

WORK OF TRUST LAWYERS.

The executive council of the Federa-

the United States,

Big Drydock for Bremerton.

TEST BOAT WITH TORPEDO.

Demon Tof Destruction Will be Sent Gompers Condemns Memorial or tegrity of Courts.

Washington, June 9-Sacrificed Washington, June 10-Indignantly for the benefit of naval construction, denying that the American Federation drowned; railroad tracks are washed the monitor Florida, shot two weeks of Labor had attacked the integrity of out in every direction. Land slides ago with the heaviest naval gun, will, the courts, state or national, Presi-on Saturday Tune 13 he courts, state or national, Presi-are reported on the Great Northern Great Steel Bridges Washed Out- Postoffice Officials Believe Increased on Saturday, June 13, be punctured dent Gompers of that organization near Kalispell and the rivers are beneath her waterline armor by the Monday night declared that the Fed- rapidly rising. This is the situation most powerful American Whitehead torpedo. The first demonstration was to test

the respective strength of armor plate the platform of the Republican party, dangered. and explosive shell, also to show the affirming confidence in the integrity ing mast. The torpedo is to be sent the Florida that it may be definitely known whether a water-tight bulkhead, specially constructed within her, designed with all the most mod-ern ideas of construction, can be de-pended upon to save a shin from denitely known whether a water-tight struction against this dangerous method of attack.

Secretary Metcalf has invited Secretary Taft to witness the test.

Railroads in Fear.

Washington, June 5 .- Newspaper hammering of the plan to increase rates has resulted in compelling the railroads to desist therefrom, apparently. The announcement was made at the office of the interstate commerce commission today that the commission had information that new tariffs would be filed July 1. The law compels that new tariffs shall be filed alleged infractions of the internal reva month in advance of the time new rates are to go into effect. June 1 has passed, and no increased tariffs have been filed, indicating that the selling cigars in contravention of the plan announced after the trunk line meeting at New York, looking to ininternal revenue laws. The tops of creased rates beginning July 11, has been abandoned. The shippers' victory in this matter is wholy credited to the newspaper publicity, which has been persistent throughout the country against increases.

Emergency May Not Arise.

Washintgon, June 6 .- Treasury of ficials declared today, after a study of the new currency law, there is nothing in the measure which says that clearing house certificates are illegal. They also express the opinion that not a dollar of the authorized emergency currency will ever be issued. Should an emergency arise, they think that clearing house certificates instead of highly taxed emergency currency would be resorted The treasury department is to again. arranging for \$500,000,000 in emercirculation notes in blank for bank which might apply for them under the regulations.

Cuts Short Third Term Talk.

that "no friend of mine" will continue of the Atlantic fleet. Washington, June 4 .- Because Presefforts to nominate, the president has written to one of West Virginia's delegates to the Chicago convention for the specific purpose of heading off what appears to be a united effort to revive the Roosevelt sentiment. More than this, the president's friends, echoing his sentiment, say that the president has expressed himself to the

RAILROAD TRAFFIC STOPPED. Entire State of Montana a Vast Waste

of Water. Helena, Mont., June 5 .- With the greatest rainfall in 28 years, Montana is experiencing the most complete demoralization of railroad traffic since the first train crossed the Rocky Riodittains in this state. Thousands of passengers are ma-

of the big mountain trestles are en-dangered. There is, as yet, no proseffectiveness of a new design of fight. on preservation of their independence at more than two inches. It is believed that at least six perand full constitutional prerogatives.

is now tied up.

est flood mark.

upon the hills in the rain.

critical condition.

of protest were attorneys or other representatives of great corporations. ow stalled at Great Falls, Havre and He said that in Chicago "we will as-sert our rights, with the hope that other points in Northern Montana. On the east of Helena the Great the great gathering of Republicans will not be insensible to them. "I believe in the courts," he added. "Organized labor does. We have not Northern tracks are washed out near Basin and both the morning and evenng trains from Butte are held up

attacked their integrity, but that the right of injunction has been abused no one can deny." West of Garrison the tracks were washed out several days ago and no trains have been able to get through for a week. This cuts off all means of transportation to the coast, since Government Gets Many Cigars.

the Great Northern trains cannot get Washington, June 10 .- The inthrough from the north. One of the leading theatrical comternal revenue department has planned a series of prosecutions for panies is held up in Helena now and the probabilities are it will have to remain here a week. The company enue laws all over the United States. has cancelled all its dates for several Officers of that department made seizures Thursday at two local drug stores on the ground that they were days ahead.

SHOOTS AT DREYFUS.

boxes to which the majority of the Military Journalist Seeks Revenge for stamps were affixed have been re-moved, thereby leaving the packages Insult to French Army.

unprotected by proper stamps. The government contends this is prima the ceremonies attending the canoni-zation of Emile Zola in the Pantheon yesterday, when the president of least of here. The number margoned the United States and Canada. facie evidence of the non-payment o the taxes, and cigars not protected by yesterday, when the president of east of here. They will be sent to Spo-France, the premier and a host of ministers of state were taking their. The damage to the new roadbed of the new roadbed of stamps must be declared forfeited to

Washington, June 5 .- Revised spe Major Alfred Dreyfus, for whose ifications for the naval drydock to all the time. iberty Zola fought and won. built at the Bremerton navy yard,

on Puget Sound, were completed to-day by Rear Admiral Holliday, chief shots rang out, there was great ex-citement in fear that the president borrowed from other roads. The fight of the navy yards bureau. It is ex-pected that the dock will be complethad been assassinated, but even the ed 18 months from July 1, when work attempt on the life of Major Drevfus is expected to be started. Bids for the construction of the dock have created a profound impression. Solthe construction of the dock have diers speedily surrounded Gregoris in torrents. The Missoula river at this been asked, and it is announced that and he was aken to jail, bruised and place is but a few fer below the highthey will be opened on June 18. The bleeding, with his clothes almost torn est mark ever registered. The expensive

preparations are being carried on from his back. Major Dreyfus was not seriously inwith dispatch, and it is not thought guarded to prevent thir use, so danger that any delay will be permitted. The need of the big navy dock on the Pa-

Grain Crops Will be Immense.

Major A bullet entered in the bone. At a but did not injure the bone. At a has no trouble as yet has no trouble as yet. At midnight the Nithern Pacific has read worable and that no complications were feared. With regard to the erasons for Greater With regard to the erasons for Greater the fight against the water the with regard to the erasons for Greater the fight against the water the with regard to the erasons for Greater the fight against the water the with regard to the erasons for Greater the fight against the water the with regard to the erasons for Greater the fight against the water the with regard to the erasons for Greater the fight against the water the with regard to the erasons for Greater the fight against the water the fight against the water the fight against the water the state of Missoula for the present. Unless the rain stops for the most were the fight against the water the fight against the water the state of Missoula for the present. Unless the rain stops for the most were the fight against the water the state of Missoula for the present. Unless the rain stops for the most were the fight against the water the state of Missoula for the present. Unless the rain stops for the most were the fight against the water the stops for the most were the stops for the stops for the most were the stops for the most were the stops for the stops Washington, June 10-A preliminary estimate of 17,710,000 acres of spring wheat sown, or more than 631,-000 arces more than last year, and appeals to hatred with which the antiplacing the condition of June 1 of

it is not understood that they are de-Semitic papers have been filled since stroyed. winter wheat at 86 per cent, against the government resolved to place the 57.4 per cent a year ago, and of rye at body of Zola in the Pantheon.



Britain the New Rate.

RAILROADS LOSE NUCH TRACKAGE BE OPERATIVE NEXT OCTOBER

Wires Down on All Sides-**Commercial Intercourse Will** Deluge Continues. Be the Result.

Missoula, Mont., June 6 .- At 5 o'clock Washington, June 4 .- Postmasterlast eevening the flood situation in west- General Meyer announced today that ern Montana was growing more serious an agreement had been reached with each minute. Helena is cut off from the British government providing for the outside world. She is without rail- letter postage of 2 cents an ounce way, telegraph or telephone communica- between the United States and Great tion. For a short time in the afternoon Britain and Ireland, to become oper-

at the time it was learned that all of ... The matter of "poors postage," or yesterday and left over the Great the streams in Helena and vicinity are it is called in England, has been under long preliminary training in federal ar. are the right ones?-Fliegende Blaetter. much damage to farms and considerfar back as last July President Roose- dates. able loss of livestock. The Great Northern's branch lines velt approved Mr. Meyer's course in are out of service, and the main line urging a "restricted union with Eng-in northern Montana is cut in several land.".

places. The first train started eastward On October 1, 1907, the Universal out of Spokane over the Great Northern There is no com Postal Union, which governs the incation either by rail or telegraph. ternational postage transactions of All streams continue to rise. the various civilized countries, re-Big Blackfoot river is nearly its highduced the rate of letter postage from The Northern Pacific has lost sev 5 cents a half-ounce flat to 5 cents per eral miles of track east of here during the day. At Bonita, Nimrod and Bearounce, which is the present rate bemouth the telegraph operators have tween the United States and countries been compelled to leave their posts, driven out by the rising waters. At

with which we do not have direct Garrison nearly all the residents have steamship communication, but on mail fied from their homes and are camped on which we have to pay an additional charge to countries through which it None of the dams on the river have given way, though the power dam of the Universal Union, however, any owned hy ex-Senator William A. Clark, two states can form a restricted above Missoula, is reported to be in a union. Examples of restricted union are those now existing which permit

this reduction in the rate to the United Kingdom ultimately will result in an increase in receipts, because departure, Louis Antheno Gregoris, a military writer of note, drew a re-volver and fired two shots point-blank in dollars, and it is becoming greater creased revenue. He is also of the tion dollars, and it is becoming greater creased revenue. He is also opinion that a lower postage will lead The Northern Pacific has assembled on Men distinguished in all walks of this division all of the pledrivers from Manufacturers, he says, are increasing the filled the Pantheon and, when the the west that it can get; it has taken their sales in England and must rely a freer commercial intercourse

from its own western divisions and has to a great extent upon mails for or ders and increase of trade. against the water is being carried on by "Further," he stated. "this will be great boon to our adopted English- City recently, and most of it is settling ed to his chalse, the ancestor of our 10,000 men, but the water is gaining steadily, and the rain continues to fall speaking citizens and their connection in torrents. The Missonla river at this tere, as it will enable them to keep up | Island, correspondence with their relations

and friends in the old country at docity bridges are in danger, and are mestic rates."

PREPARES FOR EMERGENCY.

Heney Fears Enemies May Get Galla gher and Plans Accordingly. San Francisco, June 4 .- Convinces

hat the "higher ups" have determined expensive road on the line. Two big to kill former Supervisor James L. Gallagher, Assistant District Attorney Francis J. Heney announced yes-The serious feature of the situation is terday that he will dismiss the case

the fact that the high water has ex-in which Abraham Ruef is charged the third building in every two hundred tain condiments. The kernels of the tended west of Missoula, and is attack-with bribing former Supervisor L I

NO TRAINING NECESSARY.

Americana Have Learned Presidents Make Good Without It. Until Jackson's era in Washington

this country selected Presidents who to every case had had large personal experience in national affairs, says the Springfield Republican. Washington,

lams, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe and toin Adams were statesmen of Thiry ore men than women

Fational proportions when chosen to the office of chief magistrate. All but Washington and Madison had even diplomatic experience in Europe " before

gaining the presidency. With Jackson an entirely new type of executive began to appear. Jackson came straight from the heart of democracy. He represented the determination of the masses to rule, and it mattered little to the people whether or not

he had been trained for high executive station by adequate experience in the legislative, administrative or diplomatiservices of the government. The tremendous popular success of

the two Jackson administration profoundly influenced American politics, from a walk)-Dear me, Anna, how Parties desiring to win elections no. harren placer ar net a state to any

been consideration for some time, and as fairs in selecting presidential candi-

The Whigs, trying to repeat the Demcentic success with Jackson, nominated Gen, Harrison in 1840 and Gen, but is much more elastic. Alzen is Taylor in 1848, and both were elected. although neither was Jackson's equal takes a high polish. in natural personal power as a leader of men. The Whigs tried the "hero" once more with Gen. Scott and failed.

Then came the Lincoln nomination by the Republicans in 1860, and Linounce, and 3 cents each additional coin's destiny has been so extraordinary that the American people have been confirmed, if anything, in their belief that the man of long preliminary service in national business is not always the necessary choice for the presi



dency

Receipts of the Manhattan postoflic are now amounting to \$54,370 each day of practical politics at present, for the that it is open.

During the last six months there have been burned in New York City 10,385,000 tons of coal.

Lord Beaconstield's love for the hemble primrose has been perpetuated by into Lynne on his way from Cambridge their sales in England and must rely the foundation of the Primrose League. after the British had evacuated Bos-There has been a noticeable increase ton. Franklin measured the miles by

on the upper west side of Manhattan cyclometer.

New York City gets a portion of its 'Eddle Foy," says an actor. "Once in milk supply from as far as four hun- the town of Keokuk, Iowa, Foy and I dred miles distant, and the product of went into a barber's to get shaved. \$6,000 farms is drawn on to meet its. When the barber got through with him Foy applied his handkerchief to his daily wants.

It has become known that the three face and said : 'Young man, you have attempts made by Sir Thomas Lipton missed your vocation. You ought to be to capture the America's cup, the in. an oyster opener."

Tamarind seeds are to be reckoned trinsic value of which is about \$250, have cost him \$500,000 for yachts alone. among the fairly nutritious plant pro-Since the establishment of the Rom- ducts that have been reported to proan Catholic diocese of New York a vide food during periods of famine in century ago there has been erected in India, says Nature. The pulp of the the territory of Greater New York one fruit is an esteemed ingredient of cer-

······ Australia's only beast of prey is the

dingo, or wild dog. London uses 50,000 tons of sugar an-

FACTS IN TABLOID FORM.

ually for jam-making. -------

For every ton of gold in circulation there are fifteen tons of silver.

The total wages paid to textile workrs in Germany increased from \$62,-118,000 in 1886 to \$122,570,000 in 1905. Much as it rains in England, there still prevails an indisposition on the part of both men and women to wear rubber overshoes.

Great attention is being given in Baemia to the building of mountain dates not only to provide water-power but to lessen the damages from floods,

Madam (to the nursemald, who has just brought home her four children changed the children look since I last town allowed an electron over a guide or one para three

Alzen is the name given to a new metal, which is composed of two parts of aluminum and one part of zinc. 12 is said to equal cast iron in strength, superior because it does not rust and

Out of the 105 countles which the State of Kansas has within its domains at least fifty have no paupers. Onehalf of the county poor farms are empty, save for the keeper, who draws his salary and walts for patronage .- Kansas City Journal.

In 1790 the population of Baltimore was only 13,503; it was fifty years, or in 1840, before Baltimore had climbed up into the 100,000 class; she could first count half a million in 1900; and to-day the official records disclose a population of 680,810.

Lecturing before the Institution of Electrical Engineers, at London, Sir William Preece said that the proposal to make the metric system compulsory seemed scarcely within the range Anglo-Saxon race of manufacturing eugineers were nearly all opposed to it.

In Old Lynne, Connecticut, is one of the celebrated Franklin milestones which in 1776 saw Washington pass In the negro population of New York a machine of his own invention, attach-

"It is always a delight to tour with

ontrary this subject in terms which admit of no uncertainty. report

New Postage Rates.

fall, for after October 1 it will cost but barley, 89.7 per cent. 2 cents for each letter instead of 5. Announcement was made today at the office of the postmaster general that an agreement has been perfected by which the letter rate between the United States, England, Ireland and Sectland interstate commerce commission, alwill be reduced from 5 cents to 2 cents, leges that the Adams, Northern Pa-The charge will means a saving of money, as the trans Atlantic

Will Send More Marines.

the critical condition of affairs in the republic of Panama, aroused great interest here, and it was announced to-day that 200 additional marines have been ordered sent to the isthmus at once, with orders to protect American property and help keep order at coming election. It is also planned to detail on the isthmus a large body of sailors being transferred to and from the Atlantic fleet if conditions do not improve before the election.

Girl to Practice in Supreme Court.

Washington, June 10 .- The whole Begg family has been admitted to practice before the United States su-They are from New preme court. The Beggs comprise Miss Helen, Alexander and Roderick. Miss Begg. a handsome girl, is the twentyseventh woman to be admitted to practice before the supreme court. Among the other twenty-six is Belva Lokwood, former candidate for the residency, who stands first on the

Held as a Filibuster.

Washington, June 6. - Complying with the request of the state depart ment, the minister of foreign affairs of Honduras has ordered the arrest of F G. Bailey, former president of the Export Shipping company, of New Jersey, and the detention of the steamer Goldsborough and her cargo. This informa-tion came to the department in a dis-patch from Minister Dodge at San Salvador, dated Wednesday.

Plague is Still Raging.

Washington, June 4 .-- The American charge d'affaires at Caracas has the state department that since May 25, the date of the reopening of the port of La Guayra, there have been seven cases of plague, two next battleship authorized will be of which are known to have been fa-The governmer' has caused to be published daily bulletins showing plague conditions. The dispatch also reports one death from the plague at Caracas.

World Trip for Middles.

Washington, June 4-Of two hun-dred members of the class at the Annapolis naval academy who will gradnate next Friday, 111 have been ordered to report to the Atlantic fleet at San Francisco, July 1. The midagain by way of Suez canal and the Atlantic ocean.

91.3 per cent, as against 93.5 per cent on May 1, is made in the June grain The report estimates the acreage of oats at 31,644,000 and

barley 6,697,000, and gives the condi-Washington, June 6 .-- Unele Sam can tion figures for crops other than write to John Bull more frequently next wheat as follows: Oats, 32.9 per cent;

Metcalf Files His Complaint,

Washington, June 4 -- Secretary ship fleet and the governor of New Zealand, all the federal officials, the Metcalf's complaint, filed with the cific and other express companies are gouging the government. It alleges lise to the navy yard at Bremerton.

Washington. The amount involved Washington, June 5.—Publication of the United Press dispatch telling of to determine the rate.

Will Decide After July I.

Washington, June 9 .- It is doubtful if the decision of the interstate commerce commission in the Pacific Coast lumber rate cases will be ren-Several dered much before July 1. weeks' work remains to be done, al-

though every effort is being made to expedite these decisions. It is proto announce simultaneously he decision in all the Pacific Coast umber rate cases, as the points involved are practically the same in all.

Inquiry Will be Ordered.

Washington, June 9 .- The accident on the armored cruiser Tennessee, in which four men were killed and several injured, was caused by the burst-ing of a steam pipe while the vessel was off the California coast, and will be thoroughly examined into by a board of investigation appointed Admiral Sebree. Admiral Sebree has wired a report containing practically

the same information as the newspaper dispatches.

Bourne Going to Europe.

Washington, June 4. - Senator Bourne has informed some of his coleagues that he expects to sail for Europe in a short time to join his wife, who is completing a tour around the world. According to these senators, Bourne will sail before the Chi cago convention. Several efforts made to locate Bourne and confirm the story were unavailing.

New Battleships Named.

Washington, June 10.-Secretary of the Navy Metcalf has announced that the names of the two new battleships authorized by the last congress will be the Florida and the Utah. The named the Wyoming.

Wheeler in Office

Washington, June 10-William R. Wheeler of California has taken the oath of office as assistant secretary of the department of commerce and labor, to which place he was recently appointed by the president. He formally entered upon his new duties.

Root Going Into Training.

Root Going into Training. Washington, June 10.-Secretory Root will leave here June 20 and ports received here concerning the at San Francisco, for the prospect of Root will leave here June 20 and ports received here concerning the trip to the Far East and home spend several weeks at a training supposed sea tragedy say that establishment and then go to his farm boats comprise the great pearl fish-near Utica for the rest of the season ing fleet.

PLANS TO HONOR FLEET. Festivities in Auckland Will Continue

Four Days.

Auckland, N. S. W., June 5 .- Fesivities to last over four days have een arranged for the entertaniment the men of the American battle- Four Men Killed by Explosion on Ten-

mayors and the municipal authorities are to participate in the welcome. On he arrival of the fleet August 8 there will be an official reception and a review of the volunteers, to be followed at 11:08 yesterday morning, a steam pipe

A municipal welcome will be given der a 235-pound pressure, killing four men and injuring ten others-all of the the following day and will include a men in the compartment at reception by the mayor of Auckland. August 12 and 13 will be devoted to a visit to Rotraqua Lake, where there ill be entertainments by the Maoris The governor will entertain the vis-

itors August 14 and this function will Robertson had left the engine room on be attended by the members of the a tour of inspection. Four of the men legislature.

Police Protect Money.

New York, June 5 .- A New York, New Haven & Hartford train carryng eight Adams Express company ars, one of which contained \$150,000 n cash, collided with a switch engine n the Bronx yesterday, smashing both engines and derailing the cars were called out to protect the money which was loose on the floor of the

car. The police formed a line about the wretked cars and held back the crowd until the money could be removed to a place of safety.

Frost Damages Potatoes.

Stockton, Cal., June 5 -- Jack Frost has damaged thousands of acres of potatoes on the islands west of Stockon, and consequently the price of the

the result of the ballots in the first nine boxes opened yesterday in court in the contested mayoralty election of 1905. The contents of 35 boxes in all were examined during the day and another vote was added to the Mc lellan total, the mayor's net gain for

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with bribing former Supervisor J. I ing the track between Missoula and the Furey, because Gallagher's testimony west end of the state. The Idaho disefore the grand jury led to the invision has sent a big force of men over lictment. to help in the fight on the west end.

CRUISER'S BOILER BURSTS.

nessee at San Pedro.

San Pedro, Cal. June 6 .- While the hrough his death. It is Heney's purpose to file a new inited States armored eruiser Tennessee was steaming at 19 knots per hour information against Ruef in the same on speed trial off Ponit Hueneme, Cal., premises and call Gallagher as a witness at the preliminary hearing. H

The necessity for such unusual methmen in the compartment at the time, ods is believed to be urgent by the members of the prosecution, who fear or their own lives as well as for that The explosion, the cause of which is yet unknown, occurred only a few minof Gallagher

Boycott is Spreading.

fokio, June 6 .- Two hundred thou-

This probably will be the next proutes after Admiral Uriel Sebree, Capedure against Ruef in the graft cases tain J. B. Howard and Chief Engineer Robertson had left the engine room on and it is proposed to take it as rapidly as possible, as the prosecution be lieves that the "higher-ups" are be were killed instantly, and two more are oming more desperate every day. expected to die at any moment.

Scores Perish in Tornado.

Wichita Falls, Tex., June 4.-Scores

Words by the Million.

nd yen is now indicated as the size of of persons are believed to be dead in the proposed present to Canton guilds the path of a tornado which is sweep if the boycott is discontinued. Mean-while advices from north China and ing Texas today. Reports indicate Manchuria state that, owing to the ac- that it is the most terrific of all the A dense crowd collected about the tivity of the Cantonese emissaries, the storms which have visited this part of scene of the wreck, and the reserves movement is rapidly spreading through- the country in the last month. Commovement is rapidly spreading through- the country in the last month. out the north. The emissaries are work- munication from most of the damaged ing systematically and secretly, Their area is cut off. Wires are down and literature makes no mention either of railroad tracks are blocked. Many the boycott or of Japan, speaking of small towns are known to have been "the national disgrace with reference to struck by the twister, but no definite the country responsible," which the Chi- information could be obtained as to nese all understand means Japan. the extent of damage this afternoon.

Water Ca.riers Check Railroads.

Chicago, June 6 .- The movement in-New York, June 4 -- More than augurated by the western railroads 2,000,000 words of testimony have some time ago to increase freight rates been taken already in the governtubers will be high this season. Only 10 per cent in western territory has ment's suit to dissolve the Standard few days ago a large acreage was practically been ahandoned by the roads Oil company, now on trial before uined by frost, and the growers were in the western classification, and the Special Examiner Franklin Ferris ompelled to replant. The loss is transcontinental lines have agreed to a Before the hearings close another mill specially heavy because most of the much smaller increase in rates than they lion words doubtless will be added acreage damaged the first time has at first demanded. Water competition This is said to be the largest mass of been ruined again, and because the from New York to San Francisco, testimony ever gathered in a single growers had to purchase seed and which has grown very keen of late, is case for the perusal of a court. The growers had to purchase seed and which has grown very keen of late, is case for the perusal of a court. The pay for the cost of replanting. The said to be the main cause back of the number of words included in the ex-total yield will be much reduced.

St. Louis, June 4 .- The Mississippi river above Quincy. Ill., is rapidly riswho are attempting to evade jury duty ing, and hundreds of homes have alin the trial of Walter J. Barinett, the Great damage to property is reported, alleged bank wrecker, this morning, but so far no deaths are known to Nearly every man called had some ail- have occurred. The inhabitants who ment. Most of them were deaf, either have left the homes which probably in one ear or the other, and Judge Con- will be swept from their foundations ley finally stated that a seemed that the veniremen were tawn from in-firmaries or hospitals. Only one man trouble subsides. The Illinois river bottoms are reported to be inundated.

Steamer Long Overdue.

London, June 6 -- It a declared here Norfolk, Va., June 4 -- The steamer day that 210,000 points of American Europa, which sailed for Hamburg, meat that has been stored in London. Germany, 45 days ago, bound in re Glasgow and Liverpool was today return for Norfolk, loaded with fer York tilizer, was expected to make the trip heard from her, however, in 41 days.

days. A black and white spotted and a yellow lizard, full grown and alive,

were found in the heart of an oak log, split by Joseph McCloskey, near Bell- At a meeting of the London Zoologi-The testimony of a dead man given efore a grand jury cannot be used wood. Pa. The log had been cut from cal Society the secretary pointed out n future action. Repeated attacks or a tree more than fifty years old. Gallagher's property with dynamite nd continuous threats against his life Criminal records kept in New York tave led Hency to take steps to pre-

county for the last six years show that vent the loss of Gallagher's testimony sons charged with crimes are found guility, while expert opinion is agreed that not two out of one hundred are urally expect to occur, but it, heverinnocent.

In the course of a report to the British Colonial office the resident of Borgu province. Nigeria, mentions that the able for the growing of sugar cane, and chief, Kokafu, is said to have reached, situated in the tropical portions of the the age of 205, while his son did not country-that is, in the States of Vera die until he was 157. The latter visited Cruz, Chiapas and Tabasco-range in Sokoto not many years ago.

David Howell has died at Stroud infirmary at the age of 102. He worked pas, one finds such lands higher in on farms in the Strond district all his price, the influx of Americans thereinto life, being employed on one for between sixty and seventy years. He attributed

his longevity to simple food, hard work and no worry ..- London Standard.

Electric Light Bulbs.

It has been remarked that the effective life of incandescent electric lamps ford include small irregular stone huts, is much longer with clear than with arranged in groups of two or three to ground glass bulbs. E. P. Hyde ex- towns large enough for 1,000 men. The plains this fact as follows : A thin deposit of carbon is formed on the in- The only vestige of mining appliances terior surface of the bulbs, and this are elliptical rubbing stones for coarse absorbs a certain portion of the radia- crushing and quartz mills for reducing tion from the filament. When the ginss is clear the light passes straight ing out the gold.

through, suffering a definite loss from the carbon film. When the glass is frosted the light undergoes many reflections in the interior of the build notable is that of the stations of Maifrom the innumerable facets, and at laig and Kyle, of Lochalsh, which, each reflection it loses something on though only twenty miles apart in a account of the obstructing film. The straight line, are separated by no less consequence is that the total amount than 360 miles of rall by the shortest of loss is much greater with ground glass than with clear glass, Mr. Hyde's Perth and Inverness. Yet another experiments show that the filament insts as long in the one kind of bulb as in the other .-- Youth's Companion.

Why He Mourned.

O'Flannagan came home one night with a deep band of black around his hat.

"Why, Mike!" exclaimed his wife. "What are ye wearin' that mournful thing for?"

"I'm wearin' it for yer first husband." replied Mike, firmly. "I'm sorry he's lead."-Everybody's Magazine,

Lacking Only Experience.

Jim-I promised my old 'ooman two years ago that first time I ever comed home 'nebrated I'd give her a five-punnote an' I'm proud to say her's never hat it yet.

Garge-Ah, now-but I reckon she's thought every other night she wuz entitled to four pound nineteen an' six .---The Sketch.

Everyone suffers wrongs for which there is no remedy,

seeds when freed from the skin and roasted furnish a not unwholesome flour suitable for mixing with cereals to make small cakes.

that the young giraffes have relatively much shorter necks than their parents; the neck in the former being not longa trifle more than one-half of the per- er than the fore-legs, which it largely exceeds in length in the latter. This, of course, is only what one should nattheless, serves to bring the giraffe one step nearer the okapl.

Mexican lands in a virgin state, suit-

price from \$1 to \$3 gold an acre. In the Tampleo section, State of Tamuliahaving had the effect of increasing the value of property.

An Egyptian mining center-probably worked as early as 2500 B. C .-was in the eastern desert, between the Red Sea and the Nile. The lately discovered remains described by C. J. Alancient workings are buried in sand. the rock to fine powder, ready for wash-

Scotland possesses several railway anomalies, of which probably the most route, viz., Crianlarich, Balquhidder, Scotch incongruity is that the nearest railway station to the town of Port Ellen, on the island of Islay, if we except the small local line at Campbelltown, is Ballycastle, in Ireland.-London Globe,

How Our Army Is Formed.

The average citizen, it is safe to say, has a very hazy idea concerning the size and constitution of the United States army. A writer in Harper's Weekly gives some interesting facts bearing upon this matter. The government dreams of an army numbering 70,000 men. The present strength is 57,000. Of the theoretical 70,000 soldiers the 15 regiments of cavalry, which never lack their full complement, comprise nearly 14,000 officers and men. the six regiments of field artillery, 5,500; the coast artillery corps close upon 20,000; the engineers, 2,000, and the remainder consists of the staff corps, Indian scouts and a small number of native soldiers in Ports Itico and the Philippines. The total number of commissioned officers amounts to about 3,900.

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McClellan Gains Five. New York. June 5.-A net gain of our votes for Mayor McClellan was