EVENTS OF THE DAY

An Interesting Collection of Items Free the Two Hemispheres Presented in a Condensed Form.

The plague at San Francisco has been stamped out.

Revolutionists of Colombia are pressing the government forces.

Many naval offiers ask for retirement, but most of them are doomed to disapits machinery, has been destroyed.

Colonel Plumer is on half rations, and the relief of Maefking is further off than ever.

The Behring sea patrol is now to be resumed, owing to the failure of boundary negotiations.

The Massachusetts Daughters of Veterans have indorsed the trailing arbutus as the national flower.

Hon, John M. Stone, for 10 years governor of Mississippi, died at Holly Springs, after a short illness.

The Merchants National Bank, Rutland, Vt., has been wrecked by its cashier. The defaulter is in jail. Lord Salisbury has apologized to the

United States for the opening of ex-Consul Macrum's mail at Durban. Revolution in the province of Entre

Rios, Argentine, has been completely quelled by the government troops. The Boers have adopted a new meth-

od. Their forces are broken into small bands and seriously harass the British. The total British losses up to date, exclusive of the invalids sent home, are 16,418 in killed, wounded and

missing. At a meeting of Boer sympathizers at Bradford, England, dead cats and other unsavory missles were hurled at the

speakers. End of China is at hand. Partition among civilized nations is likely to be

scomplished before the inauguration of the new century. The United Irish-American socieites met in New York city and passed reso-

lutions condemning the proposed visit of Queen Victoria to Ireland. State Mine Inspector Owens,

in his annual report, places the coal output of Washington during 1899 at more than 2,000,000 tons, 250,000 tons in excess of 1898. He estimates the output for 1900 at 2,500,000 tons. Arizona is to have an ostrich trust.

All birds at Pasadena, San Antonio, Los Angeles and other points in the United States, will be moved to Phoenix. A. Y. Pearson, a New York capitalist will have absolute control of the ostrich feather industry of this country.

Ira F. Bride, one of the oldest and best-known auction pool sellers and bookmakers in the country, died in Detroit, aged 65. Mr. Bride was one of the firm of Bride & Fitch, that has handled big pool selling privileges on the principal Western 1ace tracks for

Boers are tetiring from Kroonstad. Lord Roberts has not yet advanced

The Puerto Rican appropriation bill

was signed by President McKinley. Rear-Admiral A. H. McCormick retired as commandant of the Washington navy yard.

The Norwegian schooner Friton has een wrecked at Dunkirk, Ireland, and 10 of her crew drowned.

Bob Fitzsimmons and Kid McCoy have been matched to fight July 4, 25

rounds at catch weights. Two murderers at Emporia, were lynched after the militia that had protected them were withdrawn.

of Puerto Rico are without work, and whole families have died from starva-

The Philippine commission will be taken to Manila on the transport Hancock, and will sail from San Francisco on April 15.

One man was killed and five injured by a cave-in at Whitehall, on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 10 miles south

The Alaska mail service is meeting with great success. Mail was recently transmitted from Circle City to Washington in 30 days.

Work has begun on New York city's underground railway, which will involve the expenditure of \$36,000,000, and will give employment to 10,000

Wharton Golden, in his testimony at the trial of Secretary of State Caleb Powers, of Kentucky, said, "John Powers told me they had two negroes to kill Goebel."

Eben S. Boyce, of Tacoma, was found guilty of murder in the first de-He brutally shot his wife February 10, while she was acting as cashier in a restaurant.

The United States government will establish postal service to Nome City. Chicago sends 40,000 quarters of dressed "English beef" to England

every week. The sugar trust profits are about \$12,-000,000 a year in spite of fluctuations

in the value of its stock. A New York grand jury will investigate gambling houses, said to pay Tammany \$3,000,000 a year for police pro-

A proposition has been made to equip 27 cities with a pneumatic tube mail

service for \$2,522,000.

All the 20,000 employes of the National Tube trust will receive an increase of 10 per cent in wages, beginning April 1 next. The Illinois River Valley Association

will petition congress to name a federal commission to supervise the deep

waterway project. Massachusetts has 116 street railway companies, controling 1,492 miles, LATER NEWS.

The Boers are rushing men to the Latest advices report two new cases plague at Honolulu.

sion in a paper mill at Erie, Pa.

squabble.

Five men were killed by an explo-

President McKinley has again re-

used to interfere in the Kentucky

Relations between Russia and Turkey are badly strained and war preparations are in progress. ain Country. Several men were seirously hurt at

Laramie, Wy., by an explosion at the Union Pacific oil house. W. H. Colton, charged with com-

plicity in the murder of Goebel, is said to have turned state's evidence. Boers are blowing up the coal mine in Natal. The Dundes colliery, with

Harvey L. Goodall, for 30 years the publisher and proprietor of the Drover's Journal, died in Chicago of heart fail-

The navy department will investigate the value of Crab island, southeast of Puerto Rico, as a coaling station.

General Joubert, the intrepid leader

of the Transvaal forces, is dead. He had been suffering from stomach complaint. The coasting steamer Glenelge foundered during a gale off the Gippstand

coast, Australia. Out of a ship's company of 33, only three were saved. Rear-Admiral Benjamin F. Day bas

been retired. Captain Terry, com-manding the Washington navy yard, will be promoted to the vacancy. Prof. Mau, the profound student of Pompelian antiquities, proves conclu-

sively that Pompeii was a well-paved city 44 years before the birth of Christ. In Chicago, Albert Stedge, 17 years old, avenged the insults cast open his mother by William Hobson, a boarder, by dealing Hobson a fatal blow over

the head with a barrel stave. The commecrial treaties committee of the Italian chamber of deputies has discussed and approved in principle the reciprocity arrangement, under the third section of the Dingley act, recently signed in Washington by Baron Fava, Italian ambaseador to the United States, and Mr. Kasson, special plenipotentiary for the United States.

A story of suffering and death from starvation comes from San Nicholas island, off the California coast. A party of three Chinamen had been on the island for six months gathering and curing abalones. Three months ago an unknown sloop from San Pedro, Cal., called at the island. During the bsence of the Chinamen, the visitors stole everything estable from the camp and put to sea. One of the Chinese died about a month ago, and the other two, when rescued, were too weak to

The Danish Antilles have been sold to the United States.

Dr. Edward E. Fall, an old pioneer Walla Walla, is dead, aged 92. General Botha denies that Transvaal

women were wounded in the Tugela The transport Sheridan arrived San Francisco, from Manila, with 86

sick soldiers and 11 insane. At a cabinet council it was decided officially inaugurate the Par

sition on Saturday, April 14. Seattle, Wash., is overflowing with criminals. Twenty additional policemen were called for within a week.

Cape Colony Dutch declare that England will make a mistake if she deprives the South African republics of heir independence.

A large number of miners and pros pectors from Utah and Colorado have arrived at Baker City, Or., ready to go out into the hills adjacent.

The Russian squadron is at Che nulpo, in the Yellow sea. It is believed this presages a demand for a concession of land in Korea. Japan is un-

The war department has recognized Honolulu as an open port. The transport Hancock, which sails with the Philippine commission on April 10, will stop there.

A severe fight has taken place be tween 'Boxers' and imperial troops at Yen Chin, Chi Li. Each force numhered 1,500 men and there were casualties on both sides.

Representatives Wilson, of Idaho, and Cushman and Jones, of Washington, are urging a governmental appropriation of \$454,000 to build a portage railroad at The Dalles, Or.

From Philadelphia a cargo contain ing \$1,000,000 worth of farm implements was shipped to Russia. It was the largest shipment of the kind , ever made from the United States.

Customs Collector Jackson, acting under instructions of the secretary of the treasury, will no longer allow horses, mules or jackasses from foreign ports to be entered at San Francisco. All such animals imported into the United States by way of the Pacific coast, can gain admission only through the ports of San Diego and Port Townsend, at which places veterinary quarantine officials have been stationed.

Santa Clara county's (Cuba) tobacco crop will be the largest on record.

Gen. Winslow says Cuba's future de pends upon agricultural prosperity.

In the Klondike eggs are now selling for \$120 a case and beef at \$1.50 a

Capt. Silas W. Terry, late in command of the lows, has been assigned to succeed Admiral McCormick as Commandant of the Washington navy

In New York city 150 retail druggists have formed an association compete with department stores.

The Panama Canal Company hopes to sell its rights to the United States

or to an American syndicate. Mayor Van Wyck, of New York, ha issued a dictum to reporters in which he positively refuses to be interviewed

for publication hereafter. There are 16 Yale men in the present congress. Five of these are senators, E. O. Wolcott, W. M. Stewart, T. C. Last year the increase in mileage in Platt, C. M. Depew and G. P. Wet- little in it.

BOERS ON THE RAID

A Party Trying to Cut Bloemfontein Railway Line.

His Long Wagon Train Gave Roberts the Slip, and Entered the Mount-

London, March 29 .- The Boers are having a little good luck and are showing some boldness again, as a raiding party, estimated at 400, is believed by the British forces at Warrenton to have crossed the Kimberley-Bloemfontein wagon road Monday and to have headed cutting the railway 10 miles west.

Commandant Olivier appears to have gotten his 5,000 men and 25 miles of wagons into rugged country, where he can make an easy rear gurad defense. Charles Williams, the military expert. says: "If this column gets through substantially, Commandant Olivier will have carried out the great feat of the war, seeing that he ran every chance of being ground between the upper millstone of Lord Roberts' army Basuto frontier. He will have done it main strength. Certainly it looked for a week as though Lord Roberts had Olivier in the hollow of his hand. If Olivier gets through to Kroonstad with even 3,000 men it will be an important addition to the Boer forces gathering there. His escape is attributable in part to the worn out condition of the British cavalry horses.

"Lord Roberts' transport appears to have been badly dislocated by the loss at Reit river, before Cronje's surrender, of the wagon train, and in addition to this the army with which he purposes to advance toward Pretoria is nearly double that of the earlier rapid movements."

Admitted His Guilt. Camden, N. J., March 29 .- The trial for conspiracy of William H. Hay and Howard Sloan, Philadelphia newspaper men, which has been in progress here since last Friday, was brought to a close today, with the most sensational testimony presented since the case was called. Three witnesses swore that Eli Shaw, of this city, who was twice tried mother and grandmother, had practipublication in a Philadelphia newspaper last September of an alleged confession by Eli Shaw that he had killed his mother and grandmother, of which charge he had been acquitted some time previously.

Negro Flend Lynched. Belair, Md., March 29 .- Louis Harris, the negro who was arrested yesterday, charged with oriminal assault upon Miss Annie McIllvain, was taken from jail last night and lynched by a mob of 20 men. A fusilade of on the budget yesterday, the viceroy, shots were exchanged between the Lord Curzon, said the loss to the wheat sheriff and his deputies and the mob, resulting in the wounding of two men. present year was £8,000,000 to £10,-The mob hustled Harris to a neighbor- 000,000, the loss on the cotton crop ing decryard, and, placing a noose was £7,000,000, while the oil and seed in that the parole law of 1895 provided the rope over the limb of a tree. As was nonexistent outside of Bengal and he was hoisted from the ground the the northwest provinces. The loss to limb snapped and Harris fell to the cultivators in Bombay alone in food ground. He was lifted up again and crops was £15,000,000, and in cotton, end of the rope was tied to a gatepost ernment to anticipate the consequences and the corpse was left hanging until of a visitation of nature on so gigantic this morning.

More War Clouds. London, March 29 .- The Standard gives double-leaded prominence to the following dispatch from Odessa: There can be no longer any doubt as to now being completed in South Russia. Nearly 250,000 troops have already been mobilized for active service. The Black sea squadron, with transports, is held in instant readiness. The tension in the relations between St. Petersburg and the sublime porte becomes every day more acute. The position is looked upon with the gravest apprehension. If the Ottoman government, supported by Germany, should prove stubbornly intractible with regard to Russia's concessionary demands in Asia Minor, serious complications must inevitably ensue. The Russian garrisons in the Caucausus and along the Armenian frontier have been increased four fold and equipped for active service.

A Silver Amendment Washington, March 29,-Little progress was made by the senate today with the Puerto Rican tariff and government bill. It was under discussion for nearly three hours, but the greater part of the time was consumed in the consideration of a free coinage amendment offered by Morgan. The Alaskan civil code bill was considered during the morning hour. An amendment offered by Carter, setting aside permits hitherto granted by the secretary of war for the mining of gold under the sea on the Alaskan coast, precipitated a lively debate.

New Ship Building Plant. San Francsico, March 29 .- The Call says that the owners of the Risdon Iron Works have practically completed a deal whereby they have secured control of the Pacific Rolling Mill, the plant of which covers 32 acres and in cludes 1,700 feet of water front on the bay. It is stated that a dry dock. capable of receiving the largest vessel atloat, will be built, and that the Risdon Iron Company will expend about \$3,000,000 in constructing a complete

The company will appear as an ac tive rival of the Union Iron Works in bidding for the construction of war vessels and other craft of the largest size.

shipbuilding establishment.

New York, March 29 .- The Washington dispatch stating that Miss Helen Gould was practically paying the expenes of nine or 10 chaplains in the army in the Philippines was shown to her last night. She said the work referred to had been done not by her, but by the Young Men's Christian Association, and that she had only helped a GATHERING IN FORCE.

Boers Concentrating Not Far Fro

London, March 31 .- The Boers are owcentrating in force about 15 miles north of Bloemfontein, in the rear of Glen, and Lord Roberts is sending forward troops to engage them. The Seventh infantry division and part of OLIVIER'S COLUMN HAS ESCAPED General French's cavalry have been sent up to join the Fourteenth brigade, and the two cavalry regiments that are holding Glen and its environs. It does not seem possible that the Boers will give serious battle in the fairly open country north of Glen. Still their evident strength indicates more than a corps of observation.

In small affairs the Boers are daringaggressive in all parts of the field of war. The Johannesberg mounted police, esteemed by the Boers to be their best mounted commando, is raiding the country near Bloemfontein, harrassfor Jacobsdal, with the intention of ing the farmers who have given up their arms to the British and carrying off cattle.

There is a Boer report from Natal that a Russian soldier of fortune, Colonel Ganotzki, with 100 horsemen, is operating close to the British outposts on the western border.

The Boers have reoccupied Campbell and are in strength near Taungs and Barkly West. They shelled the British camp at Warrenton, Wednesday, but moved out of range that night. Yesterand the nether millstone of the broken day two British guns enfiladed the Boer trenches, quieting their Mausers. within 50 miles or so of Lord Roberts' | Lord Metheun and the forces that had been operating in the Barkly district have been recalled to Kimberley by Lord Roberts.

Dispatches from Maseru assert that the Boers who returned from Ladybrand from Clocolan have taken up stong positions and sent pickets far in every direction to watch Basutoland, in the expectation that part of General

Oom Paul's Boast. London, March 31 .- The Bloemfontein correspondent of the Morning Post, telegraphing Wednesday says: "Presitent Kruger boasts of his intention to retake Bloemfontein within a week, and it appears probable that the Boers

are approaching in force southward.' Vice in Gotham. New York, March 31 .- The investigation into the charges that vice flourished openly in this city under police protection reached a sensational climax today, when the grand jury returned three indictments against Police Capand acquitted of the murder of his tain Andrew J. Thomas, in command of the tenderloin precinct. For nearly cally admitted his guilt, and one of the two weeks the grand jury, of which witnesses, a woman, attempted to George H. Putnam, the publisher, is strike counsel for the prosecution for foreman, has been considering condialleged aspersions regarding her chartions in the tenderloin precinct. Speacter. The trial was the result of the cifically, Captain Thomas is charged with failing to close resorts in the tenderloin, such as the Tivoli, Bohemia, Haymarket, Arcadia, Pekin, etc., against which a public crusade has been waged for nearly a month. The indicted man was convicted practically on his own testimony. Captain Thomas was not arrested tonight. He will ap-

pear before Recorder Goff tomorrow. Calcutta, March 31 .- In the course of his remarks addressing the council crop caused by the drought during the hanged a second time. Several shots £4,000,000. In conclusion, the vice were fired into the body. The loose roy said it was impossible for anygov-

and ruinous a scale. Constantinople, March 31.-The porte has informed the United States legation that in future the importation of American pork will be prohibited, the object of the warlike preparations giving as a reason for the prohibition that the meat is injurious to the public health. Lloyd C. Griscom, United States charge d'affairs, protested energetically, demanding the annullment

Exposition Travel Opens New York, March 31 .- Travel to the l'aris exposition has begun. The French line steamer La Touraine, when she sailed for Havre today, had the largest number of passengers on board that she has carried on any eastward trip in two years, there being 300 in the cabin and 200 in the steerage. The application for passage for 35 persons had to be refused.

Investigation Abandoned.

New York, March 31 .- The grand jury has abandoned its investigation into the alleged wrecking of the Third Avenue Railroad Company. This fact was announced today by Assistant District Attorney Unger, who said that he had advised that body to discontinue the inquiry because there is nothing to show the violation of any criminal law.

Russian Troops in Corea. London, March 31 .- The Evening News publishes a dispatch from Kobe. Japan, announcing that Russia has demanded leave to land troops near Messampo, Corea, and, the dispatch says, wants no outside interference.

Peking, March 31 .- About 10,0000 Tien-Tsin coolies are leaving for New Chwang to build the Manchuria railroad. The situation here is quiet, The "Boxers," who have been causing trouble in the north, have been dispersed by the troops.

New York, March 31 .- Fire at New Brunswick, N. J., last night did \$100 .-000 damage to the Consolidated Fruit Jar Factory. Three hundred hands are thrown out of employment.

France's Attitude.

Paris, March 31 .- The foreign office authorities make the following statement regarding France's attitude toward the American acquisition of the Danish West Indies: "France will place no obstacle whatever in the way of the Danish-American negotiations. On the contrary, in view of her cordial relations with both the United States and Denmark, she is willing to waive her right over Santa Cruz, as France values her friendship with these two countries far more highly than any claims she may have in the Danish ords for the run were beaten by nearly

TARIFF FOR VOTED

Motion to Strike It From Puerto Rico Bill Defeated.

INDICATES PASSAGE OF MEASURE

Beveridge Announced His Intention to Support the Bill, If Free Trade Cannot Be Secured.

vote was taken by the senate today on on its use. It is, however, daily served Washington, March 31 .- A direct the proposition to strike from the Puerto Rico measure the provision laying 15 per cent of the Dingley law duties on Puerto Rican products. The proposition was defeated by a vote of 16 to 33. While the vote is regarded throat trouble, which may owe its as presaging the passage of the pending seasure, it is not regarded as indicating the final vote on the bill. The feature of the debate was the speech of Beveridge. While he advocated reciprocity between the United States and Puerto Rico he announced that if all efforts to secure free trade should fail, he would support the pending bill. The bill was under discussion throughout the session, several important amendments being agreed to.

The conference report on the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was agreed to. A concurrent resolution offered by

Culberson (Dem. Tex.) directing the secretary of war and the secretary of the navy to keep "seasonably advised the families of wounded soldiers and sailors of the condition of the men" was agreed to. Army Bill Passed.

After four days of stormy debate the bouse today passed the army appropriation bill. As passed, the bill is only slightly modfied from the form in which it came from the committee. One of the last amendments adopted pens soldiers' homes to the officers and men of the volunteer and regular armies incapacitated by service during or since the Spanish war. The chief incident of the day was a defense of the war department against the charge of reckless extravagance in the fitting up of the transport Sumner, made by Driggs yesterday. Parker, of New Jersey, produced the itemized expenses furnished by the war department to show there had been no extravagance. Without opposing the house confirmed Boreing's title to his seat. His seat was contested by White, another Kentucky Republican, and the report of the committee that investigated the case was unanimously in favor of the sitting member.

FLAW IN THE MITTIMUS. Decision in Dreyer's Case May Release

Many Illinois Convicts. Chicago, March 31 .- Upon the decision of Judge Dunne in regard to the contention of the attorney of ex-Banker E. S. Dreyer, now under a penitentiary sentence for embezzlement of \$316,000 of the funds of the West Park board, who is trying to secure his release on a writ of habeas corpus, may depend the liberty of every convict sent to Joliet from Cook county since 1895. Drever's attorney claims that the mittimus in their client's cause, which provided he should be confined until released by the state board of pardons, was in error authority to release, but only to recommend such action to the governor, and constituted an error sufficient to warrant his release. Dreyer's attorney also raised the technical point that Dreyer had been twice placed in jeopardy by the dismissal of the jury in a former trial before a decision had been reached. When Attorney Mayer finished his argument today, Judge Dunne asked the state's attorney if the mittimi were printed forms. Upon re-

left in Joliet." The state will argue against the point tomorrow.

ceiving the reply that all prisoners

were sent to Joliet upon this form of

mittimus, the court rejoined: "If Mr.

Mayer's contention is true there will

not be many men from Cook county

Langtry's Play Shut Out. Pittsburg, March 31.—Mrs. Lang-try, who is booked to appear in this city next Monday week, will not be permitted to produce her play, "The Degenerates." This was decided today by Mayor William J. Diehl, who has received protests from the Presbyterian Ministers' Association and numerous citizens against the production of the play, on the ground that it was im-

Steamer Old Dominion Burning New York, March 31.—The steamer Old Dominion, owned by the Joy Steamship Company, plying between New York and Boston, caught fire about 3 o'clock this morning at her pier, in East river. It is expected that the loss will be heavy. All the passengers had left the boat, and all the crew were saved.

Elijah Moore Sentenced to Hang Dexter, Mo., March 31.-Elijah Moore, aged 19, who murdered the Rev. Jesse Moore, his father, in this county, November 1 last, was sentenced to hang May 16. He showed no emotion when sentence was passed.

Battle Between Outlaws and Posse, Denver, March 31 .- A special to the Rocky Mountain News from Gallup, N. M., says a bloody battle between a sheriff's posse and a gang of desperadoes occurred near Navajo Springs, 60 miles west of Gallup, yesterday afternoon, in which two of the posse, Gus Gibbons and Frank Lesuere, were killed. Five of the outlaws were captured, two badly wounded. Three escaped, and are being followed. The gang had been stealing cattle in various parts of the

New Los Angeles-Chicago Record. Chicago, March 31.-From Los ingeles, Cal., to Chicago, a distance f 2,265 miles, in 58 hours and 30 minites. This is the record hung up by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe tonight, when the "Peacock Special" pulled into the Chicago depot at 10:30 o'clock. Trains have been run faster for short distances, but never before has a train been brought from the western coast to this city in time approaching that made by the special. All recSTORIES FROM KIMBERLEY.

the Bardships of the Siege the Diamond Town. London, April 2 .- The Standard's

correspondent at Kimberley, writing of Roberts' Advance Forces As the hardships of the siege, says: "For many days the novelty of eat ing horseflesh formed an agreeable break in the war talk. Starving peo BOERS DRIVEN FROM KOPE

ple, however, take kindly to any article of food. Personally, although have always found a piece of succulent horsefiesh excellent eating, I am not taking any of it in Kimberley. only are the wretched animals reduced to skin and bone, but there is a prevailing epidemic of influenza and cough among them, which forces me to abandout to the soldiers as well as the people, though there are cases of anthrax in the hospitals and an outbreak of scurvy in many of the redoubts. There also has broken out a peculiar form of origin to this article of food. At 9:30 P. M. all conversation ceases, and rumers stop, for, by proclamation, all lights except electric or acetylene gas

must be extinguished. "There are many cases of extreme suffering, which, although due to the siege, have reached a climax from constitutional circumstances. There are ladies in Kimberley tonight strapped to their beds and wearing straightjackets, mad from sheer nervousness and "It is the red tape which makes the

be. After we had been for weeks shut up in Kimberley-not at the best the most cheerful place in the universeour hearts became specifically fixed on our portion of the British army-the relief column. By accident, we learned that it had reached Modder river, after a sharp engagement at Belmont. Eagerly we awaited news from Lord Methuen. Men and women scanned the horizon nights to seek the first flash from his searchlight. All night long our three searchlights sent their long streams of fiery light past the rugged fastness of Scholtzes' Nek, and the rocky kopjes of Spyfontein to the two rivers, on whose banks our preservers were encamped. 'Md, Md, Md,' they called out, but no answer came. Only the big stars could be seen, and the Southern Cross seemed to whisper, 'Patience'. At last, one night, far from the south, came the welcome flash, 'Kb, Kb, Kb,' it said. High up in the conning tower sat Lieutenant Colonel Kekewich and his staff officers with picked men from the signal corps, Anxiously they deciphered the first message from their honored chief. It was this: 'Ascertain number on forefoot of mule omitted in Cape Town return.' "

TREATMENT OF A GOVERNOR. Distinguished Nicaragua Citizen Robbe

and Exiled in Costs Rica. New Orleans, April 2 .- Carlos Locayo, former governor of Bluefields, arrived here last night after an exciting experinece in Costa Rica. He left Nicaragua a few weeks ago, with Miner C. Keith, being deputized by President Zelaya to place some railroad bonds with New York capitalists. In view of the strained relations between the two countries, he was arrested, his money taken from him, and finally exiled and placed aboard the ship for New Orleans. He will return to Nicaragua. The incident is likely to create

further complications. Locayo was arrested in San Jose Costa Rica. About \$8,000 was taken from his person. He was escorted to Port Lima and placed aboard the Hispana, to which his money was also turned over. It is presumed that Costa Rica feared that he came there to for-

ment trouble. Weldon Roberts, Melville Moxley and Joseph Stringham, members of the Nicaragua survey party, were also aboard the ship. They were forced to abandon their survey 175 miles south of Colon by the attacks of the Sa-

AMERICANS BOUGHT WRECK. Spanish Warship Will Be Broken

for the Metal In It. New York, April 2.—Gaston Drake, of Nassau, Bahama islands, with other Americans, now owns the wreck of the Spanish warship Infanta Maria Teresa, lying in two fathoms of water near Bird Point, Cat island. Drake and his associates purpose to break up the wreck for the metal in it.

Mr. Drake and his associates want

to bring the metal into this country duty free. Mr. Drake's lawyers asked the treasury department if this could be done. In reply, counsel for the treasury department wrote: "The Spanish war vessel was not the property of the United States at the time she was originally wrecked, but

was the property of the Spanish gov-

ernment, and as the United States gov-

ernment has abandoned the vessel on Cat island, its ownership changed form the United States to private citizens. Therefore the wrecked material, upon its importation into the United States, would be dutiable." Mr. Drake and his partners believe there would be profit in the importa-

tion of the old metal from the wreck,

if admitted free of duty, but not other Fighting in North Africa.

Paris, April 2 .- An official account has been issued of the victory of the French troops over an Arab army at Inrahr, which recently occupied the casis of Insalah, southwest of Algeria. The French learned of the scheme and decided to storm the enemy's position, which was successfully carried on March 19 by a column led by Lieutenant-Colonel Eu. The town was first bombarded, and then stormed, the Arab warriors making their last stand in the mosques. They left 600 killed and a hundred wounded on the field. An additional 45 prisoners were taken. The French losses were nine native soldiers killed, 38 wounded and two officers wounded.

Act of an Insne Woodchopper.

Calais, Me., March 81.-Fred Reynolds, a woodchopper at Red Beach, 10 miles from here, became insane today and killed his wife and one son with an ax, injured another son seriously, and burned the house to the ground Reynolds then ran up the street, flourishing the ax, but was arrested and brought to this city for safe keeping.

Clearing the Way.

British Casualties in the Espaya.
Were Over One Hundred Mrs. The Transport Service.

London, April 2.—The head of army of Lord Roberts is now about miles north of Bloemfontein. It so pies a cluster of hills won from Boers after a stiff fight, in which British lost seven officers and British lost seven officers and men. The Boers have been using a koppes as a base for marauding in that have been beating up the con adjacent to Bloemfontein for apple driving off cattle and forcing name. dent Free Staters into their no again. The Boers must have be considerable force, as Lord Robe sent 8,000 infantry and 3,000 can against them.

against them.

Lord Roberts' progress to Preswill probably consist of such form movements, in which Foer position will be attacked by a portion of a army advancing rapidly with the position of the position transport, the main army coming up the railway is repaired. strain heavier than it otherwise would Lord Roberts is stripping the im

in the minor spheres of operation their wagons and transport animal order to hasten the advance. The understood to be the resson why he called Lord Methuen from face West to Kimberley. Lord Roberts to have Methuen's transport. General French lost 3,000 breez the relief of Kimberley and the past of General Cronje. Lord Roberts 3,000 transport cattle at Waters Drift, and it is estimated that he lost 4,000 other animals since the

ward movement began February 11 The advance beyond Bloemform through a bare country, and the sup officers forsee an increasing differs in proivding for a great army more along a single line of railway, when the latter is working sman and with ample rolling stock. The Canadian mounted rife a

part of the force that occupied to hardt yesterday. The rebeliion three out the northwest districts of Cape On ony is almost suppressed. Strike Averted.

Chicago, April 2 .- A settlemen

the strike in the machine shops of a cago was reached today. It is a set ment which is to be national a scope, and under its terms the restrike, timed to involve 150,000 a chinists of the country about Am will be averted. Work is to be sumed here Monday, and at Clevia Paterson, N. J., and Philadelp At Columbus, the fifth city who strike was in force, a settlement reached Thursday afternoon. It is

these five cities the men agree to me to work pending arbitration of the snes in the controversy.

Dubois, Pa., April 2.—The strin miners at the Horatio mines of the le wind-White Coal Mining Companys tacked the few men who have mained at work when they came at the mines tonight. Over 100 a were fired, resulting in the sen ounding of three was called upon and arrested 40: and women who participated in fight. The sheriff is now guarding

property of the company. Glendive, Mont., April 2-Jos C. Hurst was executed in the jall is here today for the murder of She Dominick Cavanaugh, December 1898. His wife and two children near relatives took their last less the condemned man yesterday all noon. People had patroled the arm since early last evening and for a to it was feared Hurst would be lynd

Hurst contessed to committing the no Price on a Reformer's Head. San Francisco, April 2.-Sie Leung Chi Tso come to San Franci he may have the highbinder sock at his heels. The value placed is Leung's head is \$65,000, and pos placed conspicuously in Chinatows day announce that the reformer badly wanted, dead or alive, by

Chinese government. Leung is not Honolulu. He has declared is in tion of coming to this city at a date, and will ask for police protect here. He left China the first of year, and after having shaved of queue, he started for America.

A San Francisco Fire. San Francisco, April 2.-Fin night destroyed the Yosemite mills, a four-story brick building factory of the California Paste 0 pany, a three-story frame street part of which was occupied by the (tom Grain & Fuel Company, and eral small houses, burning out families. The buildings were owned by C. R. Splivato, and the loss is estimated at \$200,000. fireman was burned by an electric is wire, and two spectators were inju

by falling over obstructions. London, April 2.-The Sebas correspondent of the Daily Grassys: "War alarms fill the nay be quarters here. The whole En squadron is fully equipped for is service. Troops with full war king daily arriving from the interior. garrison will soon be a powerful corps. There is much excites among the staffs of both services. all the talk is of bringing Turkey senses by forcible measures.

Van Horne's Cuban Investment New York, March 31.—Sir Will Van Horne, chairman of the execution board of the Canadian Pacific, has returned from Cuba, where he is to make extensive investments in road and other properties. He said day that the reports of his acquise of all the Cuban railroads was much exaggerated, though sdm that he had already invested in set enterprises on the island.

The Canadian Paper Makers ciation has adopted a scale ind prices of paper from 10 to 15 per