

sor in the foreign office. This transfer been shipped, orders are now filed for decision and for the committees on arbiwould leave Mr. Balfour leader of the about three times that much. Presi- trament to collect various attacks and commons, where the old Tories are not dent Bond states that the record of give its opinion. Until this is done it ready to take orders from Mr. Cham- sales is larger at this time than at a will be impossible to tell whether or ot the fleet has really run the forts corresponding date in any previous year

It is rumored here at a late hour conight that the town of Marble Falls has been washed away by the Colorado 2 river and that there is a fifty-foot rise

at Kingsland. Efforts to reach Marble

Falls are without avail.

The succession to the war office is in the history of the prune industry. generally conceded to Mr. Chambertain This is so in spite of the fact that the blockading fleet is the victor. on the ground that he is the only min- the Eastern jobbers consider the prices ister with sufficient force of character from a quarter to a half cent too high. and administrative ability for carrying out thorough and far-reaching reforms in the military system. The reformers, however, are over-zealous Young Men's Union Will Discuss the when they assume that the emergency required the services of Mr. Chamberlain at the war office. Lord Roberts. as commander-in-chief and Lord Kitch- men and clergymen from all parts of ener as adjutant-general of the British the country will hold a convention at

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beriain.

One of the freshest rumors in the The organization is the Young Men's air points to another field of activity National Union.

for Mr. Chamberlain. This is the re- Rev. Dr. Francis H. Wall, rector of of South Africa. This solution would delight military men, who know that Mr. Chamberlain cannot be controlled from Aldershot and possibly it would Many Drowned in a Storm in the Gulf

tend to promote a reconciliation of the whole race in South Africa, where the Dutch are bitterly prejudiced against

The retirement of Viscount Cross, the also upset, but the men in it were pick-Duke of Devonshire and Lord James is ed up by a tug. The fishermen were also strongly hinted at from many not found. sources of information. Lord Salisto reconstruct his cabinet after the elec- steamers and scows broke loose from tions. His superannuated colleagues their moorings and were damaged or have not learned the secret of percanial sunk as they smashed into the wharves. youth nor has he himself found it in

his chemical laboratory at Hatfield. He is described by those who have recently seen him as more communicative than Was Out Driving With a Young Man public life and as hard to part from his colleagues or do anything but brood in silence about perplexities and Chinese complications. This is, however, no lack of either power or skill in his appeal to the constituencies.

MONEY MARKET PINCHED.

All Bullion England Buys Abroad Is Re-exported.

NEW YORK, Sept, 24.-The London financial cable of the Times says: Commercial Traveler at the Grand Ho-A critical position is approaching in our money market again. Last week, although short credits were abundant. rates kept close to the four per cent bank mite.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 24.-George at 303% per cent often less, discount C. Tietjen, a commercial traveler representing the Western Implement Combany, of Port Washington, Wis., was

To some extent, perhaps, this awk- found dead in his room at the Grand wardness was due to the knowledge hotel. He was seen on Friday when he that £2,000, 000 treasury bills would be complained of heart trouble.

CATHOLIC FEDERATION. searchlights the surface boats before they get into distance, but they have Question. no scheme of preventing the Holland getting underneath and "destroying" NEW YORK, Sept. 24 .- Catholic lay-

the war vessels. of the rest of the torpedo flotilia. army must be in a bad way if the con- which the federation of Catholic socentration of so much talent is indis- cieties is to be a leading topic, in Brooklyn on Tuesday and Wednesday.

nort that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, as the church of Holy Rosary, of this city, well as Mr. Goschen, is weary of office who is president of the National Union, and bent upon cetiring from the cabi- | will preside. It is expected that Dr. net. If this rumor be well founded, Wall, himself an earnest advocate of lor of the exchequer and leave Sir Al- exates to indorse the project as laid fred Milner to work out the settlement down by Bishop McFaul, of Trenton.

FISHING BOATS CAPSIZED.

of Georgia.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 24 .- Four him. If Mr. Chamberiain does not take men at least met death in the equinoctthe war office, George Wyndham may lal storm that burst over the Gulf of succeed Lord Lansdowne. He has Georgia, A fishing boat was seen to carned promotion by his debating skill capsize just inside the narrows and its and is the most promising among the four occupants were thrown into the younger men on the Conservative side, water. A boat sent to the rescue was

Great anxiety is felt for other fisherbury, unless all signs fail, will be forced men who are still out. Several small in procuring the attendance of wit-

> YOUNG LADY SHOT Jury.

in Canada,

SUDDEN DEATH.

tel, San Francisco.

HAMILTON, Ont., Sept. 24 .- Miss Griffin, of Dundas, was shot and killed last night while out driving with Geo.

Pearson, of Hamilton. According to Pearson's story they were passed by a rig from which two. shots were fired. One of these struck though there would be no fusion. The Miss Griffin in the nead. He carried

her into a farm house, where she died. Populists on it but there is no Demo cratic name on the Populist ticket and

never will be one on it.

ARABIC MANUSCRIPTS.

Valuable Collection Presented to Yale University. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Sept. 24 .- It vas announced last night by the au-

thorities of Yale university that an un-

It is a small town of 800 people and It was learned last night that the twenty-five miles above Austin on the blockaders have the greatest fear of the submarine boat Holland, They a branch of the Austin and Northwest think they can run the forts and they ern road. believe they can pick up with the EARN DROPPED ON HOUSE.

Minnesota Cyclone Killed and Wounded Many People.

The Holland will act independently MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 24 .-- A special to the Times, from Faribault, Minn. says:

Meager details have just reached here of a catastrophe which visited the vil-Many Muritions of War and Thous lage of Morriston, ten miles west of Faribault, shortly before 6 o'clock this evening. The village was struck by a tornado and a barn was raised in the

air and dropped directly on top of Paul LONDON, Sept. 24 -- Lord Roberts reports from Pretoria, under date of Sep-Gatseke's saloon, where sixteen peopl Mr. Chamberlain may become chancel- Catholic federation, will advise the del- tember 24, that guards under General had taken refuge from the storm, Pole-Carew occupied Komatipoort this The saloon collapsed and all its occu pants were buried in the debris. morning. The bridge was found intact. Much rolling stock, locomotives, truck At present it is said that eight dead loads of "long Toms" and munitions bodies and three injured persons have of war were captured. Only a few ribeen taken from the ruins.

The killed: Jake Miller, Jake Wea fle shots were fred. ver, jr., Frank Pitman, of Waterville: Lord Roberts adds: "Paget captured Eramuss camp, 3,000 cattle, 8,000 Otto Gatseke, John Rohr, jr., E. I sheep, 33 prisoners. Methuen made an-Brooks, W. S. Walt. The injured: other big haul of stock." Frank Wilder, Paul Gatseke, Porte White, Lewis Pitman, jr.

GOEBEL TRIAL OFF. Grand Jury Reports That No Further

Investigation Can Be Made. FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 24 .- Th

Franklin county grand jury reported finally today that owing to difficulty a total of 2,859 names. The indications esses from a distance no further in-

successfully or the torpedo flotilla.

KOMATIPOORT OCCUPIED.

ands of Cattle and Sheep

Captured.

are that not more than 2,000 will be restigation could be made of the Goeactually accounted for. It is reason bel assassination, but recommended able to assume that 800 or 1,000 people that certain persons be placed under were lost whose names are not obbond to appear before the next grand tainable, which would make a total

FUSION DESPATRED OF.

daho Democrats and Populists Canno Agree.

fact that there are close observers at BOISE, Ida., Sept. 24.-The Populists ind Democrats have held several conerences today and this evening but without result. Tonight it looks as

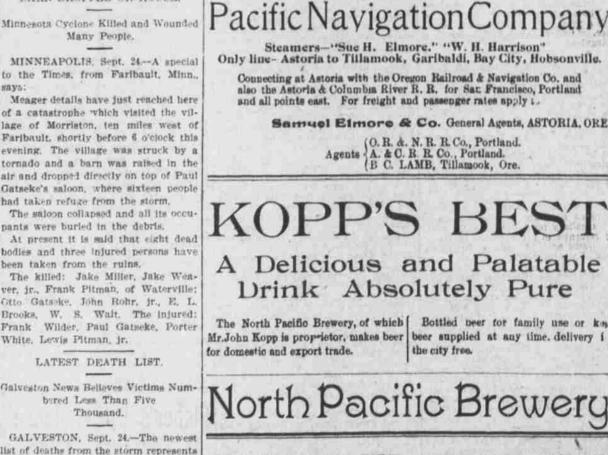
WHITE COLLAR LINE Democratic ticket as filed has three

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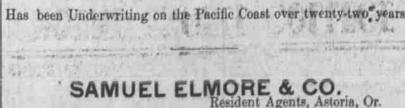
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