



## "BROTHER AND FRIEND"

### Czar Thus Characterizes German Emperor.

### DRINKS HIS HEALTH

### New Grouping of the Powers in Europe is Forecasted.

### RUSSIA GERMANY'S FRIEND

### From the Remarks Made by Nicholas at Banquet it Shows Russia Looks Upon the Franco-Russian Alliance as a Mismatched Affair.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 27.—A new grouping of powers in Europe, with Germany and Russia arranged side by side, and a misallied alliance of the empire with Republics France, Germany and the czar, is forecasted by the words of Emperor Nicholas today at a luncheon in honor of Emperor William's birthday. The Emperor, in proposing the toast said today, as if weighing every word: "I drink to the health of the Emperor of Germany and the King of Prussia, my brother and very dear friend."

The phrases are significant enough in themselves, the expression of brotherhood and friendship having been omitted in previous years, but turning to the German ambassador, it is reported he added: "Frere, c'est plus que alle". (Brother, that's more than ally). The Emperor's choice of the word "Ally" indicated the defensive alliance with France is still considered binding, but evidently not a hair's breadth more.

### CHANGE RULE.

### Colleges Will be Allowed to Enter 12 and Start 5 in Athletic Contests.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The intercollegiate association met here last night. President W. N. Stillman, of Yale, presided. It was decided to amend article nine of the by-laws to permit each college to enter as many as twelve men and start five in each competition. Hereafter the limit of entries was eight for five starters. It was also decided to declare dividends to colleges entering ten or more men in the competitions, the distances that the men travel to the meets to be taken into consideration in the distribution.

The annual convention of the association will be held at the Fifth avenue hotel, February, and the track meeting probably will take place at Williams Bridge.

### HOUSE PASSES BILL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—In a session lasting two hours today, the House passed an urgent deficiency bill carrying \$15,216,103, incorporated in which was a provision for an eight-hour law which shall not apply to alien laborers on the Panama Canal. In addition there passed 202 private pension bills.

## UNION AND NON-UNION MINERS HAVE FATAL FIGHT

GOLDFIELD, Jan. 27.—Jack Gineau lies dead at Tonopah tonight and Geo. Cole, representative in the legislature is shot through the arm as a result of a pitched battle between union and non-union miners at Clifford's. Eight non-union miners were arrested and

### TO PAY BACK.

TOPEKA, Jan. 27.—Governor Hoch announced today that suits will be brought to determine how much of the \$78,000 shortage ex-Treasurer Grimes and Treasurer Kelly must pay back into the treasury. There will be no criminal prosecutions, and no ouster suit, at present.

### TOWN IN FLAMES.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 27.—A dispatch from Gomel says that half the town is in flames, and that fighting is going on in the center of the town between the troops and rebels who have been reinforced by the peasantry of the surrounding districts. The disorder extends to five counties around Gomel. The peasantry, as in the Baltic provinces, have deposed the old authorities and elected rebels to fill their places.

### KILL WOUNDED MAN.

LODZ, Russian Poland, Jan. 27.—Three unknown persons today gained access to the hospital and killed with daggers a man named Lukzevski, who was wounded January 25th. The murderers thus completed the sentence of the local revolutionary tribunal, which condemned Lukzevski as a traitor.

### NEGLECTED HIS DUTY.

BUFFALO, Jan. 27.—Charges of neglect of duty are preferred against Mayor Adams in connection with the transfer of \$90,000 of the police pension funds. The governor will be asked to remove Adams from office.

## BAD MANN ARRESTED

### Editor of Town Topics Arrested on Charge of Perjury.

### BAIL IS FIXED AT \$10,000

### District Attorney Jerome Will Prosecute the Editor of Town Topics for Perjury Committed in Haggood's Trial—The Colonel Gives Bail.

### NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Col. W. D. Mann, editor of Town Topics, was arrested today on a charge of perjury growing out of his testimony in the criminal libel proceedings against Norman Haggood, editor of Collier's. Mann was arrested at his office by a detective from District Attorney Jerome's staff. He was assigned before the city magistrate and held in \$10,000 bail for examination next Thursday. The specific charge stated in the warrant is that he falsely swore in the Haggood trial in denying the initial "O. K." on a letter from Count Reginald Ward to Moses E. Wooster was his own. A letter from the Count to Wooster was offered in evidence by the Haggood's counsel. It referred to certain paragraphs to appear concerning the Count and asked that he be put on the "Posting list of Town Topics." This request was underlined in the original letter and marked "O. K., W. D. M." Mann denied having placed his initials on it.

### STABBED IN BACK.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 27.—While walking along Kosciusko avenue last evening Bertha Riley was stabbed in the back, presumably by a young man. She is not seriously hurt. This makes the sixteenth girl stabbed in the streets during the past two weeks.

## PITIFUL TALES TOLD BY THE SURVIVORS

### MEN ON RAFT CRAZED WHEN QUEEN DEPARTS

### Wave Frantic Signals to Steamer Queen But are not Seen—Disappointment Causes Some to go Crazy and Jump Overboard.

### WHEN LAND IS FINALLY MADE BUT FOUR MEN ARE ALIVE

### BUOYED UP FOR HOURS IN HOPE THAT THE STEAMER QUEEN WOULD SEE THEIR SIGNALS OF DISTRESS WHEN THEY FIND THAT THEY ARE NOT NOTICED, THE MEN GO CRAZY, AND JUMP OVERBOARD TO THEIR DEATH—FOUR FINALLY DRIFT TO LAND

VICTORIA, Jan. 27.—Chief Cook Hancock of the wrecked steamer Valencia, one of the survivors found on the raft in Barclay Sound, says so poignant was the disappointment of the shipwrecked men, when the steamer Queen failed to see the signals and sheered away, that one man went mad and another in a few minutes died. Others to lighten the raft pushed the body overboard. Then another passenger with a cry, slipped off the raft, leaving eight. Then a man named Gregory went insane and became violent. While some propelled the raft landward others were obliged to hold him. Hancock, who fell asleep, was awakened by Gregory clutching his throat and saying, "You are a wild dog

this evening, five being identified. From the party on board the Grant, the Associated Press correspondent learned that the signals seen on shore by the Salvor, as a result of which British bluejackets on board the Lorne were sent in an endeavor to make a landing Thursday, were not those of further survivors, but made by one of the party of nine journeying from Darling Creek. This disposes of the belief that others escaped, and the total number of survivors is but thirty-seven out of a total of 154 on board the Valencia when she foundered.

### Pass Out Food.

Survivors at Barclay Sound speak in high terms of the bravery of the steamer and stewardess on the Valencia.

## GRIDIRON CLUB ENTERTAINS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—From Washington to Panama, the Gridiron Club took its guests and showed them how to construct the Isthmian Canal. There were scores of hits upon Canal building. One member went rushing across the Plaza representing that he was in front of Governor Magoon's residence. When asked what he was doing he shouted: "Don't stop me, I've got to write 20,000 words attacking the canal and have only got ten minutes to stay." Humorous songs were used to introduce the speakers. Those who made interesting speeches included President Roosevelt, Secretaries Root and Taft, Mark Twain and Ambassador Jusserand.

and good to seat." When at last the wooded shores of Turret Island were seen and as the raft drifted near shore, a man named Wilson became crazy and leaped into the water.

### Raft Makes Shore.

The raft with four survivors and three bodies grounded on the sandy beach. The bodies were left on the raft where they were found next morning by the Salvor. The four survivors crept above high water mark and fell into a stupor. Frank Connors, who imagined he saw a lighthouse and went to find it, got lost in the brush. Next morning the Salvor found him semi-conscious muttering he was "Going to find the lighthouse." Connors will recover.

### Will Investigate.

An Ottawa special states that the Canadian government has ordered an investigation of the Valencia wreck.

The steamer Salvor has returned from the scene of the Valencia wreck. Only the broken stump of a mast and part of a derrick showed.

### Salvor Returns.

The steamer Salvor returned from the wreck today with three survivors, and the United States Steamship Grant will reach Seattle tonight with eleven more and three bodies, while the tug Bahada with two fishing dories was trying to recover others washed ashore near the scene of the wreck.

### Sixteen Bodies Recovered.

Sixteen bodies were recovered up to

### THREE LIVES LOST.

### Lowell, Massachusetts, Hostelry Consumed by Fire.

LOWELL, Mass., Jan. 27.—Three lives were lost by the burning of the Richardson Hotel here at 2 o'clock this morning. The dead are: H. C. Harting, Somerville, Mass. Christine Nelson, pastry cook, of Boston.

Miss Josephine Kennister, nurse, Franklin Falls, N. H.

E. H. Dickey, of Portland, Me., was injured by jumping from a window on the fourth floor.

There were more than forty guests in the building when the fire broke out. The upper floors of the hotel were burned out. The fire is believed to have started in the kitchen from an overheated stove.

### DR. LEGGO WINS.

### Burr's Handicap is Won Before a Large Audience.

OAKLAND, Jan. 27.—Before the largest gathering ever assembled at Emeryville, the Burns handicap was run today over a good track. Dr. Leggo won; Red Leaf, second; Proper, third; time, 2:05. The distance was a mile and a quarter.

### FIGHTING BEGINS.

TANGIER, Jan. 27.—Fighting has begun between the Anjera tribesmen and members of Raisuli's band. The tribesmen burned three villages east of Tangier and are now attacking Raisuli in force at Fortress in Zenai.

## DENY THE CHARGES

### Beef Trust People Say They Paid no Reporters.

### WOULD NOT DO SUCH THINGS

### Counsel for the Packers Say That They Would Not Try to do Such a Wicked Thing as Bribe a Poor Newspaper Reporter.

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—Counsel Miller, representing Armour and Company, in the Beef Packing cases, said with reference to the correspondence given out by the state department today, which stated that Judge Brown counsel for Nelson Morris and Company paid money to two newspaper men in an attempt to procure a biased report of the court proceedings, that so far Armour and Company, were concerned any suggestion that they attempted to poison the public mind by dissemination of false and misleading statements, is baseless. Continuing he said:

"We have at all times been the victims of this poison."

Edward Morris of Nelson, Morris & Company, also gave out a statement denying any knowledge about the occurrence.

### ENGAGED COUPLE GUESTS.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 27.—Miss Alice Roosevelt and Congressman Longworth were the guests at a testimonial dinner tendered by Isaac H. Clothier to Lloyd C. Griscom, recently appointed minister to Brazil. While not exactly present at the banquet, Miss Roosevelt was present during the speech-making and was entertained in an adjoining room by Mrs. Clothier, at a formal dinner.

## VENEZUELA MAY TREAT OTHER POWERS LIKEWISE

CARACAS, Jan. 26 (via Port of Spain)—The government today replied to the joint note of the diplomatic corps stating it would not accept Venezuela's position concerning the official character of M. Taigny, the French charge d'affaires. The government maintains

## RICH WOMAN MURDERED

### Wife of Millionaire Is Shot By Coachman.

### IS INSTANTLY KILLED

### Woman and Coachman Quarrel Over Alleged Debt and Murder Follows.

### OFFICER ARRESTS MURDERER

### Coachman Comes to House and Demands Money and is Refused—He Draws Revolver Which Woman Attempts to Grab—Man Kills Her.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 27.—Mrs. Canfield, wife of multi-millionaire and oil magnate R. C. Canfield, a prominent society woman of Los Angeles was shot and almost instantly killed from the porch of her residence tonight. Her slayer is Morris Buck, a former coachman. According to his own story, which he related to the officer who captured him, Buck wrote Mrs. Canfield demanding payment of a large sum of money which he claimed was due him. He says the letter received no response and he determined to seek a personal interview. He went to the Canfield residence and when he renewed his demand, Mrs. Canfield ordered him off the premises. A household servant started to attack him and Buck drew a revolver. Mrs. Canfield seized the weapon and attempted to wrest it from him. During the scuffle he pulled the trigger and the bullet struck Mrs. Canfield in the breast and she fell back on the porch. According to the neighbors Buck fired a second shot, striking Mrs. Canfield in the abdomen, after she fell. The first shot went directly through her heart. In addition to the gun which was used, on Buck's person were found another revolver and a long dirk knife. Mrs. Canfield is mother of large family.

### ELIMINATE CURVE.

### Famous Horseshoe Curve Will be Done Away With.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—A dispatch to the Times from Pittsburg says the famous horseshoe curve on the Pennsylvania Railroad is to be eliminated. Two methods are proposed and four sets of plans have been prepared. Two plans are for tunneling through the mountains, one nine miles and the other eleven miles long. Other plans are new routes across the mountains one ninety and the other 105 miles long. The nine-mile tunnel plan probably will be adopted.

The tunnel would enter at or near Kitting Point, and emerge between Cresson and Lilly. This would be the second largest tunnel in the world. It will be ventilated with shafts reaching the crests of the mountains. All operations through it will be by electric power. The cost of the tunnel and making connections with main line are estimated at more than \$15,000,000.

the position that it has taken regarding Taigny and says any government of those represented by the diplomatic corps may at any time find itself in the same position. At present it is not known here what action the French government will take.