BUFFALO BANK

CONTROLLER DAWES APPOINTS A RECEIVER FOR CITY NATIONAL.

Embarrassment Due to Injudicious Loans-Loss to Depositors May Not Be Heavy.

WASHINGTON, June 29 .- Controller of the Currency Dawes late tonight appoint-ed a temporary receiver for the City National Bank, of Buffalo. The following statement was made by Mr. Dawes to-

"A recent examination of the City National Bank of Buffalo, made by a special examiner, showed a serious condition of affairs existing in the bank. In order that this report might be thoroughly veri-fied, the Controller on Friday sent A. D. Lynch, of this office, together with another examiner, to Buffalo to make a careful re-examination of the condition of the bank. On Friday, Mr. Lynch telegraphed the Controller that the former report was sustained in all particulars, and thereupon

the Controller wired him as follows:
"The condition of this bank is so serious that I cannot consent to its reopen ing for business Monday morning unless sufficient assets to pay depositors in full are satisfactorily guaranteed. The bank is certainly insolvent, and I have no right under these circumstances to permit the withdrawal of deposits by delay in action. If the directors think that their efforts from this time until banking hours Mon-day morning are not sufficient to provide means to rehabilitate the bank, notify me, and I will appoint a receiver imme

In accordance with the tenor of this dispatch and reports from Buffalo, the Controller has appointed E. J. Vaughan, National Bank Examiner, as temporary receiver of the bank. The failure of the bank is due to injudicious loans. It is not thought that the loss to depositors will

be large.

The following is a statement of the resources and liabilities of the City National Bank of Buffalo, as shown by the report of its condition at the close of business, April 24, 1901;

Liabilities— Capital stock Surplus and undivided profits Circulation outstanding Due to trust companies and sav- ings banks	287,550
Due to National banks and bank- ers Dividends unpaid Individual deposits United States deposits	1,110,110 78 1,567,694
Total liabilities Resources— Loans and discounts Stocks, securities, claims, etc., including real estate U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits Premiums on U. S. bonds. Banking-house, furniture and fix- tures Cash on hand and with other banks Five per cent fund and due from United States Treasury	2,258,375 107,468 200,000 200,000 9,243 184,500
Total resources	3,802,301

Caused Surprise in Buffalo.

BUFFALO, June 29.—The announcement from Washington tonight that a receiver had been appointed for the City National Bank, of this city, came as a great sur-prise to the business interests of Buffalo, and even to some of the directors of the bank. Its president, W. C. Cornwell, was for a number of years president of the State Bankers' Association, and is regarded as one of the ablest bankers of the state. Up to a year ago the bank was known as the City Bank of Buffalo. It was then made a National bank,

A PROSPEROUS YEAR.

Government Receipts Were \$76,000, 000 Over Disbursements.

WASHINGTON, June 29,-The comparative statement of the Government receipts distribution of black-leg vaccine by the and expenditures for the fiscal year ended today will show an excess of receipts over will be continued this Summer. The dedisbursements of approximately \$76,000,000. partment has secured a large supply, with This is only about \$4,000,000 below the estimate made by Congress at the beginning made and it is stated by the specialist in of the last session in December, 1900, at charge that in all probability all orders which time the Secretary estimated that the receipts from customs would be about \$245,000,000. The final figures which will be issued next Monday will probably fall interests, but this objection made little short of this amount by about \$5,000,000. impression, for the ground was taken that The receipts from internal revenue the department is just as much justified sources were estimated last December at in distributing vaccine as it is in distrib-\$300,000,000, while the final figures show over \$307,000,000. The receipts from miscellaneous sources were estimated at \$34 .-600,000. These will also show a con The expenditures for the year will be \$7,000,000 in excess of the esnate. During the fiscal year 1900 the surplus revenues amount to nearly \$24 -000,000 while the surplus of the pre will reach \$76,000,000, and possibly still higher figure.

In view of the fact that the revenue re duction bill passed at the last session of Congress will go into operation at the be-ginning of the fiscal year next Monday. Preasury officials estimate that the loss from this source will be about \$40,000,000 It is not expected, however, that the net reduction from this source will reach that amount, as these officials look forward to a year of even greater prosperity than the year just closing. If this expectation is realized, the officials believe that the revenues from internal sources alone will be not greater than \$30,000,000 below the figof the present year. It is also con fidently expected that the receipts from customs will materially increase during the coming 12 months, so that, allowing for the reduction made in the last revenue bill, the total receipts from all sources even reach or exceed those of the fiscal year of 1901.

ITALIAN DEMANDED PROTECTION.

Resident of Wyoming in Fear of

Mob Violence. WASHINGTON, June 29.—At the request of the Italian Charge d'Affaires, the State Department has used its good offices to protect from violence Dr. Glocomo, an Italian residing in Wyoming. The doctor is accused by the local authe thorities of an offense against a woman, He was arrested and brought before a local judge, who showed a purpose to release the accused on bail. This brought out much local clamor, and there were fears that the accused would be lynched. This led to the application by the Italian authorities in Washington. The State Department having made inquiry, has learned that there is no immediate ap prehension of violence to Giocomo. The State Department, as is the usual course in dealing with a criminal matter arising under state jurisdiction, addressed the Governor of Wyoming, informing him of the representations made by the Italian Charge. In reply, the Governor stated the situation was not serious and that the state authorities would take due precautions to avoid violence.

LARAMIE, Wyo., June 29 .- A special from Grand Encampment says the shafthouse of the Crescent Copper Company's mine in that camp has been totally destroyed by fire. A. R. Coombs, formerly of Laramie, and Charles Booker, of Love-Colo., in endeavoring to extinguish flames were smothered. The fire the flames were smothered. burned very fiercely and did its work in a short time. The efforts of the other mineworkers were unavailing to rescue the two

Horses Bought by Haggins, NEW YORK, June 28.-According to the World the owner of Water Color and

at the sale, but it has become known that J. B. Haggin was the purchaser and that he will race them in his name and under his colors in the future. Water Color brought \$23,000. He was a star of the sale, and, as in the case of Water Cure and Sweet Lavender, was bred by Mr. Haggin.

ST. LOUIS FAIR SITE,

National Commissioners Approved It and Then Adjourned.

ST. LOUIS, June 29 .- The World's Fa'r National Commission, at its session last night approved the Forest Park site and adjourned. There will not be another seasion of the body until the question of plan and scope of the exposition have made such progress as to necessitate another

meeting. Commissioners Miller, Lindsay, Betts, Glynn and Allen left today for their re-spective homes. President Carter and Mr. Scott will remain and accept the invitation of the local committee to accompany them to Buffalo on Sunday. Mr. Thurston will remain in the city until tomorrow, when he will leave for his home

It was stated after the meeting that the several sessions of the commission have been devoted not so much to the question of site as to other matters. It develops that the site has not been seriously question since the legal committee of the commission examined the title to the park, and a decision of the Supreme Courf defining the purposes for which the park might be used. Senator Lindsay, one of the legal committee, announced that there could not be any well-founded opposition to the park, for the use of the exposition, and that the law in the case was simple and well defined. The commission thereupon approved the site, and after formulating an official declaration of the commission's powers and authority, adjourned subject to the call of the chairman.

It was decided by the National Com-missioners and the Exposition officers that the Louisiana Purchase Exposition should include an international livestock exhibit. It was also decided to proceed with the ethnological exhibits, which one of the members of the commission recently outlined.

TUNNEL CAVED IN.

Narrow Escape of Passengers in an Express Train.

BALTIMORE, June 39 .- The roof of the Union Railroad tunnel in the eastern sec-tion of the city, used and controlled by the Pennsylvania Railroad, caved in shortly before 2 o'clock this morning. It is supposed that a defect in the arch of the tunnel caused the accident.

A narrow escape from death or serious injury was experienced by the passengers and crew of an express train which was caught by the falling debris in the tun-nel. The train was the regular northbound express, which leaves Union sta-tion at 1:08 o'clock in the morning, consisting of three baggage and express cars and three passenger coaches. As far as can be learned, the avalanche of earth and rocks caught the rear express car, which was immediately in front of the passenger cars. The train was not running rapidly and the jar was not severe. The engineer quickly brought his train to a full stop and word was sent from a sig. nal tower to the Union station. A yard engine was sent into the tunnel and the thinly filled passenger coaches were drawn back to Union station without the occupants being aware of the danger

through which they had passed,

The houses on each side seem perilously
close to the brink, and should any further cave-in occur, they must be precipitated into the cavity below.

BLACK LEG VACCINE.

Government Will Distribute It Free Again This Year.

WASHINGTON, June 21 .- In spite of the storm of protest that was raised at the last session of Congress, against the free ponents of this free distribution that the Government was interfering with private the department is just as much justified uting seeds. Applicants for black-leg vaccine will as heretofore make applica tion through their Representative or Senator, making affidavit as to the number of their cattle. The supply allowed each individual is governed by his request, and the number of cathe he may own. is no regular basis for the distribution.

David Hirsch.

NEW YORK, June 29,-David Hirsch. president of the Defiance Cigar Company, is dead at his home in this city. His death was due to a bad fall a week ago. In 1848 he came to America and made his home in St. Louis. He enlisted in the Confederate Army as a Captain in the Civil War. Mr. Hirsch, among an interesting collection of souvenirs of the war, had a num-ber of letters written to him by Jefferson Davis. He was born 73 years ago in Baden, Germany. He calisted in the French Army before coming to America and served for a number of years in Africa.

Traffic Stopped by Cloudburst. LOWELTON, Me., June 29.-Two miles of road bed and bridges on the Canadian Pacific Railroad at Bury Province, Que-bec, have been washed away by a cloudburst, houses are flooded and miles of highway destroyed. It is reported that in some places the water was 30 feet deep. No lives were lost. All trains on this see tion of the Canadian Pacific Road are at a standstill, and on the Quebec Central the conditions are reported nearly as seri.

Wu Will Deliver the Oration. WASHINGTON, June 29 .- The Chinese Minister has not taken cognizance of the reported protest by certain individuals against his delivering the Fourth of July raton at Philadelphia. The authorities n charge of the celebration have not brought the matter to his attention, and in the circumstances he is going to keep the appointment which was made some

months ago.

WICHITA, Kan., June 30.—The Rock Island elevator in this city burned to the bround this (Sunday) morning, and the blaze was transferred to a lot of freight cars near by, but only a few of them were destroyed. The fire at 2:30 was under control. No estimate can be accurately made of the loss, as nobody is at hand who can tell the amount of grain it con-

General Butterfield Failing NEWBURG, N. Y., June 29.-General Butterfield, who has been ill at his home in Cold Springs for about a month, is now rapidly failing. Dr. Mordeu, who is attending him, says that the patient falled considerably yesterday and today owing, in a small degree, to the excessive heat. The physician does not believe

The Emery Syndicate. EASTON, Pa., June 29.—The Emery yndicate, of which the Jackson Emery Syndicate, of which the Jackson Emery Mills, of Easton, is one of the four firms that practically control the trade in this country, will go into effect July 1, under horses recently sold by C. the name of the Ashland Emery Mills, is J. B. Haggin. Davy Lewis R. Speers, of Boston, is president. held, Jr., is J. B. Haggin. Davy Lewis R. Speers, of Boston, is presidenon, a bookmaker, bought the horses The capital of the syndicate is \$400,000.

PLAGUE DEATHS IN INDIA

SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND IN THE PAST FIVE YEARS.

Eighteen Million Pounds Expended for the Relief of Famine Sufferers During 1899-1900.

LONDON, June 29.-A bluebook on India just issued shows that £18,280,000 was expended for the relief of famine sufferers during the year 1829-1900. The mortality from the plague for the five years ending March, 1901, was nearly 600,000. The census completed in March, 1901, shows that the increase in population during the past 10 years was only 5,000,000 to 6,000,000, in-stead of the normal 19,000,000. The loss represents deaths in consequence of the

RUSSIA WILL BUILD IT.

Road to Connect St. Petersburg

With the Siberian Line. ST. PETERSBURG, June 14.-The determination of the government to construct the much-talked-of Viatka Rail road which is to connect St. Petersburg directly with the Siberian Railroad, on its own account, seems to have been reached as a last resort. The concession was offered, with more or less official sanction, to half a dozen American capi-talistic groups. Owing to the sparseness and poverty of the population in the provinces to be traversed, the interest aroused was never more than lukewarm. One group, represented, it is said, by Mr. Crane, of Chicago, made a conditional

crowd unharnessed the horses from the lecturer's carriage and drew the vehicle to his hotel. After the ovation to the lecturer, the crowd started for the British legation, but was dispers

Heated Debate in Italian Chamber. ROME, June 29 .- The debate in the Chamber of Deputies today on the con-flict at Ferrara, June 27, between agricultural strikers and soldiers, some of the former being killed, became so heated that the president was obliged to suspend the meeting. Later tranquility was restored and the session was subsequently resumed. Signor Guicardinni, reporter of the budget committee, announced a reve. nue surplus of 30,000,000 lire, exceeding the most optimistic forecast. The Chamber adjourned with a great Loyalist demon-stration, a message of congratulation being sent to King Victor Emmanuel and cheers being given for the president of the Chamber and the Ministers.

Americans Buying Diamonds.

LONDON, June 29.—Proof of American prosperity is illustrated by the activity of American gem buyers. In every diamond market in Europe they are seeking to secure precious stones for the American market. A climax was reached in Lon-don this week, when a New York buyer secured the Prince Edward of York diamond, regarded as one of the most perfect diamonds which has ever appeared in London. This pear-shaped stone of matchless color and purity weighs 801/2 karats. The American paid £20,000 cash

Irish Hid the King's Portrait.

DEPTFORD, Junt 29.-At a meeting of the United Irish League here tonight John Dillon denounced fiercely the government and the war in South Africa. During the Mr. Crane, of Chicago, made a conditional progress of the meeting the delegates from offer. It would discuss matters, provided Bermendsey marched in, carrying ban-



rolling-stock and other materials might be imported from the United States. This condition could not be considered. The idle Russian manufacturers would have protested strongly.

The talk of another foreign loan—this

time it is a German loan—is, the cor-respondent of the Associated Press is in-formed on good authority, somewhat misleading for the reason that the Minister of Finance pledged his word to the Roths-childs, when the last loan was made, not to engage Russian credit further at present. This precludes the issuance of guar-anteed railroad bonds. The French loan is proving insufficient. It is only a drop of water on the parched tongues of the iron industrialists, whose main stay is government orders. It will have to do for the present, however, and it is not expected that new railroad work will advance rapidly. The Vlatka road will probably only be surveyed this year.

BLUE BOOK ON FARM BURNING. Correspondence Between Lord Rob-

erts and the Boer Authorities. LONDON, June 29 .- A blue book was issued this morning giving the correspon-dence between Lord Roberts and the Boer authorities on the subject of the destruction of property. Its contents are gen-erally known.

The presidents of the Transvasi and Orange Free State February 3, 1900, pro-tested against "the destruction and de-vastation of farms by barbarians, encouraged by British officers and by white brigands, contrary to the usages of war." Later, Generals Botha and Dewet made similar complaints of the "Godless bar-barities and atrocities of the British and their robber patrols." Lord Roberts replied in a similar vein to all the protests, eclaring that the British die courage the barbarians but that the burning of farm buildings was necessi-tated by treacherous shooting of the British from farm houses and the wrecking of trains, and accusing the Bo wanton destruction and guerrilla taction, which he was compelled to repress by exceptional measures always employed by civilized nations in like circumstances.

BOERS AT BERMUDA.

Prisoners Generally Satisfied With Their Lot.

HAMILTON, Bermuda, June British transport Armenian, which arrived in these waters yesterday, brought 990 Boer prisoners. She anchored in the Sound half a mile west of Darrell's Island. The gunboats Midway and Medina, guard ships, are anchored on either side of the transport.

Many people in boats sailed around the transport yesterday. Only Government officials are allowed on board. The Boers, from bearded men of 70 to youths of 17, swarm on the forward deck, laugh and wave their hats to the passers-by. Sev-eral of the prisoners inquired eagerly for fruit, tobacco and grog. They say they have no cause to complain of their treat-ment. The sound today is alive with craft carving stores and workmen to the islands where the camps are being prepared to re ceive the Boers, Martial law has been proclaimed or

Dariel's Island and vicinity. oners who were ill have been landed at ports on the island. An attempt at muwas suppressed and the ring-leaders were

Attacks by Boers,

LONDON, June 29.-Lord Kitchener is dispatch from Pretoria today, says: "The Boers attacked two blockhouses on the Delagoa line near Brugspruit Bight June 26. An armored train arrived and scattered the Boers, killing four. It is orted that 20 casualties were carried Field Cornet Depriez has surrendered at Pletermaritzburg, with 44 men.

Phraesology May Be Changed LONDON, June 29 .- The report of the select committee of the House of Lords. appointed to consider the accession de laration of the movereign in regard to the transubstantiation, finds that the lan guage can be advantageously modified without diminishing its efficiency as se curity for the maintenance of the Protestant succession. The form of declaration suggested by the committee does not con-tain phrases relative to idolatry, etc., which are so objectionable to Roman

High Price for Royal Wines. LONDON, June 28 .- The sale of the sur plus wine from the royal cellars has been concluded. The bidding for the last lot was sensational, several lots of pale sherry from Windsor Castle, bottled in 1820, fetching as high at £23 10s per dozen.

London Clothing Factory Burned LONDON, June 29.—Schneider & Sons' clothing factory, in Whitechapel, covering a ground space of two and a half acres, was burned tonight. Loss, £100,000. Two thousand employes are thrown out of cm ployment.

The total proceeds from the same amount

Pro-Boer Demonstration.

BRUSSELS, June 29.—A great pro-Boar demonstration followed the lecture delivered at the Alhambra Theater this even ing by Andries Dewet, a cousin of General Dewet, the Boer commander.

two-thirds of the roadbed, bridges and ners, which they placed behind the speak. er's chair under a portrait of the King. In response to cries of "Cover him up" the banners were hung so as to blot out the

the audience, who cheered heartily.

British Revenue Returns LONDON, June 29,-The revenue returns for the United Kingdom for the quarter ended June 50 show an increase from all sources of £3,481,105, and an increase of £3,086,105 over the returns for the corresponding quarter of 1900. Of the increase, £.,440,000 is derived from the income tax, and £727,000 from the customs.

Suicide of a Lelpsic Banker. LEIPSIC, June 29.-Edward Krohmann, a banker, committed suicide this morning by shooting himself on his estate at Lin-

denau, near here.
Dr. Gentzich, another director of the Leipziger Bank was arrested today at the instance of the Public Prosecutor.

The Gainsborough Portrait. NEW YORK, June 29.-A dispatch from sondon to the World says that J. P. Morgan's friends say that he intends to present the famous Gainsborough portrait of the Duchess of Devonshire, for which he recently paid \$125,000, to the New York Library.

-DOUBLES EVEN IN DEATH.

The Shock of Seeing His Counterpart in His Own Home Killed This Man.

Philadelphia North American, Shock at seeing the corpse of his double brought to his own home as his body ed too much for Thomas Ingham, a etired merchant of Germantown. He die just four weeks later to a day at about the same hour. The death certificate set

forth the same causes, The resemblance between Mr Inghan and William J. Kerns was so marke they were frequently taken for each other They were both 65 years old, with white hair, both walked with a little stoop, and their voices were almost identical in tone, Kerns was a carpenter. He and Mr. Ing-ham knew of the resemblance, and ofter met to laugh over the mistakes made by their friends.

Mr. Kerns died of heart disease in Chestnut Hill car four weeks ago las Monday. There were no papers in pocket to identify him, and a friend Mr. Ingham, seeing the body, identified ! as that of the merchant. This was made more certain when Mr. Ingham's son ar rived and weepingly declared he recognized his father's features, An undertaker was summoned, and the

body was taken to the Ingham home. was dark then, and the son rang the bell. The elder Mr. Ingham stuck his head out of the window and inquired the reason for so many visitors. It was some time be fore he could be informed that it wa thought they had his body downstairs He ran to them and immediately recognized Mr. Kerns.

After the shock of this, Mr. Ingham a hale and hearty old man, visibly wasted away. He said he felt as if the experience had been a warning to him. He had a premonition that his death would fol-low soon. He died Monday about the same hour, and the physicians declare his death was due to heart disease.

Alleged Kidnapers Set at Liberty KANSAS CITY, June 29.—The habeas corpus of Hugh Matthews and S. W. Hill, of this city, who were kidnapped Thursday evening by a Tennessee Sheriff, minated quickly at Springfield, Mo., afternoon. When the case was called the point was raised that the Governor had no right to revoke the warrant for Matthews and Hill. Judge Neville did not care for any extended arguments and quickly ordered the release of the prisoners and they returned home tonight

Plowmakers Strike.

PEORIA, III., June 23.—All the members of the Plow Workers' Union employed in the large plant of the Kingman Plow Company at Ayerville, have gone out on strike and will refuse to return to work until some nonunion men who are working in the machinery depart-ment, are discharged. This strike was ordered by the Federation of Labor with which the union is affiliated. About 250 men walked out.

Quarreled Over Crops.

CATOOSA, I. T., June 29.—Yesterday afternoon at Weer, a small place south of here, four men and a woman engaged in a family quarrel. David Boulton was kill ed and his brother Walter is mortally wounded. Robinson Boulton, the slayer, and his uncle, George H. Boulton and the letter's wife, took to the woods and ar in hiding. It is said that the quarrel started in a dispute about crops.

Jessie Wants Another Trial

ELDORADO, Kan., June 29.-Jessie Morrison's attorneys served notice in court today that they desired to file notion for a new trial. Judge Alkman set the hearing for Saturday next. The defense did not state the grounds upon which they will base their motion for a new trial, but it is supposed to be ir-regularity in impanelling the jury and unjust rulings of the court

Twenty-five vessels will be launched in Lo enburg County, Nova Scotia, this month.

SUFFRAGE ARTICLE SUBMITTED TO THE ALABAMA CONVENTION.

It Provides for an Educational and Property Qualification for Voters -The Socialist Convention.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., June. 29.-The suffrage and elections article of the pro-posed new constitution was submitted to the constitutional convention today. Fol-lowing are the most important sections: "Section 2. To entitle a citizen to vote at any election, he shall have resided in the state at least two years, in the county one year, and in the precinct or ward three months immediately preceding the election at which he offers to vote, and he shall have been duly registered as an elector and shall have paid all poll taxes due from him for the year 1901, and for ach subsequent year. "Section 3. The General Assembly shall

provide for county boards of registration after January, 1903. Until then the boards are to be appointed by the Governor, Au-ditor and Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries, and are to consist of three ditizens.

"Section 4. The following male citizens of this state who are citizens of the United States, 21 years of age or upwards, and who are not discualified under section 7 of this article, shall, upon appli-cation, be entitled to register as electors (during life) prior to the first day of January, 1903; "First-All who have honorably serve

in the land or naval forces of the United States in the War of 1812, or in the war with Mexico, or in any war with the In-dians, or in the Civil War between the states, or who honorably served in the land or naval forces of the Confederate Second-The lawful descendants of persons mentioned in the above section

"Third-All others of good character and who understand the duties of citizensbip and the obligations of the elective franchise.
"Section 6-After the 1st day of January,

1863, the following persons and no others shall be qualified to register as electors, provided they shall not be disqualified under section 7 of this article: "First—Those who can, unless prevented

by physical disability, read and write any article of the Constitution of the United States in the English language, and who,

being physically able to work, have been regularly engaged in some lawful busi-ness or occupation, trade or calling for portrait, to the manifest satisfaction of 12 months next preceding the time they offer to register. "Second-The owner in good faith in his own right, or the husband of a woman who is the owner of 40 acres of land situated in the state, upon which they re-side, or the husband of any woman who is the owner in her own right of real

estate situated in this state of the value of \$300 or more, or the owner or the husband of a woman who is the owner, is her own right, of personal property in this state assessed for taxation at \$300 or provided, that all taxes due by him for the year next preceding the year in which he offers to vote shall have been "Section 7. The following persons shall

be disqualified both from registering and from voting: All idiots and insane per-sons, those who shall be disqualified from voting at the time of the ratification of this constitution, and those who shall have been convicted of treason, arson, murder, embezziement, malfeasance in office, larceny, obtaining property or money un der false pretenses, perjury, subornation of perjury, robbery, assault with intent to rob, forgery, bribery, assault and battery on the wife, bigamy, living in adultery. receiving stolen property, sodomy, incest, upe, miscegenation, crime against nature, or any crime punishable by imprisonment in the penitentiary, or of any infamous crime or crimes involving moral turputude; also persons who shall have been victed as vagrants and tramps, and any person who shall sell or offer to sell his vote or the vote of another, or who shall buy or offer to buy the vote of another in any election by the people, or in any primary election, or to procure the nomi-nation or election of any person to any office, or who shall suborn a witness of

register to secure the registration of any person as an elector. Section 14. The poli tax mentioned ! this article shall be \$1.50 upon each male inhabitant of the state, over the age of 21 years, and under the age of 45 years. not now exempt by law.

THE SOCIALIST CONFERENCE. Majority of the Speakers in Favor of Direct Legislation.

DETROIT, June 29 .- "The National Attitude," divided into several subheads, was the topic discussed by the second National Social and Political Conference. Edwin Burritt Smith, of Chicago, chairman of the American Anti-Imperial Political League, was the first speaker, on "Amer. ca's Position as to Colonies." Mrs. Maris Freeman Gray, of San Francisco, spoke on "Shall We Increase or Decrease the

Army and Navy?" At the night session the conference discussed the general topic of "A Question of Making Progress." H. W. Lawrence, of Salt Lake, read a paper on "What Can Be Secured Along State Lines." Mr. Lawrence advocated the wide dissemination of literature on economic topics as the best means of progressing. "What Can Be Secured by Working on National Lines was responded to by ex-Congressman Jus tin R. Whiting, of St. Clair, Mich. He favored development along the lines of Government ownership of public utilities,

including the coal mines.

In the debate of the various subjects from the floor it seemed to be the opinion of a majority of the speakers that direct legislation would be the first step toward solving the various great economic problems. Mrs. Nancy B. Irving, of Chi cago, took occasion severely to criticis W. C. T. U., saying that the compulsory prohibition which they contended for would not accomplish any bettermen of

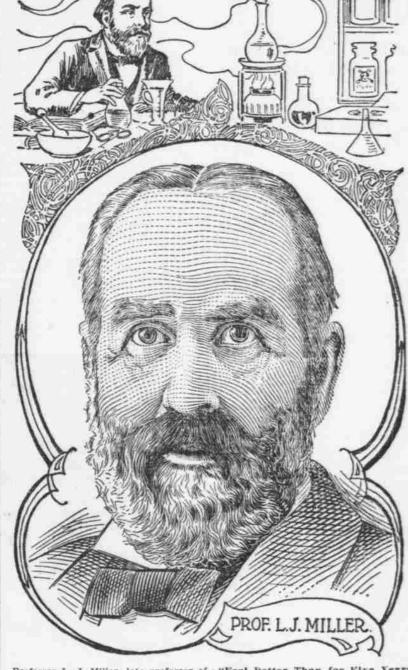
the country. Underground Papers of Russia. Forum.

utionary party was mining railroatracks over which the Czar was expected to pass, these champions of liberty scarce. ly managed to publish two "underground apers. Now the number of revolutionary organs, more or less regularly brought out "under the very nose of the gendarmee," is 12. It is admitted, however, that those who take part in the printing or circulating of these papers do not run the risks which the same sort of work in volved in former days. Time was when persons arrested in a secret printing offic were sentenced to long terms of hard la-bor in the Siberian mines. This, as a bor in the Siberian mines. This, as rule, actually meant death, within a year or two, from consumption, scurvy or insanity, in a damp, isolated dungeon in the fortress of Peter and Paul, or of Schlusselburg. The men and women, therefore, who volunteered to set type in the revolutionary printing establishments of 15 or 20 years ago took their lives in their hands. Having nothing to lose, they were armed, and when raided by the gendarmes they defended them selves desperately. Thus, when the poorgan of the terrorists was printed, shortly after the assassination of Alex-ander II. the firing on both sides lasted about an hour and a half. The case is different with the Nihillsts who are con-nected with the underground Russian press of today. The average punishment for an offense of this kind is now about eight years of "free exile" in Siberia; and as there is scarcely a village in Asintle Russia that has not from 20 to among its inhabitants, life in banishment is not half so hard to and has been gulity of gross "laches.

MAKING A CONSTITUTION CHEMICAL ANALYSIS

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SO SAYS PROF. L. J. MILLER, CHEMIST.



Professor L. J. Miller, late professor of chemistry and botany of the High School of Ypsilanti, Mich., writes from 3327 N. Clark street, Chicago, Ill., as follows:

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thoroughly to learn its contents.
"I found it composed of extracts of herbs and barks of most valuable medicinal qualities, combined with other ingredients, delicately balanced, calculated to tone up the system, restore the func-tions and procure health.

"I consider Peruna one of the most skillfully and scientifically prepared med-icines, which the public can use with safety and success."—Prof. L. J. Miller, "Builds Up the System."

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number of my friends and always feel that I do them a serv-ice for I know Joseph Ridgeway. how satisfactory the results invariably are. I only wish every family had a bottle-it would save nuch sickness and doctor bills."-Joseph

bear as it used to be. As a consequence, the raiding of a secret newspaper office is never accompanied by bloodshed now; and no sooner does one office fall into the hands of the enemy than another prings up in the same city.

Besides the papers which are printed by the Nihilists at home, they import revolutionary pamphiets from Switzerland and England. These are smuggled across the frontier by a well-organized group of contrabandists, all members of the revolutionary party. The monthly average of pamphlets and tracts reaching Russia by these channels is 50,000. Their workers who go from town to town under various guises, delivering the "goods in the various "conspiracy houses.

HAVE A NEW DEAL

Mr. Henry's Suggestion as to Back Tax Problem.

PORTLAND, June 29 .- (To the Editor.)-During the few years when "terroristic" Nihilism was at its height, when the revo The writer recalls the fact of Multnomah County, in 1833, paying out thousands of dollars for "present ownership" books, made by Markley and Hays, and the understanding was, at that time, that all of the back delinquent taxes would be discovered, sales made, and old back-tax amounts cleaned up at once and for all. Agnin, during 1898 and 1899 the county made another voluminous attempt, advertised in whole pages of The Orestill they were not cleaned up, and again, they are now attempting to make another effort, or partial effort, until the taxpayers and prospective investors are tho ughly disgusted. The publications in 1898 and 1899 were so voluminous that c peting cities like Spokane and Seattle posted them up in their Chamber of Com-merce buildings to deter probable investors from becoming interested in real estate. The present attempt to collect (the latter having been designed by the Legislature to reach non-resident lending corporations, and for which purpose is has entirely failed) is again exciting dis gust and dissatisfaction with real estate

n Multnomah County. While the city is being built in ever direction, its streets being improved as never before, and the city has a better intrinsic value, with brighter and more certain future prospects than ever, rea estate is a drug on the market, manding little if any attention, and this is due almost wholly to our law and aggravating system of tax collection. The to collect the taxes during the past years Mr. James B. Taylor, Roberts, Ind.,

"I am at the present time entirely well. I can eat anything I ever could. I took five hotiles of Peruna and feel hetter now than I have for five years. I have doctored with other doctors off and on for 15 years, so I can recommend your medicine very highly for stomach troubles. I take great pleasure in thanking you for your free advice and Peruna."-James B. Taylor.

"I Enjoy My Meals as I Used To."

Mr. J. W. Pritchard, Wolf Lake, Ind., writes: "I am pleased to say that I have been cured of catarrh of the stomach by Peruna. I could hardly eat anything that agreed with me. Before I would get half Hon. Joseph H. Ridgeway, secretary of through my meal my stomach would ful the American Anti-Treat Society, writes the following letter from the Grand Center each meal. But, thanks to your Peruna casure that I en-dorse Peruna as anything I want to without any of the an honest medidistressing symptoms. I can now enjoy competent to my meals as I used to do, and it is all it claims. due to Dr. Hartman and his wonderful

medicine, Peruna "it has been one year since I was cured, and I am all O. K. yet, so I know I am cured."—J. W. Pritchard.

Dyspepsia is a very common phase of
Summer catarrh. A remedy that will cure catarrh of one location will cure it anywhere. Peruna cures catarrh wherever located. That it is a prompt and

permanent cure for catarrh of the stom-ach the above letters testify. If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis. Address Dr. Hartman, President of The

Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio

If we are ever to build up a city, to invite outside investors and we must in some way get a clean-cut start on this matter of taxation. The County Commissioners and the City Council, each, as soon as this effort is fairly over, should pass resolutions declaring all back taxes uncollected, say up to 1889, as cancelled and of no account as liens. While this may work some individual cases of injustice, yet, in the opinion of the writer, it would be one of the best possible things done to advance the in-terests of real estate owners in this city

Queen Objected to Kniser's Paintings.

CHARLES K. HENRY.

New York Tribune. Queen Victoria was always proud of her grandson, the Emperor of Germany, but she never allowed her admiration to de-stroy any of the barriers, which she maintained in the royal household. An officer, who had the privilege to dine at Osborne few years ago, said that on that occaa few years ago, and the said the sion the Queen arose to offer a toast, the first time she had ever done so. The Queen said simply: "My grandson, the kaiser," and her face beamed upon him with love and admiration. Soon after that the kaiser and Princess Louise painted some menus for the Queen's dinner table. These were for the Queen's dinner table. These were to be a "pleasant surprise" from daughter and grandson. The cards bore well executed marine scenes, but the Queen, when she saw them, declined to receive them and ordered instead the old menus with the rose, shamrock and thistle pattern. The kaiser never offered his paintings to

In 1891 the number of bituminous coal mines in operation in Pennsylvania was 705, while on January 1, 1901, the number had increased to 948, an increase of 238, or more than 35 per

his grandmother after that experience.

Catarrh

Is a constitutional disease It originates in a scrofulous condition ef the blood and depends on that condition. It often causes headache and dizzlness,

impairs the taste, smell and hearing, at fects the vocal organs and disturbs the It is always radically and permanently cured by the blood-purifying, alterative aid tonic action of

Hood's Sarsaparilla This great medicine has wrought the nost wonderful cures of all diseases depending

on scrofula or the scrofulous habit Hoop's Pills are the best cathartie.