Trawling Fleet Mission Ship.

The British trawling fleet in the orth sea might be likened to a pating town. It possesses all the eature comforts and spiritual sidance is not neglected. With fleet is a mission vessel upon hich religious services are held. in the wheel of the mission ship is scribed: "Jesus said: 'Follow e and I will make you fishers of en." This boat is said to be nique among fishermen,-Chica o Chronicle.

Barely Possible

He-I wonder way it is that the verage man is always anxious to now the worst of his neighbor? She-Probably because of the opular belief that prisery loves ompany. - Cincinnati Enquirer.

A bill is reported to have been inroduced in the legislature by repsentative Smith of Josephine, exmpting from taxation, household pods of the value of \$500. Many ersons have not more than ball his amount of household property, shile others have that much and nuch more. Hexemptions are for ousehold goods only, the benefits sill be unequal.

Fnough land to constitute good omes for more than 30,000 families vill be reclaimed and made productreby the completion of the Klamth irrigation project. Have the copie of Lake county missed anyhing through want of activity in alling attention to possibilities

When the Czar of Russia complaind to one of his Ministers of the prevlence of peculations of Russian ofcials, exclaiming, "the thieves night to be shot" his friend quietly sponded, "Does your majesty wish be alone in the Empire?" Such the brazen, shameless and dishonsty of Russian official life.

The Post Office appropriation bill reported by the Committee on ost offices and post roads, in the fouse at Washington asks for the ppropriation of \$180,781,993 for the urrent year.

Kuropatkin is to make a supreme fort to crush Oyama before his einforcements arrive, but the Japs vill "beat" the crushing.

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The legislature of Missouri has not cen able to elect a United States emator, the republicans refusing to mile on any candidate.

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