are con-cerned it is different. The Navy is well equipped. At Manila along the coast of Japan and Chins, and at other conveni-ent points in the Orient, the United States has ships which could be brought to bear on China and enough to meet all

"Do you believe that China has a griev-ance against the United States?" the General was asked.

declared. "For years the Chinese have been subjected to every possible indignity by our officials. It has been scandalous. Theodore Roosevelt recognizes it and has issued instructions, which ought to bring about some improvement.

"The boycott is useless. We have seen in this country how little power there is in it. A man will buy where he wishes. After the indignities which China has received at our hands we have no reason to expect her to continue to buy our to expect her to continue to buy our goods. But for all that, the Chinese are goods. But for all that, the Chinese are not likely, in my opinion, to cause an uprising. They would not dare make an attack upon the diplomatic service, and the only danger would be inland. The Americans on the coast and in the larger cities are safe enough. Farther inland no military force could be brought to bear in time to avert threatened blood-shed."

ROCKHILL FEARS NO TROUBLE

Says Government Will Prevent Hos tile Acts Against Foreigners.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22 .- The Secretary of State has received a telegram from Mr. Rockhill. Minister to China, slating that he and his celleagues see no cause for undue apprehension con-cerning the situation in China. While ness always necessary, they believe the published reports of uneasiness to be without cause. Missionary trou-bles are not more frequent than usual,

it is said, and are due, as wan the Shanghai riot, to local causes. Mr. Rockhill says the Chinese government appreciates the importance of preventing hostilities to foreigners; that it has recently been cautioned by Japan in this respect, and has declared its determination to insure their safe-ty under all circumstances. The dispatch adds that, while the boycott may continue with local friction, nothing more serious is anticipated by those

on the ground.

A propounced general feeling of determination is noted on the part of the
Chieses to secure complete economic
exploitation of their empire.

Appeals for Patriotic Fund.

LONDON Feb 24-The Tribune's Tiensin correspondent says:
"The placards which aroused the appr hensions of foreigners here are appeals for subscriptions to a patriotic fund to redeem the 'Boxer' indemnity. It is sup-

PORTLAND BOYS DEFEATED

Y. M. C. A. BASKET-BALL TEAM BEATEN BY WESTMINSTER.

Second Evening's Play at Royal City Develops Fact Score Is 14 to 9 in Fine Game.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., Feb. 21 Again today the Westminster basket-ball live carried off the trophy and defeated the Y. M. C. A team from Portland by a score of it to 9 points. If last evening's play was brilliant, both teams did even better this evening, and kept a ripple of certification provides the mediate. enthuslasm running through the spectators' gallery from start to finish. Protty passing, clean checking and accurate shooting were marked features of the game, while swiftness characterized every

minster advance ground as soon as they got the ball instead or standing on the man. In this way the Westminster men were free to play on goal from long dis-tance, which is a feature of the local

Referee Mackie, of Portland, was most impartial in his rulings, but his work was not difficult, as both teams played fairly. Portland team guards, Freemand and Russell; center, Hartman; forwards, Pugh and Stokes. Westminster team guards. Spring and Peele; center. W. Turnbull; forwards, L. Turnbull and I. Wintermute: referee, M. Mackle. Goals for Westmin ster scored by W. Turnbull 2, L. Turn-bull 2, Pecie 1, Spring 1; goals for Port-land scored by Hartman 2, Stoke 1 and

JAPANESE OPPRESS COREA

SHOOT AND HANG ALL WHO OB-JECT TO BEING ROBBED.

Missionary Says Country Is Reduced to Slavery and Emperor

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.-Archdeacon W. Jeffries, an Episcopalian minister, who has just returned from the Orient, says that the Coreans are being greatly oppressed by the victorious Japanese. "When a Corean objects to the confisca-tion of his property," the minister says, "he is falsely charged with being a spy, and is probably shot or hanged the same

fries says, "are of a horrible nature," and he has brought with him a number of photographs to prove the truth of his assertions. He says that even women are not immune, and that it is no uncommon sight to see them suspended by the neck on one of the streets of a Corean city. The bodies, he says, are allowed to hang in the streets for days as a warning to

the inhabitants. "The Coreans," adds the archdeacon, "are reduced to a state of abject slavery. and have been robbed of everything they possessed. The Corean Emperor lives in terror of the Japanese, and he has frequently called upon our legation guard to watch over him during the night. He charges the Japanese with the murder of his wife, and fears that he will meet the same fair as whe did." same fate as she did."

CONVENTION TO BE CALLED Iowa Senate Favors Move for Direct

Election of Senators.

DES MOINES, Ia., Peb. 23.—The Senate today adopted the Lewis resolution authorizing Governor Cuminists to call a convention of representatives of the several states of the Union in July to device means to secure amendment of devise means to secure amendment of the Federal Constitution so that United States Senators may be elected by the people instead of by the Legislatures.

Hadley Still Does Not Give Up.

"Do you believe that China has a grievnee against the United States?" the
cheral was asked.
"Grievance! Of course, she has," he
discurrence was taken until tomorrow.

(Centinued From First Page.)

ers, and all indications are that the same rigid surveillance under which the prisoners are now being kept will be maintained until after the grand jury has acted.

Tomorrow morning the prisoners will again be taken to Caldwell. Their attorneys will insist upon this knowing that little will be accomplished there. This



Charles H. Moyer, President Western Federation Miners,

will be done to give the men a relief from their close confinement. It will en-able them to get some exercise. They will again be taken to Caldwell on Feb-ruary 27, unless indictments shall have been returned against them before that posed that the fund may be capable of date, use for other ends."

Ordered to Keep Mum.

Major McParland, of the Pinkerter agency, arrived here tonight from Denver for the purpose of appearing before the grand Jury. McParland is not doing as much talking as he did in Denver. It is understood that he was ordered by telegraph to "put on the lid and keep it on." He seems to be trying hard to do so, but it is believed that when he and Capitain. Swain, of the Thiel agency, meet, there will be plenty of talk for everyhely. Me. will be plenty of talk for everybody, Parland stated tonight that Captain Swain was claiming to have run the Federation officers to earth and intim that Swain had little to do with the case. Since the arrest of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone and other members of the Federation, there has been a great deal of peculation among the people here as to whether the arrests were made upon Harry Orchard's confession. secution has been extremely mun against the prisoners is "a hundred per cent etronger" than Orchard's confession.

Have Other Strong Evidence.

In fact, the arrest of the three Federa tion officers and of the others, which fol-lowed, were contemplated before Orchards confession was obtained, it is said. The confession simply strengthened the case against the negt under arrest. In his petitions Attorney Richardson states that when arrested Petilboge had The general impression last evening was that Poytland lost on account of the long trip the boys endured pripr to the game, but this evening's game proved that the visitors were outclassed by the Canadians principally in forward work. The backs fed the forwards continually, the local team being on the aggressive, and the strain of almost the entire play fell to the Portland backs.

On the other side the forwards did the majority of the work, falling in the back line whenever occasion called and in several instances scoring on long shots from behind center. These long shots baffled the visitors, who would rush the Westminster advance ground as soon as they

It is upon this information, it is unde stood, that a change of the charge from murder to conspiracy will be presented to the grand jury, and upon which the pro-ecution will ask for verdicts of death. Some excitement was occasioned here when it was reported that Harry Orchard had been taken ill with pneumonia.

Preumonia Is Threatened.

The severe cold which Orchard contracted several days ago has grown worse, and late tonight it is reported that he is considerably worse. He has a temperature of 104, and it is feared that he will be stricken with oncumonia. Dr. Collister, the prison physician, was called up yesterday, and found Orchard suffering from a severe cold, such as is epidemic at the Penitentiary. Early this evening the physician stated that he believed that Orchard would soon recover, but dur-ing the night his condition grew

worse.

Since his arrest and confession Orchard has been under a terrible Orchard has been under a terrible mental strain, and it is believed that this has had much to do with ander-mining his constitution. His close confinement has also been against him, and fears are expressed tonight



among the prosecution's attorneys that Orchard's illness may prove fatal. While they contend they will be able to obtain a conviction against the men under arrest, it is generally believed convictions could not be had without his testimony. without his testimony,

HAVE DYNAMITERS' CODE.

Detectives Say Great Light Is Thrown on Orchard Case.

BOISE, Idano, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—Detectives have secured the key to the cipher used by the Western Federation of Miners in all correspondence and telegrams. They have in their and telegrams. possession many communications ad-dressed to Orchard and parties at Sli-

ver City, Burke, Ariz, and Waliace, Idaho, besides a number captured in Colorado mining camps.

This code enables the officers to decipher the full history of many crimes committed during the past six years, it is said, and exposes the manner of communication between agents and officers of the Western Federation. Captain Swaln admits this to be the most important feature of all the work done by the detectives.

Attorneys Richardson, Miller and Nugent went to the Penitentiary this morning to interview their clients, Möyer, Haywood, Petitione and St. John and Orchard. They saw all except Orchard, whom the warden refused to permit Lawyer Miller to see, though the latter made a formal demand. The excuse given was that Orchard was too sick to be seen.

Attorney Richardson demanded further litherites for his clients and entered strenuous objections to the maniered strenuous objections to the

iered strenuous objections to the man-ner of their treatment. The lid has been screwed down so tight that the been screwed down so tight that the prisoners are not permitted to consult with each other, and the lawyers are compelled to talk with each individual separately.

Richardson is preparing papers to file in the United States Court to compel the authorities to make more liberal rules for the treatment of his clients, also to test the state's right to

clients; also to test the state's right to kidnap them in Colorado and bring them to Idaho. them to Idaho.

Ail the prisoners are to be taken to Caldwell on a special train tomorrow, when a grand jury will be impanelled, except possibly Orchard, who is reported very ill, though the prison physician has not been summoned. Miller claims the report is a ruse of the prosecutiuen to prevent his seeing his client, and will ask an order of court to compel the warden to admit him to to compel the warden to admit him to

HAS ORCHARD'S CONFESSION Detective McParland Will Lay It Be-

DENVER. Colo., Feb. 23.-Detective ames McParland has left for Idaho. with all the documentary evidence the Steunenberg murder case, including Harry Orchard's confession, in his possession. He will testify before the grand jury, which is to begin its investigation next Monday. He will be the principal witness, and his examination will probably occupy a full day or two. Before leaving he asserted that no one could wish the accused federation officials a fair trial more than himself, but declared he is amply

able to prove his charges. Orchard's confession, a copy of which is on file in this city, embraces 104 pages, closely typewritten, and contains fully 25,000 words. It was se-



Alighted From Train at Boise. Fold-ed Hands Indicate the Handcuffs.

cured by McParland, with his stenographer, while he interviewed Orchard in the penitentiary at Boise, Idaho. It is signed and sworn to, and the main points embraced therein are said to have been fully corroborated. The doc ument will comprise the basis of the trial of Moyer, Haywood, Pettibone and others.

Suspect Green Released.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo., Feb. 22 Edward Green, the miner who was ar-rested Monday, supposedly upon warrants or instructions from Idaho as a result of the investigation of the Steunenbers assassination, was released today by the District Court. No charge of any kind had been filed against him. Green declares he will sue for damages for false arrest and imprisonment.

General Wells Gives Opinion.

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 23.-Adjutant-General Bulkley Wells, of Colorado, returned to Denver today from Caldwell, Idaho, where he took Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone. He declares the case looks bad for the officials, as the authorities have conclusive evidence against them. He thinks they will get a speedy trial, and that their conviction will result.

Orchard's Oregon Record BAKER CITY, Or., Feb. 21.-A photograph of Harry Orchard, under arrest in Idaho charged with the assassination of

ex-Governor Frank Steunenberg, has been identified here as the likeness of a man who, under the name of Porter, was acmitted in 1894 on the charge of dynamit-BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 23.-Five thousand

BUTTE, Mont., Feb. 22.—Five thousand dollars has been appropriated by the Mill and Smeltermen's Union of this city to aid in the defense of Charles H. Moyer, Hay-wood, Pettibone and Orchard, who are

suspected of the murder of ex-Governor nberg, of Idaho.

BURGLAR TAKES FLIGHT Abandons Plunder From Belmont-

Street Grocery Store.

Prightened by neighbors who chased him eight blocks before he escaped, a burglar who broke into the grocery store of H. C. Hardman at 998 Belmont street, last night, was compelled to leave his plunder behind and flee for his life. A telephone box containing a quantity of nickels was broken open and eight boxes of cigars were taken and eight boxes of cigars were taken from a showcase by the burgiar. En-trance to the store was gained by pry-ing up a rear window.

ing up a rear window.

Persons living near the store became aware of the attempted robbery and gave an alarm. The man escaped from the place before it could be surrounded and the crowd took after him. His fleetness saved him from capture. Woman Charged With Robbery.

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Hemstitched Linens

Silk "Argent Cour" "All the world loves a

lover." The whole world read with all-absorbing in-50c Wash Silks 35c terest of the wedding of the daughter of President Roose-White, cream and leading colvelt to the Honorable Nicholas Longworth. In the old days and even recently in the monarchies of the world

such an event was commemorated by striking a special coin of the realm. In this country such compliment and honor fittingly come from the people. Thus we find the William

Silver Gray

Strange Co., the silk manufacturers of America who were chosen to weave the silk fabric of which the wedding dress has been made, have commemorated the occasion by producing a special color in silk and naming it "Argent Cour." This new color is an exquisite silvery gray. It has just left the looms and is shown on sale for the first time in our silk store today.

\$1.00 Embroideries 25c

Thousands of yards of these wonderful embroidery bargains have been sold during the past week. Flounce and corset cover embroideries; value to \$1.

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Our celebrated genuine golden fleece silk floss Cushions at the following reduced prices: 16-in., reg. 30c—Special...25¢ 18-in., reg. 35e—Special...29¢ 20-in., reg. 50c—Special...42¢ 22-in., reg. 55e-Special... 45¢ 24-in., reg. 65e-Special... 55¢ 26-in., reg. 80e-Special... 68¢

30-in, hemstitched linen Squares. 20-in, hemstitched linen Squares regular 25c, at18¢ 18x15-inch hemstitched linen Searfs, regular 40c, at... 25¢ 1000 16-inch Battenberg Doilies. real value 50c, at35¢

ors in Wash Silks, regular 50e

Rush Shopping Bags 7c 3000 of the favorite Rush Shopping Baskets, the kind you have always bought at 10e and 15e; buy all you want at 7¢

Gas Mantles 25c Gas Mantles 15¢

\$1.50 Linen Cloths 89c 8-4 all-linen Tablecloths, haif bleached, border on four sides, strong linen; real value \$1.5089¢

Improved Lunch Boxes 7c 2000 Improved Lunch Boxes, patent fastening, strong, durable, at7¢

Souvenir Pictures 10c Souvenir Indian and Chinese Pictures, covered with glass and bound with passepartout;

bargain 10¢ 25c Men's Hosiery 17c A wide range of styles, designs and colorings to choose from; bargains in men's Hosiery that

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44-inch English Mohair Sieilians, extra heavy quality for dresses, waists, etc.; black, navy, myrtle, gray; also 38inch cream in plain and fig-

75c Neckwear at 19c

Ladies' Neckwear in all the very latest up-to-date effects of Tabs, Jabots, Turnovers, lawn, linen and silk embroidered designs, also novelty lace neckwear; values to 75c. at .. 19¢

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Ladies' fancy figured Flannelette Dressing Sacques, with fitted linings in gray, navy and black; sizes 34 to 44; \$1.00 quality, at69¢

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brackets; great bargain at .. 7¢ \$2.50 Lace Curtains \$1.53 Scotch Lace Curtains in Brus-

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UNDER CROSS FIRE

Garfield Answers Questions of Trust Lawyers.

INFORMATION GIVEN MOODY

Commissioner Says It Came From Accusers of Packers, Not From Packers Themselves_Evidence of Violation.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.-Commissioner of Corporations Garfield was subjected to a severe cross-examination in the packers' case today, and was still on the stand when court adjourned. During the examnation, he admitted that he had turned over to the Department of Justice som information which had been secured dur-ing the investigation of the beef industry, but asserted that it was nothing which had any direct bearing on the case now on hearing. The information given by the Department of Justice, he said, had been received by the agents of the department from men all over the country claiming to have information of the violation of law by the defendants. No in-formation obtained from the packers was given to the Department of Justice.

Previous to the cross-examination by Mr. Hynes, District Attorney Morrison took up the matter of the alleged turning over of data by Mr. Garfield to the Deent of Justice. He asked Mr. Garfield to give a complete statement on thi

point.
"Information relative to the beef in-dustry," said Mr. Garfield, "was from time to time reported by me to the President. Some of it was in the form of verbal reports and others in the form of written reports. Certain portion of that information the President directed me to give to the Attorney-General. Those por-tions which he directed me to give, I did, from time to time, turn over to the At-torney-General."
"What information was it?"

"It was information having to do with the statements that had been received by my agents from different men all over the country, either claiming to have knowledge or offering information as to alleged violations of the infunction or as to alleged violations of law."

FARMERS MAY ALL STRIKE

Call for 200,000 to Hold Out for Dollar Wheat.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 23 .- A strike of the 260,000 farmers composing the American Society of Equity, an organ ization with headquarters in Indian-apolis, has been called for March 1. Every one who responds to this call will agree to withhold from marketing any agricultural products excepting at prices that are up to the level decreed as equitable by the officials of this organization.

This organization claims that the Charged with larceny from the person, Emma Carpenter, a resident of the restricted district, was locked up in the city jail last night on complaint of George Johns, who says that \$35 was taken from him.

stand together. Kansas and Minnesota are being flooded with copies of this call. It is the claim of the organization that if these states hold out for higher prices the movement will be a success.

they are entitled to and can get if they

COUNTY DEPOSITS. Ohlo Legislative Committee Extorts Admission From Both Parties of "Expressions of Appreciation."

HOW CINCINNATI BANKS GOT

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 23.-County Treasurer Hynicka received about \$30,000 in gratuities from various banks for deposits of public funds, according to his testimony today before the commission appointed by the State Senate to investigate the public offices of Cincinnati and Hamilton County. The three Democratic members of the commission, Senators Drake, Espy and Schmidt, were assisted by Philip Roettinger, an attorney, the two Republicans who had been named to

serve with them having resigned. Before the testimony of Mr. Hynicka several bankers had testified to the payment of gratuitles to various persons con-nected with the County Treasurer's office. such payments being an expression of ap-preciation for the deposit of public funds. None of the witnesses were permitted the advice of attorneys, nor were attor-news allowed to represent any of the officlais whose offices were to be investigated, but the chairman of the committee, Sen. ator Drake, announced that the order may be revoked later.

FLOODED BY ICE GORGE

Rapid Rise of River Swamps Town and Extinguishes Lights.

STERLING, Ill., Feb. 33.-An ice gorge in Rock River raised the water ten feel in a few minutes today, doing damage estimated at \$150,000. Part of the new steel wagon bridge was carried out, and two other bridges are threatened between Sterling and Rock Falls. A portion of the Chicago & Northwestern tracks west of Sterling was washed out. The low lands west of Sterling are

flooded, and many families in Sterling were taken from the top stories of their homes in boats. The city gas and electric light plants are shut down, and wa-ter is standing in the boiler-rooms of sev-eral plants. Over 1000 men are idle as a esult of the enforced shutdown.

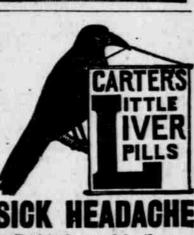
Disabled Torpedo-Boat Rescued. NORPOLK, Va., Feb. 23.-The torpedo-

the Norfolk Navy-yard late this afteroor from sea by the naval tog Mohawk, with her engines completely disabled. The Winslow left New York Tuesday for this station, and suffered three oreakdowns during her voyage. She was reported to Cape Henry this afternoon as being in distression wills southeast of the listress ten miles southeast of that pe and asking for assistance from Norfolk. The Navy-yard was immediately notified and the Mohawk rushed to the scene.

Icebergs Off Grand Banks.

ST. JOHN. N. F., Feb. 23.-Incoming ships bring reports of large logbergs and extensive flocs off the Grand Banks. The bergs and flocs are supposed to be the advance of the Arctic ice pack, which is un-





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