BELIEF IN VAMPIRES IS MANY CENTURIES OLD.

As Strong Today in Russia and the Balkan States as It Ever Was-Superstition Leads Frequently to Violation of Graves.

family have also died.

happening to the family.

The belief in vampires can be been bottled a short time, it will postraced back for more than two thousess practically no radioactivity. sand years, yet there is not on record man being, and there are no data bottling, 10. with any degree of certainty.

but it was generally agreed that the spring, retains this radioactivity for phenomena of vampirism were to be any length of time." seen only in persons cursed by their church, the illegitimate offspring of people attacked by vampires after

corpse of a supposed vampire, stuffed miracles were thrilled. three pieces of garlic and three a public document. It states that a and painlessly. large number of undecomposed bodwere discovered. In 1863 there was garian village.

pany. While they were away from what defective. their houses, however, the enraged

a witch and a werewolf, or a devil. In proceeded to walk without them. many parts of Russia watchers remain by the dead right through every aight until burial.

Inspiration Suggested a Way Out. It was the morning after, and he was telling the fellows at the office about it. "Tom and I spent last evefive feet long and about ten inches high. Arm in arm we made an effort to step over the obstruction. We met with utter failure. Try as we might, ly checked its course. our feet seemed to be too heavy to when I had one of those rare inspirations that come only to men of genisaved; we will go around this pile of recognized, the shirt worn by Sullivan dirt.' And we did."—Kansas City bore his laundrymark. Patrick H. Sul-Star.

Zeppelin's Adventurous Career. "Let us resolve to live long," said s German cavalry officer, addressing BRYAN'S PLEA IS HEEDED ernment. comrades who had assembled to cele brate the seventy-fifth birthday of Count Zeppelin. "The evening shad- House Votes \$100,000 To Aid Ameriows were already gathering when this man surprised the world with his quiet and devoid of adventure, but his has not been a life of that kind. In the Civil war in the United States he barely escaped with his life, in the war the United States. of 1866 he plunged into the River Main, horse and man fully accoutred, and swam the stream; in the war of 1870 read a personal letter from Secretary he risked his life by riding unaccompanied into the camp of the enemy, and as a retired general of cavalry entitled to rest he appeared in a new role, allowed himself to be laughed at and then, with a great leap into the air, became the most popular man in immediately. Germany."

Peculiarities of English Law. Women cannot be lawyers in England, but they can be queens, mar-shals, champions of England, sex-Hill has cast 200,000 cubic yards of thusiastic evation as he took his seat ficers, overseers of the poor and depth of several feet.

RELIC OF HEATHENISM "RADIO" WATER IS BIG FRAUD

Activity Declared to Be Reduced to Nothing After Short Time.

Washington, D. C .- The United States department of agriculture, through the bureau of chemistry, has

"There are indications of the begin-Proofs of the persistence of the ning of an attempt to perpetrate a belief in the reality of vampires are great fraud on the American people to hand from a small Russian village. through advertising certain mineral Bome three years ago the head of a family resident there died, and since that date nine other members of the family have also died.

Waters as possessing radioactivity. These waters, in some cases, are taken from springs the waters of which as they come from the ground do pos-Believing that their deaths were the Examination of many of these waters result of the roving spirit of their by the department's specialists indichief, the remaining surviving mem- cate that whatever radioactivity they bers of the family assembled together possess at the spring is due almost a few evening since, disinterred the entirely to radium emanation, rather remains, and cut off the head, again than to the presence in the water of burying the body. They hope by this any substance possessic radioactivmeans to prevent any further evil ity. These emanations in the form of

"If the radioactivity of a water in a a single authenticated instance of a spring is 100, four days after bottling vampire having been seen by a hu-In a month it will be available by means of which the oriavailable by means of which the ori-gin of the belief can be ascertained the spring. The public, therefore, is warned to regard with suspicion any These blood-sucking apparitions, or "living, mischievous, murderous dead bodies," as one writer quaintly termed them, were common to all countain, no bottled water, no matter how tries, whether Occident or Oriental, radioactive it may have been at the

excommunicated by the SUFFERERS CURED AT SHRINE

And Consumptive Healed.

Quite recently there was reported in the daily press the story of a Hun-

Mme. Bourneay, aged 51, a French stones in the mouth and then driven a stake through the body. Servia and Bulgaria follow closely in the wake of Hungary, and in the eighteenth an early marning visit to the abrical flicted by the assassin's bullet had led century an official examination of she felt power returning to her hereto his general resistance had been lessmany graves was made, and the re- fore useless leg. The woman threw port of such examination embodied in away her crutches and walked easily

A Belgian girl named Jeanne Bodet, tes, undoubtedly those of vampires, 9 years old, who has been deaf and were discovered. In 1863 there was dumb and suffering from St. Vitus' an epidemic of vampirism in a Bulscarlet fever, visited the shrine. While town. The inhabitants became so fright-ened that when night set in instead of my shoe!" She showed none of the retiring to rest in the usual manner, former twitching or St. Vitus' dance, they all assembled together in one and could hear normally in her left Aldermen. central hall to pass the night in com- ear but the right one is still some-

Thomas Downey, aged 13, of Belfast, Ireland, who accompanied 2300 vampires entered them, turned every-thing topsyturvy and smeared all the pictures, ornaments and furniture [fast, Ireland, who accompanied 2500] Irish pilgrims, was in an advanced state of tubercular disease of the hip, with a discharging sinus, and could will terminate on January 1, 1914, he barely hobble with crutches. He sur- would carry out the policies of Mayor The Russians hold tenaciously to a rised his attendants by saying he Gaynor so far as he knew them. belief in the reality of vampires, but felt much stronger, and after again they attribute the birth of a vampire visiting the shrine suddenly declared as due to an unholy union between that he did not need his crutches and MEXICAN ENVOYS ON GROUND wounded.

"BIG TIM" SULLIVAN KILLED

Noted Politician, Mentally Deranged, Hit By Train.

the Thirteenth New York district, and the United States and the Huerta adaing with some friends and were re- a local Tammany leader, was identi- ministration for a peaceful solution of turning to our hotel at a rather late fied by chance here in a Fordham the troubles in Mexico, remained in hour. We walked in the middle of morgue, where it had lain for 13 days. the street, for we felt so good we Sullivan disappeared August 31, when ra, charge d'affaires of the Mexican wanted room in which to expand. At he eluded one of his nurses, set to at- embassy. a place where some work was being tend him because of a mental malady, a place where some work was being tend him because of a mental malady. Zamacona did not reveal the charac-done there was a pile of dirt about and ever since then his friends had ter of his mission. He maintained searched for him in vain. His body that he had come to the United States liceman who had known him intimate-

about to give up in despair and resign wonder still grows that it was per- in dispute. ourselves to being marooned on that mitted to lie so long without the maklonely street for the rest of the night, ing of an effort to run down the several clews that were apparent from

the start. In addition to these marks, which livan, his brother, complained bitterly

tify it.

cans In Mexico.

Washington, D. C .- In response to work. That sometimes happens to a an urgent demand from the state deman whose morning and noon were partment, the house adopted a joint resolution making an emergency appropriation of \$100,000 to be used for the relief of destitute Americans in Mexico and for their transportation to

> Majority Leader Underwood presented the emergency resolution and Bryan asking immediate action. The secretary said the department was using \$2000 a day to aid Americans in Mexico, and that only \$12,000 was available for that purpose. The resolution will go immediately to the senate, where it probably will be passed

> > Culebra Cut Bank Sildes.

Panama-A movement of the east bank of the Culebra cut north of Gold ing's diversion. He received an enchurch wardens, constables, rock and earth into the canal. The in a box with Secretary Tumulty and debris extends across the prism for a Dr. C. T. Grayson, U. S. N., his physi-

This slide will not affect the floodsheriffs of assizes. And yet the objecting of Culebra cut in October, because tion of the law society to a woman it can be removed readily by dredges,

## **MAYOR GAYNOR** DIES ON LINER

Office, Says Same Policies Will Be Pursued.

of regaining his strength to enter the them. There is every reason to be they have settled all phases of the three-cornered municipal campaign as carried through with equal energy. In the session the House members reached his secretary, Robert Adam- and untiring work of Mr. Underwood son, the next day. The mayor had tees associated with them." succumbed to heart failure, the mes-

sage said. only traveling companion, gave details which showed that the end had come with shocking suddenness.

"Father died at 1:07 P. M. on Wednesday, the 10th," said the message from the son, received by Secretary Adamson. "His death was due to heart falure. He was seated in his deck chair at the time. I discovered him unconscious in his chair, though still alive. He died about three minparents themselves illegitimate or Rheumatic Walks, Deaf Girl Hears utes later, without recognizing any of Everything possible was done, but he seemed to go as a candle flick-

garian farmer who had dug up the seekers after the performance of the the statement of physicians who treated him at the time he was shot in the neck and almost done to death by an an early morning visit to the shrine, directly to the end, but did affirm that ened thereby to a very great extent. Plans for a public funeral to be held on September 22 will made by the Board of Estimate. Late advices from abroad say the body will be transferred from the Baltic to the

> matically transferred the office of mayor to Colonel Adolph L. Kline, a Republican, president of the Board of The death of Mayor Gaynor auto-Colonel Kline has taken the oath of office and his first official act was to call the Board of Estimate together to lay plans for the public

Reception Probable If New Negotiations Are Offered.

Washington, D. C .- Senor Manuel de Zamacona, former Mexican ambassador to the United States, who is New York.—The body of "Big Tim" supposed to be charged with the task Sullivan, member of congress from of reopening the negotiations between

was on its way to the potter's field on "private business." From Ameriwhen the chance observation of a po- can officials it is known that the Mexican government made inquiry recently if it would be agreeable to the So many friends and relatives then United States to have Senor Zamalift over the obstruction. We were identified the body positively that the cona negotiate some of the principles

The United States had signified in return that if Senor Zamacona came to resume the negotiations on a new basis he would not be received. Otherwise this government considered fur-'Tom,' I exclaimed, 'we are any of the Sullivan clan would have ther negotiations on the same ground checked by John Lind as unnecessary. It is understood that Senor Zamacona was in communication with the that the body had been permitted to Mexico City administration and prelie so long without an attempt to iden- pared to be in New York later to talk with American bankers about the

Goat Butts Into Laws.

Washington, D. C .- The case of an American-born goat which went visiting to Panama with a party of St. bed. re-enter his native country at New Orleans, has clogged the wheels of the federal government. Public health of-ficials refused admission to the goat. "Why this is not a foreign goat or a goat without a country; it is an American goat. Admit him," ordered Secretary McAdoo. The secretary was informed that the secretary of agriculture must be consulted to deter-mine whether the goat had contracted

Wilson Sees Vaudeville.

son went to a vaudeville performance he came to Washington. A regular patron of the dramatic stock company plays this summer he invested to the announcement that the London dyers will establish a plant here at once. It is estimated that such a move will cause plays this summer, he turned to the lighter side of the stage for his even-

J. Foster Stackhouse, who was intion of the law society to a woman entering the legal profession is that she is not a "person." Certainly when English law entitles her to fulfill so many functions she cannot be called a "nobody."—Rochester Post Express

The teamster, from papers in the can be removed readily by dredges, it can be removed readily by dredges, timately associated with the late Captockets, learned the coat belonged to the south blaw of the south lawn of the White House on the south lawn of the Whote House on the south lawn of the White House

FREE BUSINESS IS VICTORIOUS HOUSE YIELDS TO SENATE. PULLMAN RULES

Tariff Measure. Washington, D. C.-President Wil-

to business which has lasted a long generation, through at last, has been won handsomely and completely. A leadership and steadfastness in countries has been shown in botth houses of work of adjusting conflicts between the Senate and long generation, through at last, has been won handsomely and completely. A leadership and steadfastness in countries has been shown in botth houses of which has lasted a long generation, through at last, has been won handsomely and completely. A leadership and steadfastness in countries has been shown in botth houses of which has lasted a long generation, through at last, has been with has lasted a long generation, through at last, has been with has lasted a long generation, through at last, has been shown in botth houses last of which the senate and long generation, through at last, has been with has lasted a long generation, through at last, has been with the final work on the tariff revision bill began Friday its work of adjusting conflicts between the Senate and long generation, through at last, has been been shown in botth houses last of the Democratic majority in charge of the Democratic majority in char of which the democratic party has House. At the end of a short after-noon session the Democrats had start- Why Lowers Are Withheld, When been no weakness or confusion or drawing back, but a statesmanlike distances.

fus W. Gaynor, who was his father's Quarrel Was Cause of Tragedy. Kept Secret Two Years.

> Winnipeg, Man.-Killed by Eskimo guides is the fate reported to have befallen Harry V. Radford and George Street, two explorers who left here two years ago to essay the perilous journey from Chesterfield Inlet, Hudson Bay, to Bathurst, on the Arctic Ocean. Their intention was to in-Ocean. vestigate the possible value of the territory already partially explored by other expeditions. Radford was an American and

> Street a resident of Ottawa. According to the account which reached Winnipeg by mail the two explorers set out from Fort Churchill on the west coast of Hudson Bay, in the autumn of 1911, for Chesterfield. where is established the most northern post of the Hudson Bay Company

in that region.
What the Eskimos are said to have told recently is that the trip to Schultz Lake was made in safety and the two white men there made a bargain with the interior natives to guide them back to their country. There had been no indication of ill-feeling or friction, they said, everything going smoothly until the day of departure. Then, as the sleds were being loaded, Radford got into an altercation with one of the tribe about the proper adjustment of

Instantly the Eskimo grasped his spear and before Radford could de-fend himself the weapon was driven the story, was harnessing up a dog team at the time and seeing his companion fall, picked up his rifle to to Radford's assistance. The Eski-mo with whom he was working, the story alleged, attacked Street from behind. A spear was thrust into his back and Street, too, fell mortally

LANE FALLS

Sudden Collapse Comes at Review Stand in Oakland.

Oakland, Cal.-Secretary of the In terior Lane fell in a faint while reviewing the Native Sons' Admission day parade here Wednesday. He had complained of heart trouble before the parade started, and as the pageant was passing in review the secretary suddenly grew dizzy and sank to the ground.

Dr. Frederic Lane, the secretary's brother, said that a serious outcome was not expected. He said the secretary's collapse was due largely to overwork, the strain of the long tour the secretary has been making in the

ALL-STEEL CARS SAVE LIVES Passengers Hurt Only By Being

Tossed Around In Cars. New Madison, O .- An all-steel train probably saved a score of lives when the Pennsylvania flyer was ditched by a raised rail near Wylie's Station, four miles west of here, and 35 persons were injured. Three, it is believed, were fatally hurt, and 18 are in a hospital at Richmond, Ind.

Running at a terrific speed to make prospect of a loan for the Huerta govproach of a small steel bridge. The must clean her hands and steri train ran along the cross-ties until the the instruments she has used. locomotive hit one side of the bridge, tore it from its foundation and fell with it half a dozen feet to the creek Six steel coaches were flung Paul Shriners and is now wanting to to the other side of the track and turned over in a cornfield.

Sealskins to Come Down

St. Louis .- As a result of a recent contract with the United States government \$1,000,000 worth of seal-skins from the government's catch of Alaskan seals arrived in St. Louis. There were 2296 pelts in the lot. For more than 40 years the Alaskan catch has been sent to London, where the furs were dressed and dyed. With the an-Washington, D. C.—President Wilafter will ship the skins to local firms 40 per cent on sealskin coats.

\$1485 Stays In "Old Coat."

Kansas City-After driving all day with a coat he found in the street on the wagon seat beside him a teamster saw the owner of the coat draw \$1485 from its pockets.

The teamster, from papers in the

President Wilson Highly Pleased With Low Tariff Rates Being Accepted in Most Instances.

son issued the following statement on ity members of the conference com-Washington, D. C.-With the minor-"A fight for the people and for free mittee barred from the proceedings, rectness and command of circum the bill and Representative Underwood and Senator Simmons predicted "I am happy to have been connect-ed with the government of the na-ment would be speedy and harmoni-

a candidate for re-election, died sud- directness and loyalty to the general yielded to the Senate on the majority explain its "practices, rules and regudenly on the Baltic as the steamer interest. When that is done this of amendments, accepting the Senwas within a few hundred miles of first session of the Sixty-third con- ate's lower rates on most of the disthe Irish coast Wednesday. The first with an unrivalled distinction.

The reductions made by the Senate on coal tar dyes, includby the Senate on coal tar dyes, includnews of his death, flashed by wireless "I want to express my special adand relayed by cable from Europe, miration for the devoted, intelligent proved and the Senate rates on soaps present order was made by the board were sustained, although the language of the paragraph was changed at the suggestion of the House members.

Later dispatches from his son, Ru- EXPLORERS SLAIN BY ESKIMOS of chlorate of potash, which the House sleepers. had taxed at 1 cent a pound, but which had been placed on the free list by the Senate. It is understood but otherwise the investigation will the compromise will be based on prac- be a broad one. Among the things tically an even division of the House which the commission desires to know

Senator La Follette intimated that he considered the procedure of the Democrats unusual in working over pany depends on the tips given by pasthe bill without their associates nam- sengers to porters as a means of payed from the two houses, but other members of the committee said the method pursued was in line with pre-pulled down when not occupied? cedents established in other tariff re-

Bellef General That Mexico's Executive Will Enter Race.

Vera Cruz, Mex .- Persistent rumors current here that General Huerta fully intends to resign from the Presi-dency at an early date are interesting President Wilson's personal represen-

tative, John Lind. Tending to support these rumors are two stories apparently from an authentic source. One is to the effect that an American, calling on the Provisional President, asked him what he intended to do. General Huerta smiled and replied that one of his eyes had been troubling greatly of late. Then he laughed and aided that if that eye became worse he might have to leave the country and have an operation some time early in As a matter of fact, General October. Huerta underwent an operation for cataract several months ago.

The other story was told recently bly be made. into his breast. Street, according to by an Englishman, who quoted Genthe story, was harnessing up a dog eral Huerta as saying: "Well, it is quite possible that by

the end of the week or soon after I shall no longer be President." According to many persons who have come to Vera Cruz from the capital, the impression is growing there that General Huerta will withdraw from the Presidency. The mathat he will enter the electoral race others that he will follow General Porfirio Diaz to Europe.

Precautions to Observe.

Washington, D. C.—The food reliency from the board. He believes search laboratory of the bureau of that if liberated he will be a model chemistry is conducting experiments citizen and no harm can be done. in several egg-breaking establish-ments to assist the manufacturers in same as other products are canned and kept for use when the fresh supply is low.

Under the new system the eggs are ments of the hospital operating-room. Everything is sterilized and those who actually break the eggs have to clean "When I had given my evidence and actually break the eggs have to clean their hands much as a surgeon does the state was through with me, then before operating. Each egg before became my trial. There was a plea of room. Each egg is broken separately into a cup. If, by any chance, the egg is other than first-class, it is not dumped into the can, but is removed up lost time, the fast train struck the from the breaking room and before

eggs at a low temperature and in a the world. room where the air is cold enough to prevent any change in the nature of Instead of being prepared to die, I the egg. The cans of eggs are then was only being prepared to live, and sealed and frozen and kept frozen un-til they go to the baker at the time first is growing a little brighter as of egg shortage.

Ban On Matrimony Lifted.

Sparta, Wis.-The ban on matricenses, was lifted here after a special session of the county board, at which a new County Clerk was elected. Prospective brides and grooms attended the special session and one blushing damsel threw her arms around the neck of the new County Clerk, Ola Jackson, and kissed his bewhiskered cheeks. The state law will necessi-tate a further interval of five days before marriages are solemnized.

President Presents Cup.

Washington, D. C.—President Wilson presented Friday to the American crew, winners of the German-American sonder-class yacht race, the presi-

## TO BE PROBED

Plentiful, Will Be Asked By California Officials.

New York—William J. Gaynor, mayor of New York City, voyaging over sea on the steamer Baltic in the hope pany has been called on the carpet sien, which issued an order to the company to appear November 19 and lations."

Complaints against the mode of operation have been made from time to of its own volition. It wants to know something about certain of the hap-A compromise was made on the item penings in the management of the

Rates will not figure in this inquiry, but otherwise the investigation will are these:

To what extent the Pullman coming the porters a living wage?
Why it is that the upper berths are

Why it is that passengers are fre-quently told that "there are no low-ers left" and the next morning on PRESIDENT HUERTA MAY RESIGN climbing down the ladder out of an upper berth frequently are confronted with a long line of lowers that are not occupied and have not been?

Why it is that berths are so fre-quently sold more than once? What rules govern the porters in making the berths at night and why it is that a passenger cannot get them made when wanted?

This is only the beginning of the investigation that will be undertaken. Every rule, regulation and practice of the company is to be turned over and officers of the company questioned. After the inquiry is over the com-mission intends to take a hand itself in rule and regulation-making as far

as the cars are concerned when in Cal-In its announcement of the investigation the commission says that there is a confusion of reservations and an apparent lack of an efficient system in making berth reservations, but it is intended that the investigation shall be as thorough-going as it can possi-

It is expected that assistance will be received from commercial travelers' organizations, as well as from the general traveling public in getting to the bottom of the management of the

HARRY ORCHARD IS HEARD

jority of them incline to the belief Pleads Reasons for Pardon Before State Board of Idaho.

Boise, Idaho-Declaring that he cannot be pictured by other people in any CANNING EGGS NOW FEASIBLE blacker terms than he pictures himself, Harry Orchard, self-confessed Chemistry Department Shows What murderer, in the Idaho state penitentiary, now seeking a pardon, asserts his right to make application for len-

Orchard is the man who placed the ments to assist the manufacturers in bomb at the gate of ex-Governor canning perfect eggs for Winter use. Frank Steunenberg, in Caldwell, this According to the specialists of the state, so that by opening the gate the department there is no reason why bomb would be exploded. He said eggs cannot be broken, canned and he committed the act under the inkept as an excellent food, just the structions of officers of the Western Federation of Miners.

"When I was first arrested and charged with the assassination of ex-Governor Steunenberg and locked up canned in rooms and with utensils in jail, the awful sense of a guilty conthat rival in cleanliness the appoint- science and my lost condition laid hold of me in a way that I can hardly

ing broken is candled and nothing but not guilty entered when I was indicted perfect eggs come into the breaking- but I asked to withdraw this plea and have the opportunity to plead guilty. "When I received the death sen-tence I wanted it carried out, as I felt that I vanted to pay the penalty, and I knew that I had made all the earthly defective rail 50 feet from the approach of a small steel bridge. The must clean her hands and sterilize all awful past, and I felt that I had met the requirements of God, and was The actual breaking is done with ready to stand before the judge of all

> "I am sure now that I was wrong. the years have rolled by.'

> > Fire At Buffalo Fatal.

Buffalo, N. Y .- An explosion followmony on this county, caused by the ed by an outburst of flames occurred recent death of the County Clerk, a in the Clover Leaf Milling company's necessary functionary in issuing limen were at work in the mill.

The plant is located on Babcock street near Seneca street. It is valued at about \$200,000 and it appeared that it would be a total loss. At the hos-pital it was found that some of the injured were probably fatally burned or bruised and it was believed that some of the six unaccounted for might have perished in the explosion or the

Good Children Are Feted.

Fort Smith, Ark .- The first municipal picnic ever held in this part of the southwest was given by this city Saturday, when 5000 boys and girls were entertained. The picnic was for "good