HAPPENINGS OF TWO CONTINENTS

A Resume of the Less Important but Not Less Interesting Events of the Past Week.

A heavy vote is expected on the referendum in Norway

Roosevelt tells China boycott is in violation of the Chinese treaty.

Many firemen were terribly burned in a New York soap factory fire.

President Roosevelt makes vigorous speech on Monroe doctrine and trusts.

Japanese delegate says Japan will not yield a point from terms offered. Forest fires near Mullan, Idaho,

nearly smothered a number of miners in a tunnel.

Witte positively rejects two of Jap anese conditions. Russian opinion is united against terms offered by Japan, Governor Folk, of Missouri, wants

to attend the Lewis and Clark fair, but fears to leave his state for fear gambling will be revived.

hours in a crevasse in a Montana glacier for two hours. She was finally rescued without serious injury.

Russia thinks the peace terms beyoud reason.

Russia is about to remove the duty on American machinery and tools.

About 550 deaths from smallpox have occurred in Valparaiso, Chile, during the last week.

President Roosevelt addressed the coal miners at Wilkesbarre, and was enthusiastically received.

arrived in the Untied States from Europe in the past three years.

French and British sailors parade the streets of Portsmouth, England, armin arm, while admirals dine together.

Japan's terms of peace include reimbursemnet for the entire cost of the war, and ceding of the island of Sak-

James H. Lewis says he was offered bribe of \$100,000 if he would not prosecute Chicago saloons for keeping open after hours.

Farmers in the vicinity of Seville, Spain, are forced to eat roots of wild plants to avoid starvation, and bread riots are frequent.

Dakota wheat was damaged \$1,000, 000 by a hail storm.

A genuine yellow fever case has developed at Callao, Peru.

An extensive bomb factory has been

discovered at Gomel, Russia. The Washington Supreme court holds that picketing to enforce boycotts is

The messages of M. Witte to his mitted. home government are said to be very

A wind storm devastated crops in Wisconsin and destroyed a wagon

bridge 630 feet long. Several villages in Portugese African settlements have been attacked and wiped out by native tribes.

Witnesses in pine land fraud cases in Calfiornia testified that they were employed to commit perjury.

An attempt has been discovered to supply vast quantities of arms and ammunition to rebels in Samar.

Louisiana state board of health threatens to call for militia to restore ner. and maintain order in the quarantined

The Japanese and Russian peace envoys have met at Portsmouth and become acquainted, and peace negotiations have actually begun.

A typhoon off the Japanese coast destroyed over 100 small boats of a pearling fleet, and it is thought over 400

pearl fishermen have perished. A carload of furniturce en route to San Francisco was set on fire by a colored man who was beating his way in the car, and destroyed, the man perish-

ing in the fire. Mayor Lane has summarily dismissed the entire board of health of Portland. Fire at Lewiston, Idaho, caused a damage of \$70,000 among business

Two lineal descendants of Sacajawes have been found in a Wyoming Indian ered seriously by the Japanese. echool.

firms.

The visiting French fleet of 18 ships received a hearty welcome in English

strike for a reduction of hours to ten per day. Ruussian Zemstvoists believe the

war has served its purpose, and now expect reforms. Two new centers of infection have

been discovered in the yellow fever dis- were captured in Lake Borgne. trict outside New Orlenas.

Citizens of New Orleans have subscribed \$250,000 to be used in suppressing the yellow fever epidemic.

Four persons were drowned in the Willamette river at Portland last Sun day as the result of three accidents.

GREAT CROPS EVERYWHERE.

Condition of Grain Now Makes Immense Harvests Almost Sure.

Chicago, Aug. 8. - American farms will produce bigger and better crops Hundreds Made Homeless Near and return many more millions in revenue to the farming interests this year than ever before in the history of the country. All kinds of crops-wheat, corn, oate, hay and smaller grain and produce staples - have progressed to DRIVEN FROM CABINS AT NIGHT the stage where this prediction may be made with scarcely the slightest chance that the final official figures will disprove its correctness.

Railroad officials and statisticians of agricultural departments in the various states of the government grain producing regions give their personal and official guarantee that the year 1905 is to be the banner year in farm prosper-

If there is a dissenting voice anywhere, it is drowned out by the clamor of optimism that comes from Hilinois, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, the far Southwest, the Pacific coast and the wonderful spring wheat country of the Northwest.

Possibly one wheat crop — that of 1901—will exceed that of 1905. In 1901 the crop aggregated 748,000,000 bushels. It may be that one previous corn crop, that of 1992, when 2,524,-000,000 bushels were produced, will this year.

According to figures emanating from state capita's Saturday afternoon, 370,-000,000 bushels more of corn will be raised this year than last in the states of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota, A woman was entombed for two Ohio and Wisconsin.

WORKMEN STARVING.

Strike at Poutiloff Works Resulting in Hunger and Disease.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 8 .- As a result of the strike at the Poutiloff works, there is terrible destitution among the workmen, and hundreds of cases of actual starvation have been reported. The people are suffering with scurvy, and General Trepoff has been applied to for relief.

A dispatch from Riga states that Nearly 2,000,000 immigrants have grave developments are expected in the Napheta district, where the strike is spreading rapidly. Rioting is reported, and in several cases troops have been called upon to quell the disturbances. Sunday morning a man whose identity has not been learned, threw a dynamite bomb into the office of the distict treasurer of Riga, severely wounding the treasurer, two janitors and a reporter.

Gomez Defiant.

Havana, Aug. 8. - Jose Miguel Gomez, governor of Santa Clara province and Liberal candidate for the presidency of Cuba, has given out an interview full of defiance to the Palma government. With reference to the Vuassumption of the right to inspect municipalities without refence to the provincial authorities, Governor Gomes

"I will not allow anyone excepting the provincial authorities to inspect the municipalities of this province. Should a municipality be governed by moderates, I would refuse to consent

"If the Supreme court decides against virulent than ever before. the contentions we are now maintaining, we would not obey its mandates, because of its partiality in favor of executive authority. The court would be certain to be against us in order to ingrease its favor with the government,'

Cable Over Grand Canyon.

Salt Lake, Utah, Aug. 8 .- Over a cable 8,000 feet in the air passengers are to be carried across the Grand rine Hospital service. Dr. Corput went Canyon of the Colorado. The Grand to the Diamond plantation in St. Canyon Transportation company, pro- Charles parish to look into some susmoted by Utah men, has been incorporated with a capital of \$10,000 to bridge the chasm in this unique man-

Tourists will be taken from the famous Bright Angel Trail on the Santa Fe side of the river, across the Buckskin Plateau. The length of the cable will be 500 feet. The wire rope will be anchored to the opposite walls of the gorge, and a car will be run back and

Russia to Grant Terms.

Boston, Aug S. - A special to the Globe from Gloucester says that Russia. will grant the Japanese demands, pay an indemnity and cede Saghalin. contest in the negotiations will be over Manchuria, but Russia will more than recover its losses in the next war with Japan. The special declares that the of the crew ill with fever, docked at transmission of government messages. indemnity will only be lent, and will some day be collected with interest from "the presumptuous little brown men." This position is in accordance with Russian policy, but is not consid-

Naval Brigade Returns.

New Orleans, Aug. 8.— Two vessels of the naval brigade, the Marie and the Wolverine, returned to the city to-New York Jewish bakers are on a night from the Rigolets, where they had gone under orders from the governor to protect the fishermen in Louisiana waters from the depredations of the Mississippi patrol boats. The incident is closed, except for the case of the are guests of King Edward and the declared that he would turn state's evi-Tipsey, and that of two officers under British navy. Heavy downpours of arrest in St. Bernard Parish, who rain throughout the morning drenched guaranteed that he would not be prose-

Boycott on Special Lines.

Yokohama, Aug. 8 .- The meeting of Chinese, which it was announced would be held today, resolved to boycott American bankers, shippers and insurance agents, but deferred action with regard to other lines of business.

TANANA IS FLOODED

Fairbanks, Alaska.

Danger of an Epidemic from Molding Cellars and Crowded Places of Temporary Refuge.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 8. - A special letter to the Seattle Times from Fairbanks, Alaska, under date of July 6, says that a flood raging in Chena for several days had rendered homeless 700 to 1,000 people. The flood was caused by a wind and rain storm that had recently swept the Tanana valley, the Chattanooga,

Keyes' saw mill had been swept away and carried down the stream, being lodged in front of Noyes' mill. A large log boom broke from its moornot quite be equaled by the yield of ings at the Tanana Development company's mill and was carried down stream, entailing a loss of several thousand dollars. Cellars were flooded and in a few instances stock drowned.

People were compelled to move out of their homes in the early hours after midnight. Homes were temporarily provided for the people and they were not allowed to go back to their wet cabins for several days after the flood had subsided.

At the time the letter was written grave fears were entertained for the safety of the people, an epidemic being threatened.

The banks of the river were badly broken, but piledrivers were at work putting in bulkheads long before the waters had subsided.

TROUBLE AHEAD.

Kaiser to Warn King Edward to Calm British Feeling Against Germany.

Berlin, Aug. 8 .- If the kaiser meets King Edward next week at Frankfort, he will, according to authority there, tell his uncle that, while Germany does not want war with England, nevertheless the present atmosphere of mutual hatred, jealousy and suspicion must be destroyed or Europe will remain in danger of an explosion. King Edward will be given to understand that Germany holds England responsible for the creation of this situation.

The correspondent is informed that the consequences to which the present situation may lead are now causing eltas case and the Cuban government's Germany's responsible statesmen the deepest anxiety. These possible consequences filled a large place in the kaisers' recent interviews with King Oscar, of Sweden, with King Christian, of Denmark, and with the caar.

render less apparent and to obscure the seriousness of the situation, but Wil- suggestion that the first lady of the liam and his advisers are profoundly land, with the practical sense for which to this procedure just the same and concerned over England's constantly she is noted, utilizes many of the usewould deliver justice to them if per- increasing hatred of Germany. It is less gifts which come her way to raise thought that this hatred is now more

FEVER SPREADS.

Two New Centers on Plantations Outside New Orleans.

New Orleans, Aug. 8 .- Two large foci of infection were discovered today outside of the city by officers of the Mapicious cases and found six positive yellow fever cases of secondary infec-tion, three of which were dead. They are on a sugar plantation and three of

them are Italians. One is a negro. The other point of infection is the town of Patterson, in St Mary's parish, where Dr. Guiteras found 19 cases of secondary infection. Most of these are also Italians. The local health boards have taken charge in both instances thrown it out of court. and are following out the directions of the Marine Hospital service.

Haytian Steamer Suspected.

the Delaware breakwater on Saturday from Porte de Paiex, Hayti, with 15 this port today. The Barneton was Moody says he has been informed that held by the government quarantine for several days message have been officials pending an investigation as to interrupted. He says it is the governthe character of the fever, but after careful observation the steamer will be permitted to come to port, the physi- and he is much concerned. cians finding the seamen suffering from malaria.

French Fleet Welcomed.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Aug. 8 .- The rench fleet, consisting of 18 battleships, cruisers and torpedo boat destroyers under comand of Vice Admiral Caillard, reached the Solent today to the gang robbed 330 houses. He respend a week. The officers and sailors the decorations and shrouded in a cuted. heavy mist the yachts and British war ships collected to welcome the visitors.

Yellow Fever in Mexico.

Vera Cruz and one at Coatzachoalcos. shipment.

PEACE ENVOYS MEET.

Brought Together on Naval Yacht and Introduced by President.

Oyster Bay, Aug. 6 .- At 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon the formal reception of the representatives of the belligerent powers by President Roosevelt on behalf of the United States government took place on the cruiser Mayflower. It was a notable demonstration in honor of the distinguished guests, envoys of their countries to the peace conference.

The Mayflower, the finest vessel of her class in the navy, was tastefully decorated for the occasion. The beautiful interior finishings were ornamented with cut flowers and smilax, intertwined with the national colors of Russis and Japan. The colors of the two nations also fluttered from the vessel's masts.

The Japanese and Russian plenipotentiaries left New York in the morning on two cruisers for Oyster Bay, where they met the president. The Japanese made the trip on the cruiser Tacoma and the Russian envoys were conveyed to their destination aboard

Constantine Nakakoff, of the Russian foreign office, when asked whether Russia would agree to a cession of territory or payment of indemnity, two points on which it is believed that Japan will insist, replied: "I don't think so."

Sato, the Japanese spokesman, asked ow prospects looked, said: "Not very bright, but we are hope-

Early in the morning the president's naval yacht Sylph and invited guests arrived, and at 1 o'clock President Roosevelt boarded the Mayflower. He was greeted with the presidential salute of 21 guns as he went on board. Baron Komura and Minister Takahira and their suites left the Chattanooga in a launch and proceeded to the Mayflower. As they boarded the vessel a salute of 21 guns was given. The envoys were received on deck by Commander Winslow and escorted to the main cabin, where they were presented to the president by Assistant Secretary Pierce. The same ceremony was then enacted for the Russian plenipotentiaries, Sergius Witte and Ambassador

The envoys of the two powers were then presented formally to one another by President Roosevelt, after which all

partook of a luncheon. The Japanese envoys were then coneyed to the dispatch boat Dolphin, on which they sailed for Portsmouth, New Hampsbire. Witte and his party remained on the Mayflower, which weighed anchor at the same time as the Dolphin and started on its cruise, convoyed by the crusier Galveston.

AUCTIONS OFF LOVERS' GIFTS.

Remembrances from Alice Roosevelt's Admirers Sold at Church Fair.

Washintgon, Aug 7. — There are things doing in the St. Hilda society connected with Christ church in Oyster Bay. This little guild is Mrs. Roosevelt's pet charity, and this fact being spread broadcast, treasures and trophies for its fairs are not lacking. Indeed There have been official attempts to some remarkable objects find their way to the bazars, and there is a faint

money for her church, "Princess" Alice also receives cartloads of dainty perfumes, photographs and such trifles from her lovelorn ad-oned. mirers, who would doubtless be overcome if they could see some of their votive offerings displayed on the bazar

Restrains Pool Selling.

Judge Frazer has granted a preliminary be made for an attack upon the next order restraining the Multnomah Fair redoubt. The magazine of the fort association from selling pools on races exploded, killing General Pike and at the Irvington track in this city, some of the soldiers, and closing his Immediately the officials of the track career in a moment of victory. announced that for one week there would be no races. Within that time the permanent injunction proceedings in certain districts of the United States will be disposed of and the Multnomah during the time of the Civil War than Fair association will know its legal that of John Sinstatus toward pool selling. Judge Fra- gleton Mosby. zer declared that if evidence had been introduced convincing him that the suit | er, he spread dewas merely a quarrel between gamb- struction where he lers, as was intimated, he would have rode. His band of

Moody Inquires Into Strike. Washington, Aug 7 .- Attorney General Moody has addressed a letter to Philadelphia, Aug. 8 .- The British the United States district attorneys steamship Barneton, which arrived at along the lines of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific roads requesting information regarding the telegraphers' strike and its possible effect upon the done. ment's duty to keep such channels open to protect its own communication Legislature remitted his fine and the

Confessed to 330 Robberies. Chicago, Aug. 7 .- Edward Burtharott, aged 18 years, who was arrested favor.

with a gang of three men and two women, charged with having committed wholesale robberies in this city, has confessed to Chief Desmond that fused to tell where they were, but dence and turn up most of the booty if

Oregon Mutton for Chicago. Pendieton, Aug. 7 .- Ten carloads of

City of Mexico, Aug. 8.—The super- from Meacham by a North Yakima for board of health reports five cases of buyer to the Chicago market. A govyellow fever in the republic, four at ernment inspector passed upon the for what he had thought right, and not

PUZZLE PICTURE.



Find the "Richest Man in the World." -St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Little Lesson

In Patriotism £ 22222222222222222

After the purchase of Louisiana

much speculation was rife throughout

the country as to the actual extent and character of the newly acquired territory. The vagueness that enshrouded the west made the value of the purchase uncertain. An expedition into the unknown country was planned in order to ascertain the points concerning which there was doubt. Lieutenant Zebulon Montgom-

ery Pike was appointed to conduct this expedition to trace the Mississippi to its source. Leaving St. Louis on Aug. 9, 1805, he returned after nearly nine months of constant hardship and exposure, of continual danger, having satisfactorily completed his work.

In 1806-7 he was engaged in a geographical exploration to the western part of the Louisiana territory, in the course of which he discovered that mountain in the Rockies that is named after him, "Pike's Peak." His work carried him to the Rio Grande River, the police agreed to surrender, and and having been found in Spanish ter-

In the war of 1812 Pike was selected to command an expedition against York (now Toronto). His own courage and the admirable plans that he had formed led to the capture of the first redoubt. The advancing column Portland, Aug. 7 .- Preciding Circuit was halted until preparations could

Perhaps no name was more feared

Guerrilla and raidmen accomplished as much good for the cause they fought for and as much evil to the cause they fought against as an army of a hundred times its size could have

Mosby had been a student in the University of Virginia, where he shot and seriously wounded a fellow-student who had insulted him. For this he was imprisoned and fined. Governor released him. Mosby's gratitude to the State of Virginia for this was almost fantastic. It was characistic of him that he never forgot a

Mosby aided General Joseph Johnston upon the Manassas operations in the Shenandoah. At the expiration of the twelve months' enlistment Mosby was one of the two men, the only men in the army, who were willing to reenlist without a furlough.

At the close of the war Grant extended a pardon to Mosby's men. When Grant ran for the presidency his most ardent partisan was Mosby. He incurred the dislike of the South because of his attempts to aid Grant mutton sheep have just been shipped in his measures toward the South. But Mosby would accept no favors from the Northern government. He fought for reward.

THE LATE J. F. X. O'BRIEN.

n Irish M. P., Who Was Once Sentenced to Be Hanged. The death of Mr. J. F. X. O'Brien,

member of the British House of Com-

mons for County Cork, Ireland, recalls circumstance that he was once sentenced by the British courts to be hanged, drawn a n d quartered. James Stephens had started that vast conspiracy known as Fenian-

ism, one of the most formidable J. F. X. O'BRIEN. movements against

the British connection which had been put on foot since the great rebellion in the end of the previous century. An insurrection broke out in several counties in the south of Ireland on the night of March 5, 1867. Mr. O'Brien at this period was engaged in business in Cork. He was already approaching his fortieth year, and seemed the last man in the world to be called upon to head a body of armed men. But when the forces that were called out to meet at the trysting place there was no leader of those who had been expected to take command, and O'Brien spontaneously and promptly took up the vacant place, and put himself at the head of the headless force. Then they started out on their expedition, and first made for some police barracks in the neighborhood. There was a brisk skirmish at one of these barracks, and ultimately O'Brien himself brought the ladder to the wall of the barrack for the prisoners to come forth. The humanity with which he treated the conquered policemen was remembered in O'Brien's favor afterwards. His triumbp was short-lived; the soldiers came up, and O'Brien was arrested, and transmitted to gaol. In due time came a series of State trials, and O'Brien was convicted of treason and sentenced to be hanged, drawn and quartered. The sentence was, however, commuted to one of penal servitude for life, and he spent several years in the convict gaols of England. When an amnesty came he was released and returned to business, and likewise to revolutionary propaganda. He was a member of the governing body of the Fenian organization. Subsequently, when Parnell started the Land League, Mr. O'Brien's views underwent some modification, and in 1885, when the reduction of the franchise in Ireland gave Mr. Parnell his first chance of electing a large party. O'Brien stood for a division of Mayo and was elected. At a later date he became a bitter opponent of the Par-

nell faction of the Irish party.

How to Fool Them. Vassar girls tell a good one on an ancient and venerable instructor of paleontology at that institution of learning. From time immemorial it had been his custom at recitations to call on the young ladies in alphabetical order, beginning at the beginning of the alphabet each new term, and calling on three pupils each day. It did not take the girls very long to figure out just when their turn would come, and neglect or prepare the lesson accordingly. After many years of this system the professor was shocked and grieved to find out how the young Portias were taking advantage of him, He spoke to the girls severely of the wickedness and folly of such conduct as had come to his ears.

"Since you are not to be trusted." he added solemly, "I shall fool you by abolishing the old method. Hereafter I shall begin at the end of the alphaset and go backward."-Philadelphia

In Coolidge, two girls in the same family married two doctors, and now there is a terrible time in that family deciding who is the greatest doctor lu the world.