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FACE A NEW SORROW

King and Emperor Likely to Meet Again at the Grave of Dear Ones.

TROUBLES DRAW THEM TO EACH OTHER

Having a Powerful Moral Effect Both in Germany and Great Britain.

SPECULATION ON THE KING'S COURSE

Public Discusses Question Whether He Will Reign or Rule.

REVIVAL OF MONARCHICAL SPLENDOR

Opposition to Increasing Grants to Sustain Royalty-Burbers Bave Trouble with Upward Corl of Moustnehes.

LONDON, Feb. 16 .- "Our grandmother is dead. Comfort my mother.-WILHELM." This is the telegram the emperor sent the empress a few minutes after Queen Victoria's death. It explains better than could columns of German and English editorials the feelings which exist among the reigning families of those countries. This tie may shortly bring about another deathbed meeting of King Edward and his imperial nephew. English court rumor gives Empress Frederick but a short lease of life, and King Edward will no more allow his new duties to interfere with his desire to be at her bedside than did Emperor William consider the Berlin celebrations when he went in haste to Osborne. Thus, once more, the two rulers who are riveting the attention of the world may be brought together under circumstances in which human emotions have the strongest place. That meeting, apart from its sad domestic cause, is bound to have an im, ortant moral effect both in Great Britain and Germany and the rest of the world. The feeling of Germany on the subject of Emperor William's pro-English tendencies, known throughout the world, thanks to the antagonistic comments of portions of its press. PARIS finds its courserpart in England, though it is not so fully developed or freely expressed. Now that the emperor has gone many people are asking: "Is the king going to follow Emperor William's example and be an emperor in the true sense of the word?

Auxious About the Future.

The recent kingly functions, with all the outward signs of power, have made Great Britain realize for the first time in many years that it is a country under a monarchy. Indeed, many papers are urging the king to exert influence on the ministers to eradicate the abuses in the army and push the war in South Africa. Many persons are seriously pendering on whether King Edward is going to rule or reign. There is all confidence in his tact and common sense. But the sudden restoration of monarchical splendor and power and the keen sympathy between the German emperor and King Edward make many loval subjects anxious about the future. The first signof this is the suggestion of an increase of the king's income. Henry Labouchere and many others have no hesitation in openly opposing it. Reference is frequently made to the small incomes of the presidents of the United States and France. There is little doubt that Parliament will grant larger supplies, but this action will not serve to reconcile the issue to its new condition. "The English people," bluntly says this week's Today, "would not tolerate a

king who sought to rule as well as reign. To those who have only read the king's utterances and have not seen the recent functions, the cause for any such remark is hidden. The functions attending the new reign have been so spectacular that the quaint rights of the people handed down from commonwealth times escape notice. Before members of the House of Commons were called to the House of Lords Thursday the clerk of the house mumbled a bill the better preventing of certain clandestine outlawry. This bill was invariably speech was heard, in order to assert the right of both houses to transact business without reference to any authority but its

own organization. Watching the Court.

The court is watched with keen interest No one desires the king to forget old favorites, yet there is a clearly expressed wish that some of these be not rewarded meets with universal approval and is taken whose acquaintance is sought after by those as a good omen. Sir Francis is the son who have become enthusiastic over her of the king's former tutor. They were writings. The millionaire's wife declares playfellows together.

and queen what Osborne was to Queen Vic- vote her wealth and influence to promoting toria. Barracks will shortly be erected at socialism among society women. this royal residence, so long connected with | Another of her plans is to erect an im-Osborne, however, will not be neglected, for the king intends to make it his head- therequarters when gratifying his keen taste for yachting.

A humorous result of the British-German the inhabitants of the West End of London. That upward and outward twist so with Emperor William's nanoristed moustache has been extensively adopted. especially by those having pretensions to West End barbers reveal the trouble they

droops into upward curls. Forecast of Parliament.

and Irish affairs, though the king's income and improvements in the condition of the poor may take up some time.

threadbare. The determination of the government not to alter in the slightest degree special envoy to assist Ambassador Pate- is printed directly from inked plates. Both its attitude towards the Boers is clearly netre to study and report upon the situation machines are speedy and reliable. The recognized on all sides, and, though they in Spain every hour. will not stop the debate, the country is no Colonel Sir Charles Howard Vincent (conservative) is going to move that Canada, Tribunal Pines Drumond Heavily and Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and the other British colonies be consolidated upon a commercial basis, and that Canada's example be followed by granting the empire's products fiscal preference. Both parties generally agree that something of such an important step.

PARRY, RIPOSTE AND LUNGE San Malato's Foil Brings Crimson

Gushing from the Flesh of a Foremost Frenchman.

eright, 1991, by Press Publishing Co.) PARIS. Feb. 16 .- New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram)-It was putely a difference of opinion that precipitated the now famous duel between those two past MAY INVOLVE LYONS AND BORDEAUX masters in the art of fencing. Athos de Samalato, the Italian, and Louis Damotte. Malato contended for the ascendancy of the foil; M. Damotte was equally assured of the supremacy of the rapier. The Italian, burning for proof, sent a challenge. It was to be purely a trial of skill, the POLICE AFTER PUGNACIOUS WOMEN weapons to be protected so that in case of accident the wound would be a mere scratch. But the non-acrimonious element of the contest miscarried. The affair got into the papers. Inventive succeeded civility. M de San Malato rushed to Paris to engage in a duel to the death. Blood adversary was no less sanguinary-minded.

was what his honor demanded and his The date set was January 28, the place chosen the Parc des Princesat Boulogne. The combatants were bright and early on the scene. So were the seconds, the doctors, the sixty invited guests admitted, under protest, by the great men. So were all the swordsmen from near and far, the sketch artists of dailles and weeklies, the photographers and the only cinematograph privileged to reproduce pictorially the great

It poured rain. San Malato was disgusted His picturesque costume and white tennis shoes were ill-assorted with the mud.

"They are not artists, these Frenchmen," he muttered, "or they could not expect us to fight in such weather."

He threw aside his astrakhan pelisse with the air of a stage hero, fondled his blade and pricked a finger to bring a perfumed handkerchief into play. The adversaries saluted. Damotte, in his flannel shirt, unpretentious in the extreme, stood like a statue. He repulsed the fierce attack of the Italian through three rounds. In the fourth San Malato's blade inflicted a wound which momentarily paralyzed his opponent San Malato waited at the door of the building where they were dressing Damotte's wound to offer his hand. The door opened. The Italian, with a graceful gesture, threw his arms about his enemy. A din of applause was heard. The cinematograph moved off. The duel was over.

PARDONS POLYGAMY

Mormon Sect in French Capital is Regarded with Respect by the State.

(Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co.) PARIS, Feb. 16 .- (New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram. - A Mormon given in. major members are sixteen, owning fiftyeight wives. One man has seven, with
just one child each. Another has three
wives, with sixteen children. All Paris
Mormons are reported as respectable, industrious citizens. Although the suthers. dustrious citizens. Although the authori- 12,000 francs: It is the first time I ever diminish. ties have been informed of this, it is said beat the infernal roulette wheel." that no prosecution is intended, the marriages being strictly religious, with no civil formality, the extra wives being viewed by the state as concubines, whose children. tailing marriage with the mothers.

HUSBAND OR BULLDOG BRIER Mme. Berouval's Fondness for Pipe Leads to a Parisian

Divorce.

(Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co.) refused to quit smoking.

"You must be tolerant," said the judge bassador before whom the suit was brought. "Many society ladies smoke cigarettes nowadays." "But my wife smokes worse than cigarettes." said Berouvel. "Cigars ?" queried the judge.

"A pipe, your honor," said the novelist, 'a vicious bulldog brier pipe."

"Divorce granted," said the court without further comment. The revelation he caused widespread ventures in India" as related by Kipling. wonderment, as Mme. Berouvel is regarded

read for hundreds of years before a king's as a refined matron of good social standing. MILLIONAIRE'S SOCIALIST WIFE

She Plans a Vast Sanitarium to Care for American Women of Weak

(Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co.) PARIS, Feb. 16 .- (New York World Cawith official positions. The appointment of blegram-Special Telegram.)-Mrs. Pierre Sir Francis Knolleys (who was secretary to Lorillard, jr., is now at Nice, passing most the king while the latter was prince of of her time with Madame Severine, dis-Wales) to be secretary of his majesty, tinguished journalist and philanthropist, berself an absolutely converted socialist Sandringham is likely to be to the king and will, under Severine's guidance, de-

the name of the prince of Wales, where mense sanitarium at some chosen spot at household troops will be accommodated, the Riviera for consumptive American wo- for self-instruction, winding up at Newport men who could not afford to go and stay next summer.

SPAIN MAY BE A REPUBLIC 'entente" is evident in the moustaches of Radical Predictions That the Effete Monarchy is on the Verge of

a Hevolution.

Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co.) PARIS, Feb. 16 .- (New York World Camilitary appearance. Interviews with biegram-Special Telegram.)-George Clemencountering transforming lifelong article today upholds Zola's and Nordeau's the minister of posts, telephones and teleenceau, great radical leader, in a long The present session of Parliament lution which will result in the establish- machine. Two types are being experipromises to be confined chiefly to the army ment of a republic. Most correspondents mented with. One will, after a coin is inviews, saying that the censorship is so ally if the letter is properly placed. The The war in South Africa has been talked immediate expulsion would follow. The amount of postage required. Immediately

likely to follow it with any interest LABOR'S NOTABLE VICTORY

Orders Sentence Published Throughout Prance

(Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co.) PARIS, Feb. 16 .- (New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram |- Labort has this sort is necessary, but nothing is likely won his case against Edouard Drumond, to result, the leaders maintaining that the notorious Jew-baiter, whose paper, Libre time and conditions are not yet ripe for Parele, insinuated that the Dreyfus de- ing the workingmen's housing problem in ties committed by the allied troops, ill-infender was never shot at all, but organ- London. It is that certain thoroughfares spired missionaries and native converts, next Friday in the usual way at the Hotel intimate friends of Sir Richard Croker ized the comedy in order to win sympathy. openly declare he will never re-enter The tribunal, after strongly denouncing the set apart for rapid transit, being especially against Chinese belligerents and non-comactive political life in America. Those who slander, fined Drumond 2,000 france for the paved, and workingmen transported behave seen Mr. Croker recently noticed his state and 1 franc damage for the plaintiff tween home and work on motor cars. For general physical weakness, which is said and the insertion of the judgment in forty convenience, rapidity, and, above all, cheap- representatives he made immediately to evening with Prince Ferdinand Radziwill. to be a form of nervous melancholy, en- Paris dailles, 200 provincial papers, each in- ness, he believes that the rapid transit of cease in the participation of pillaging, ratirely opposed to his usual activity. . sertion occupying 100 france' worth of space | the future will be by automobiles

STRIKERS IN SKIRTS

War of Parisian Dressmakers Threatens to Spread to Other French Cities.

the preux chevalier of France. M. de San Girls of Marseilles Also Are Agitating Plan for Joining the Movement

and Horrors of the Shops

SOCIETY BELLES SEEK PIQUANT A F TURE

Explore the Labor Resc - inder Escort and Add Pictur = ness to What Inder the Su a Serious Situa

Copyright, 1901, by Press shing Co.)
PARIS, Peb. 18.—(New York orld Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-The dressmakers' strike threatens to extend beyond the capital. Lyons, Bordeaux and Marseilles has attained the great age of M. a. Charles of Denmark possesses a num to opportune time to join the movement. Three-fourths of the Paris dressmakers are out, estimated at over 6,000. Latterly the strikers have grown so pugnacious toward those who are still working that police details have been stationed at every shop in the far-famed Rue de la Paix, and it is occupied by a veritable army of policemen. The girls parade the boulevards singing defiant songs and distributing pamphlets revealing the "horrors and

mysteries of the shops where dresses are made for millionaires and aristocrats." Trim-dressed strikers are selling newspapers, especially La Fronde, which is conducted solely by women, the vendors crying: "Help the dressmakers' strike." buy from us who are trying to resist the merciless, grinding trust."

It has become the thing for society women to explore the Rue de la Paix under escort. This is the most picturesque strike ever seen in Paris. Serious work is accomplished, too. There are meetings twice daily at the Labor exchange, and they have already revealed splendid orators.

While the managing board is universally commended for its moderation and sensible handling of the campaign, both sides are equally determined. So far five firms have

"Well, you began beating it just in time,"

ever, can be legitimatized without en- Four young American people, Sidney Brockton with Anna Basford and Edward Chickering with Louise Lemoyne, were ar rested at midnight Thursday while parading through the streets in a couple of

students. PARIS, Feb. 16 .- (New York World Ca- but meek and repentant. She declared that tongue. Such a proceeding will be unpre- is to undertake to Russia has been misinblegram-Special Telegram.)-Charles Ber- Americans had a right to travel anywhere ouvel, novelist, has been granted an ab- in palanquins or on elephants if preferred. solute divorce on the ground that his wife She denounced her arrest as illegal and English except in quotations.

Riviera. He denies the report of his betrothal to Princess Stephanie de Croy, attributing their many luncheons and rides at Cannes and Beaulieu together to friendship solely. Mr. Eddy will accompany his sister to New York and Washington. They will sail February 20.

A new play announced at the Parisian is called "An American Doll." It pretends to illustrate the heartlessness and empty frivolity of an American-bred society girl

as observed abroad. Gaston Deschamps, famous literateur, is aboard the steamer Aquitaine, due in New York tomorrow, having been invited to lecture at Harvard, Johns Hopkins and other universities on modern French

literature. Paul Loubet, son of the president, contemplates going to America soon and trav-

SLOT STAMPING MACHINES

French Have a Plan for Abolishing Unpleasant Licking of Government Labels.

(Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co. PARIS, Feb. 16 .- (New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-As a result of the persistent complaints of many peomuch discussed predictions last week that graph has instructed the engineers attached Spain is now on the verge of a great revo- to his department to design a slot stamping of the French papers at Madrid take dark serted, wet and affix the stamp automaticsevere that the facts can't be given because other weighs the letter and shows the French government last year dispatched a upon the insertion of the price the stamp French postoffice will be provided with several as soon as they can be manufactured.

NOW FOR FULL AUTOMOBILE It is to Supplant the Corpulent Dinper Patt, If Balfour Has

His Way. (Copyright, 190L by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, Feb. 16 .- (New York World

Queen Victoria's Weary Bands Linger Awhile on Silky Coat of Tiny Pet.

Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co. LONDON, Feb. 15 - (New York World Cablegram - Special Telegram.) - To a little dog belongs the sad distinction of receiving the last token of tenderness which Queen Victoria bestowed on any living creature outside of her family. It was a snow-white Pomeranian, the favored one of her many pets. In those days so near the end the tlny creature, with seeming perception of the coming event, kept hear his mistress with a pathetic devotion that won her beart. On that Thursday when the shadow of death was at last arknowledged to be hovering near, the queen stroked the Boulevard Paraders Reveal the Mysteries silky coat of her dumb friend again and Celestial Expenses Finally Voted, but again. It was almost her last effort.

The creatures about her were ever her personal care. The Highland pony she rode took its augar from her own hands. Every for about any of the royal residences had its mark of her attention and love. The parrot that figures in so many ther early drawings has an indication of the for pets.

To her children she transmitter 1 2dd and Onerous Burden on the

ness for animals. King Edwardtide. horses is well known. His love o the a is no less strong. The history of his i everites is a long one. With his daughterse and their dogs he is seen at his belt and friendly conduct toward Great Britain happiest. -tsh.

canine beauties.

King Takes Things Into His Own Hands and Baffles Atl Court Intriguers. (Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co.)

ablegram-Special Telegram.)-King Ed- upchanged. ward has given six months' notice to the entire household of the late queen, intimating at the same time that there will be no reappointments from among them.

Intrigues for coveted court posts, which, by nothing but iliwill and spite." under the new regime, will carry immense social influence and advantages, are already rampant. The king's personal friends, accuston Reuben Sassoon, the rich Parsee; Lord begins." Carrington, Mrs. George Keppel and Alfred port of candidates for posts in the royal demned. entourage, but it is believed that the king will make his own selections, independent tive) says:

of solicitation. Thus far King Edward him sken e erything into his own hands in the most masterful way. He works indergrigably himself and insists on state officials imitating

GAELIC TONGUE IN COMMONS tional liberal) inspired, aunounces that

(Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, Feb. 16 -- (New York World palanquins carried by hired loafers, all Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-In addition gan) sarcastically points out that the standing. singing lustily and followed by crowds of to subscribing their names to the roll of "Younker party expresses disapproval of shouting gamins. Before a magistrate next Parliament in Irish characters, several of Emperor morning they described themselves as art the Irish members have informed the World freely than the socialists whenever his macorrespondent that they intend to address jesty happens to differ with them." Miss Basford, who is pretty, was anything the House of Commons in their native

JULES VERNE TIME QUARTERED Reichstag and Prussian diet. Around the World in Twenty-Two Days is the Possibility of a

Few Years. papers here have a lengthy and interestbeen entrusted by the Russian government tion on the Transsiberian railway. Rabenau raised in the final peace negotiations. claims that within eight or ten years people

nine on land and thirteen on sea.

eling extensively through the United States | BRITISH ERA OF DEPRESSION Great Railroads Hope for No Improve- in the Reichstag.

ment Till Next Harvests Are Ripe.

LONDON, Feb. 16 .- (New York World Cadepression. The evidences which are al- agrarian selfishness." ready manifested are in the diminution of trains, mileage and trade, together with duties, but demand their entire abolition. higher rates. The blast furnaces are damped down along these railways and reports from other districts are equally un-

Great Men of France Call Upon the Government to Compel Them

Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co.) PARIS, Feb. 16 .- (New York World Casigned by the greatest scientists, physicians, Balfour propounds a novel scheme for solv- calling attention to the indubitable atroci- bilt offered \$300,000 for it. radiating from the center of London be acting under European tacit protection. Savoy. A musicale will be followed by a

DYING CARESS FOR HER DOG BERLIN PROBES DEEP

Seeks to Uncover Reasons for Kaiser's Evident Alliance with Great Britain.

INSPIRED ORGAN HAS FAITH IN HIS MOTIVES

Belief That His Subjects Will Be Proud of His Intentions When Unfolded.

GERMANY SICK OF THE WAR IN CHINA

Opposition Speeches Are Unanswered.

BISHOP INTERMEDDLES IN YELLOW KINGDOM

Working Classes. BERLIN, Feb 16.-Emperor William's

Princess Victoria boasts a fiven of to a sold sion here. It was because of this that unrecently and the motives which induced it usual interest was taken in Germany at the opening of the British Parliament. The speech from the throne and the debate EDWARD'S A MASTERFUL MAN on the address in reply to it were thoroughly disappointing because of the ab sence of any reference to closer Angio-German relations. Thomas Gibson Bowles' interpellation anent the alleged German seizure of a portion of the Belgian Congo was seized on by the press today as proof that the British people's hostile and med-LONDON. Feb. 16.—(New York World diesome feelings toward Germany remained

The Tageblatt ironically says: "The harmony between England and Germany is evidently largely over estimated, because Mr. Bowles' queries were dictated

The Lokal Angeiger says: "Hardly has Parliament opened when the accustomed spiteful anti-German hatred

The emperor's pro-British sentiments Rothschild are plagued with appeals in sup- and actions are still unceasingly con-

The Dresdener Nacherichten (conserva-

were pever worse." The semi-official press, since his ma- W. Taylor: "The Issue in my District." jesty's return, has been doing everything Hon. J. A. Tawney; "The Empire State," do counteract this all-pervading, anti-em- Hon. T. L. Woodruff; "The League and the

Malesty's Sufficient Reasons.

The Munich Allgemeine Zeltung (na-Count von Buelow, imperial chancellar, as sunses responsibility for Emperor Wil-Defiant Spirit and Obstruct | Bam's pro-British acts and that he will seize on an early opportunity to show the cient reasons for his conduct.

The winter trip which General Werder cedented and the speaker will call them terpreted. General Werder is not underto order for using any language but the taking any diplomatic mission, as reported here and elsewhere. He simply goes to

Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co.) out reply, except in connection with the PARIS, Feb. 16.- (New York World Ca- missions. Baron Richthofen, secretary of blegram-Special Telegram.)-The news- foreign affairs, incidentally remarked on this subject that the necessity of affording interview of Kaiser Wilhelm with Ra- ing higher and more effective protection to benau, the Berlin electrical expert, who has the China missionaries had been impressed upon Dr. Mumm von Schwarzenstein, the to study the application of electrical trac- German minister at Pekin, as a point to be The array of facts presented by Herr will encircle the globe in twenty-two days. Bebel, the socialist leader, proving that Bishop Anzer has been frequently intermeddling in Chinese international affairs. not only in Shan Tung, but also outside that province, has been left undisproved

Mass Meeting of Socialists. Mass meetings called by the socialists

opyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co.) strongly worded resolutions against the proposed probibitive agricultural duties, blegram-Special Telegram.)-The presi- branding them as a most unjust and most dents of the London Northwestern, Midland operous burden for the working part of and Great Northern railroads. England's the nation and dictated solely by the existence at Letcombe at this time of the three chief lines, foreshadow an era of "brutal class of the empire and the lowest They not only protest against increased

The Berliner Neueste Nachrichten (conservative), has printed an ar ticle making a strong argument satisfactory. A big slump is also marked that Germany has no need to fear in the shipping industry, and a drop in a tariff war with the United States, even freights owing to the setting free of a if large agricultural duties are imposed. large number of steamers engaged in trans- because American imports here are two port work. There is a falling off in every and one-half times those of Germany to direction. There is likely to be no improve- the United States. It cites a dispatch sayment until the world's harvests are ripe for ing the Treasury department at Washington is overwhelmed with telegrams on the subject of additional sugar duty, adding: ATROCITIES OF MISSIONARIES "This abows that American business inerest is opposed to a possible tariff war with Russia. How much more will it oppose a tariff war with Germany, whose given, but he is said to have left Omaha business is worth ten times to the United States that of Russia?"

Genuine Raphael at Auction. A nainting, supposed to be a genuine

here February 23. It is claimed that the authors, artists and prominent social lights late Prof. Nicole discovered the painting Cablegram - Special Telegram.) - Arthur have been presented to the French cabinet at Lausanne and that William K. Vander Washington's birthday will be celebrated

> bantants. The petitions demand in the name States ambassador, is chairman of the com- Germany, has cabled the State department of justice and civilization that the French mittee. Mr. and Mrs. White dined this pine and murdering perpetrated in China. American colony February 22.

THE BEE BULLETIN.

Forecast for Nebraska-Fair; Colder.

1 King and Kaiser Face New Griefs. Dressmakers' Strike in France. Berlin Seeks Emperor's Motives. Pat Crowe's Reported Confession 2 Kitchener's African Campaign. Kanana Police Pight Their Judge Russia is After Uncle Sam.

Flood to Fight Mine Fire. S Nebraska Banks Are Prosperous. Three Murder Trials in the State. Antelope State at Inauguration.

4 Last Week in Omaha Society. Woman in Club and Charity 5 Fire Destroys East Omaha Plant. Buck Kelth Out of Base Ball.

6 Conneil Bluffs Local Matters. Candidates for Governor of lows. Extortion by Cudany Method.

7 Extra Session of Congress.
South Omaha Refunding Bonds.
National Efforts at Arbitration. S Sennie Passes Private Bills. Household, Table and Kitchen. Base Eall Outlook on Home Circuit.

Bowling Finds Favor with Women. 10 Election News Reaches Samon. 11 Court Stops the Persecution. Presbyterians Buy College Site. Chinese Refuse Death Ediet.

13 Amusements and Music. 14 Editorial and Comment. 15 Douglas County Raises the Seeds. General Lee Last of His Class. Success of Rural Free Delivery.

12 Woman; Her Ways and Whims

16 "Norman Holt." 17 Commercial and Financial. Condition of Omaha's Trade. 19 Omaha is Long on Soct.

20 Speculation Over the Burlington Temperature at Omaha Yesterday:

Deg. m..... 27 m 27 3 p. m 37 4 p. m. 40 5 p. m. . . . 39 6 p. m. . . . 38 8 a. m..... 27 9 a. m..... 28 12 m...... 35

PROTECTIONISTS AT DINNER editor a dozen years ago, so establishing the

Tonat "Our President" at the League Banquet. NEW YORK, Feb. 16.-The annual

ner of the American Protective The league was served at the Waldorf toni ... Charles A. Moore, president of the least was toastmaster. The toasts and speakers were as follows: "The President," Hon. J. ing. "Since Prince Bismarck's fall the rela- M. Thurston; "The Tariff Reformer," Hon. tions between the nation and the emperor S. W. McCall; "Protection in the West," Hon. C. 1. Long: "Our Souvenir." Hon. H.

> ices were served represented miniature statues of a smith at his forge as the emplem of todayiry.

9:30 o'clock. He read a letter from Presination that his majesty had good and sum- dent McKinley expressing regret at not being able to attend. Mr. Moore proposed The Vorwaerts (the leading socialist or- a toast to the president and it was drunk

> nation's chief magistrate, of expansion and the protective tariff. Senator Jones of Nevada sent a letter. the Republic Do Its Own Work ***

She demoured her arrest as illegal and said she would appeal to the American ambassador.

The Irish members are determined to make it lively all around, being animated that the stream of the magistrate delivered a severe lecture upon the impropriety of American girls, even though art students, imbiling over ment and the fercest harred of the South affician war, the supplies for which they personant, he released all four.

The palanquins are determined to make it lively all around, being any ulinomate muses. Several old make it lively all around, being any ulinomate muses, as evere lecture to make it lively all around, being any ulinomate muses. Several old make the several content of the president. I am here to speak of the Russia as the private guest of several old make it lively all around, being any ulinomate muses. Several old make the several content of the president. I am here to speak of the Russia as the private guest of several old make it lively all around, being any ulinomate muses. Several old make the several content of the president of the prospect of the president of the prospect of the lows:

the press, but by the utterances in the Reichstag and Prussian diet.

It is true the China expenses for 1900, amounting to 153,000,000 marks, were finally voted, but the opposing socialist speeches and fresissigne criticism were heard by the conservatives and centrists almost without reply, except in connection with the missions. Baron Richthofen, secretary of foreign affairs, incidentally remarked on across the country by special train. He chasing the

CROKER IN FEEBLE HEALTH Titus stationed men at the Grand Central Melancholy Story of His Failing Powers is Whispered Through England.

(Copyright, 1901, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, Feb. 16 .- (New York World Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-The melancholy story respecting Croker, that he is declining in mental powers, has been whispered also at Letcombe. The Chronicle's special correspondent at Wantage wires throughout Germany this week passed tonight that Mr. Croker has only been here once since Christmas, and then only for an afternoon. He was accompanied by two friends who insisted on his returning to town owing to the extreme duliness of year. Since then his factorum, Usher, has been away except for an occasional visit of inspection. He had not been there for a fortnight. He did not know Mr. Croker's

OMAHA MAN MAY BE CHOSEN Sait Lake Expects New Local Treasarer of Oregon Short

Line.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 16 - (Spetal Telegram.)-It was stated here tonight that an Omaha man had been appointed local treasurer of the Oregon Short Line to succeed A. J. Vankuran, arrested on a charge of embezzlement. The name of the new appointee was not cruise.

LOOMIS ILL, WOOD INSANE No Strong-Minded Person Capable of blegram - Special Telegram.) - Petitions Raphael of 1510, will be sold at auction Minister to Venezuela and Consul at Kehl, Germany, Are Both Afficted.

today to take up his new position.

Haytien Cable)-Francis R. Loomis, the United States minister, is very ill. WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 .- Max Adler, the

give hope of his ultimate recovery.

CROWE'S CONFESSION

Waterloo, Is .. Editor Claims to Have Received It Tuesday Night.

HUNTED MAN WAS HIS GUEST

Came in Desperation to Seek Shelter of Man He Had Once Saved.

CLAIMS THE KIDNAPERS WERE GENTLE

Would Not Have Harmed Young Oudaby Under Any Circumstances.

HAS PLENTY OF MONEY BUT NO FRIENDS

Appeals to Editor Van Metre for Assistance in an Hour When He Can Trust No Other

Man.

CHICAGO, Peb. 16 - A dispatch to the Chicago Times-Herald from Waterloo, Ia.,

Pat Crowe confessed the Cudahy kidnaping to Isaiah Van Metre, the editor of the Waterloo Weekly Tribune, with whom the hunted fugitive found shelter and food Deg. Tuesday night of this week, and Mr. Van Metre publishes the details of the visit in

the current number of his paper. Back of this, perhaps the most dramatic episode of the long series that has grown out of the celebrated child-stealing case, is A story of how Crowe saved the life of the credit of gratitude upon which he felt safe in drawing, now that he is an outcast with

a price of \$50,000 set upon his head. The statement of Crowe to the Waterloo editor, according to the dispatch to the Times-Herald, covers the following points:

No Intent to Harm Cudaby. "First-A frank confession of the kidnap-"Second-An explanation that he had no intention of harming young Cudahy and

would not have done so even had the money not been delivered. "Third-A statement that he had \$20,600 'planted' which he wished to get in order

to be able to leave the country." According to the lows editor's story the man said to be Pat Crowe came to his home after 11 o'clock at night, was admitted, orative of the dinner and suitably inscribed was given food and was permitted to sleep were the souvenirs. The boxes in which the there until just before daylight. The man, according to the lows editor, was in a state of whicet feer and felt all but hope-President Moore began his remarks at less of avoiding the officers who are searching for him.

No Longer Trusts Friends. In this alleged confession the fugitive is reported to have stated that he could no Senator Thurston spoke to this toast. His longer trust those who had been his friends, William's doings even more address was an eloquent vindication of the owing to the big reward offered for his apprehension and that he knew not which way to turn. The fugitive told the editor, He had been assigned to the toast, "Shall the story says, that the few hours' sleep in the latter's house was the first un-Senator Thurston spoke in part as fol- broken rest that he had had for weeks. The fugitive is reported as having ex-

incendiaries. The Hotel Men's association took measures for protection at once, instructing their watchmen and private detectives to be doubly vigilant. Captain station to keep an extra lookout for suspicious characters and the police of the

Tenderloin station received instructions to be particularly watchful. The negro who was arrested in the linperial tonight gave his name as William Taylor, 25 years old, of St. Louis. He said he had reached the city from St. Louis only today. He refused to make any statement as to why his pockets were full of matches. He was looked up and the police say they believe he is one of the

Chicago gang of incendiaries. KEARSAGE'S GUN EXPLODES Thirteen-Incher Goes to Pieces While

at Target Practice, Crippling the Ship. PENSACOLA, Fla., Feb. 16 -- A big thirteen-inch gun exploded on the battleship Kearsarge while the ship was at target practice off Key West. The gun itself and its superimposed turret were badly dam-

aged.

anchor here, awaiting orders from Washington. The ship's officers are in a quandary as to what will be the outcome of the accident, whether the Kearsarge will be ordered home for repairs or whether the captain will be instructed to proceed on his cruise in southern waters without the gun. The general impression here is that the Kearsarge will be directed to continue on its

The battleship is at present at

SUICIDE A BRAIN DISEASE It If These Statistics Are Reliable.

(Copyright, 1961, by Press Publishing Co.) BERLIN, Feb. 16 .- (New York World CARACAS. Venezuela, Feb. 16.-(Via Cablegram-Special Telegram.)-Prof. Meller of Kiel university, renowned expert in mental diseases, made autopsies on 200 suicides in five years and states that he supper and dance. Mr. White, the United vice consul of the United States at Kehl, found the brains of 43 per cent showed distinct malformation, 29 per cent of the that the consul there. Alexander Wood, has remainder were suffering at the time of become insane. He has been taken to the their death from acute febrile inflammation Mr. White will give a reception to the asylum at Strasburg, where the physicians and 143 of the aggregate had organs diseased by alcoholism.