

ENGLISH METHOD OF ANNEXATION

Warships Make British Subjects of the Solomon Islanders.

JAPAN WAS NOT CONSULTED

The Big Guns Scared the Natives at First, but They Are Now Rejoiced Over Their Changed Status.

Vancouver, B. C., August 2.—The steamer Mowara, which has just arrived from Sydney, brought details of the recent annexation of several islands of the Solomon group.

the murder of his wife early next week. Assistant Attorney Deenen feels certain of securing a conviction.

BASEBALL SCORER.

Washington, August 2.—Washington 9, Boston 7. Second game—Washington 5, Boston 9.

SHORT CORN CROP IN KANSAS.

Kansas City, August 2.—After the three days of over 100 degrees of heat, the highest temperature recorded today by the government observer in this city was 99 at 4 p. m.

PNEUMATIC MAIL SERVICE.

New York, August 2.—Ground was broken today for the pneumatic mail service for this city, which the postoffice contract requires shall be in operation by October 1.

COFFEE RECOVERING.

New York, August 2.—A dispatch to the Herald from Paris says: Francois Cophie is recovering, but so slowly that his friends are not yet relieved of all anxiety on his account.

INDEMNITY PAID.

Washington, August 2.—The state department has finally closed another international incident by paying over to Count Vinet, the Italian in charge here, \$3,000 as indemnity for the death of three Italian subjects.

WANT A RECONSIDERATION.

Providence, R. I., August 2.—A remonstrance has been issued by the professors at Brown University and sent to the members of the corporation.

THE WAR IN BRAZIL.

New York, August 2.—A dispatch to the Herald from Rio de Janeiro via Buenos Ayres says: The Brazilian government has ordered another attack on the fanatics now at Canudos.

BEATING THEIR WAY.

Butler, Ind., August 2.—Albert and Clara Franke, of Toledo, were found in a Lake Shore stock car by a conductor, beating their way to Klondyke.

ELECTRIC CAR ACCIDENT.

Milwaukee, August 2.—The burning out of a fuse in an electric car on the Russell avenue and Holton street line caused a panic among 75 women and children.

LUETGERT WILL BE TRIED.

Chicago, August 2.—L. Luetgert, the sausage-maker, will be put on trial for the murder of his wife.

AUSTRALIAN GOLD-SEEKERS KILLED

Whole Settlement of White Pioneers Exterminated by Natives.

HEADS SPLIT WITH HATCHETS

Government Troops Dispatched to Arrest and Bring the Murderers into Sydney for Punishment.

Vancouver, B. C., August 2.—The steamship Mowara from Sydney brings information that news of still another massacre has been received at Sydney.

Later news confirms the massacre which occurred 35 miles from Port Moresby. The entire settlement of natives and whites had their heads split open by a large band of savages.

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