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TOPICS OF THE DAY.

Queen Wilhelmina's Great Fortune.

The queen of Holland has an enormous fortune, only a part of which belongs to the crown. She will settle 20,000,000 marks (\$4,760,000) on her future husband.

The "Pole" Remains Undisturbed. The loss of 200 ships within the last century in expeditions in search of the north pole has neither discouraged the explorers nor made any serious inroads upon the pole.

Fighting Spread of Consumption.

Deaths from consumption in Philadelphia are a third less than they were 17 years ago, and the health authorities say the improvement is due to their continuous battle against the disease.

Absolute Rest for Three Weeks.

A prominent medical journal says the best treatment for nervous dyspepsia is "at least three weeks of absolute rest in bed in some institution away from home, together with a full diet."

Finest Sugar Mills in Hawall.

Some of the finest sugar mills in the world, costing \$1,000,000 each, are found in Hawaii, and there are planters in the islands who produce \$800 worth of sugar and \$500 worth of rice to the acre.

For a National Park.

The national park of 1,297 square miles proposed at the headwaters of the Mississippi will, if it is established, be the first in the central region of the country. There is a resolution before congress to investigate the subject.

Didn't Miss It Far.

Two weeks before the election the republican state committee in New York published a forecast of the recounties, which gave a plu-134,900. The actual figures are 143,606.

Cost Is Not Considered.

Though the bottom of Boston harbor is of tenacious clay filled with bowlders, it is to be deepened to the depth of 35 feet to accommodate the biggest ocean steamers. The work will cost millions, but the deepening of channels is the order of the day, and it pays.

Trusts in European Countries.

The state department at Washington has issued an interesting pamphlet made up of consular reports regarding the existence of trusts in the various European countries. These reports show that the mania for trade combinations is by no means confined to America. The tendency to unite for the regulation of prices and to do away with competition is as universal as trade itself.

Watermelons in Winter.

Watermelons of northern growth may be enjoyed in winter by following the plan adopted by Uncle Mike Morris, a farmer living near Stanhope, Ia. Last summer he selected a number of choice melons and put them in a cave, after scaling the stems with wax. Last week he cut one and found it as fresh and crisp as though it had just been taken from the vine. All this is vouched for by a local paper.

The Latest Elixer.

Prof. Loeb, of the university of Chicago, discovered that common salt furnishes the force which makes the heart beat. When a man's heart stops beating, therefore, it will be necessary to inject only the right solution of sodium chloride into his veins in order to start the organ to going again and restore activity and life. There is one excellent feature about the new elixir of life-it is cheap. This is a great improvement upon the common run of elixirs.

France's Population Stationary.

France alone, of all the great civilized nations, has for years past been practically stationary in population. England, Germany, Russia, even Austria, are making constant increases in their inhabitants, but France's population has exhibited very little change for a third of a century. The excess of births over deaths in France is 1899, as now made public, was only 31,000. Four of the nine years since 1890 showed a falling off in population, and five of them revealed gains. | inqity and spoliation.

TO SIGN THE NOTE

Chinese Plenipotentiaries Agree to Terms of the Powers.

Foreign Ministers at Pekin Agreeably Surprised at the Attitude of the Imperial Court-Li Hung Chang Had Urged Complete Compliance.

Pekin, Dec. 31.-The Chinese plenipotentiaries have been unexpectedly ordered to sign the preliminary joint note and have notified the foreign envoys to that effect. The Chinese plenipotentiaries themselves were greatly astonished at receiving the imperial instructions. Neither Li Hung Chang nor Prince Ching had expected success in persuading the court under ten days. The emperor's instructions are to agree fully to the note, but to endeavor to get the best terms possible, particularly in the matter of limiting the number of the legation guards and also as to the places where these are to be located. The plenipotentiaries are instructed to endeavor to limit the number of army posts along the line of railway to as few as possible and finally to request the powers not to destroy the forts, but merely to disarm them.

Foreigners Satisfied with Note. Pekin, Dec. 31.-The foreign committees in Pekin are greatly satisfied at the decided tone of the collective note and the assertion that the powers are determined to entertain no proposals for the modification of their demands. It is understood Li Hung Chang sent a memorial to the throne, couched in very strong terms, urging complete compliance.

BAD NEWS FROM KITCHENER

Boers Capture Post at Helvetia, Killing and Wounding 50 British Soldiers and Taking 200 Prisoners.

London, Dec. 31 .- The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated Pretoria, December 30: "Gen, Lyttleton reports that our post at Helvetia was captured yesterday morning by the Boers. About 50 were killed and wounded and 200 taken prisoners. Col. Kitchener reports that he is following with a small force in the track of the enemy, Helvetia being reoccupied by Reeves, who has been reinforced from Belfast. Helvetia was a very strong position on the Machadodorp-Lydenberg railway and was held by a detachment of the Liverpool regiment. Am asking for further information."

While Lord Kitchener sends bad news for England on the closing day of the year, the press continues to take a surprisingly hopeful view of a grave situation and of revelations of thought he had a fair chance of rean enormously wide field of Boer ac- covery, owing to his remarkable rality for McKinley over Bryen of tivity. Gen. Dewet is still at large. Kimberley is isolated. The Boers are in force enough to have captured a strong position at Helvetia, in the Lydenburg district, while judging from Lord Kitchener's very recent advices, no progress is being made against the Boer invaders in Cape Col-

> According to further telegrams received yesterday, Zerust is practically besieged, but has provisions sufficient for five months. The garrison at Ottoshoop has been withdrawn to Lichtenburg.

> All dispatches arriving in London agree that the Cape Dutch show no inclination to rise, but on the contrary, appear to be tired of the war and desirous of peace. Many refuse to supply the Boers with food and are willing to give information to the British regarding Boer movements.

> Kimberley Surrounded by Boers. Craddock, Cape Colony, Dec. 30 .-Kimberly is almost isolated by Boer raiders. Provisions are at famine prices. The military took charge of all the foodstuff's December 22.

THE LIMIT IS FIXED.

United States Gives Notice That It Will Pay \$3,360,000 and No More for the Danish Antilles.

Copenhagen, Dec. 31.- The United States minister, L. S. Swenson, has informed the Danish government that the United States offers 12,000,000 krone (\$3,360,000) for the Danish Antilles and will not give more.

Heavy Fall of Snow Reported.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 31.-A severe snowstorm set in late yesterday afternoon with a constantly lowering temperature. Telegraphic reports from all sections of Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa and northern Missouri show the fall to be heavy. Winter in many sections of these states, as well as throughout the west generally, has been greatly in need of a heavy blanket of snow, which will afford ample moisture as well as protection to the grain from severe freezing.

Alliance to Defeat Ship Subsidy Bill. Washington, Dec. 30.-Senator Pettigrew, in alliance with Senators Allen, of Nebraska, and Butler, of North Carolina, has formed a combination in the senate for the purpose of defeating the ship subsidy bill. He calls it a monstrous scheme of in-

CONTINUED UNTIL JANUARY 5

Mrs. Nation's Friends Will Try to Pursuade John G. Wooley to Defend Her.-W. C. T. U. Securing Bond.

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 31.-The case of

ly refused it, and said that under no circumstances would she step out of the jail until the charge against her And the host says he was actually afraid to go to sleep again that night for fear the coupe would come, says the Louisville Times. is cleared. She says that she can do more good to the cause by remaining in jail than by going out on bond.

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On the land which he has secured he expects to form and build up a great settlement of whites, which will turn an arid sandy waste into a fertile and recorded waste into a fertile and recorded by a settlement of whites, which will turn an arid sandy waste into a fertile and recorded sandy waste into a fertile.

Hall's Family Pills are the best. and populous plain, and incidentally enrich himself and his associates in the deal. He acquires title to it under what is known as the Carey act. Within a short time he expects to divide the land into farms of 160 acres each, and so situate them that advantage can be taken of the system of irrigation installed. The climate. he says, is all that can be desired. and he believes that he and his associates will have no trouble in taking hundreds of people out to the northwest to buy land and make their future homes.

AS HE WISHED.

Death Came to Samuel McDonald, the Murderer of F. H. Morris, Auditor of the War Department.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Samuel Mc-Donald, who one week ago shot and killed E. H. Mosmies and shot and below the standard of the my dear, is in his head.—Ohio State Journal. killed F. H. Morris, auditor for the war department, died Saturday from the self-inflicted wounds he received at the time of the murder. It was physique, but he was determined to die and so informed the attendants at the hospital. He was carefully guarded and prevented from inflicting any further injuries on himself but for two days he refused to take nourishment as far as possible. The physicians say death was due more than anythnig else to McDonald's determination not to live. It was a remarkable exhibition of will power.

PETTIGREW'S SON IN TROUBLE

Young Man Just Back from South Africa Goes into a Kansas City Theater Smoking a Cigarette.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 30,-Frank Pettigrew, son of Senator Pettigrew, of Sioux Falls, S. D., sustained a fracture of the cheek bone last night at the Gilliss theater, the result of a blow from the fist of an usher named Frank Skinner. Pettigrew had gone into the theater with a lighted cigarette and was told that smoking was not allowed. Pettigrew refused to heed the notice and Skinner knocked him against a gate, breaking his jawbone. Pettigrew recently returned from South Africa, where he was with the Boer army as a spectator of war operations.

PROTECTING THE WIDOW.

Relatives of the Late Frank Richardson Will Not Listen to Suspicious Talk Against His Wife.

Savannah, Mo., Dec, 30 .- The officials of Andrew county have nearly abandoned hope of solving the mystery surrounding the death of Frank Richardson from a pistol shot in his own home on Christmas eve. The fact has been established that Richardson did not commit suicide and was murdered. Relatives of the murdered man declare their positive belief in the innocence of Mrs. Richardson of any complicity in the erime. They are especially diligent in diverting the slightest suspicion from the widow.

Gold Democrats in Control.

Chicago, Dec. 30,-A call signed by 21 of 31 members of the democratic state committee of Illinois was issued for a meeting at Springfied January 7, when, it is predicted, John P. Hopkins, a gold democrat, will be elected state chairman. The anti-Hopkins men wanted the meeting delayed until after W. J. Bryan's visit to Springfield.

CLOSENESS PERSONIFIED.

Dreamed He Had to Pay a Dollar for a Cab and Was Afraid to Go to Sleep Again.

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 31.—The case of Mrs. Carrie Nation, charged with destroying the fixtures and paintings in the Carey hotel bar, was continued until January 5. The local members of the W. C. T. U. have wired John G. Woolley, late presidential candidate on the prohibition ticket, to fight her case. The courtroom was filled with white ribboners, who accompanied Mrs. Nation to her cell, where she conducted a prayer meeting.

Mrs. Nation Persists in Remaining in Jail. Wichita, Kan., Dec. 31.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, who wrecked the bar at the Carey hotel, is still firm in her purpose to refuse bail and insists upon remaining in her cell. The W. C. T. U. secured Saturday bond and went to the jail for the purpose of liberating Mrs. Nation. She, however, firmly refused it, and said that under no discovered the state of the purpose of liberating Mrs. Nation. She, however, firmly refused it, and said that under no discovered the state of the purpose of liberating Mrs. Nation. She, however, firmly refused it, and said that under no discovered the state of the purpose of liberating Mrs. Nation. She, however, firmly refused it, and said that under no discovered the load story told of a young fellow here noted for his closeness. He went to spend the night with a friend. During the entire night with a friend. During the entire night he betrayed much restless. When kept the host wide awake, and finally the slumberer betrayed signs of violent emotion. "He's going to have a night mare," said the friend, "but he always grumbles so when you wake him up that I hate to disturb him." He waited awhile longer, sitting up in bed staring at the missers, which kept the host wide awake, and finally the slumberer betrayed much restless. When kept the host wide awake, and finally the slumberer betrayed much restless. When kept the host wide awake, and finally the slumberer betrayed much restless. When kept the host wide awake, and finally the slumberer betrayed much restless. When kent is open the night with a friend. During the entire night h

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased CODY'S GREAT SCHEME.

He Has Secured Control of 27,000 Acres o Wyoming Desert Land and Will Try to Reclaim It.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Col. William F. Cody, known to almost every civilized nation of the earth as "Buffalo Bill," secured patents to 27,000 acres of the public domain in Wyoming. to learn that there is at least one dreaded

Little Left to Stand On.

A scientist has now arisen who declares the Gulf stream is a myth. If science continues its devastating way we shall soon have nothing left to cling to but esoteric Buddhism and the significance of cat tracks.

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Transposed.

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The powers showed a disposition to for-give China in return for certain commercial concessions. "That is to say," observed China, sagely, "the open door lets me out!"
—Detroit Journal.

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Courtesv is a duty public servants owe to the humblest member of public.—Lord Lyt-

You cannot be cheerful if you have dyspepsia. You won't have dyspepsia if you chew "White's Yucatan."

It is a great pity that we can't save money without economizing.—Puck.

To put on style is often the cheapest way to put off creditors.—Detroit Journal.

Example is more efficacious than precept Johnson.

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