

San Francisco, Feb. 8. - The schooner H. C. Walburg, which, during the recent Hawaiian revolution, sailed out of this port for the Hawaiian islands with a cargo of arms and ammunition for the

which these Indians are required to remain within the limits of their reservation. At 5:10 P. M. the house adattended by loss of life, occurred at Representative Black, decided yester-

special from Chico says:

The passengers in this car were soon

The damage to the engine of the train

Slot Machines for Africa.

from San Francisco. They will be dis-

Caught in an Avalanche.

men in sleighs and seven horses have

leading from Davostlah to Engadine.

Berne, Switzerland, Feb. 9 .- Five

South Africa.

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 9.-The ship

San Francisco, Feb. 9.-A Chronicle

What might have proved a very disastrous wreck, but was fortunately un- candidate for vice-president, against

The McKinley rates have been restored on fruits and berries, mainly election contest brought by Thomas F. for the benefit of the fruitgrowers of the maintenance of uniform price lists Watson, of Georgia, recently Populistic the Pacific coast. The fruit exchange and grades. This organization will be

for the purpose of controlling and extending the foreign lumber trade and

Young Man and Woman Killed.

Miss Akers was thrown under the

Two drunken, tramps, named Sheppard and Irving, respectively, were locked up together at Merced, Cal., and a few hours later, when the cell was opened, Sheppard was found lying dead on the floor, with a red mark upon his neck indicating that he had been strangled. Thirty-five cents in change, which Sheppard had when locked up, were found in Irving's possession. The latter was charged with his companion's murder.

brought about by British misgovern-

ment and should therefore be relieved

by the British people.

present

conditions in India were

The Pennsylvania state capitol has been destroyed by fire. The legislative halls are in ruins and a new structure must rise from the ashes of the building that has served as a meeting place of the state legislature since 1822. The flames within the short space of an hour, ate up \$1,500,000 worth of prop-erty. The inefficiency of the Harrisburg volunteer fire department is generally blamed.

A special cablegram from Frankfort-on-the-Main to the New York Post says that the Berlin committee of holders of Oregon Railway & Navigation Company 5 per cent bonds have received a point bid of 45 from the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railroad companies for all the stock of the Railway & Navigation Company represented by them, the purchase price to be payable July 1; with 3 per cent interest. The bid is conditional on its acceptance by at least \$8,000,000 of stock. It is understood the Union Pacific will also become Interested later in the purchase.

George Edward Butler, the most noted criminal of late years, has just arrived in San Francisco on the Swanhilda from Australia. He was immediately arrested by Australian detec-tives and will be taken back to answer to his numerous crimes. He is known to have killed at least twelve men, and it is said his crimes may reach forty. His cold-blooded method was to insert an "ad" in Australian papers for a prospecting partner. W'en he found a man that suited his purpose he would lure him to some desolate spot and

deep enough in the earth, Butler would come behind him, and either shoot or stab him. He would then rob him, bury the body in the newly made grave, destroy all traces of his crime and return to the city for a fresh victim. His crimes show that he was utterly devoid of any sense of humanity.

A house was destroyed in China-town, Portland, by fire, the loss being in the neighborhood of \$18,000, with very light insurance. One half of the famous Naglee brandy

of San Francisco, has been shipped east en route to Europe. This brandy belonged to the estate of General Naglee. who made part of it in 1869, and was the property of his daughter, Mrs. Robbins, of San Jose. The shipment consisted of seven carloads. It is probably the most valuable shipment of brandy ever made from California.

EDISON'S NEW DISCOVERY.

journed.

With the New Invention Surgeons Can See Through the Body.

ordered to sidetrack at Nord and wait New York, Feb. 10.-Thomas A. for the northbound to pass. As the Edison is about to give to the world train pulled up on the sidetrack, it another discovery as wonderful in its was found that, as a box car had been way as the fluroscope, by means of which he puts the X rays to practical left standing, it was necessary for the express to slacken speed and push the use in revealing the bony structure of box car ahead. Just then the norththe body. "It was," said he, "the action of bound train was seen approaching down

the track with no intention of stopthe X ray on crystals of platinocyanide ping. It was impossible for the enof barium which caused Roetgen to gineer on the northbound to see the headlight of the southbound, as it was make the original discovery. Immediately afterwards I discovered that behind the box car. Before all the tungstate of calcium was more powercars of No. 16 could get on the sideful, and I constructed a practical instrutrack, the other train struck them. ment for utilizing the crystals in connection with the X ray. Tungstate of calcium is not sufficiently sensitive to transform the strange light discovered by Roentgen to a light that would so illuminate the interior of the human body as to render its most delicate tis-sues visible, in other words, to make it

transparent." Mr. Edison set about to find a crystal which would possess the quality. He has discovered one. Its name he will into some river. not yet reveal, saying he is still experi-He possibilities before announcing it to the world. menting with it, and desires to exhaust

the world. By means of newly discovered crys-tals Edison will now disclose to the eye of surgeons organs and tissues that have hitherto been seen only in the dissectdows. ing room. It is probable that when he perfects his new discovery the slightest derangement of the system will be rereleased from their perilous position, and it was found that only one was vealed to the doctor's sight. seriously injured, one of the deserters

Stoned by a Mob.

having an arm broken. Philadelphia, Feb. 10 .- When exwas slight, a piece of scantling having priest Joseph Slattery concluded his lecture at the Industrial Art hall last pierced the front. evening and appeared at the door to take his carriage to his hotel a mob gathered. Two policemen got in the carriage with Slattery and his wife and Senator, now loading lumber and wheat here for South Africa, will carry to Delagoa bay three tons of nickel-in-thedrove off. slot machines, which arrived today

The crowd at the hall was held in there request him to dig. When the check by the police, but parties of men unsuspecting victim would have dug and boys armed with stones and bricks were lying in wait in the alleys along Broad street. As the carriage passed these points, volleys of stones greeted it. Po liceman Clemens was cut over his right eye; Policeman Dorris was lightly cut and Slattery had a similar injury. They reached the hotel safely, but the carriage was badly wrecked.

> Redwood City, Cal., Feb. 9.-T. A. Siddall, a resident of Millbrae, has been brought in irons to the county jail Cumberland, Md., Feb. 10 .- An excursion train on the Cumberland & Pennsylvania railroad, a feeder of the by Constable Booth. He is accused of Baltimore & Ohio, went down a trestle isoning his wife, who was discovered at Franklin mine, Md., at midnight. in an unconscious condition by neigh-There were fifteen passengers on board. bors. The atteding physician says her John Howard, fireman, jumped from condition is due to an overdose of morthe engine as it was toppling over, and phine. Siddall acknowledges adminreceived injuires from which he died. Engineer Ross was also fatally injured. istering the drug, but says it was at the The accident was caused by the center props of the treatle being knocked down and carried away by an ice gorge. Istering the drug, but says it was at the request of the physicians. The woman is not expected to live, and may pass away at any moment.

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Nord, about eight miles from Chico day to confirm Black's title to the seat. early this morning. The northbound The verdict, it is understood, is unani-Oregon express, being fifteen minutes behind time, the southbound train was mous.

A Pension for George Bughes.

Washington, Feb. 9.-Representative Ellis says the George Hughes pension bill has passed the senate and has been reported from the house committee at \$50 per month. He expects to have it reached and passed in time to be signed by the president before congress adjourns.

LAST PUBLIC RECEPTION.

Cleveland's Farewell Drew Large Crowd to the White House.

Washington, Feb. 9.-Mrs. Cleve-land's farewell public reception this The engine struck the smoker first, afternoon drew a large crowd, despite plowing its way along to the next car, a drizzling rain. The White House which was the tourist car, turning it was artistically decorated with red and completely over, but leaving the trucks white roses and smilax, and groups of on the track. In this car the passenbig palms and garlands of vines beautigers were thrown from their seats to the fied the parlors. Throughout the relower side of the car, which was lying in a deep pool of water alongside of the track. The passengers at first thought ception, which was from 3 to 5 o'clock, the Marine band furnished the music. they had been thrown from a trestle Mrs. Cleveland was gowned in violet

and white striped moire silk. the In this car were seven deserters from bodice of deep cream lace. She wore a bunch of violets, but no jewels. Mrs. the regular army, handcuffed together Stevenson, wife of the vice-president, and guarded by six soldiers. Fortunand the ladies of the cabinet, were the ately, the lamps in the car immediately assistants of the mistress of the White went out, and only a few coals of fire House, while sixty-five ladies assisted fell from the stove, and those were soon extinguished by the water that came in the Blue parlor. Mrs. Stevenson, rushing in through the broken winrichly dressed in black corded silk.

> Drowned Heyself and Children. Salt Lake, Feb. 9 .- A Tribun special from Butte says: At Big Timper, in the eastern part of the state, Mrs. John Cort drowned herself and three children in the Yellowstone river this afternoon. The bodies have not been recovered.

"Black Jack" Captured.

sonal and political colloquy occurred Silver City, N. M., Feb. 9.-United States Marshal Hall received a telebetween Lodge and Chandler, on one hand and Gorman on the other. gram this morning informing him of the capture at El Paso, Tex., by the poadded another day to his speech against the Nicaragua canal bill, and had not lice, of John McDonald, alias "Black concluded when the senate adjourned. Jack," the notorious leader of the gang tributed from Delagoa bay throughout of border bandits, who have been com-

mitting robberies in Southwestern New Glasgow, Feb. 8 .- The shipyard of Mexico and Southern Arizona during the Fairfield Shipbuilding Company, the past year. Two members of the Dover, near here, has been almost comgang were recently killed in fights with marshals, and it is believed Mepletely destroyed by fire. The damage

is estimated at \$250,000. Four thousand persons are thrown out of employment.

Hamburg, Feb. 9.-At a meeting of the striking dock laborers today, it was voted to resume work today after the leaders had declared the battle lost and funds exhausted.

Fishermen Fixed the Price of Fish. Astoria, Or., Feb. 9.-At the meeting of the fishermen's union tonight, a majority of 200 present voted to make the price of fish this season 4½ cents per pound deaths.

of the country had prepared a schedule the successor of the Central Lumber of rates below the McKinley bill and Company, which recently went to pieces ow the McKinley bill and after endeavoring to exercise a like suabove the Wilson rates, although they pervision over both foreign and coastdid not succeed in having their schedule wise markets. It is understood that adopted.

Among the products in the agriculthe St. Paul & Tacoma Lumber Company, of this city, and the Bellingham tural schedule which are returned to the McKinley rates are breadstuffs and Bay Improvement Company, of New rice, dairy products, potatoes and starch, castor beans and flaxseed, meats Whatcom, will not join. and meat products, and poultry, vege-Caliente, Cal., Feb. 9.-A horrible tables and salt.

accident occurred here today, in which The demand of the farmers for the John Hardesty, a young man, 32 years McKinley rate of \$4 a ton on hay inof age, who recently came from Newstead of the Wilson rate of \$2, was port, N. C., and Miss Cora Akers, of granted. Chicory is placed at 1 cent a Fresno, were instanlty killed, being run pound, in accordance with the request over by a light engine while crossing a of the growers in the central states. trestle. Hardesty and Miss Akers who believe they can capture the home with two others were leisurely crossing market with protection. the bridge when the engine came around a curve and rashed upon them.

RUM IN THE CAPITOL.

wheels, her body being cut in two. The Prohibitionists Stirred Up the Ire Hardesty, in endeavoring to save the of Senstor Bill.

was committed to conference, Lodge,

A Shipyard Burned.

Porter Accepts It.

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life of his companion, was also thrown Washington, Feb. 6 .- The session of under the engine, both his legs being the senate today was one of unusual acout off above the knees. The others tivity, with sharp colloquies and vigorsucceeded in crossing the trestle safely. ous speeches, which drew large crowds . Dashed Into a Funeral. in the galleries. The ball was set rolling early in the day when Morrill en-Alameda, Cal., Feb. ter 4 o'clock this aft deavored to pass the bill prohibiting the use of intoxicating drinks in the capitol building. This aroused the op-position of Hill, who denounced the into a funeral procession, which was

busybodies and mischief-makers in- crossing the track. The engine just spiring this class of legislation. The missed the hearse and struck the hack It will be an easy matter to do this, senator spoke for fullest enjoyment of immediatley behind it, in which were as the business of the senate is fast individual liberty consistent with the five of the mourners. The vehicle was common goed. The speech was not completely wrecked, but its occupants enly notable for the vigor which Hill fortunately escaped with a few nasty threw into it, but also for its effect in cuts and bruises. Herbert Crowe, the prolonging the debate until 2 o'clock, driver of the hack, was thrown between when the bill was displaced by the the horses and was seriously kicked by Nicaragua bill. The immigration bill; one of them.

A Head-End Collision

in charge of the measure, adopting Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 9.-A headthis course as a result of urgent appeals for a modification of the bill. Before end collision between freight trains, occurred this morning on the Louisville this was done, however, a warm per-& Nashville, near Myers' switch twenty | ate is generally against an open, debate miles from this city, caused by the on the treaty. Vilas in failing to signal the southbound train. Sink Kirkland, enigneer, aged

> Occasional instances have been found of perfectly pure native iron in meteorites.

London, Feb. 9 .- A dispatch from Washington, Feb. 8 .- The Connecti-Tashkend, Asiatic Russia, says that the governor of the trans-Caspian territories reports an outbreak of the plague at Kandehar, Afghanistan. A large

body of Russian troops has accordingly d had been ordered to form a cordon around the Amoo-Daris, or Turkestan region. A dispatch to the Mail from Bombay says that the plague is getting beyond ording to the official returns, the nave been, up to all control. Saturday 114 deaths were date, 5,000 cases of plague, and 3,841 reported. Even the vultures of the all control. Saturday 114 deaths were towers of silence" are dying.

rebels, has been sold recently, and in fitting out for a more peaceful cruise. When the Smithsonian Institution

decided to send an expedition to explore the Gulf of California and its shores, arrangements were commenced to purchase the vessel for the use of the explorers. The schooner is now fitting out for this cruise. Professor An-thony, of San Diego, will be in charge, and with him will be Professor Mo-Gregor, of Stanford university, a botanist, and Henry B. Keading, an ornithologist.

The expedition will be in the gulf about six months, and in that time the explorers intend to visit Tiburn island, that has frequently been reported to be inhabited by cannibals, . . .

WILL NOT REACH A VOTE.

Arbitration Treaty to Go Over to Next Session of Congress

Chicago, Feb. 8.—A Times-Herald special from Washington says: The understanding

be debated, but the opposition

guage local train das abrupt curve near Buenn Vista avenue makes no secret of its intention to consume so much time in discussion that a vote cannot be reached.

reaching that stage in which there will be a great struggle for precedence. Already the friends of the Nicaragua canal bill, the immigration bill, the bankruptcy bill and other measures are fighting for time. .. In a short time the regular appropriation bills will have to be taken up and they will dis-place almost all other business. Under such circumstances it will be compara-tively easy to crowd the treaty into the background. The sentiment of the sen-

Three Milledini a Southing . The standing to signal the soundour, aged train. Sink Kirkland, enigneer, aged 28, of Montgomery, and Brakeman Weller, of Middleboro, Ky., were killed, and the fireman is said to be fatally hurt. After the accident, the operator took to the woods and has not been seen since. Occasional instances have been found iron in meteor-The addident was the result of a dense

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Tacoma, Feb. 8 .- A. W. Linderstrom, a farmer, living on Anderson's island, came home late tonight and, in a fit of anger took down a shotgun and blew out the brains of his 5-year-old son. When he saw the terrib he had accomplished, he placed the muzzle of the gun to his head and blew out his own brains. The trouble is, said to have started from domestic causes. Coroner Hoska has gone to the scene, and further particulars are not obtainable

Hamburg Strike a Failure Canton, formally advising them that he had been offered the position of private secretary by Mo

accepted. Bombay, Feb.

out delegation this morning received a telegram from J. Addison Porter, dated

been ovewhelmed by an avalanche Donald was seeking new companions near the hospice of Fluela, on the road on the Texas border.