Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week to be located. Cutled From the Telegraph Columns.

Eight hundred Boers surrendered at Vryburg, north of Kimberley.

Plague in Honolulu has been effectually stamped out, not recording a single case in 46 days.

Recent injunction decisions have stirred up the labor unions, and they

urge concerted action. The auditor of the war department finds it a big task to straighten out the Cuban and Puerto Rican finances.

Twenty-two miners, 10 whites and 12 Negroes, lost their lives in an explo-

sion in a coal mine near Raleigh N. C. At Pueblo, Col., a negro fiend who had ravished and murdered two girls in an orphan home, was lynched by a

Grand Chief Arthur, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, was reelected at the convention at Milwaukee, Win.

General Warren occupied Douglas after heavy fighting and without sustaining any loss. The Boers have retreated to the north.

The will of the late Benjamin H. Howell, the sugar merchant, of New York, disposes of an estate valued at \$1,500,000, and gives \$15,000 to Brooklyn charities.

The Methodist general conference at Chicago, after considerable discussion, woted to abolish the time limit on pastorates. The result of the vote was received with great applause.

Another note regarding the American indemnity claim has been handed to the sultan's envoy, Terofik Pasha. It is couched in more precise terms, insisting on prompt settlement.

Considerable California capital has been invested in an extensive mining enterprise in Siberia and Manchuria. Concessions for large tracts of land have been obtained from the Russian and Chinese governments, and the work of development will soon begin.

At the Kansas Democratic convention, at Wichita, to elect delegates to the national convention, in his opening prayer, Rev. Dubber set the delegates wild by the praying of the nomination and triumphant election of Bryan. The applause lasted several minutes.

The water of a large lake near the town of Zapotalan, Mexico, disappeared in a great fissure in the earth, produced by an earthquake. The bed of the former lake is now dry, and the fissure can be plainly seen. It is over three miles long and from one to three feet wide. A tidal wave which swept in from the ocean after the shock did little damage.

British are within 40 miles of Johannesburg.

Much lumber is going to Cape Nome from Puget sound points.

Rioting in St. Louis grows worse. Three men and a girl wounded.

Ashland, Or., has quarantined

against San Francisco Chinamen. Republicans of Alaska denounce C

Republican leaders do not favor

Senator Washburn, of Minnesota, for wice-president.

Boer delegates will not be admitted to the floor of the senate. Their mission is a failure.

The Iron Dyke mine, in Union county, Or., has been sold to Pennsylvania parties for \$85,000.

William R. Hearst, of the San Francisco Examiner, predicts the inauguration of Bryan next spring.

Mexican government is still fighting the Yaquias, additional troops being sent to reinforce General Torres.

The war department refuses to accept the resignations of volunteer officers now serving in the Philippines.

No municipal governments will be organized in the hemp provinces of Luzon until the rebels are driven out.

Fire today destroyed Reeves Bros., Boiler Works, at Alliance, Ohio. The loss will reach \$144,000, with \$40,500

Taylor and Beckham will both be eandidates for re-election to the Kentucky governorship this fall, and a hot election is expected, Colonel Bethune, while marching in

the direction of Newcastle, was ambushed by a party of Boers and very few of his force escaped.

Nathaniel P. Hill, former United States senator from Colorado, one of the wealthiest men in the state, is dead at Denver, aged 68.

The village of Point Claire, 16 miles from Montreal, Canada, has been almost entirely wiped out by fire. Two hundred people are homeless. No fatalities.

Berlin, with the approval of the kaiser, sent over 500,000 marks for the famine sufferers in India.

Six thousand passengers for Cape Nome are booked for May sailings and all berths are preengaged.

Miss Morgan, a San Francisco girl, is the only woman among 600 art students at the Beaux Arts in Paris.

In New York city retail druggists

LATER NEWS.

Outlaws in Utah assassinated two

Afficers not far from Thompson. Charles Woodward, a Chicago diamond thief, is in trouble in Germany. The health officers report that new ases of plague have been discovered.

The Boer envoys will come as far west as St. Paul and then return to THE BOERS LOSING HEART

Through "powers of attorney" all valuable ground at Cape Nome is said

The movement of the G. A. R. to return captured confederate flags has been renewed.

General Rundle has occupied Sennekal, whence the Boers were driven out by a few shells. The Boers will make their last stand

at Potschefostroom, all their available men having been sent there. MacArthur reports that six officers

ered unconditionally at Cuyapo and Tarlac. Katherine S. Clark, daugther of Senator Clark, of Montana, was married to Dr. Lewis Rutherford Morris in New

A lone highwayman near Falls City, Neb., robbed the passengers in a sleeping car and forced the porter to assist him in the work.

Railway bonds have all been subscribed for and Boise, Idaho, is now sure of a line to Butte. Construction is under way.

The steamer Danube is on the rocks near Hospital Point, Victoria. She was bound for Dawson with a big cargo and many passengers. The vessel has been unloaded.

The "Boxers" are now marching on Peking. They destroyed a small town and railroad tracks only 29 miles from the capital city and murdered a number of Chinese employes. For the first time on record the Czar

of Russia invited the members of the British embassy to dinner on the occasion of the queen's birthday. This innovation is regarded as of great political significance.

Emily Price, aged 18 years, daughter of a well-known farmer, was found dead in a pond near Youngstown, Ind. There were clots of blood on her face, and her clothing was disarranged. It is believed she met with foul play.

Scouting, small engagements and the capture of arms and prisoners continue daily in Northern Luzon. Last week's operations by the Ninth, Twelfth, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth and Thirtysixth regiments resulted in the killing of 46 of the enemy, the taking of 180 prisoners and the capture of 300 rifles and a quantity of ammunition.

Dick Croker says he believes Bryan will beat McKinley. He does not consider Dewey "in it."

The steamers Geo. W. Elder and Nome City sailed from Portland for Cape Nome with 750 passengers and large quantities of freight.

the contract for the construction of a breakwater at San Pedro, Cal., to the California Construction Company, at its bid of \$2,875,000. Arthur Rehan, brother of Miss Ada

Rehan and Mrs. Oliver Doud Byron, died in Brooklyn, aged 38 years. had managed many of Augustin Daly's theatrical road companies.

Timothy D. Blackstone, formerly president of the Chicago & Alton railroad, and one of the oldest and most ninent railroad officers in Chicago ernor Brady, and ask for his retirement. died suddenly at his residence in that

Captain Page McCarthy, one of the principals in the famous McCarthy-Mordeci duel, is dead, the result of a long illness. The duel, which took place at Richmond, Va., in the spring of 1873, was one of the most celebrated

since the civil war. General Wade, who was directed to proceed to the Northern Cheyenne Indian agency, at Tongue river, Mont., and investigate the reports that the Indians had the "Messiah" craze, and intended to rise against the whites, has telegraphed the adjutant-general that he could find no reason to anticipate trouble. He says the Indians are in bad condition, but peaceable and

well disposed. Commissioner Hermann, of the general land office, has issued an order instructing superintendents of forest reserves throughout the West to plant suitable saplings and trees where portions of the forests have been destroyed by fire. He is also making arrangements for the establishment of a telephone system, which is to connect all the forest stations in certain districts so that in the future in case of a fire

help may be summoned immediately. Collector of Internal Revenue Lynch is making preparations to establish an office in Honolulu, the Hawaiian islands having been added to the District of California. The internal revenue laws go into effect in Hawaii on office will be selected from citizens of Hawaii. The stocks of beer, wines, liquors, opium, cigars and tobacco now in the islands will be inspected and inventoried. A ter June 14 goods from the United States must be stamped before being sent to the islands.

Nearly 3,000 Spanish prisoners still

are held by the Filipinos. The postoffice department has appointed over 70 postmasters for Puerto

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

William D. Hall, a St. Louis street car conductor, is in active service, al- any concessions and a deadlock is the pictures sent to M. J. O'Donnell, New

SITUATION IS VERY GRAVE Uncle Sam Says the "Boxers" Must Be

Kruger Asks the Burghers What They Wish.

It Is Fear That if Dutch Have in Excuse They Will Destroy the Johannesberg Mines.

London, May 29 .- When Lord Robts wrote his first dispatch on Transvaal territory yesterday, shortly before 2 o'clock in the afternoon, he was 51 miles from Johannesberg and 77 miles from Pretoria. His immensely superior forces had passed the Vani river, their last great natural obstacle, at three points. and 102 men with 101 rifles surrend-

The Vaal has a curve of 80 miles on the west to Zand Drift on the east. The concave of the current is toward the Free State. Thus Lord Roberts. advancing along the railway, was in position to strike any part of the cres cent by shorter lines than those by which the Boers could reinforce the threatened points. The Boers retreated almost, without a show of defense. General French and General Hamilton apparently did not fire a shot.

Of Lord Roberts' immediate force 11 men, belonging to the Eighth mounted infantry, were the first to ford the They came upon a Boer patrol looting at Vieljoen's Drift, and a skirmish lasting 10 minutes followed. Three hundred Boers tried feebly to hold the Vereeniging colliery, but were dislodged. Major Hunter Weston and Lieutenant Earl rode in advance of Lord Roberts 40 miles into a hostile country to try to cut the railway behind the Boers before the Vaal was crossed, but they were too late.

The Boer rear guard is at Moyarton, 10 miles south of Vereenignig. Their main body is moving toward the Klip river hills that cover the south side of Johannesberg. While Lord Roberts 30,000 infantry, 20,000 horses and 150 guns are moving on Johannesberg and Pretoria, through a parched and deserted country, the situation at the Transvaal capital, as it was last Friday, is thus described by an observer, who sent his message by private hands to Lourenco Marques yesterday:

"The situation, both from a military and a political point of view, has become very critical. President Kruger yesterday admitted for the first time that matters are very grave. The Boer determination is to trust everything to a last stand on the Gaterand mountains, March Pursuing the Rebel Leader in to the north of Potschefostroom, where 3,000 Kaffirs are digging trenches. To that point every available man and gun has been sent.

"The whole of the western border of the Transvaal from end to end is defenseless, and General Baden-Powell can march in when he likes. Lord Roberts, on the other hand, will en- and believe they are escorting Aguincounter the greatest resistance. Boer endeavor is to lure the British suit across an exceedingly difficult The secretary of war has awarded into appearing to threaten Johannesberg with attack, an excuse thus being given them for the destruction of property. The Transvaal government will not dare destroy the mines and property without an excuse. Much dynamite has been sent down the line, and 160,-000 cases lie ready at Zurfontein, near Johannesberg.

"General Louis Botha and General Lucas Meier have pleaded for the preservation of property. Both are large landed proprietors and fear confiscation, of appoplexy, resulting from a sunbut they have not received satisfactory replies from President Kruger."

Naval Station at San Diego.

soundings in the bay and recommendations as to whether this is a suitable location for the establishment of a naval coaling station, and further to advise whether one is needed here. The work of surveying the harbor will tracted their attention. While passing be begun immediately. The minimum depth of water will be reported, and also the cost of the necessary land, if ton and numerous other articles, inthe government does not already own cluding a splendid case of surgical inland near where the bunkers would be located.

The West Africa Trouble,

Accra, May 29 .- It is reported that three European officers were killed and Captain Aplin and 100 Hausers were wounded in a recent effort by the Lagos Hausers to break the investing lines of tribesmen at Kumassie. The Ashanti loss is reported to have been great, as the Hausers had three Maxims engaged, although themselves greatly outnum-Three hundred Ashantis are bered. said to have been killed in a previous action. The rising is still spreading.

Paper Mill Burned.

Milwankee, May 29.—The Flambeau Paper Company's mill and warehouse at Park Falls burned today, entailing a loss of \$200,000. The property is well All deputies at the Honolulu insured. The town was without adequate fire protection, and at one time was thought would be totally wiped out. Assistance from Medford and Abbotsford prevented the spread of the flames beyond the paper company's her promise never again to allow notorplant. Included in the loss are two ions Li Ping Hang, enemy of Europe, paper machines, valued at \$40,000 each. to hold an office.

The Tonga King Objects.

Tonga islands objects to the clause of York city, committed suicide tonight the treaty between Great Britain and at Whirlpool rapids. He descended the island government relative to the the elevator, and, after having his pic-British protectorate. The king desires ture taken, walked out on a rock, threw a protectorate only against powers, and insists upon the kingship waving his right hand dramatically, of himself and his descendants. Com- shouted "Good-bye," and leaped into missioner Thompson refuses to make the rushing waters. have formed an association to compete though he has just passed his 80th result, but hopes are entertained that a York, who is said to be paster of St solution of the difficulty will be found. Andrew's church.

WARNING TO CHINA.

Suppressed. Washington, May 28 .- The United States government has taken a hand in the suppression of the "Boxers" in Minister Conger has been in-Chins. structed by the state department to inform the Chinese government that the United States government expects it to

stamp out promptly and theroughly this society, and to provide proper guarantees for the maintenance of peace and order, and the protection of the life and property of Americans in China, all now threatened by the operations of the "Boxers." There is no indication in the instructions as to the course that will be pursued by the United States in case the Chinese government fails to observe the warning conveyed acting on parallel lines with the reprethe Chinese court, but has not joined in any concert of action.

STRIKE SYMPATHIZERS.

Caused Another Riot in St. Louis-Attempt to Blow Up a Car.

St Louis, May 28 .- Sympathizers of the striking street car men were again the medium of a riotous demonstration today, and as a result another name was added to the long list of wounded. This afternoon, as a car on the Jefferson avenue line, running south, approached Sullivan avenue, it was attacked by a crowd of men and boys. Several shots were fired at the car. The policemen on the car returned the fire, and in all about 100 shots were exchanged. Peter Wells, a patrolman, who was riding on the front platform, was hit in the left arm pit, the bullet producing an ugly wound. It is not known who fire! the shot, as the crowd scattered as soon as the men on the car drew their revolvers. It was rumored that two men in crowd were shot, but they could not be found by the police.

The differences existing between the management of the St. Loulis & Suberban Railway Company and the union men in its employ were satisfactorily adjusted this afternoon and all danger of another strike has been averted, at least for the present.

Twenty-two miles of the Transit Company were in operation today, but few cars were running.

At 6 A. M. an attempt was made by somebody unknown to blow up a car on the Spaniding avenue line of the Assas inste Two Officers Who Are to Transit Company. The wheels of the first car struck something that exploded with a loud noise, and lifted the car two or three feet into the air.

ON AGUINALDO'S TRAIL.

Manila, May 28 .- Major Marsh, with a battalion of the Thirty-third in fantry, and Colonel Hare, with another part of the regiment, while scouring the country northeast of Bangued, report they struck the trail of a party of Filipinos traveling in the mountains The aldo. Major Marsh is continuing pur-

country, beyond telegraph lines. Sergeant Barry and four privates of company B. Twenty-seventh regiment, have rescued the daughter of the president of San Mateo from some Ladrones, who had abducted her. Afterwards 12 Ladrones ambushed them, killing the sergeant. Three privates stood off the band until reinforced. Seven Ladrones were killed.

Lieutenant Elliott, of the cruiser New Orleans, died recently at Cavite

Looted the Charleston.

Seattle, May 28 .- During the last purpose of taking on a number of them almost instantly. beeves. Several American civilians were passengers on the ship and they seized an opportunty to go ashore. Ruins of a house larger and more dura- Near the Scene of Trouble to Protect ble than the cottages of the natives atthrough the place they stumbled across the searchlight of the cruiser Charlesstruments, the property of the Charleston's medical officer. No arms were the mainland where the rebels migh. use them.

Disorders in Isle of Jersey.

French residents of St. Heliers, Island of Jersey, owing to the pro-Boer attitude of the latter. There have been point, several collisions, and this morning bayonets to prevent the demonstrators from invading the French quarter. Thirty greets were made. The French British foreign office, with the result sponsible for the maintenance of order.

Germany will bring China to time, the empress dowager having violated

Suicide of a Priest. Nisgara Falls, N. Y., May 28 .- An Auckland, May 29.—The king of the unknown priest, supposedly from New foreign his hat and cane back of him, and,

SYMPATHY FOR THE BOERS

Anglo-American Alliance in the Senate Again.

SENATOR WELLINGTON SPEAKS

Industrial Commission Accused of Being a Republican Campaign Machine - Said to Have Suppressed Testimony.

Washington, May 31 .- In the course of a speech in favor of the adoption of a resolution expressing the senate's sympathy for the Boers today, Wellingin this communication. Mr. Conger is ton referred to a secret understanding existing between the United States and sentatives of every European power at Great Britain. When Lodge demanded proof that such an understanding existed, Wellington said that, under the circumstances, it was difficult to prerent tangible proof, but he believed lows: the proof could be found in the secret archives of the state department, Lodge replied that under our form of government no such understanding could exist, and, as the secretary of state had emphatically denied the exstence of any alliance or understanding, he believed the country would accept his statement as true

The reading of the sundry civil apropriation bill was completed, but not all of the committee amendments have been disposed of. A lively debate was precipitated over the proposition to continue the life of the industrial comrission until October 31, 1901, Charges were made that the commisdon was being used as a Republican ampaign machine, and that important | Salem. testimony had been suppressed. The committee amendment, however, was agreed to.

This was a dull day in the house, marking the near approach of final adjournment. The Alaska civil government hill was passed, and some odds and ends of legislation were cleaned up. . Dalzell gave notice that the antitrust resolution and bill reported by the judiciary committee would be considered Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week under a special order.

WORK OF OUTLAWS.

Puranit-Dead Men Unarmed,

Salt Lake, May 31 .- A special to the Herald from Thompson, Utah, says: A cowardly assassination occurred about 50 miles north of here yesterday at noon. Sheriff Tyler, of Grand county, and Sam Jenkins, a cattle wner, were shot and instantly killed by outlaws on Hill creek, about 50 miles north of here.

The sheriff, Jenkins and Deputy heriff Day have been on the hunt for cattle rustlers for several days, in fact, ever since they killed George Currie on April 17. The posse had separated from Sheriff Preece, of Uintah county, and posse, early in the morning, the latter being about three miles away when the shooting occurred. The story of the killing, as told by Deputy Sheriff Day, who was only about 50 yards away when the shooting occurred, is as follows:

The officers came upon the outlaws' camp unexpectedly. As soon as they saw the outlaws they dismounted and advanced towards them. When with in a few yards from the outlaws, Sheriff Tyler spoke to them, saying, "Hello, hova,

The reply made could not be heard by Deputy Sheriff Day but after it was made. Sheriff Tyler and Jenkins turned towards their horses, voyage of the Churruca from Aparri, ing to get more assistance. As soon as supposedly with the intention of leav-San Diego, Cal., May 28.—Captain according to the Manila Freedom, the their backs were turned, the outlaws Field, of the United States steamer steamer touched at the island where shot them through the back, the bul-Ranger, has received orders from the Charleston was wrecked, for the lets coming out of their breasts, killing

KEMPFF AT TAKU.

American Interests.

Washington, May 31.- A cablegram eccived at the navy department today stated that the Newark had been designated to act as flagship of the senior squadron commander, and that the vessel sailed from Nagasaki last Saturday and arrived at Taku forts yesterday, found among the loot, and the supposi- Rear Admiral Kempff is the senior tion is that if any of them fell into the squadron officer described in the dishands of natives they were taken across patch, and his visit to Taku, the nearest point to l'eking attainable for large yessels, has attracted much attention. It is understood that there is already a London, May 28.—Serious trouble is formidable fleet of European warships threatening between the British and gathered at Taku, and since the withdrawal of the Wheeling the American fleet has been unrepresented at that

While prepared to act concurrently troops were forced to charge with fixed with, though independently of, the European powers in the protection of the life and property, of foreigners in Chins, Admiral Kempff has not at presconsul has reported the situation to the ent any intention of making a hostile demonstration in the Pei-Ho river. It that the latter has wired to the gov- is believed that he is at Taku solely for ernor, Lieutenant-General Sir Edward the purpose of getting as near as possi-Hopton, holding him personally re- ble to Minister Conger and the American legation at Peking.

> The Hancock at Hong Hong. Hong Kong, May 31.—The transport Hancock has arrived here with the members of the new Philippine commission on its way to Manila.

Los Angeles, May 31 .- Rev. William oseph Beecher, a missionary of the Latter Day Saints, who came to this city Friday, was found dead in his coom here yesterday. He had blown out the gas, and death from asphyxiation was the result. Beecher was sent here from Salt Lake to assist in the campaign which is being waged in southern California in the interest of Mormonism, and expected to remain some months. He was evidently un-familiar with the use of gas.

Expected to remain eastern branch of Quarts side # familiar with the use of gas.

The Oregon Mining Stock Excha-

Portland, May 30,—The Otegos ing and Stock Exchange is a ready for business. The room w finished within a few days. Prop are listed and brokers are real eall has been made for the m ment on stock subscribed. call will be issued soon. During week the directors will meet to arrange for the opening. The ber terprise has been widely adven-Colorado and other gold mining The Oregon exchange will wark tines successfully followed at a and Denver and a large list of properties are ready for the fin sion. A gallery for ladies has

MINES AND MINING

most Ready for Business

provided in the Portland exchange Dividends Pald. Helens, Mont., May 80.0 the latter part of April and up a time in May dividends have been by Montana and Idaho mines

MONTANA.

Boston & Montana Con. Anaconda Copper Amalgamated Copper.... Florence, silver, Montana Ore Pur. Co.....

IDAHO, De Lamar. Buffalo Hump Banker Hill Empire State

Idaho..... New Oregon Mining Company Salem, May 30 .- Two million mining companies were thou the past week-the Helens, of he and the Freeland Consolling

Washington Mining Companie Olympia, May 30.-The big w companies incorporated in Wali during the week were the New! and Alaska, of Scattle, Silver to of Spokane, and the Sumet, of kane, the latter capitalized for a

Looking for Coal in Orego. Pendleton, Oregon, May 10taims on Birch creek, 20 miles here, are being examined again a termine once for all whetherers property will warrant extension Elks Will Boom Mines.

Portland, May 30,-A special? for mining exhibits will be a fer the Elks street carnival here is tember. Ores will be obtained all camps of Oregon, Washings Islaho Mine Acrident.

Boise, Idaho, May 30.-Tm were killed and two seriously in an explosion in the tunnel of the da Mountain mine at Silver Cir. men had drilled into a misselle the heavy explosion followed. Last of the Nome Rest.

Seattle, May 30 .- The first me Nome is over. Up to date 37 i have left this port for Nome, and more than 10,000 passengers, sur freight tonnage, and seven in horses and cattle.

In the Klandike Country. Tacoma, May 30 .- Skagmy less than two weeks old says the kon river is open to Dawson City.

Lake Bennett is also open. Coal Mine Sold. Renton, Wash., May 30.-The

mine here owned and operated by years by a co-operative coups een sold to Jacob Furth, et for \$90,000. Group of Claims Hondel. Pendleton, Or., May 33.-De

group in the Greenborn moun been bonded by Joe Baster, of the to a representative of the Stall Company for \$80,000. If develop work now going on proves mis mining will be done vigorally fall. Looking for Gold Miss.

Baker City, Or., May 30,-1

of Colorado miners have started

here for the North Powder setts

loted by G. Downs, who own a properties up there. They chis? out for Denver capitalists, to is thing offered in gold mines were Seven Devils Mining Could Spokane, May 30 .- The Sent mining country in Idaho will he Pacific & Northern Idaho a built into the heart of it this as

as 60 miles of extension werk is

ned. Immense ore traffic is all

by the general manager of them P. Shelby. New Road to the Miss Brownsville, Or., May 30.-is ors are running a line up the Chi for a new wagon road to the mil Linn county wants the trade # section. The road will pass if heavy timber country and soul

gold locations. San Francisco, May 30.—Chi Yale, of the San Francisco the gold output of California wa 836,031. Silver \$504,012. mines, river bed, bar mines and ing yielded \$1,401,386, la s mines of the state 18,700 men at

ployed. Vinson on His Feet Agair Baker City Or., May 30.tions on the Magnolia and Little gold mines is reported for in start, as W. L. Vinson is said his feet again. These mills equipped with modern ten stasp

Discoveries Around Gold # Gold Hill, Or., May 30,-80 gold discoveries are heard of eastern branch of Quarts cro-

spat