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> FROM THE FOUR QUARTERS OF THE WORLD.

A Comprehensive Review of the Important Happenings of the Past Week, Presented Likely to Prove of Interest to Our Many

At Tucuncariz, N. M., three men ere killed in a fight. The strike in the Oregon City woolen mills is practically over

Americans will own the ships of the new shipping combine, but they will fly the English flag.

The coal shortage is already apparent Scranton mines being idle.

auguration of the new Cuban republic.

It is now generally admitted that 30,000 people lost their lives at St. Pierre. The streets of the city are covered with corpses.

The new steel casting combine, to be known as the American Steel Casting Schaalkburger assented to this, but Mr. and investors were buying freely from Company, will control one-fourth of the Steyn's acquiesence seemed doubtful. production of the country.

Another revolution is on the tapis in Peace may be officially proclaimed

in South Africa on May 20. The government bill for enjoining the beef trust has been filed at Chi- able obstacles."

Government troops who were ordered to disband in China have raised the standard of revolt.

It is reported that three other islands of the West Indies were extensively damaged besides Martinque. Natives whose kraals were burned by

render any assistance possible to the stricken inhabitants.

killed 32 Boers.

to the unfortunates.

long struggle.

resigned.

been buried in Arlington cemetery. The British press demands that the

confirmed by the senate.

The house has passed the omnibus statehood bill admitting Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico.

It is now estimated that fully 40,000 people perished in the earthquake at St. Pierre, Martinique. The American consul and his family are among the dend.

has rendered an opinion that Mr. Mc-considered. Bride is still lientenant governor, but ecutive.

Queen Wilhelmina is convalescent. Nine men were injured in an explo-

sion in an Anaconda smelter. General Davis reports that the Datand that everything is quiet in that

St. Pierre. Island of Martinique, is an earthquake and nearly all of its 25,- made by private parties. 000 inhabitants killed.

Mrs. D. T. S. Denison was elected president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at Los Angeles.

A train bound from Pretoria to Petersburg, Northern Transvaal, was wrecked and a British officer and ten men were killed.

bearing on the case of the Chicago's cians is no longer necessary. officers at Venice and forwarded them to Washington.

to a famine being taken advantage of quite ill here, and his condition is givby agitators.

Jersey, is dead.

dead at Washington.

It will probably be a surprise to learn that Mary is the most popular

ber are contractions of Eleanor. All Orientals are great linguists. They seem to have a faculty for picking

up languages that is not enjoyed by Anglo-Saxons.

struments. On the date at which the census was taken there were \$85,794,996 worth of

poultry on foot in the United States.

been used for two months, owing to a

break which cannot be located.

London Times Reviews Their Course South Africa.

London, May 14.-The Times relates the course of the peace negotiations as follows:

"On the receipt of the Dutch correspondence intimating that Great Britin a Condensed Form, Which is Most ain was ready to listen to proposals from the Boers in the field, Acting President of the Transvaal Schaalkburger came to the British lines and asked permission to consult with Mr. Steyn, ex-president of the Orange Free Medford State. This led to the Boer delegates going to Pretoria. Their first proposal

to Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner, of 68. the British high commissioners in South Africa, was that the republics should are jubilant over the recent rains and at Reading, Pa., in consequence of the by Great Britain regarding the franby Great Britain regarding the Ban-chise, etc., before the war. The Brit-The mill on the Lucky Bart group at frightful fension everywhere. ish government, in reply, referred them Gold Hill is running day and night on score of lives were lost and about 200 ually, while refusing an armistice, the Lucky Eart group to the front the burghers while they were actually already been milled from the several holding meetings with the commandoes ledges on the property. to authorize the leaders to negotiate on ence, but they were told it was useless backwoods. A year ago it was believed jated at first. Not a soul was found

> 'Mail advices received from Prethat Lords Kitchener and Milner prom- anxious to file on timber tracts. ised generous compensation for burned farms, promised no difficulty with re-

WASHINGTON LANDS.

Their Disposition Will Be Determined by Forestry Reserve Official.

Washington, May 14 .- Representa- workers. tive Cushman recently called on the ssioner of the general land office are vainly applying for men. burghers, attacked a Boer laager in the to ascertain whether or not certain vicinity of Scheepers Nek May 5, and lands in Skagit and Snohomish countire block and caused a loss of \$20,000. ties are to be eliminated from the The United States government has Washington forest reserve and opened Lewis and Clark fair and a general dispatched vessels to Martinque to to settlement. Reports to this effect meeting will be held to get subscribers recently reached Washington from the to the stock. state, and have led to considerable Ed Graves, of Marquam, has con-Further details add only to the ex- speculation. Mr. Cushman learned tracted 5,000 pounds of hops from his island a minister resident and staff of tent of the St. Pierre horror. From all that on April 18 Commissioner Her- yard five miles east of Woodburn, for legation and consuls, and it is not fully 200 feet high rises sheer above over the world assistance is being sent mann directed D. B. Sheller, superin- 12% cents per pound, their miners not to report for work at ship 32 north, ranges 8, 9 and 10 east; of way across the Cascade forest reserve Scranton, Pa., and it looks like a lock-township 31 north, ranges 10 and 11 for the Oregon & Southeastern railroad. Scranton, Pa., and it looks like a lock out. Both sides are preparing for a east, and township 30 north, range 11 tor the Oregon & Southeastern railroad. For or Spain, Island of Frindland, out. Both sides are preparing for a east, with reference to whether it is

yet been received. When Superintendent Sheller shall \$33,314.77, Admiral Sampson's remains have office will convey his recommendation well up with wheat and lumber, and government take action on the steam- the matter will be finally acted upon. ty's plains is the greatest wool market to the secretary of the interior, where out in the eastern part of Wasco coun-It is probable that no final action can in the world.

FOR RELIEF.

of Martinique.

Washington, May 14 .- The volcano calamity in the West Indies came up before the house during the afternoon, the District of Columbia measure being bluestem, 67c; valley, 65c. The attorney general of Washington laid aside to permit the relief bill to be

In view of the president's message is invested with the power of chief ex- urging an appropriation of \$500,000, the house committee on appropriations \$1.15@1.221/4. unanimously reported a substitute to the senate relief bill making it \$200; barrel; graham, \$2.50@2.80. the president of the United States.

000, and placing its disposition under Heminway, of Indiana, the acting chop, \$16. chairman of the appropriation committos of Mindanao are anxious for peace tee, secured unanimous consent for im- \$7.50@10; Oregon wild hay, \$5@6 per mediate consideration. The amount, ton, he said, had been limited to \$200,000 The bill was finally passed and went

through the senate without division.

Wilhelmina Steadily Improving

The Hague, May 14.-The bulletins issued at Castle Loo concerning the condition of Queen Wilhelmina have been reduced to one a day, and it is expected that they will soon cease alto-The United States consul general at her majesty's condition continues, and Rome has collected all the documents the constant attendance of her physical bearing on the case of the Chicago's class is no lowest tree of her physical gether. The marked improvement in

Lord Pauncefote Quite III.

Washington, May 14 .- Lord Paunce-The disturbances in Russia are due fote, the British ambassador, continues ing the family some concern. He suf-Representative J. S. Salmon, of New ers from asthma and stomach and other troubles, and owing to his advanced age, his system fails to respond as read-Rear Admiral W. T. Sampson is ily to the treatment as was hoped would be the case.

Airship Exploded.

Paris, May 14 .- The airship belongname among actresses. Next in num- ing to Senor Auguste Sevros, the Brazil- ghanistan. ian aeronaut, made an ascension during the morning. The airship exploded and killed Sevres and another aeronaut. United States. Senor Sevros arrived in Paris with a up directly beneath the balloon

The Endless Revolution.

Port au Prince, Hayti, May 14 .- Se- been forced to suspend work by the vere fighting is progressing in the keenness of the conpetition between the

NEWS OF THE STATE

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM ALL PARTS OF OREGON.

Commercial and Financial Happenings of his portance-A Brief Review of the Growth the inhabitants of the city escaped. Throughout Our thriving Commonwealth Island of Martinique have been inun--Latest Market Report.

The number of strangers now pouring to return to Pretoria without being that all the public timber land worth alive in the whole town. armed with full powers to negotiate. taking had passed into private hands, the original locators. But since then the more inacessible and less timbered toria," continues the Times, "declare land is being eagerly sought by people

This season in the Sumpter district gard to the question of amnesty for rebels, which did not present insuper- ups known there for years. In several laces there has been a marked revival of interest in the placer diggings. Companies have been organized to operate diggings on a large scale, and proclamation, the department will send scenes where there has been comparatively little life since the boom days of pioneer times will be teeming with

The camps and mills near Alma

Fire at Praire City destroyed an en-La Grande is enthusiastic over the

tendent of forest reserve in Wazhing- A bill has been introduced in the lowed. The anthracite companies have told ton, to make an examination of town- United States senate granting a right

President Simon Sam, of Hayti, has better suited for forestry purposes or agricultural purposes. No report has entered to the mains of the waterworks system upano, state of Bermudez, Venezuela, to a contractor of that city on a bid of have been heard from, the general land The wool industry of Oregon ranks

The attorney general of Missouri has be had until late in the fall. In case filed proceedings against the beef trust all or a part of the land is found to be

The Eastern Oregon term of the sull leaving 115 men dead and 210 woundbuilding es deal. The city suffered terribly from the badly hurt.

Congress Votes \$200,000 for the Sufferers camp, for instruction, for a period of eight days, July 17-24, inclusive.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Wheat - Walla Walla, 65 1/2 @66c; Barley - Feed, \$20@21; brewing, \$21@21.50 per ton.

Oats-No.1 white, \$1.25@1.27;gray, Flour-Best grades, \$2.85@3.40 per

Millstuffs - Bran, \$15@16 per ton; middlings, \$19@20; shorts, \$17@18; Hay - Timothy, \$12@15; clover,

Potatoes-Best Burbanks, 1.50@1.65 because the committee was informed per cental; ordinary, \$1.25@1.35 per said to have been totally destroyed by that large contributions were being cental; growers prices; sweets, \$2.25@ fire of a hospital in Kyoto, Japan, was 2.50 per cental! new potatoes, 3@31/2c. attended by loss of life. About 4:30 121/2@15c; store, 10@121/2c.

Eggs-15@16c for Oregon. @13c; Young America, 131/2@141/2c; fac-started in one of the rooms occupied by tory prices,1@ 11/4c less. Poultry-Chickens, mixed, \$4.50@ 1134@12c per pound; springs, 11@ the 39 patients who were in the hos-111%c per pound, \$4.00@6.00 per doz- pital at the time of the outbreak, 18,

51/4c; dressed, 8@81/4c per pound. Hops-121/2@15 cents per pound. Wool-Valley, 12@14; Eastern Ore- appointed to administer the archdiogon, 8@12c; mohair, 25c per pound.

The British administration in India is alarmed by rumors of sedition in Af-

American and British syndicates.

Several of the smaller British manu-

NOT A SOUL ALIVE.

Every Person in St. Pierre Perished in th Storm of Fire.

London, May 13 .- A dispatch to the Times from St. Thomas, D. W. I., says that St. Pierre was destroyed in the twinkling of an eye, and that not 40 of Two flundred Spectators were injured and the and Improvements of the Many Industries | Some of the outlying parishes of the

dated. The whole northern portion of the island is burning, and has been Many emigrants are arriving daily at denuded of vegetation, and is a rocky wilderness. The latest news received yard of the Pan Handle Railroad was vigorous speech, arguing that its pur-The Salem Federal Labor Union has here from St. Vincent, continues the the scene this evening of the most disbeen organized with a membership correspondent, says the number of dead astrous explosion and fire known in two territories, but the amendment ique, returned there during the afterthere is supposed to reach 500, the ma- this section in many years. A score of was defeated by a vote of 28 to 106. The fruit growers around Medford jority of whom have not been buried. lives were lost and about 200 persons the committee were adopted, and the St. Pierre, Martinique, has been totally It is reported that Fort de France, were so badly burned that, according to bill was then passed without division. destroyed by volcanic disturbances in merely concede all the demands made the fact that prospects for a good yield Island of Marinique, is threatened, contribution the judgment of the physicians in atcludes the correspondent, and there is tendance, 75 per cent of them will die acts for Oklahoma, Arizona and New of St. Pierre are said to have been

> the mutilation and distortion. Search parties have found 3,000

> > NOTIFY POWERS.

United States Will Inform Them of the Birth

of the Cuban Republic. Washington, May 13 .- The state department has decided upon the method it will employ to notify the world officially of the birth of the new Cuban republic May 20. Instead of issuing a identical notices to all United States ambassadors and ministers abroad that the military occupation by the United States of the island has ceased on that date, and that Tomas Estranda Palma has been duly installed as the head of a new government of the Island of Cuba. to the nations to recognize the new republic, but it is expected that they will take notice themselves of the fact that row valley. On the south side of the bars of the penitentiary." the United States has so recognized the Cuban republic by sending to the doubted that the example will be fol-

Battle in Venezula Port of Spain, Island of Trinidad, by land and by sea with the gunboats Restaurador, Agosto and Zumbador, but the port is still in the hands of the revolutionists. After a seven hours' battle, the government forces were defeated and obliged to abandon the field.

Costly California Blaze. fruckee, Cal., May 13 .- Six acres in the office, with everything it contained, and a number of warehouses and drying houses filled with boxes, seasoned over their heads. lumber, glass, windows, doors and building material. One million feet of lumber piled on both sides of the river

was also destroyed, Loss, \$200,000. Eighteen Cremated. Tokio May 13 .- The destruction by Butter-Creamery, 16@17%c; dairy, o'clock in the morning fire broke out in the Funsokayama lunatic asylum at Omiya Mura, Otogi Gori, on the north-Cheese — Full cream, twins, 12½ ern suburbs of Kyoto. The flames a patient. Altogether two blocks of buildings were destroyed before the 5.50; hens, \$5.50@6.00 per dozen, flames were got under control, and of mercial companies bringing in large place of meeting. Richard Sylvester, stead was defended by several forts.

including two women, perished,

Paft Will Stop at Rome.

Washington, May 13.-Governor Taft hanistan.

All the flour consumed by the 11,nection with affairs in the Philippines

and left for Circles and le 000,000 people in Siam comes from the and left for Cincinnati, where he will tatives who will witness the king's civil purchase and acquisition, on or before Spain and the United States. Senor attend to some private business prior inauguration, says a Madrid dispatch December 31, 1902, of the White Star, Moret in defending his conduct at the attend to some private business prior in auguration, says a mairing dispatch of the Tribune. The princes are being fed from the local then announced his intention to sail the said the Spanish fleet quitted to this departure from New York on the to this departure from New York on the total time said the Spanish fleet quitted to the Tribune. The princes are either to the Tribune. The princ ebony, but cocus, which is much used balloon is described as carrying a car owing to the severity of the weather, to der to discuss the question of the bankers, namely, the convoked at Madrid. Senor Moret was for making flutes and other similar in- shaped like a long parallelogram, drawn obtain a sufficiency of food for them- in the Philippines with the authorities Special Ambassador Curry, of the Morgans, under the laws of the state of Spanish minister of the colonies at the at the Vatican.

France Sends Prompt Relief.

facturers outside the English trust have Paris, May 13 .- At a meeting of the

NAPTHA EXPLOSION

SCORE OF LIVES LOST IN PITTS-BURG DISASTER.

will Die-Were Watching a Burning Train When Two Tank Cars Exploded, Drenching Them with Burning Oil.

from the effects of their injuries.

Mail says the town is a heap of ruins. Cork Run. Banked in by two high with refined petroleum and two with Indian Territory to it. The enabling wrecked. Her captain was seriously the basis of the surrender of independint Oregon is being felt even in the dral. All appear to have been asphyx-naptha, were switched with too much force, and one of the cars of naptha priated for education and public purwas broken. Instantly the inflam- poses. mable bi-product poured out in a stream. The trainmen, seeing that one of the cars was da oaged, started to pull them out of the way. As the

> dripping naptha caught on the light The explosion sent showers of burn ing naptha over the freight station near at hand, and also enveloped a number of carloads of coke and lumber that were close by, and in a moment all were blazing Fifteen minutes after the first explosion the two cars of refined petroleum that had been damaged by the bursting of the tank of nantha There will be no invitation on our part and were leaking blew up with a terrific The yards at Sheridan lie in a nar

> > vard is a rounded hill, bare of trees. On the other side of the yard a hill the roundhouse. In less than 15 minutes both these hills were black with men, women and children, who were eagerly watching the flames in the cut Burning oil had found its way into the sewer, and as soon as it reached the open air at the mouth the third explo sion followed. The escaping naphtha had blown to atoms the Sumpter hotel

and the Collis house, on River road.

and badly wrecked a frame building

near by, in which were congregated 200

or more men from Pittsburg and vicin-

ity, betting on the races and ball games. Few of the occupants of this building escaped injury, many being in his state.

agricultural, that much will undoubtedly be restored to settlement; other as consul general to London has been confirmed by the senate.

agricultural, that much will undoubtedly be restored to settlement; other wise its present status will not be altered.

preme court opened at Pendleton with shelling of the government war vessels. The remainder of General Gomez's ing to but few of the spectators at troops escaped on board the gunboats sheridan. Without a moment's warnand reached Cumana on the Gulf of the court opened at Pendleton with shelling of the government war vessels. The remainder of General Gomez's ing to but few of the spectators at troops escaped on board the gunboats sheridan. Without a moment's warnand reached Cumana on the Gulf of the court opened at Pendleton with shelling of the government war vessels. The remainder of General Gomez's ing to but few of the spectators at troops escaped on board the gunboats and reached Cumana on the Gulf of the court opened at Pendleton with shelling of the government war vessels. The remainder of General Gomez's ing to but few of the spectators and Union counties. and reached Cumana, on the Gulf of ing there was an awful roar, loud

their tops. hours this morning. The extensive blanks in the crowd told of the ex- tion commission, have rendered an box factory and planing mills of the plosion's dread result. Both of the two opinion against Salvador for \$573,118. Truckee Lumber Company, around remaining tank cars had blown up. A which the town was originally built, torrent of flames belched forth on each was totally destroyed. With it went side of the track, sweeping back the terrified spectators like a charge of artillery, and sending a shower of flame

For the Dawson Trade. competition with the Northern Com | committed in a fit of insanity. mercial Company and the North American Trading Company, in retaliation for the statement that the Northern Commercial Company would take in a stock of goods for the Dawson trade. afraid they would be forced out of busistocks of merchandise.

Rate War on Alaskan Traffic. Seattle, May 14 .- An Alaska trans-Mutton—Gross, 41/4c per pound; Successor of Corrigan.

Mutton—Gross, 41/4c per pound; Sheared, 33/4c; dressed, 73/4c per pound.

Rome, May 12.—The correspondent of the Associated Press is informed a corresponding benefit to he traveling field guns. From 300 to 400 of the of lava commenced, and the entire population was thrown into consternation. that it is not likely that the successor public, has been inaugurated. Before inhabitants were killed. The rebels ulation was thrown into consternation. Veal-61/2@8c for small; 61/2@7c for of Archbishop Corrigan will be named the day closed, tickets to Lynn canal subsequently withdrew to the hills. at the next consistory and that probably points were selling at \$7.50 and \$5, first Reef-Gross, cows, 41/4c; steers, more than a month will elapse before and second class, respectively. The action will be taken. It is therefore prevailing tariff has been \$30 and \$20. probable that a capitulary vicar will be The entry of the Pacific Clipper Lines steamer Santa Ana on the Lynn canal stockyards was damaged by fire during til the arrival of the Roddam at St. the night to the extent of \$100,000. run precipitated the fight.

Following English Precedent.

New York, May 14 .- The Spanish United States, is provided with a house. New York, or other state selected,"

San Francisco, May 14.-Telegraphic

THREE NEW STARS. Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico Admitted

esumed consideration of the omnibus

to Statehood. Washington, May 2.-The house

statehood bill immediately after the reading of the journal. The pending mendment was that of Mr. Overstreet. Physicians Say that a Majority of Them of Indinaa, to consolidate New Mexico and Arizona and submit them as the state of Montezuma, or such other name as the constitutional convention should elect. The opposition to the bill had united upon this amendment Pittsburg, May 14.—The Sheridan and had determined to make a strong effort to adopt it. Overstreet made a and had determined to make a strong Mexico, similar in form to former killed. The Italian government will send a to the Middleburg conference, as the cruiser to represent Italy at the inmaximum of possible concessions and inch vein of high grade free milling ore

The accident happened in the railthe constitution of New inch vein of high grade free milling ore
to reach St. Pierre. Cabling from St. enabling acts, with the exception that In explosion of naptha near Pittsburg sult their friends in Europe. Event-struck in this claim, which will bring Mail save the town is a beauty of the Daily and in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate. The shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designate the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the port has also been designated the shipping in the lahoma the convention by irrevocable a score of lives were lost and about 200 usily, while refusing an armistice, the Lucky Bart group to the front and dead bodies are lying all around. hills, hundreds of people were caught. ordinance shall express the consent of gar, is mentioned as lost, with all on Few ever will be recognized, so great is In the shifting necessary to make up a that state that congress at any future board. train, five tank cars, two of them filled time may attach all or any part of The Roddam was almost completely

SOLD DISEASED MEAT.

St Louis Grand Jury is Investigating Grave

Charges Against Beef Trust, damaged car passed a switch light the St. Louis, May 10 .- The beef trust is flame and almost instantly an explosion Louis grand jury. Following the revnow under investigation by the St. elation at Jefferson City that diseased meat is sold in St. Louis, Circuit Attorney Folk presented the subject to there. the grand jury. He announces that he will subpoens all the witnesses who testified at Jefferson City and all other persons whom he can find that know anything about the operations of the

> "This has become a subject for the riminal courts," said Mr. Folk, "and the matter will be as thoroughly investigated as have been the bribery scanlais, and I have no doubt that men who have been selling decayed meat to St. Louisans will be landed behind the

rived at Point-a-Pitre, Island of Guad-Control Large Copper Interests. New York, May 10 .- According to Vice President John Maginnis, of the report that the town of St. Pierre was Montana Ore Purchasing Company, destroyed at 8 o'clock Thursday mornnd other Heinze properties, the new ing by a volcanic eruption. It is supcompany will have in its treasury 95 posed that most of the inhabitants per cent of the capital stock of these St. Pierre were killed, that the neighompanies: The Montana Ore Pur- boring parishes were laid waste, and hasing Company, the Nipper Consoli- that the residue of the population of dated Copper Company, the Minnie St. Pierre is without food or shelter. Healy Copper Mining Company, the The commander of the Suchet report Cobra-Rock Island Copper Mining Com- that at 1 o'clock Thursday the entire pany and the Belmont Copper Mining town of St. Pierre was wrapped in Company. The company will also have flames. He endeavored to save about \$1,000,000 of the first mortgage bonds 30 persons, more or less burned, from of the Montana Ore Purchasing Com | the vessels in the harbor. His officers

pany bond and \$2,500,000 first mort- went ashore in small boats, seeking for

gage bonds of the Nipper Company, survivors, but were unable to penetrate

Salvador Dispute Settled. Washington, May 10 .- The United States has won a sweeping victory in The Oregon national guard will as. Caracas. Gomez was seriously wound- snough to be heard in the heart of the matter of the arbitration of the dissemble at some centrally located point ed. Carupano now presents a spectacle in the Willamette valley, in brigade of desotation. The cable is cut. of flames shot up from the wreckage over the claim of the Salvador Comand enveloped both hillsides, even to mercial Company and other citizens of the United States, stockholders in the There was a moment's lull, as though | Corporation | El Triumpho Company, every living thing in the vicinity had Ltd., created under the laws of Salvathe central portion of Truckee was a been annihilated, and then came the dor. Sir Henry Strong and Don M. raging mass of flames for seven or eight cries, the screaming for help, and the Dickinson, a majority of the arbitra-

Paul Leicester Ford Shot New York, May 10. -Paul Leicester Ford, the novelist, was shot and that many escaped from the terrible killed by his brother, Malcom Webster Ford, writer and athlete, who immediately sent a bullet into his own breast, fell one hundred miles away, dying instantly. The shooting occurred Vanconver, B. C., May 14 .- A spe- at 10:20 A. M , in the handsome new the Island of Martinique, had a popucial from Dawson says: J. H. Rogers, mansion which Paul Leicester Ford had lation of about 25,000. It was on the Dawson manager of the White Pass built at 37 East Seventy-seventh street, west coast of the island, about 12 Yukon Railway, makes the statement and had occupied for about a year, miles northwest of Fort de France. It

Police Chiefs Adjourn. Louisville, May 12. - The police

Rebels Bombard Nau Ning Fu. Hong Kong, May 12. - Advices reportation cut-rate war, which probably ceived here from Wo Chou say the fall of ashes over the northern part of

> Provision Plant Burned. Chicago, May 12 .- The plant of the tinique, as the submarine earthquakes German Provision Company in the interrupted cable communication, un-

Shipping Combine Agreements. London, May 10.-The Associated

Engineer and Brakeman Killed.

Everett, Wash., May 10 .- Engineer French cabinet the minister of finance, advices received at the Merchants' Ex- Michael J. Riley and Brakeman A. L. Domingo, May 10.—Ex-President Jim-

THOUSANDS KILLED

CITY OF ST. PIERRE DESTROYED BY A RAIN OF FIRE.

The Volcano of Mount Pelee Exploded and a Shower of Burning Lava Swept the City from Existence-Now Estimated that at Least 40,000 People Perished- All Shipping in the Harbor was Destroyed.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., May 10 .- The noon bringing a report that the town of

enter the Union and in the case of Ok-pany's steamer Rorima, Captain Mug-

acts differ from one another chiefly in burned, and 17 of her crew are dead. reference to the public lands appro-

Later Details.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., May 12 .- It is now estimated that 40,000 persons perished as a result of the volcanic eruption in the Island of Martinique. The British schooner Ocean Traveler arrived at the Island of Dominica, B. W. I., at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. She was obliged to flee from the Island of St. Vincent, B. W. I., during the afternoon of Wednesday, May 7, in consequence of a heavy fall of sand from a volcano which was erupting

The schooner arrived opposite St. Pierre, Ma tinique, Thursday morning, May 8. While about a mile off the volcano of Mount Pelee exploded, and fire from it swept the whole town of St. Pierre, destroying the town and the shipping there, including the cable repair ship Grabbler, which was engaged in repairing the cable near the Guerrin factory, and four American vessels. The Ocean Traveler, while on her way to Dominica, encountered a quantity of wreckage. The French cruiser Suchet has ar-

eloupe, from Fort de France, bringing several refugees. She confirmed the The commander of the Suchet reports

These bonds represent the only bonded the town. They saw heaps of bodies indebtedness of the companies named upon the wharves, and it is believed that not a single person resident of St. Pierre at the moment of the catastrophe escaped. The governor of the colony, his wife and staff were in St. Pierre, and probably perished. The extent of the catastrophe cannot be imagined. The captain of the British steamer Roddam is seriously injured, and is now in the hospital at St. Lucis. All of his officers and engineers were killed or are

> crew is dead. Surgeon Campbell and 10 of the crew of the Roddam jumped verboard at St. Pierre and were lost. From a dozen different sources comes onfirmation of the swful extent of the catastrophe and added details of the horror, and it seems vain to suppose shower of fire, lava and rock that fell

dying. Nearly every member of the

upon the city and scattered ashes which St. Pierre, the commercial center of that his company would enter into The murder was supposed to have been was the largest town in the French West Indies, and was divided into two quarters by a rivulet, over which a number of handsome bridges had been built. The lower quarter of the town chiefs of the United States and Canada, was close and unhealthy, while for the at their final session, changed the most part the town was well ventilated The Dawson retail merchants had been name of the association to the Inter- and pleasant. It had numerous public national Police Chiefs' Association, buildings and schools, a handsome ness by competition of the big com- and selected New Orleans as the next theater and botanic garden. Its road-

of Washington, was elected president. The empress Josephine was born there in 1763. The eruption of Mount Pelee began early last week, and was followed by a It was rumored then that 500 inhabitants of St. Pierre were killed. That was the last word received from Mar-

Madrid May 12 .- For the past few time of the war.

Santo Domingo, Republic of Santo

M. Caillaiux, was authorized to expend change give the information that an Kittle were killed during the morning inex, of the Dominican republic, and streets of Port an Prince. The situation is very serious. The meeting of One dark night recently a Russian sufferers of the Martinique disaster. day night by the tug Astoria to pull off to the bottom of a grich 25 feet below. congress, which opened at noon, had schooner was lying in the bay of Gib. An official of the colonial office has the British bark Baroda, which went The men were in the employ of a log-Unmarried women of Michigan are hardly heard the words of the president raltar, when two dogs, swimming, ap-sailed from Brest with 500,000 frances ashore nine miles south of Coquille ging company and were coming down the city. The hospitals are full of to petition the legislature for exemp tion from taxation on estates less than \$\$5,000\$. The house declared that congress \$\$5,000\$. The house declared that congress \$\$100,000\$ frances ashore nine miles south of Coquille ging company and were toxing down the house declaring that a president proached the words of the president of the house declaring that a president of the cabinet for the cabinet for the republic was to be elected, when Deputy Jeannot declared that congress to the house declaring that a president of the cabinet for the house declaring that a president of the house declaring that a pres Office with Bone Bothers. Rusiness will be attended to at any time. Collections made the restle before it the perspiration loosening their grip on timber or farming.

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