## CURRENT COMMENT. THE Indian lands in Northern Min

ota are reported almost denuded of THE lower house of the North Dakota Legislature voted to indefinitely postpone the bill for the resubmission pro-hibitory law.

THE lower house of the Indiana Legislature has passed a bill making it a
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a building for that purpose. THE Highland Improvement Company

a Sioux Indian woman. THE railroad men of Illinois have formed an association to combat what is known as granger legislation, which threatens to reduce their wages by reducing railroad earnings.

REPORTERS of the New York Herald twent;-seven State Legislatures how they stood as between Cleveland and Hill for 1892. The poll resulted: Cleveland, 1,515; Hill, 199; scattering, 276. The New York Legislature stood: Cieveland, 2; Hill, 31; doubtful, 47.

ROBERT BONNER says that Mand S break the world's record of 2:08%. It is claimed by Marvin, her driver, that she can trot a mile in 2:04 and a quarter of a mile in 29 seconds-a 1:56 gait.

THE Alabama Senate has passed the House bill to redistrict the State into nine Congressional districts, the number to which the new apportionment, based on the late census, entitles the State. The Legislature has divided up the black districts by attaching black counties to white counties, so that a solid Democratic delegation is assured.

THE story telegraphed from Cleveland. O., that Stanley, the African explorer, purposed to give up all the presents he had received from crowned heads and others, consisting of diamonds, etc., to know any thing about it and denied the story in all its details.

THE Colorado Supreme Court has ren dered a decision for T. C. Henry against the Travelers' Insurance Company. The Del Norte and Citizens' canals and 80,-000 acres of land under them are involved in the decision and the title to these valuable properties now stands where it did in 1885, when the litigation first commenced. The present value of these properties is over \$1,750,000. The effect of the decision will be to put them again in the hands of the old com-

GOVERNOR BYRD is organizing the militia to eject intruders from the Chickasaw Nation. The Government will furnish troops to assist. There are 60,000 noncitizens there, of which it is estimated there are at least 10,000 intruders. This order, if carried into effect, will work hardship, as the majority are dependent on this year's crop for a living. The fault is with the landlords, as the Chickasaw law requires that they secure permits for each renter, which they have neglected to do.

Ix the British House of Commons Mr. Henry Matthews, Secretary of State for the Home Department, replying to questions as to the legality of the baccarat games played at Mr. Arthur Wilson's house at the time of the Doncaster race meeting last autumn, where the scandal which disgraced Mr. Gordon Cummings occurred, and which involved the Prince of Wales incidentally, said that he had been informed that the playing referred to was not a contravention of the laws against gambling.

GOVERNOR FIFER, of Illinois, has received a communication from the Secretary of the Interior exposing the operations of the Cherokee Land Company, of Paris, Ill., which offers to locate claims in the Cherokee Outlet. Secretary Noble says: "This land comcountry into a snare and all the money it may obtain will be by false pretenses. The lands are not yet open nor when they are will the company be any more able to perform the acts it pretends it can."

THE crowded street traffic of London in spite of excellent police management, has become so dangerous to life and limb as to evoke the attention of the House of Commons. According to official returns over 5,000 persons were run over and 250 killed in 1990. The work of widening Ludgate hill and Fleet street to St. Paul's which has been in progress for twenty-six years and which has already cost £241,000, shows signs of completion. The last notices have been served on tenants of houses that are to be demolished.

THE Standard Oil Company has filed an answer to the petition of the Attor ney-General of Ohio in the State Supreme Court to oust the company from its charter. They set forth the company did not enter the trust in an incorporated capacity but that many individuals of the same were interested in the companies and it was their interests which were consolidated and be
MESSES. FLIET & Co., of New York, by the late storm. The next day she tee the Indians do not have a good title have received the following cablegram from Chili: "Pizagua bombarded and be
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Stockbridge introduced a bill to sythe had been severely censured by Ing Harris Theater, St. Paul, Minn., incorporate the National Guarantee General Miles. Loan and Development Company of the United States. The company has for its object the amelion pied farming and mineral lands by furnishing the necessary means to cultiment of natural resources that may conduce to national wealth, the establishment of industries on the co-operacolleges, hospitals, asylums, etc.

An important feature of the programme for the future treatment of the Indian question is the scheme now being prepared by the War Department for the calistment of a number of young bucks for service in the ranks of famous forgery of the "Morey Chinese"

Ar an exciting session of the Italian at Honolulu to give a joyous reception to King Kalakana when the United Status flagship Charleston hoved in sight, bearing the monarch's dead body. The anticipated joy was changed into famous forgery of the "Morey Chinese" separate regiment composed entirely of Indians will not be organized, as at first proposed by some army officers, for the reason that it is not regarded as par feetly safe to bring such a large body of uncivilized people together. Separate regiment composed entirely of the Adminat David D. Porter suctions at Washington on the 18th. He was in his 78th ting and released on bond, has left, it is year and was born in Pennsylvania. In the contrast on the copyright bill in comment buildings were hoisted at half the infahiry and cavalry regiments erving in the West.

NEWS OF THE

In the Senate on the Ah Mr. Carifsle a resolution, which was agreed to, calling on the President for copies of the gorrespond-ence with Brazil in regard to the importation of certain products. Unfaished business was taken up, which was Mr. Binigamotion to reconsider the vote recommitting the bill to adjust the accounts of laborers to the eight-hour law. The motion to reconsider was disagreed to and the Senate proceeded to consider the copyright bill until recess. No quorum appearing at the constant of recess. No quorum appearing at the evening ression the Senate adjourned.... A stormy lebate occurred in the House on the order

rurned.
THE fenate passed a number of bills of a private or local nature on the 10th and then has begun suit for a quarter section of land in Duluth, Minn., under title alleged to have come from Sophia Lange, The House passed a bill increasing the pen-alon of the widow of General Custer to \$160 per month. The army and pension appro-priation bills were sent to conference. The House then considered the Legislative ap-

propriation bill in Committee of the Whole, and during the debate Mr. Dalzell (Pa.) severely criticised the action of the Secretary of the Navy in reprimanding Commander Beiter for his action in the Barrundia killing and the denial of a court of inquiry to Reiter. | Rock and John Christianson. have asked the Democratic members of Without completing the bill the House ad-

THE Senate on the 11th adopted severa resolutions calling on heads of departments for information, and after passing one or two local bills resumed consideration of the naval appropriation bill which was finally passed. The copyright bill was then taken up, but laid aside informally. The joint at Chicag resolution continuing the laws of Nebraska blowing over Oklahoma until July, 1991, passed, also dynamite. will be bred the coming season for the a number of local bills and the Senate ad first time. She will never be driven journed .... The House passed the Senate bil against her record again. Sunol will to establish a record and pension office in the War Department and then went into be given three trials next summer to Committee of the Whole on the legislative appropriation bill. Adjourned. AFTER routine business the Senate on th

12th resumed consideration of the copyright bill, but as Senator Sherman was abssent, and temporarily laid aside and the District of Columbia bill was discussed and passed up-on third reading. Many bills of a local charneter and several pension bills passed ... Soon after the House met it went into Committee of the Whole on the legislative appropriation bill. During the debate Mr. Cleveland's anti-free coinage letter was sent up to the clerk's desk by Mr. Grosvenor (O.) and read, and the Pension-office was again under fire. Adjourned-without completing the bill. THE consular and diplomatic appropriation bill was reported to the Senate on the 13th and placed on the calendar. The copy right bill then came up for further consid

eration, the pending question being Senator Sherman's amendment, which will admit to this country foreign editions of books copyrighted upon the payment of regular tariff duties. The amendment, after a lengthy General Booth for the Salvation Army discussion, was adopted by 25 to 24. A mesis a piece of fiction. At Akron, where sage from the President announcing the death of Admiral Porter was received and the Senate adjourned....Soon after assembling the House went into Committee of the Whole on the legislative appropriation bill, the civil service clause being under consideration. The bill, after a long debate finally passed. The death of Admiral Porter was announced and the House adjourned.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL. THE Pope thinks the formation of a Catholic party in France is an "iridescent dream.

THE returns from Spanish provinces continue to show gains for the Government. This is the cause of much congratulation, for it was the first trial of universal suffrage. COLONEL RICHARD F. BEIRNE, for a

long time sole owner and editor of the State, of Richmond, Va., died on the 9th. He was about 38 years old. THE condition of General Sherman was quite serious on the morning of the

11th. Erysipelas had set in. MR. COWLESON, of Kingfisher, Ok., who has returned from a visit to Washington, reports that he heard directly from President Harrison that the Cherokee Outlet would be thrown open for settlement in the spring.

THE Czarewitch was in Madras, India, recently, where he was received in state by the new Governor-General. The Russian Prince ordered coins to be scattered liberally among the immense him. In the rush to get the money sev-

eral persons were injured. THE Farmers' Alliance and organized labor association are said to have men in the Indiana Legislature putting down the names of members who vote for or against measures in which agricultural and labor elements are interested, the

purpose being to influence votes by this Puncto sentiment in Italy is not en thusiastically in favor of the new Ministry, but it will be given a trial quietly

KING LEOPOLD, of Belgium, has promised to support the demand of the workmen for universal suffrage. WILLIAM MARCUS MORTON, ex-Chief

Justice of the Massachusetts Supreme Court, died in Andover after a lingering illness. He was 72 years old. MR. GOSCHEN, Chancellor of the Exchequer, stated in the British Parlia-

ment that the Government contemplated taking no steps whatever in retaliation for the McKinley tariff bill. THE Republicans on the seventy seventh ballot of the Illinois joint as sembly, dropped Oglesby for Lindley.

No result. Ex-PREMIER CRISPL of Italy, will practice law again. THE negotiations between Parnell and his opponents for a reconciliation have broken down. Parnell declares he will not submit to the dictation of

Mr. Gladstone and the priests. EX-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND, in a letter. takes a positive stand against the free coinage of silver.

REPRESENTATIVE STRUBLE, from the Committee on Territories, has reported arrested at St. Paul, Minn., charged favorably the bill to open the Cherokee Outlet to settlement and to extinguish | Washington, Ill, escaped from a Norththe title of the Indians to the land. A western train running at a speed of a farmer living north of Rushville,

Augustine, Fla., on the night of the paraiso." not hold good they claim as a second to settle the public of the entire system. B. Campbell, at defense that the State is debarred by rumors were soon affoat. Gould tele-

Ex-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S letter anly among Western politicians.
Miss KATE DREXEL has taken her

final vows as a nun. Her \$7,000,000 spiracy to overthrow the Government goes to endow an order of sisters to and establish a republic. PRESIDENT NORTON, of the Louisville members of Parliament and influential A Nashville railroad, has resigned.

THE House Committee on Judiciary in London, to consider the trading relations between the colonies and the colonies and the motherland, a committee was appointed Western district of Louisians, for mal- to organize a free trade associati

army. It is proposed to enlist about letter during the Garfield campaign, ing the most violent manifestations of died recently in New Hampshire.

Annual David D. Porter suctions J. Grason, secretary of the cumbed to his long sickness at Wash-whisky trust, accused of diabolical plot-

The condition of the health of Gen-eral Sherman was much improved on San Enloying at the descend and of-journment tollared. Durings was

A pursue has been issued under the authority of the King of Italy forbidding any one to emigrate under the ago of 34 unless accompanied by the father of the emigrant. This is intended to put an public the padrone traffic in children in the children of the Christian Church

to the street and burned. Victor MACE, a well known private banker of Paris, has disappeared. His creditors mourn to the amount of 20,-

000,000 francs. THE coke strikers in the Connelleville egion had increased to 16,000 on the

THE United States cruiser Baltimore paspailed from Toulon for Chill. Tax British steamer Thanemore, given up for lost. She had a crew of 34

As the time set by law for the Pottawatomies to take their lands in seven alty has expired the agent at Shawneetown is engaged in forcibly alloting the few who were backward. THERE was a terrific explosion of gas in an Indianapolis sewer the other af-

THE First National and the North Middlesex Banks, of Ayer, Mass., have Coulter, Day, Dysart, Hill, Michiner, Poynsuspended. Cashier Spaulding has dis-appeared. Cashier Spaulding has dis-ner, Williams. Nays—Brown, Christofferson, George J. Gibson, secretary of the

great whisky trust, has been arrested at Chicago on the diabolical charge of blowing up non-trust distilleries by FROM a reliable report it is learned

that the Russian authorities have caused a wholesale expulsion of Jews from Novgorod and its environs. It is evident that the shortage of Eldridge Pierce, the absconding secretary of the City Loan Association, of Wilhis amendment was pending, the bill was mington, Del., will amount to \$90,000 instead of \$47,951, as recently reported. It is believed the assets of the concern are now about \$60,000, against \$140,000

this time last year. THE striking Connellsville coke burners threatened to mob the non-union men at Rainey's works, and forty detectives were distributed at the several plants.

EXTENSIVE prairie fires have been raging through the western part of Hale and Swisher Counties, Tex., and thousands of acres of range have been destroyed. The fire was of incalculable damage to stockmen. THOMAS NORTHCUT, Levi Brown, Ruth

Jenners and Sidney Jenners were badly fayette, Ind. The Jenners can not recover. THE boiler in the Quebec Worsted

Company's factory at Hare Point, Que. exploded recently, completely demolishing the engine house and about half of the factory. About 50 operatives gressional delegation the desirability of were killed and wounded.

PRIVATE BLACKEN, Fifth cavalry, recently killed the second cook, Gottlieb Nonneman, at San Francisco. RIOTOUS scenes occurred at the Clark thread mills near Newark, N. J., the other evening when the non-union spinners quit work. A boy was shot through the foot by a special police-

Two of the crew of the steamer Calliope, that took fire at her dock at Newport, England were found dead in their MRS. LA FRANCE and two children

were burned to death in their home at St. Albert, Ont. A NATIVE of the Shan States, Burmah, recently ran amuck and shot Major Nixon, Lieutenant Jameson and two Sepoys dead.

EVERETT WILEY shot and killed Jan Samphon at the Bowman Lumber Company's camp near Brownstown, W. Va. Business failures (Dun's report) for the seven days ended February 12 numbered 297, compared with 306 the throng of natives who crowded to see previous week and 302 the corresponding week of last year.

TROUBLE commenced at the grading ing the work to be stopped.

THE pumping out of No. 1 slope at care of the bodies of the men when they pay, and it was thought brooding over are reached and give them prompt and it caused temporary derangement. careful burial.

other men were hurt.

convicted adulterer." CHARLES RITER, a teller of the First National bank of Evansville, Ind., is \$50,000 short in his accounts and his Sureties will pay it.
GEORGE J. W. ATRINSON, of Nash-

ville, Tenn., has assigned with assets of \$22,000 and liabilities of \$18,800. JOHN SPRIMAN, of Peoria, who was with robbing the mails at Peoria and anies the hill. It thirty miles an hour.

have sustained Colonel Forsythe for his cidedly dull during the week ended In the Senate the other day Mr. acts at the Wounded Knee fight. For February 14. Prices tended downward. ADVICES from Spain state that much tagonistic to free silver coinage pro-excitement prevails in the cities and voked much adverse criticism, especial-larger towns, and that the garrisons in Madrid and Barcelona have been increased. Rumors are affect of a con-

representatives of the British colonie

GREAT preparations were being made

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AFREE the dispettion of patitions and solutions in the Beneis on the 6th, the rela-tion of Sunstay Stringtor declaring is inst-tions to assumd the time for stay of execuon an mortgages or change existing interestable was adopted. The female then joined to House to hed the message of Governo leyd. Seen after reasonabiling the Senat djourned until 6 p. m. Tuesday.....In the least of large number of committees report Bosse a large number of committees reported, and at Ho'clock the messages Governo Boyd was received, read and M.M copies or dered printed. The House then adjourne wat Ho'clock Tucoday.

THE Senate met at a o'clock on the 18th when many bills were offered. The bill requiring railreads to construct crossings over their tracks at all public roads, to grade and their tracks at all public roads, to grade and otherwise improve the crossings was considered in Committee of the Whole and recommended for passage.... When the House met a quorum was not present but soon appeared. Many bills were then introduced. Mr. Gage, on a question of privilege, had a letter read which reflected severely upon his action in voting to recognize Governor Boyd, Bills were referred on second reading and the bill limiting the life of domestic judgments to five years passed by a vote of 6 to ments to five years passed by a vote of 6 to & Adjourned.

ate on the 11th, bills were read a second time and referred, and bills on general file were considered in Committee of the Whole. The joint resolution fixing February 17 for hear-ing the contested election case for State officers was taken up and a long debate folternoon that injured severely William lowed. The resolution was lost by a vote of 14 to 12, thus shelving for the present the Boyd contest. The final vote stood: Yeas-Collins, Eggleston, Keiper, Mattes, Moore, Schram, Shumway, Switzler, Thomas, Turner, Van Housen, Woods. Senators Kountz and Wilson, Starbuck and Horn, Beckjand Shea were paired and Senator Taylor was absent ... Committees reported on bills in the House, many being favorably recommended. Bills were introduced, and the remainder of the session bills were considered in Commit-

tee of the Whole. MANY petitions and resolutions were preented in the Senate on the 12th. Senator Coulter introduced a joint resolution that all articles of incorporation and other papers pertaining to the organization and in-corporation of banks be transferred from eoffice of the Secretary of State to that of the banking department of the Auditor of Public Accounts. After the introduction of ills and reference of others the Senate adjourned....The House passed Mr. Moan's bill in regard to the Executive Department which adds the Railroad Commissioners. Mr. Moan's bill that the Governor shall constitute a board of transportation and have power to appoint three secretaries also passed. Newberry's maximum rate bill was onsidered in Committee of the Whole the remainder of the forenoon. The afternoon was likewise given to consideration of bills In Committee of the Whole.

Irrigation Resolutions.

The irrigation convention at Lincoln adopted the following resolutions: Resolved, That this meeting recognizes the culture and the information in the report already made, and desires that it may be continued till the investigation shall show the water supply and its availability for irrigation and the cost of using it through the whole plains region.

We would urge, therefore, on our Con-

giving the commission till the 1st of Janu ary, 1892, to make their report. Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be signed by the president and secretary of this convention and sent to each of our Senators and Congressmen at Washington im-

Besolved. That the chair appoint a committee of five to arrange for an Inter-State convention to be composed of delegates from the States of Nebraska, Kansas, Wyoming, South Dakota, North Dakota, Colorado, Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico to consider questions of common interest in the matter of irrigation.
Resolved, That a committee of five be ap-

ointed to consider the best manner of bringing pressure to bear on Congress for a speedy donation of public lands in the States ying wholly or in part in the arid region to hose States to be used in promoting and building works of irrigation. Resolved. That, notwithstanding the widepread stories of destitution which have

been circulated concerning the condition of Nebraska settlers, we hereby reiterate our profound faith in the future of the State and dedicate ourselves anew to the work of de-

THE Australian ballot bill passed the

House without a dissenting vote. THE Cass County commissioners have accepted a Lincoln architect's plans for their new court house. The structure for the World's Fair at Jackson park, will be of stone, two stories and a half Chicago, on the 13th, a number of idle high, with a basement, and fire proof workmen attempting to drive off the throughout. The size will be 80x102. Italians working for a contractor, caus- The cost is estimated at \$75,000, \$5,000 less than is appropriated.

DAVID VOGEL, a German farmer fifty Jeansville, Pa., where the bodies of the | years old and with a large family, comminers are buried, is progressing rapid- mitted suicide near Seward the other ly. The counter gangway is now emp- day by hanging. The owner of the ty, and soon the slope will be dry. farm, which he rented, was pressing Preparations are being made to take him for the money, which he could not

H. M. Rogens recently attempted THE combination pulp and straw suicide at Omaha and then confessed board mill at Elkhart, Ind., exploded to being concerned in a murder in with terrific force, demolishing the Permsylvania some years ago, under large brick mills. Schuyler Neswander, the belief that he would die. Finding aged 25, was blown thirty feet and torn that he had not succeeded in killing to pieces. George Hickman was crushed himself he tried starvation and refused from his hips down and will die. Two food for six days. The doctors finally pumped milk into his stomach.

A BILL has been introduced into the Legislature by Mr. Feltin, of Nuckolls, THE Bishop of Galway in a letter pro- which provides that one storekeeper tests against Mr. Parnell's visit to that | shall be appointed by the Board of Pubcity as a "grave scandal, a political lie Lands and Buildings, with an office blunder and a social diagrace." The at Lincoln, at a salary of \$2,500 a year, Bishop calls Mr. Parnell a "publicly- who shall purchase all supplies, except perishable articles, for the various charitable institutions of the State.

THE body of William Liscount, who was lost in the late blizzard near Chadrop, was found the other evening about fifty feet from his house, where he doubtless sank exhausted almost at the door of his home. The body was buried in a snow drift and the spot was passed repeatedly by the searchers, and was only discovered by the merest chance. THE young wife of Milton Cummins,

THE Board of Education of Nebraska graphed to his son at New York that he was all right.

THE President and Secretary Proctor

THE London Stock Exchange was deaccepted, but Sublette refused to be fired, and when he was bounced by the officers upon a warrant, he threatened to see for damages and the year's salary. Kansas City and Butte. Two boys, 14 years old, got caught in the blissard while hunting near Kear-

ney and were found next day frozen to death. A FREIGHT train was derailed in the Union Pacific yards at Omaha the other day and Engineer Jensen instantly

Elkhorn road, recently fell from a freight train while pulling a coupling pin to make a flying switch at Plainview and had both legs cut off above the knee. The doctors amputated both limbs, but the patient failed to rally and died the next day. THE ten-rear-old daughter of George Sallé, express agent at Bestrice, was badly bitten by a vicious dog the other

es to drought sufferers free. It is stated that the contest inst

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tion was such as to preclude hope of resovery. The swelling of the face and neck had subsided and crysipelas was son was found a number of articles under control. The danger was of an which are said to be positive evidence the long standing asthma.



the General would live not later than 9 o'clock. At 8:25 the sick man was conscious and without pain, but his asthmatic breathing was short and his strength failing. At 1:50 o'clock General Sherman

breathed his last. General Sherman contracted a severe cold Wednesday night when he visited the Casino with several army officers. Erysipelas followed, which defled all medical skill.

BIOGRAPHICAL William Tecumseh Sherman was born at Lancaster, O., February 8, 1923. He gradu-ated from the West Point Military Academy in 1840 and served in the Florida war in 1840-42. He was at various military posts in the South until 1847, when he went to California, where he was Acting Assistant Adjutant-General until 1850. He was on commissary duty in St. Louis in 187-52 and was stationed at New Orleans until September 6, 1833, when he resigned. From 1863 to 18 7 he was a banker in San Francisco and New York, and | Detective Dan Coughlin, of the city po-Kan. He was superintendent of the Louisi- it was while at work on it that he made ana Military Academy at Alexandria from 1850 o January 1, 1861, when he went to St. Louis. On May 14, 1861, he was reappointed in the regular army with the rank of Colonel, and terward tried for complicity in the asthree days later was made Brigadier-General of volunteers. He commanded a brigade in the first battle of Bull Run, on July 21, 1861. October of that year he was appointed to the command of the department of the Cumberand, but afterward took charge of a camp of instruction at 8t. Louis, where he remained until February, 1962, when he was given command of the district of North-Paducah, Ky. He commanded a division in the Tennessee and Mississippi campaign. Was in the battles of Fort Henry, Donelson and Shiloh. On April 7 he was wounded in the latter battle. He was in the advance upon and siege of Corinth, April 15 to May 30, and was made Major General of volunteers May 1. He commanded a hastily organized expedition which attempt to capture Vicksburg Decemi 27-29 In 1861, in command of the Fifteenth army corps, he led the expedition which carried Arkansas Post by assault Jan ary II, and until July 3 was actively engaged n the siege of Vicksburg. He was made Brigadier-General in the r gular army, his commission dating from July 4, and during the summer and autumn was engaged n various operations in Mississippi and Tennessee. He commanded the left wing of the army at Chattanooga, November 23 to 21, and at the beginning of December compelled

General Longstreet to raise the siege of Knoxville. In February, 1864, with 20,001 men, he marched to Meridian. Miss., and broke up the railroads centering there. Having organized at Chattanooga an army of 100,000 men he invaded Georgia, engaging the Confederate forces under General Johnston, whom he forced to evacuate Dalton day 12, at Resaca May 15, Cassville May 19, Dallas May 25 to 28, and afterwards almost laily, until the protracted operations about the Kenesaw mountains, near Marietta June 20 to July 2, which involved a severe repulse June 27 He occupied Marietta July 3, and after several other engagements repeatedly defeated General Hood, Johnston's successor, in command before Atlanta, the severest battle being fought on July 22, and

egan the siege of that city. On August 12 he was made Major-General in the regular The battle of Jonesburg was fought August On the night of September I Atlanta was evacuated by General Hood, and General Sherman occupied the city until the middle of November, when he began his famous march to the sea. He reached Savannah December 31, stormed and captured Fort McAlister, and on the 21st received the surrender of that city. With Savannah as his base, he narched into the Carolinas, and occupie Columbia, S. C., February 17. He captured Cheraw on March 3, and Fayetteville on 12th. On the 16th he fought the battle of Averysboro, and on the 19th, 20th and 21st that of Bentonville, and on the 23d entered Goldsboro. On April 13 he occupied Raleigh, an on the 26th the Confederat; army, under General J. E. Johnston, surrendered at Durham station, N. C., upon terms which were

rejected by the Government.
Sherman's advance to Richmond and Washington from April 28 to May 24, 1865, ended his Southern marches of more than 2,000 miles. On June 27 he was appointed the command of the military division of the Mississippi, comprising the departments of Ohio, Missouri and Arkansas, with headpuarters at 84 Louis. On July 25, 1966, he ucceeded General Grant as Lieutenant-General and on August 11 took command of the division of the Missouri. In November and December he was employed on a special nission in Mexico. He was made General or the vacation of that grade by President Grant. March 4, 1979.

At his own request, and in order to make Sheridan General-in-Chief, he was placed on

the retired list, with full pay, on February 8, Union Pacific Changes OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 15.-A circular ney, and will have general supervision present general freight agent of the agent with headquarters at Portland, Ore. F. B. Whitney, present general agent, becomes first assistant. Assist-

Adverse Action. WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.-The House pense fully aware of the amount to which they would be legally entitled. The amount involved in the bills was over \$100,000.

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PARM, Feb. 18.—The com Sense of the export trade has entered a protection. The committee demands to recumption of the commercial tree ties, which, the committee claims, ren dered France prosperous for thirty years.

to that much excitement prevails in ore increased. Rumors are affect of a A TERRIBLE CHARGE.

The Secretary of the Great Whisty Trust Charged With Complexey to Pet Down Competion By House of Dynamite.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.-George J. Gibson. secretary of the great whichy trust, was arrested at the Grand Pacific Hotel yesterday morning on a charge of comspiring to blow up all the distilleries in the country not belonging to the trust. Mr. Gibson lives at Peoria and it is NEW YORK, Feb. 15.-At 1:00 o'clock | sold that he came here for the express resterday General Sherman's . condi- purpose of wrecking the Shufeldt dis-

other kind—the development of lung of his connection with the conspiracy. trouble complicated with a return of Gibson was taken to the United States marshal's office in the Govern-At 5:45 o'clock all the members of the ment building, and at a preliminary family were summoned to the General's | hearing before United States Commisbedside, as the end was thought to be sioner Hoyne in the afternoon waived near. At 7:10 o'clock it was said that examination and was held to the Federal grand jury on \$20,000 bail.

The conspiracy was worked through Revenue Inspector T. Dewar, who was told guardedly some months ago that the Shufeldt distillery was in the way of the trust, and that there was "big money for the man who succeeded in getting the concern out of the way."

tract for the diabolical business.

up the Schufeldt distillery. All arrangements had been completed for the work when the Government officials prevented the consummation of the conspiracy.

repeated in other points."

The Shufeldt distillery was the most important outside of the combination, and it was against this that the plot was arranged. Two previous attempts, which were attributed to the whisky trust, but not proved, were made to de stroy Shufeldt's with dynamite. One of them occurred two years ago last fall. the acquaintance of the little German, John P. Kunze. Both of them were afsassination of Dr. Cronin. Coughlin is serving a life sentence for the crime, but Kunze was acquitted.

## THE CHEROKEE STRIP.

Settlement Before Many Weeks. of some measure of this kind.

paid 47% cents an acre for 6,500,000

from ex-President Cleveland: ceived your note inviting me to attend tobusiness men of our city to the free colnage request, but I am glad that the business interests of New York are at last to be heard on the subject. It surely can not be nevessary for me to make a formal expression of the gravest perils would be initiated by the adoption of the scheme embraced in the we have developed an unexpected capacity for the amimilation of a largely increased crease, these conditions fall far short of in-

Patal Freight Wreck. gines and ten cars of the freight train regard to it, nor do I care to review the Pacific division, will be general freight liam Bush and Keefer, of the Northwestern section, were killed. Conduc-tor John Broderick and Fireman John did I would do again under the case Conley, of the Wabash, were seriously official notice of the action taken, from hurt, and Engineer Hoeffle and Brake-the fact that Colonel Forsythe is not man B. Hill, of the Wabash, slightly

injured Reception to Governor Winana. DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 12.-The levee Committee on Claims has taken adverse and military reception given in honor of action on a number of bills pending before it to pay to the contestees and con- win P. Winans, by the Detroit light State, eloped on Thursday with Orlando fore it to pay to the contestees and contestants in election cases in this Congress the amount in excess of the \$2,000 allowed by the law which they expended in securing evidence. The committee bases its action on the general ground that the claimants were at the time they incurred the extra expense of the contestees and congress to pay the Detroit light guard, was very largely attended by delegations from all over the State as with her several hundred dollars become its action on the general ground that the claimants were at the occasion. At the close of the reception of the reception of the contestees and congress the amount in excess of the several hundred dollars become all over the State as with her several hundred dollars become its action on the general ground that the claimants were at the occasion. At the close of the reception of the law which they people. The presence of General Neisonal Reight her several hundred dollars become its action on the general ground that the claimants were at the occasion. At the close of the reception of the law which they people. The presence of General Neisonal Reight her several hundred dollars with her several hundred dollars with her several hundred dollars with her several into New York and House the law with her several hundred dollars with her several

Pages Feb. 12.—T'e real name of the banker known as Victor Mass, whose about 6,000 pricets, and the Pope recently sent to him the Papal benediction and a photograph of his Holiness bearing his satograph. This had the effect of increasing the banker's credit among the clergy. The money deposited with Berneau amounted to 2000,000 famuel Morey, who came into prom-

renders to Death.

that Sudden-Mis Long Cores in the Navy Briefly

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—Admiral David D. Porter died yesterday morning. His death resulted from fatty degenration of the heart, which relentle disease fixed its fatal clutch upon him at Newport R I., last summer, whom, contrary to the advice of his physic se overtaxed his strength by taking violent exercise, and was stricken down ng congestion of the lungs and dropey.

at It o'clock Tuesday night his condition

everal weeks past, and there were no

ndications that medical services would

be needed before the time for the doc-

tor's regular visit in the morning, about

9 o'clock. The nature of the Admiral's

disease made it extremely dangerous

for him to lie on his back, so that he

vas accustomed to rest sitting upon a

upported by pillows Nourishment

and took his nourishment as usual.

his son, Lieutenant Theodoric Porter,

U. S. N., and his son-in-law, Lieutenant

His other son, Captain C. P. Porter

ing group which had gathered in the

David Dixon Porter was born in Chester,

the West Indies, where piracy prevailed. In

American "middy," serving frot in the

to the naval observatory in Washington in

18:5 and in 1846 was intrusted with a secret

in the Mexican war, first as Lieutenant,

command of the Powhattan and in April,

1961, was in charge of the mortar feet of

and Fort St. Philip below New Orleans

and they surrendered to him in 1962. He as-

sisted Farragut in all the operations between

Vicksburg and New Orleans. While the Con-

federates at Vickeburg were making efforts

to repair the Indianois, which they had capt-

red, Commander Porter fitted an old scow

to look like one of his turtle gunboats, with

two cances for quarter-bosts, a smokestark

of pork barrels and mud furnace in which a

fire was built. This craft was called the

Turreted Monster and was set adrift with no

monitor drifted for an hour before the enemy

In 1942 Forter, as Rear Admiral, tool

charge of the Mississippi squadros, impro-

vised the Mound City navy yard, increased

his squadron to 125 vessels and co-operated

with Sherman in the capture of Arbanese

Post in 18th Congress thanked him for his

services at Vicasburg and he was commis-

sioned Rear Admiral in July, 1962. The same

year he ran the batteries at Vicksburg, captured the Confederate forts at Grand Gulf and

later assisted in the capture of Vicksburg

to the North Atlantic squadron and in 194

captured the forte at the mouth of the Cape

Fear river, including Fort Flaher. For this

Deceased came from a long line of navy of-

The Feresthe Reinstatement. CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—General Miles.

to say in regard to Colonel Foraythe's

POCCHURESPAIR, N. Y., Fob 14-Mrs.

Seers, five generations of ancestors have

preceded him in the service.

Serritt's department."

discovered the trick.

mission to Haytt. He was actively engaged

afterwards fell into a light

out warning. When Dr. Wales left him

Solicitor Hart, of the internal revenue bureau of the United States Treasury Department, who has arrived in this city from Washington to take charge of the case, has in his possession the dynamite machine with which the destruction of the Shufeldt distillery was to be effected, and papers closing the con-

The specific change against Gibson is that he tried to bribe Dewar to blow

Inspector Stuart, of the Post-office Department, one of the officials who made the arrest, said: "I am not at liberty to give the facts in the case, but there is nothing that human mind can conceive more diabolical and horrible than the intentions of the conspirators. It was nipped just in time, too, for the first blow was to have been struck here in Chicago. Then it would have been

Evident Signs That It Will Be Open For WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.-The House Committee on Territories has agreed upon a report concerning the Cherokee Strip. It will recommend the passage L. C. Logan, U. S. N., his nurse, James of a substitute for the Mansur bill pro- McDonald, and his faithful man serviding that the Strip be opened to set- vant, William Wilkes. tlement. The Mansur bill proposed that the Indians should be paid \$1.25 an U. S. M. C., and Major D. E. Porter, acre, the money to be paid as the en- formerly of the army, and his youngest tries were made, but the substitute daughter, Mrs. Charles Campbell, aragreed upon provides that a commission rived soon after and joined the sorrowshall settle with the Indians for the price of their lands after the Strip has chamber of the afflicted widow. been restored to public domain. This is pretty near the same bill reported on January 23 by the House Committee on his falser, David Porter, a naval officer, to Indian Affairs as a substitute for the Perkins bill. The committee does not 1827 he was appointed a midshipman in the entertain much hope that the bill will Mexican navy, and in 1879 became an pass the Senate, but it is pretty certain Mediterranean. He subsequently served that an effort will be made to get it on the coast survey, and in 1841 was apthrough the House. The report is pointed a Lieutenant, He was transferred signed by all the members of the Territorial Committee except Barnes, of Georgia, and Baker, of New York, and there is undoubtedly a strong senti- afterwards as commander of the spittire. ment in the House favoring the passage At the beginning of the civil war he took

It is proposed to open the Cherokee twenty one schooners and five steamers that Strip and settle with the Indians after- joined Farragut's fleet in 1802. He took ward, the Government having already part in the bombarding of Fort Jackson

AGAINST FREE SILVER. NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Between 600 and 700 people attended the mass meeting called at Cooper Union last night by the Reform Club to oppose the silver bill. E. Ellery Anderson presided and from the Confederates falled to stop her and among letters of regret that were read the authorities at Vicksburg hastily dewas this, under date of February 10, etroyed the Indianois, while the supposed

My Dear Sir: I have this afternoon remorrow evening a meeting called for the purpose of voicing the opposition of the of sliver in the United States. I shall not be able to attend and address the meeting as you my agreement with those who believe that He remained in the Mississippi until 144, and in October of that year was transferred measure now pending in Congress for an unlimited coinage of silver at our mints. If he was again thanked by Congress.

He was promoted to Vice-Admiral in 1825 and served as superintendent of the Naval Academy until 186s, when he was detailed for duty in the Navy Department at Washington. In 1879 he was appointed Admiral of volume of the currency, and even if we have demonstrated the usefulness of such an insoring us against disaster, if in the present situation we enter upon the dangerous and reckless experiment of free, unlimited and the navy.

ndependent silver coinage. GROVER CLEVELAND.

day a collision occurred at Inglesdye. seven and a half miles northwest of St. to say in regard to Colonel Forsythe's Louis, between a Wabash engine and reinstatement, said: "I know nothing caboose and a St. Louis, Keokuk & Northwestern freight train. Both en I do not care to make any statement in were badly wrecked. Brakemen Wil- case. I made a careful study of the

monthly. The banker kept no books and made no record beyond the simple entry of deposits made. He gambied

ADMIRAL PORTER DEAD.

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Lauzon, Levis, Quebec, writes: "I have used August Flower with the best possible results for Dyspepsia." C. A. Barrington, Engineer and

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