

General Linevitch, who is said to have reported to St. Petersburg that owing to the destruction of the Rus-



sian fleet his troops practically are in revolt, has been in command of the forces in Manchurin since March 15 last, when he succeeded Kuropatkin. General Linevitch was born in 1838, and first saw military service in the

GEN. LINEVITCH. Caucasas from 1859 to 1864. Next he fought in the Turkish war, and was made a colonel in 1885 while battling with the Turkomans in North Persia. In 1895 he was first sent to Manchuria, and in the Boxer outbreak in China in 1900 he participated in the march to Peking. When the war with Japan opened Linevitch was in command of the First Siberian Army Corps. Twice he has received the Cross of St. George for marked personal valor.

Henry Clay Frick, chairman of the committee that made the report scoring the lax business methods of offi-

cers of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, is well known as a manufacturer and capitalist. He controls the H. C. Frick Coke Company, the largest coke producing concern in the

world; is chairman HENRY C. FRICK. of the board of directors of the Carnegie Steel Company, and in various financial enterprises takes a leading part. Mr. Frick was born at West Overton, Pa., Dec. 19, 1849. He began life as a clerk, but after a few years embarked in the coke business. During the strike at Homestead, Pa., in 1892, he was shot by a striker.

George Von Lengerke Meyer, United States Ambassador to Russia, who conducted the correspondence between President Roose-



velt and the Czar. with the object of effecting arrangements by which Russia and Japan might be brought within reach of peace negotiations. is a distinguished and wealthy citizen of Massachusetts.

He was appointed ambassador to Italy in 1500 and a short time ago was transferred to the Russian capital. Ambassador Meyer is 47 years old, and was graduated from Harvard University in 1879. He has been a member of the Boston Common Council and of the Boston Board of Aldermen, and also has served in the State Legislature, having been Speaker of the House three terms. He is a director in various corporations.

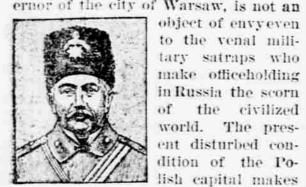
John F. Stevens, chosen to be railway expert of the Philippine Commission, has attained an enviable repatation as a civil en-

gineer and in railway operation. His engineering service of note was in connection with the City of Minneapolis. Later he located the Sabine Pass and Northwestern, served in the engineering departments of the



JOHN F. STEVENS. Denver and Rio Grande, St. Paul, Canadian Pacific, Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic, and Spokane Falls and Northern. In 1889 he became chief engineer for the Great Northern and served in that capacity until he accepted the position of second Vice President of the Rock Island System in charge of operation.

Lieutenant General Constantine Maximovitch, recently appointed governor of the city of Warsaw, is not an



to the venal military satraps who make officeholding in Russia the scorn of the civilized world. The present disturbed condition of the Polish capital makes

MAXIMOVITCH. the incumbency of one of the oppressor's hated officials a task involving many difficulties and not a few positive dangers. The new executive is reputed to be a genial and fair minded man, and he is making a great effort to conciliate the discontented and unruly industrial masses.

Maurice Maeterlinck, after witnessing a performance of "King Lear" recently said: "It is safe to declare, after surveying the literature of every period and of every country, that the tragedy of the old king constitutes the mightiest, the vastest, the most striking, the most intense dramatic poem that has ever been written."

John Kendrick Bangs, recently editor of Puck, is preparing an adaptation of "The Taming of the Shrew" for comic

opera .purposes.

DROWN IN AUTO.

Three Persons Plunge with Machine to Southern States, However, Need Rain, Death in Chicago River.

Three members of a touring party, one woman and two men, were drowned, and two other persons had narrow escapes from death when a large touring car plunged through an open draw into the heavy rains, while the Southern States Chicago River at the Rush street bridge at 8 o'clock Saturday evening.

William H. Hoops, who was acting as chauffeur when the accident occurred, the weather was favorable for the cultisays he tried to pass another automobile vation of crops. There was ample which he had been trailing and this was the cause of the spectacular accident.' Hoops declared there were no signal lights to warn him that the bridge was districts and especially in New England, open, and that if there were he could not see them in the heavy fog.

Pedestrians saw three machines running side by side up the incline to the bridge. When they were within twenty yards of the opening the machine occupied by Hoops and his friends shot owing largely to unfavorable effects of City transportation lines controlled by ahead. An agonized cry was heard by low temperature and excessive moisture, the Metropolitan Street Railway Comthose in the other carriages as Hoops but in the States of the lower Ohio. up- pany, was elected chairman of the board | The oldest, perhaps, in this world; and saw and realized his peril.

around. The rubber-tired wheels slipped on the wet pavement and the vehicle slid sideways into the open draw. The moment those in the car realized their danger all stood up in the machine. The women screamed and the men clung to the sides of the vehicle as it plunged into space. So fast was the car going that It shot some distance out over the water, turned suddenly, throwing out all the occupants, and then dived into the water.

Immediately every possible effort was made by those who had witnessed the accident to offer assistance to those struggling in the water. The fireboat Illinois and several patrol wagons were hurried to the bridge. Those on the street could still see the victims struggling in the water and occasionally heard their cries for assistance.

As this was the second accident of the same kind to occur at the Rush street bridge, the authorities at once took steps to prevent further disaster. Acting Mayor Patterson ordered the police to require automobile drivers to come to a dead stop when approaching bridges in the future. The police were warned to see that the order is obeyed to the letter.

BANKER GOES TO PRISON.

Frank G. Bigelow Sentenced for Ten-

Year Term. Frank G. Bigelow, Milwaukee's mil-United States Deputy Marshal Johnson, though not decided improvement in the Rogers Winthrop. started for the government prison at condition of cotton in the central and None of these resignations was accept-Fort Leavenworth, Kan., Saturday night to serve a sentence of ten years imposed on him by Judge Joseph V. Quarles at Milwaukee. Bigelow after pleading guilty and asked if he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed, gloomily shook his head in the negative. belt light rains would be beneficial. The maximum sentence of ten years was then imposed.

Judge Quarles, a personal friend of Bigelow, in a voice denoting suppressed emotion, said:

is profound sorrow, that I experience it area. view of the stern duty by which I am devolved this function upon another, but on mature reflection it has seemed that a public officer ought not to shrink from the discharge of any plain duty because of personal consideration. The suggestions of sympathy that so naturally arise. based upon personal friendship, must be silenced by the just requirements of the

"By reason of the great prominence of the defendant and the enviable position that he held in banking circles, the evil influence of his default has been far reaching. Here is a man of high intelligence, ripe experience, enjoying the unlimited confidence of the people of this city, occupying high social station, who appears deliberately to have been systematically false to his trust and guilty of repeated violations of the law. In such a case the court can see no palliating circumstance.

"It is concluded and adjudged on the plea of the defendant that the said defendant is guilty as charged in the counts of the indictment, and the sentence of the law is that for each of the counts in the indictment he be imprisoned in the United States penitentiary at Fort Leav worth a period of ten years."



It remains to be seen whether the automobile will ever become as obscure as the bicycle and the roller skate.-Washington Star.

It might be asked if Dr. Washington Gladden's home congregation isn't beginning to weary a little of the Rockefeller text.-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Those unfeeling suggestions that Chicago change its motto from "I Will" to "I Dassn't!" are among the things that hurt the worst .- Chicago Tribune.

Rojestvensky's orders were "to restore Russian supremacy on the seas." Rus-

a vodka vision .- Atlanta Constitution. The assassin of Grand Duke Sergius is to be merely hanged, like any common murderer. He is not to be boiled in pitch, impaled on a stake or otherwise treated as some might imagine would be done in Russia .- Montgomery Adver-

Chicago is having the strike of her life, and the strike is forcing a fight to a finish between employer and employe. It is not a question of wages, but a question of who shall control. Now is as good a time as could be found to fight it

out.-Birmingham Ledger. They are still discussing a sea-level canal at the Isthmus. Pardon our pessimism, but who expects anything to be done on the level in these degenerate

days?-Puck. The Kaiser is the only man in the world audacious enough to pull off a yacht race without either Sir Thomas Lipton or Sir Thomas Lawson.-Rich-

mond Times-Dispatch. It seems hardly necessary that all this discussion should have taken place for the mere purpose of proving that a life insurance company belongs to its policy holders Syracuse Post-Standard.

FINE WEATHER HELPS CROPS.

While North Has Plenty. The weather bureau's weekly summary

of crop conditions is as follows: The lake region and a part of the upper Mississippi Valley have suffered from and the southern portion of the central valleys are beginning to experience the effects of drouth. As a whole, however, warmth throughout the central and southern portions of the country, but insufficient heat in the extreme northern Minnesota and the Dakotas. Throughout the Rocky Mountain and Pacific coast districts the weather was generally fa-

vorable.

In the lake region and upper Ohio valley the condition of corn is not promising, per Mississippi and Missouri valleys the of directors of the Equitable Life. He Hoops, the police say, had no time to crop has made good progress and, as a will not assume the duties of president attempt to check the speed of the car rule, has shown decided improvement. of the transportation system controlled although, according to his own story, he In portions of the central and west gulf by the Metropolitan, but will devote all made frantic efforts to swerve the car | States corn would be benefited by rains. of his energies and time to the manage-In the middle Atlantic States cutworms | ment of the Equitable. are proving destructive.

north as the central portions of Kansas | head of the Metropolitan street railway and Missouri and southern Illinois, and is system, who is planning to build subin full progress in the more southerly ways in opposition to those of the Intersections, where the yields are generally borough company, of which August Beldisappointing. In the more northerly mont is president. portions of the principal winter wheat Mr. Hyde sold 501 shares of Equitable States the crop has generally done well, Life stock. The entire issue is 1,000 although complaints of rust and insects shares, so that Mr. continue in some sections and heavy rains | Ryan's holdings in Michigan and Wisconsin have caused | constitute an actual loding. On the Pacific coast the outlook | majority of only one continues promising, exceptionally so in share. The price Washington.

A general improvement in the condi- nitely announced, tion of spring wheat in Minnesota and but is said to be less the Dakotas is indicated, although in the than \$4,000,000. At two last named States some fields contin- the outset of the ue thin and weedy. Spring wehat is also | trouble in the Equitdoing well on the north Pacific coast, the able Mr. Hyde was outlook in Washington being the best in offered \$5,000,000

the upper lake region and from lack of headed by Henry C. Frick and Edward moisture in southern Illinois; elsewhere H. Harriman. the reports respecting this crop are gen- In addition to that of James H. Hyde yields in Texas and Oklahoma.

western districts is indicated, but in the ed. Mr. Morton took them with the un-Carolinas and Tennessee cotton has derstanding that if the report of State made slow progress, and in the first mentioned States the plants are small and Hendricks discloses the unfitness of any of unhealthy color. In portions of cen- of these officers to continue in the emtral and eastern districts of the cotton ploy of the Equitable that the resigna-

Texas prospects are improved, though of the Equitable. still poor in localities. In southern Texas the crop is in good condition and an improvement in localities is reported. "It is something more than regret, it Boll weavils are active over increased

In the lake region and New England now confronted. I gladly would have the apple outlook is more or less promising, but in the central valleys is not favorable, except in some sections.

SWEDE PRINCE MARRIES.

Ceremony at Windsor Castle Unites Members of Two Royal Houses. Princess Margaret of Connaught, niece

of King Edward and granddaughter of Queen Victoria, was married at Windsor, ble bonds took a profit of something over England, Thursday to Prince Gusta- 1.6 per cent. vus Adolphus of Sweden, son of the Swedish Crown Prince. The ceremony for 12,000 tons of ninety-pound steel was performed in St. George's Chapel, in the grounds of Windsor Castle, the Archbishop of Canterbury officiating, as-



ADOLPHUS AND HIS BRIDE.

sisted by the Bishop of Oxford and seven ing representatives of most of the royal king's coronation.

sent its congratulations to King Oscar | lines of the Mexican Central. and the bridal couple, addressing King | The interstate commerce commission Oscar as King of Sweden and Prince in the case of the St. Louis Hay and

Told to a Few Lines.

causing a loss of \$400,000.

was seriously injured by her automobile ing road, or is placed upon the team colliding with an express wagon. Mme. Calve is reported to have rup-

tured a vocal chord, and it is said she will never again be able to sing. The Peruvian government has signed the appointment of Manual Alvarez Cel-

deron as minister of Peru to Chili. Brig. Gen. George B. Davis has been reappointed judge advocate general of

the army for a term of four years. The revolution in Santiago del Estro. Argentina, has been quelled. The rebels in battle captured Gov. Santillau and

wife and put them in front of their lines. F. H. Briggs of Cleveland has invented a powder more destructive than Shimose. It can be exploded only by fire, costs 4 cents a pound to make, and may instantly killed John Charleston, W. Va.

MORTON IS CHOSEN.

James H. Hyde has sold his majority stock in the Equitable Life Assurance



tendered his resignation as vice presipany which his father founded in 1859 and which has ever since been in the absolute control of the Hyde family. By his action the management of the Equitable Life.

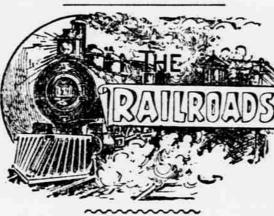
JAS. H. HYDE. Paul Morton, Secretary of the Navy, who recently accepted the presidency of all the New York

The purchaser of Mr. Hyde's stock is Winter wheat harvest has begun as far a syndicate headed by Thomas F. Ryan,

Oats have suffered from heavy rains in trol by a syndicate PAUL MORTON.

erally favorable. Harvest is general in the resignations of five other officers were the Southern States, with disappointing placed in the hands of the new chairman of the board, Paul Morton. These men The weather conditions throughout were President James W. Alexander, nearly the whole of the cotton belt have | Second Vice President Gage E. Tarbell, been favorable for the cultivation of cot- Third Vice President George P. Wilson, ton, although a considerable part of the Fourth Vice President William H. Mclionaire defaulting banker, in charge of crop continues grassy. A general al- Intyre and Financial Manager Henry

Superintendent of Insurance Francis tions will be accepted. Conditions of In the northern and central counties of the Hyde sale provide for mutualization



The syndicate underwriting the recent issues of \$32,000,000 Atchison converti-

rails to be used to replace he lighter rails on about 100 miles of track on the company's main line.

Northern railway, announced at St. Paul that the Great Northern would be extended to Omaha and that the extension would be built on the Nebraska side of the Missouri river. Subscriptions to the \$50,000,000 West-

ern Pacific 5s are said to have reached

a total of about \$125,000,000, and regular subscribers will probably get less than 25 per cent of the amounts applied for, owing to heavy withdrawals. The interstate commerce commission ing ear. He regarded her thoughtheard argument in Washington in the fully,

of Texas against practically all of the railroads running south or west from Chicago, except the Great Northern and Union Pacific. An indication of the recent understanding between the Hill and Harriman inter-

ests in northwestern railway matters

other ecclesiastics. Throughout the of the Michigan Central Railway Commorning a procession of royal trains pro- pany has closed contracts looking to the ceeded from London to Windsor carry- use of oil instead of coal as fuel on the entire system. One of the chief difficulfamilies of Europe and forming one of ties in the operation of Mexican railroads the most imposing gatherings since the has been the securing of coal for fuel. A sufficient amount of satisfactory varie-Flags were flying from all the public ties of coal has not been discovered in and many other buildings in Christiania | Mexico so far. It is understood that valsian supremacy on the seas was always in honor of the wedding. The Storthing nable oil wells have been located on the

sist that such delivery is proper and it must be accepted by the consignee.

of his fellow townsmen with a gun, Geo. Workman, the town sergeant, shot and instantly killed John Jones, a miner, at

ENCHANTED GROUND

Was crowded with lovers and castles in air. Society to a syndicate of financiers and One day when the sky was all meltingly

spread, We walked where the meadows lay

hazy and fair By the river, down there.

I can hear it this minute—the mill-dam's loud pour, The rush of the race, and the creak of

I can see the old willows that clung to the shore, Each gnarled, knotted branch in its dainty green frill-You remember them still?

the mill:

What you whispered me then was the first I had heard-I myself, in the flesh, not in thoughtof that theme.

each word Melted into my mood as I sat in a dream

Gazing out at the stream.

There was never a person we met in our walk: One dragon-fly only shot swift through the air; And he stopped not, or heeded our inno-

cent talk: From his haste it would seem that his heart was elsewhere; Not a moment to spare!

You've forgotten it, doubtless, your mind has grown wide; Wide-meshed like a net, and the small

things drop through; But I-I have kept, in my thought's busy That enchanted sweet place where we

lingered, we two; And those love words from you. -Waverley Magazine.

A Lesson in Love.

HE professor pushed aside his Volume of Chaucer to make room for his slender young daughter on the arm of his chair. She fluttered over to him in her soft, white gown, its cut revealing the curve of her firm, fair throat and the artistic lines of her rounded arms.

"Where to-night, Estelle?" "To the ball with Mr. Denton and Mrs. Mills," she answered, blithely. "With Mr. Denton? Isn't Teddy Variel going?"

"I suppose so-yes." Her tone was indifferent, but her nervousness under her father's gaze betrayed a stifled uneasiness, a silenced struggle.

"They tell me this Mr. Denton is a very wealthy man," he said. "Oh! it's true. He has riches be-

yond one's dreams." The note of personal triumph in her

voice was harsh to her father's listen-



"THIS IS THE ANNIVERSARY."

"Sit here on the hassock, dear. I can see you better. You are sweet and pretty and pure. The soul of your mother shines in your eyes." He lifted his head, and his strong, pale face, with its soft framing of waving gray, was profiled against the vivid velvet | see! the stars are shining." most a whisper. "This is the anniversary."

"Not of your marriage, father?" "No. My marriage was a subsequent date. You do not know-I liave never told you-that your mother was married before she became my wife-

married and widowed." "Why, no, father dear," said the girl, with quick, sympathetic interest. "I never care to speak of that, yet to-night I see I must tell you the story. I must give you a message

from the dead." "I shouldn't have made this engagement. You are sad, father; I'll stay

"No. I want you to go. I shall have time to tell you before they come." He caressed the hand that sought his and mused a minute in silence.

"On this night years ago, Estelle, your mother first went out of my life. She was placed very much like you, in a comfortable home, in a college town, where her father, too, was a professor. The miniature that hangs The latest novelty in swindling is the beside your bed feebly pictures her beauty. It tells the outward loveliness, but only hints at her inner grace. Ah! there were many who sighed for her wonderful smile.

"She and I had discovered the purple twilight. In every blossom I saw known holders in sufficient numbers to her face; the dewdrop gleamed with the luster of her eyes; her voice was Because he had threatened the lives in the warbling of the birds; her smile was in the sunshine. Somehow. I feel, Estelle, that is the way Teddy

> Varied thinks of you." The girl put up a protesting hand.

Her father smiled and resumed his

story. "Her mother forbade our engagement. I was only a struggling student, and, though her father believed that I should win fame, he did not

check his wife's ambition for her child. "There came to the town, very much like the coming of this young Denton, a man with gracious personal gifts and riches which at that time seemed immense. He had just come into his inheritance.

"They met-and he loved her. At first she would not listen, but her nature was gentle, her mother determined and her father, poring over ancient tragedies, overlooked the one creeping into his home. I was powerless. She could not receive me when I called, and, at the functions where we met, she was zealously guarded by her mother and the man.

"She accepted him. She told him frankly that her love was mine: that in promising him she was acceding to her mother's will. But he was buoyantly confident that love would come. They were married, and he took her away to a mansion filled with treasures of art. She had jewels and gowns and horses-all things that money could buy. But love did not come. The strongest, softest nests, Estelle, are built by the birds love

"For ayear I did not care what became of me. But I loved her, and could do nothing of which she would be ashamed. I went to Egypt and began the researches that have brought

"Five years passed. The longing to see her again, to hear her voice, became intolerable pain. I went back to London and haunted the streets, the shops, the theaters, where she might be. Then one night, when I had almost despaired, I saw her in her box at the opera.

"She surpassed even my dreams. Her gown was soft and white. Above her shoulder a red rose lifted with the same proud tilt of her own pretty head. I thrilled at the thought that on her I had never seen a faded flower. The house became blurred; I was gazing at her through a mist of tears-Patti was singing 'Home, Sweet Home.'

"I hurried out and stood in the obscuring crowd, near enough to see my lost girl and to hear her voice as she passed. She turned her head restlessly from side to side (it was perhaps the magnetism of my gaze-I suppose my heart and soul were in it), and then, before I realized it, the crowd had parted and she stood before me with outstretched hands.

"I could not speak-the old joy had gone from her eyes, and in them was a sadness that never lightened. Her husband stood waiting under the portico. He had grown coarse and worn, and on his face were the lines of a tyranny which would deal humiliation for her guileless taking of my hands."

The professor covered his eyes. Years had passed, yet that seene never came without raising the primitive rage of his impotence. The girl at his feet laid a comforting cheek against his knee. His voice regained its gentleness after a minute, and he continued:

"I did not try to see her again; I felt it was better for us both. But I stayed near lest some time she would need me, and somehow she knew I was always waiting.

"They found her husband dead one morning-shot by his own hand. He had speculated, lost his wealth and died heavily indebted. She gave up the riches her marriage had brought her, the jewels, the gowns, and, when his obligations were liquidated, she was penniless-poorer far than when she had left her father's home.

"I waited some months, and then I claimed her. I shall never forget her words that night, nor the sorrowful eyes smiling into mine. She gave me her hand and whispered;

"'Once, long ago, I looked into the heart of a purple twilight, andd reamed a dream of my life-and you. Tomorrow I shall look again and see the realization of my dream. The flowers are asleep to-night, dear, but "Mother!" breathed the girl, her

tiful mother!" The professor rose slowly and laid his arm along the mantel-shelf, above the glowing coals.

heart stirred to its depths. "My beau-

"We had two short years together. pitifully short, yet sometimes I think a day is worth a lifetime. "When she lay dying in my arms,

the morning you were born, she looked at your tiny pink face and said: "'Some time it may come to you, my little one, to choose-to weigh the wealth of love against that of gold.

If that time ever comes,' she whispered to me, 'tell her the tragedy of my youth, tell her the glory of my sunset. I think she will understand.' His voice trailed to a whisper; the

gray head bowed. The din of a bell intruded on the soothing silence. He turned to his awed young daughter.

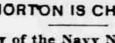
"Good-night, Estelle." She kissed him fondly. Then, as she had done every night since she was a lisping child, she went to the window, drew aside the drapery and reverently raised her eyes to the stars.

Of Interest to the Profession. Stormington Barnes-I see, me boy, that a new vegetable called the pomato has been invented.

-Illustrated Bits.

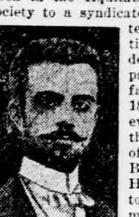
Tie Walker-As if there were not already enough vegetables for throwing purposes!-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A girl who can love but once spends the most of her time in front of a



Becretary of the Navy Named as Head | When I was a girl, and my foolish young

of Equitable Society.



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The Erie Railroad has placed an order

L. W. Hill, vice president of the Great

case of the Cattle Raisers' Association

was the announcement in New York that of his chair. His voice became althe Northern Pacific Railway Company and Oregon Short Line will jointly build a road several hundred miles in length into the Nez Perces country. It is understood that the management

Gustavus Adolphus as Prince of Sweden. Grain Company against the Chicago, with you." Burlington and Quincy and other railroads decided in Washington that when a The Winkle Terra Cotta works at St. carload of hay destined to East St. Louis Louis were practically destroyed by fire, is delivered at a warehouse designated by the shipper or consignee prior to ar-Mrs. W. S. Rogers of Columbus, O., rival in that city, or to the proper switch track of the railroad (in case no specific delivery is named), the railroad may in-

> forgery of railway season tickets. When a season ticket is taken on a French railway a deposit of Ss 4d is made, to be returned when the ticket is given up. It is this deposit which has attracted the Parisian swindler. He has been enabled to forge imitations of the tickets of make the gain worth the risk.