CAICHIT ON THE TRIIL Winter Overtakes Prosp the suffering is intense Two Feet of Snow Already-Miners
Campet in Finmy Tent-liee on
Lakes Blocks Further Travel Skaguay, Alaska, Oct. 12. - Several
parties aro just in over the Dalton trail
from Klondike, and all bring the story-scarcity of provisions and pos-
sible hunger and starvation as the
portion of many there this winter. C. A. Brown, who have been mining
on Birch creek, having left Dawson
City September 6 . poled ap the river to 150 miles above Pelly river, and there
bought horsses and came in over the
"supposed" Dalton trail making the "supposed" Dalton trail, making the
trip in 26 days to Haines' mission, get-
ting there on Sunday. They paseed thg there on sanday. They parse
te Thorp party the summit with
100 head of cattle. Most of the party
were discouraged and wanted to turn 100 head of cattle. Most of the party
were discouraged and wanted to turn
back. Brown and Clark told them
they had gone through 100 miles of
snow where no food could be got for pobsibe to get their cattle through
alive. Thorp had already lost 15 packe
horses on the trail, and part of his or-
iginal party had turned back two da before, but be was stubborn and would About 25 persons came out over the
Dation trail in the past week, and say
there are a good many foilowing them,
all bringing the same report, that there is no trail, that it is 417 miles long,
that summits innumerable have to be crosed and streams forded, and that it
is impossible to flnd your way without
Indian guides, The largest party to


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 back by the the fire was still raging
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heat three succumbing to the injuries heat, thre
received.

| Captain Whiteside's Canvas Boat. |  |
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|  | residents, who were returning home |
| gs schooner Bonanza, which reached | from the carnival festivities. The plat- |
| the harbor on Friday night, broughtfrom the Arctic the canvas boat in |  |
|  | way under the strain, and when it |
| tesides and six of the crew of the Nevarch es- |  |
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| caped from the ice jam that wrecked |  |
| the vessel, to cutter Bear. It has a quently to the cut |  |
| captain and his crew were dragging it over the ice, a bearskin was stretched over the canvas for protection. To the |  |
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| forethought of Captain Whitesides in having it built is due the safety of himself and seven others. |  |
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| vana, Oct. 12.-General Weyler |  |
| has issued a decree allowing the return to the island of Senor Gonzales Lanuza, |  |
| a judge of the supreme court of Havana |  |
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| and a professor in university; Dr. |  |
| Emillo Nunez, a well-known lawyer; |  |
| Latas, Manuel Castro Patomino, Juan |  |
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| Nnsenat, Adoifo de la Cueva, Miguel Ferro, and 121 others who had been expelled. |  |
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| Matinous Talk in a Regiment. |  |
| meted out to Private Charles Ham- |  |
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| mond, at Fort 8herid |  |
|  | the America |
| among the entire regiment of the post. |  |
| Day, Hammond was dragged feet first | Oher big mations of he |
| by four moldiers from the guardhonse down a flight of stairs, to the head- |  |
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| quartere, 500 yards, ap the stairs, then down again and to the adjutant's quart- |  |
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 lowered the world's record $31 /$ seconds
Tor the two-mile pace at the tate fair
track, in the presencoo 10.00 people.
Fraehalis, driven by his owner. Frank
Frazier, appeared on the track with his Frazier, appeared on the track with his
full brother Del Norte, who has a reocrl
of 20.08. Eoth. horses were loudly
cheered. After scoring through the cheered. After scoring through the
stretch a few times Del Norte with.
drew. Atter scoring once, Frazier an.
nounced that he was ready to start, and
hund reds of wathecs were helle in readi-
ness to rceord his attempt to make a hund eeds of wathees were held in read
ness to record his attempt to make
world's reord.
Like a flash the black stallion was. Like a flash the black stallion was
down to the wire, and, allost before
the gpectators could realize it, was on
his way, moving easily and proudly.
At the three-quarter pole the runner,
Bonbonniere, ridden by Galbrnith, Donbonnere,
jumped in, but the oregan pacer
need no prompter. He reeled off the
first mile in 2:09 flat. "Too fast; he'll never make it," was
on many tongues as the first mile was
finished. But his well-wishers breathed
easier when $3: 14$ was called at the mile
and a half. and a half.
Thirty-one seconds more saw him at
the mile and three-quarters, and in the
face of a strong southwwestern wind, face of a strong southwwestern wind
he strode home gamely, creating a fresh
record by passing under the wire in When the time was announced, amid
prolonged cheers, Chehalis was crowned
with wreaths of flowers, and led off the rack, looking but little worse for his
world-beating two-mile pace.
Chehalis' record by $3==$ ngainst time at Lincoln, Neb., October
31, 185. W. W. P. made the distance
in $4: 22 / 4$.

## Berlin, Oct, 8.-The German govern- nent has refused to recognize Mr. Perdinand Neumann, of Ilinois, who

 was nominated by President Mckinleyas United States consul at Cologne.
The tatate department, it is said,
never has received offcially any charges
against the appointee, though certain
allegations were current that, if supagainst the appointee, though certain
alegations were current that, if sup.
ported, would have made his selection properly objectionable to the German
government. Some of these are con-
nected with the worl's sair, and a cer-
tain concert enterprise fin which Neu-
mann is said to have been interested, which resulted disastrously to some
German artists. The action of the
German government is is final, as it is a
well-reconnized right of a nation to
withhold an exequator at its pleasure.
 several days, the chamber of deputies
of Peru adopted the gold standard by a
majority of one vote. The plan for a
gold atandal wa gold standard was sent to the chamber
some time ago, after it had been ap-
proved by the rereitent and cabinet.
The cabinet believed this was the only side. There was a long fight on over the
question in the chamber, the govern-
ment supoters araming themselves
manaimously in favor of the gold stand-
mand. The narrow margin of their vic-
tory shows how persistently the ques. Rell with a Lamm.
Red Bluff, Cal., Oct. 8. Mrs. C.
8. Mas was contester.
Velker, wito of Conrad Volker. apon.
eer resident of this place, was burned eer resident of this place, was burned
to death last ingitt about 1130. She
deecended the cellar stairs with a light.
ed lamp and stumbled and fell, breaking the lamp. she fell in such a way
that she was sugpended and helpless
over the burning oil, and before ehe
could be rescued by her buet could be rescued by her huseand, was
fearfully burned, and died at 4 o'clock
 Washington, La., Oct. 8.- Harvey
Chery, who had just returned from and had 89,000 on his person, was way.
laid this morning by three footpads, money and a gold watch. He was
found bound andt gagked in an alley.
almost dead from loss of blood from an ugly gash in his head.

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charge of an expedition to the Yukon made st the instance of the govern-
ment, as a sort of test of the facilities ment, as a sort of test of the facilities
for sending sialors across the continent.
The route is vis the Penngylvania to The route is via the Penngylvania to
Chicago the Milwaukee to Omaha, and
the Uniun and Soutbern Pacific to San Franciso. The run from Chicago
Omaha was made in 12 hours.
$\qquad$ the Homestake mine this morning.
They had set off two blasts which did
That gate, and the biasts went off. Th
bodies were buried under a mass of
debris six feet deep.





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