

Extensive experiments in wireless new submarines.

they were in 1900.

Four crops of corn are produced Fearly in Cuba. The first crop is planted in December and the fourth crop is harvested in December.

Miss Rose Hackett, the last English woman to leave Johannesburg after martial law was declared, is now a baker's clerk in Charlestown, Mass.

At a reception of the patriarchs at Constantinopie the Sultan has declared that he will make no distinction between Christians and Mohammedans.

One hundred pounds is the price expected for a sheet of 119 unused black English penny stamps issued in 1840, which will be offered for sale in Lonfon.

The progress in the scientific treatment of beets in Germany has resultad in raising the percentage of raw sugar extracted from the root from 51/2 in 1840 to 13 in 1901.

In view of the scare as to the permanency of typewritten records the Italian Minister of Justice has ordered that no typewritten document will be accepted as legal in Italy.

Thirty one huge and exceedingly strong Havana eigars is the daily allowance of King Carlos, of Portugal, the biggest and the fattest of all the reigning monarchs of the old world.

Friends of the late Senator Vance, of North Carolina, are raising funds brought #300,000 in specie from Cadiz to purchase a marble bust of the Senator, to be placed in the rotunds of hand for the receipt of the amount, but the Carnegle library building at Charlotte, N. C.

Eight per cent of the population of this country is still illiterate. In Germany only I per cent of illiterates exists and in Bayaria, Baden, Wurttemburg and Scandlnavia there are no totally unedgested people.

Hamley-You seem interested in the horse show. Have you any entries there? Plamley-Well-er-yes. Hamtey-Prize winners? Phandey-1 hope so. They're my three eldest daughters, and all marriageable.

Emperor William is ambitious to minster Ablasy in London. At present the remains of the former leaders of the Hohenzollerns are scattered.

More than fifty girls are studying scientific farming in the Minneapolis College of Agriculture. The course they take includes botany, chemistry. physics and geology, requiring in the first two years two terms of each.

umbrella and fan for the cycle. The crable. As a commander I made over nary umbrella and is fitted with blades, which as the blevele spins valuables handed over to me. And along, catch the air and rotate the quite a dozen different races of men apparatus.

Probably the biggest machinery belt ever unde is one recently made for a copper mine power-house at Anaconda, Mont. It is sixty-six luches wide and 180 feet long, weighs 3,600 pounds, took 360 bides to make it and cost nearly \$3,000.

To save train fare three Italian women set out to walk across a mountain pass between the Engadine and a snowstorm and one of the women perished. This is the seventy-eighth by the New York Evening Post; accident of the kind this season.

It has just been discovered that there exists at Rapperswyl, Switzerland, a fund consisting of nearly \$50,000, which has been subscribed by Poles in various parts of the world for the purpose of waging war on Russia when a propitious time shall arrive.

The exports of cheese and butter from Canada this year promises to make a record. When the season closes the value of the products shipped to Scotland and England and abroad will total \$30,000,000. Ten years ago the total was only \$10,-000.000

An article in the Electrical Review discusses the size of an atom of hydrogen, and arrives at the conclusion that these particles of matter are so small that it would take 115,000,000 or them, fald in a line, to extend a distance of one centimeter that is, an atom is about one third of a billionth of an inch in size.

The "old log schoolhouse" at Camp Run, Westmoreland County. Pennsylvania, is said by the Young People's Weekly to be the oldest schoolhouse in the country. It is very primitive in all its appointments, but the teacher, Miss Celia J. Miller, who is only 16 years old, has enlisted the help of the "big boys" to make some improve

ments: Experiments on the value of salt in the food of sheep have been recently made in France. Of three lots of sheep one had no sait, a second had half an ounce daily and a third had three-fourths of an ounce. The sheep taking salt gained more tesh and had better wool than those without it, and the sheep getting half an ounce did better than those getting more.

Leopold Paris, who first introduced Adelina Patti to the lyric stage, died in Philadelphia recently. He was a native of Rome, but had been an exile from his native land many years on account of his participation in the Africa during the war.

Italian revolts of 1849. He was 85 A VILLAGE WASSWEPT INTO LAKE THOUSAND DEAD

The report of the life-saving service shows that there were 388 accidents last year. Out of 23,424 persons in selegraphy are to be carried out at danger only nineteen in all were lost, Portsmouth in connection with the and the property loss was about \$2,-300,000. There are 272 life-saving sta-Canada's shipments of apples this tions, of which 195 are on the Atlantic rear are over three times what they and Gulf coasts, sixty on the great were last year and about double what lakes and sixteen on the Pacific coast. The cost of maintaining the service was \$1,650,000.

> Paul Kruger, in his memoirs, telis dianties since. the story of a secretary whom he pun-

ished for being drunk, by tying him to a wagon wheel. During the night three thousand Kaffirs and about four thousand Zulus attacked the Boer camp and were not driven off till daybreak. The secretary slept so soundly that he noticed nothing of the fight, and the next day, when he at last awoke, he looked around in astonishment and asked: "Have you people been fighting during the night?"

NAVAL OFFICERS ARE TRUSTED. Valuables and Large Sums of Money

Given in Their Care. As a retired officer in the royal navy, let me say that up to within a very recent period our naval officers admittedly made very handsome sums by taking charge of valuables when going from one port to another; indeed, there are officers who boast of having made more money by carrying vast sums in securities or jewelry, for private persons introduced by friends, than they ever got out of the navy otherwise. And the same thing is done nowadays. but absolutely as a disinterested favor,

and "under the rose" so far as offi-

cers of to-day are concerned. I served under a captain who to England, and only gave a note of I could tell you of scores of similar cases which show that the faith of most foreigners is so great in the integrity of British naval officers that the former will intrust vast sums with the latter without even any word of writing being exchanged. The China station used to be noted for the very large sums that could be made by taking charge of valuable belonging to great native mandarins and statesmen. or conveying such valuable from point o point.

I personally know of one case where a high Chinese official intrusted the captain of a British man-of-war with create a monumental structure in his bar gold and securities worth more capital city which shall match West- than a million sterling. Only a brief receipt on a half-sheet of paper was given, and the Chinaman could not personally even read this.

for bankers and traders, and even journed court until tomorrw. down to juntor officers the "perks" The latest invention is a combined made in this way were most considcanopy is made in the form of an ordi- | 1.000 in this way on one station, and are comprised within the number of ed falth in British officers.-Tit-Bits.

WHERE HISTORY IS SILENT.

Little Boy Wanted Information Or an Im ortant Point.

The old story of a mother who, when all his virtues, but on his being re-

allowed to play on the street with other little tots who were as yet too young to go to school. His mother would frequently go to the front window to see what he was doing

One day when she went to the winwaited there quite a while, but he did liquiry: not appear. Again and again she went alarmed when he returned.

run away, but with the pride there son," was also an expression of anxiety, not to say fear. He did not know what ort of a reception he was likely to

His mother steady asked him where he had been, "Be careful, now, and

don't lie to me." she said. The boy's face brightened. "Mamever tell a lie?"

ell me one. The boy's face still shone. "Mam-

mn." he continued, "did George Washington's mamma whip him when he didn't tell a lle?"

How to Defy the Coal Trust. "Coal's fur beyond us, ain't It?"

"Hit sho' is!" "En dey done raise de price of wood3%

"Der sho' has." "Well, what you gwine ter do bout

"GR in Jail fer de winter."-Atlanta

Before He Marries.

Before an officer in the German army many marry he is required to notify his superior officer as to his wife's antecedents and the amount of her private income.

Constitution.

Defective Teeth. Defective teeth led to 2,451 soldiers being invalided home from South

had resided in Philadelphia twenty Fishermen Lived in Shantles Bullt Along the Shore of Lake Michigan.

Bay City, Mich, Feb. 6.-Forty ridal waves claim many lives in the fishermen went to their death in the to registered vessels in this country storm, which struck Saginaw Bay Tuesday night, The men were living in shantles built on the ice. THE WORST STORM KNOWN and was sentenced to life imprison The storm barst without warning. It was accompanied by a blinding swirl of show and the waves crushed FURY (UNEQUALED WHERE HURIGANES he ice in the bay upon which the ishermen's buts were standing, into grinding, crunching mass.

Nothing has been seen of men or

It is known that two were drowned and no hope is expressed for the oth-

James Fisk a fish buyer, who spent the night in his station, came to the tity and said that prior to the storm ne could see plainly a dozen shanties and the men moving about them, out in the morning there was no sign of human life on the bay.

Two men who were in a shanty not far from lats place were lost during from Tahiti. The less of life is esti- ural life," their shanty to pieces.

He says the other fishermen could hardly have escaped, as they were till farther out and nearer the scene of the first breaking up of the ice.

The Jurymen For Young Trial.

New York Feb. 6 .- When recess liam Hooper Young, accused of the tween January 14 and January 16. murder of Miss Pultizer, six jurors had been obtained. Young looked better than yesterday and walked into court He sank heavily into a chair, and his head fell on the table in front of him, but nevertheless he took an interest in the examination of the talesman. Justice Herrick intalesman:

any religious sect?"

During the full in the proceedings, Young said audibly to one of his

"Can't you get me the Molineux rabbit foot?

At one stage of the proceedings be then relacsed into an appearance of ka island, where 1,000 inhabitants speed. was received of Joseph Pulitzer, hus- cont island 100 more were wasned out southern China and not in the north, to March 1. band of the murdered woman. Gei- to sea. Makokan and if no are depop- where the last outbreak occurred. The streets of Nebraska City will ger said he heard that Pulitzer was ulited. Conservative estimates at "Canton and the southern prove he lighted again after several weeks! in Michigan two weeks ago.

observance of medical experts and at 80. All of them are under the 1900, is now thoroughly alive with to resume filling its contract. The they reported that as vet they had control of the French governor at cut throats. The Chinese are procut- sudden shifting of the bed of the Up to a comparatively recent date it found no evidence of insanity When Tabliti. was looked upon as no dereliction of the first panel of talesmen had been buty whatever for a man-of-war to exhausted there were ten jurymen in destitute of food, shelter and cloth- are at the time the former uptis- water. arry valuables that were not bulky the box and Justice Herrick ad- ing. all having been swept away by ing was settled.

Falls From Sixth Floor.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.-William Paull, examples I have seen of this unbound. Southern hotel. His skull was frace panied the two French vessels on were ground one and fed to the hans. and son died. It is not known

she feared her boy was lost, recalled window when he is said to have lost were among the drowned. Included She says she confessed because the dy the situation and the board of his balance. He plunged out, head stored to her immediately punished foremost, striking the telegraph wires P. Plunkett of Oakland. T. D. Don- to the Monticello jail The daughter in carnest at the next meeting, it is Lombardy. They were overtaken by him soundly for running away, is re- opposite the second story window, nelly, formerly a fireman on the las not been arrested yet. peated with rather a different ending These broke his fall, but did not save steamship Austrial and the local He was but 4 years old, and was Pauli threw himself from the win- of Papeete. Added to this number dow, but nothing authentic as to this could be learned.

J. D. Leftingwell, manager of the Castle Square Opera company, who was one of the first to reach the dydow he was nowhere in sight. She ing man's side, said in reply to an

"No, it was an accident. Why to the window, but could get no should be have killed himself? He trees grow to an immense height, give accounts of the menacing attiglimpse of him. She was becoming had everything-fame in his profess- many reaching an altitude of 100 tude of the boxers. He seemed to be proud of having of, and he has been with me all sea-

no statement from her was obtaina-

At the time of Mr. Paull's first appearance here with the Castle Square opera company two years ago he was the ship's side by swimming three complacent, but the moment the ma," said he, "did George Washington married to Miss Ethel Gordon of and four miles from the tops of the tourists refused their request for coin Sydney Australia. Miss Gordon, who "No." was the reply, "and don't you three years previously was a member badly damaged by the storm, also visitors and drave them in terror to of the same company with Mr. Paull in Australia, came 13,000 miles to meet her affianced.

Nebraska Won Second Victory.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Feb. 6,.-The University of Nebraska basket ball team continued their maren of victory through Colorado by defeating the Colorado college team here Thursday night. The score was Ne traska 37, Colorado 11.

Caracas is Plague Stricken.

Caracas, Feb. 6.—Caracas is in great distress as the result of the existing conditions. While vellow fever-

SOUTH SEA.

ARE FREQUENT.

Swept to Sea and Passing Boats Pick Up Hundreds

fearful loss of life in a destructive of the penalty of your crime. The storm that swept over the South Sea sentence of the court is that you be islands last month, reached here to- confined in state prison at Sing Sing day on the steamer Mariposa direct at hard labor for the term of your nathe night, cakes of ice having smashed mated at one thousand souls. On attacked the Society islands and the bad lost their look of vacant terror Puamoto group with fearful force, and he sat straight in his chair looked storms.

was taken today in the trial of Wil- reaching its maximum strength be- entence had been passed. From the meager news received at Thiti up to the time of the sailing of the Mariposa it is estimated that Lafayette Taylor, of Centerville, Sulone thousand of the islanders lost livan county, confessed to having that destroyed by fire some time ago their lives. It is feared that later killed her busband. Lafayette Taylor, and will cost \$30,000. advices will add to the list.

The first news of the disaster ar- to escape detection. he talesmen. Simon Geiger, news one-half were frowned. On an adja- of the impending revolution is it which meets at Beatrice February 26 During rece-s Young was under the visited by tidal wave and hurricane no activity during the uprising to pany has announced that it is ready

the storm.

The French government upon re- cut up the body and burn it prompt measures to relieve the dis- witnessed the shooting and helved ton are \$20,000 for completing the of London, England, leading baritone tressed district and dispatched two her to cut up the body in small pleces of the Castle Square Opera company, | warships, the Durance and Zelee, with with an axe and burn it in the kitchnow here, is dead as the result of a fresh water and provisions. The en stove together with the clothing fall from a sixth-story window of the Italian man of war Calabria accom- of the victim. The burned bones tured and his left arm was broken. Their errand of mercy As the supply The blood spots were covered with He was unconscious when picked up of fresh water and provisions was paint. totally exhausted by the storm it is The Taylors lived on a farm a mile considerable discussion and agitation. whether the fall was accidental or feared that many lives will be lost from the main road and the chances Much trade that should go there is before the rellief ships arrive. As of discovery were few. The singer was leaning from the far as is known eight white people Mrs. Taylor is about forty years old. his life, It was reported that Mr | agent of C. Copuentath, a merchant was an unknown woman, who committed suicide from fright.

rounded by coral reefs, it was neces- orient. sary for all the inhabitants to take ion, health, no troubles that I knew feet. All of the lower trees were Dr. Young, accompanied by Austre Mrs. Pauli is prostrated and un- natives in the talier trees were safe went to Canton when the steamer floor and glanced into one of the der the care of two physicans, and until the cocoanut roots gave way and China was at Hong Kong. Once withthen they, too, were swept onward, in the gates of the walled city the far out into the sea. 1

The four hundred survivors brought with demands for money. by the Excelsior to Papeete gained At the outlet the Coinese wer coccanut trees. The Eimo, though the Mongolians hurled stones at the swim to her sides. She, like the Ex- were temporarily free from molesta cels for, being unable to run close to tion, the shores because of the fearful vio enece of the ocean swells, which con- erged from the pagoda they were tinued to run abnormally high for a week after the tidal disturbances, again pursued by the mob, which be-Apother schooner, the Gauois, from came bolder and more defiant, and the Maquesan island, 600 miles from finally burled missels of every de-Tabiti, encountered the hurricane while en route to the latter place and only timely action of the captain In having the cargo jettis ned, saved the little craft from destrucion.

Work Among the Indians.

and typhoid prevail, they are not in preached Sunday afternoon at the Thomas Crowe, superintendent of epidemic form and the alarming mor- work among the Indians in his jaris tality in January was 45 per cent per duction. Bishop Hare traced the his. plant, where the accident happened, thousand due to starvation, which in- to ry of the Niebrara league from its who was painfully but not dangerousduces the disease. No city in the inception, thirty years ago. The mis- ly burned. He saved himself by drop world, said the correspondent, shows said, and at the present time there sionary work has been successful, he an approximation to such conditions are eighty-five congregations with caused by the chain of the ladle except when ravaged by the plague, both native and white priests.

GOES TO PRISON FOR LIFE.

Young Pleads Gullty and is Promptly Sentenced-No Sign of Perterbation.

New York, Feb. 10,-William Hooper Young, on trial for the murter of Mrs. Anna Putitzer, pleader guilty to murder in the second degres

ment. Justice Merrick explained that he had advised Young's counsel to change his plea and also advised the district attorney to accept, this action being taken because of the pris- Haves county, Neb. PROPERTY LOSS IS GREAT mer's mental condition. According to the report of the doctors he was his home at Nebraska City. He was not insane in the legal aspect of in-Entire Population of Many Communities is sanity, but from a purely medical point he is not sane.

In sentencing the justice said:

"There is no occasion now for me o make any remark as to the enor-San Francisco. Feb. 9.—News of a mity of your offense. You are aware

For the first time since the case January 23, last, a huge tidal wave was called Young walked into court causing death and devastation pever ing at the court. His responses to before equalled in that land of dread- the questions of the judge, however, were made in an inaudible voice. He The storm reigned several days, showed no signs of perturbation after

She Killed Her Husband.

Monticello, N. Y., Feb. 10,-Mrs. and burned the body on January 25

rived at Papeete, Tahiti, January 26, Her story is that her husband who luded among his questions to the on the schooner Einio. The captain was a hard drinker, came home on are at the head of the new enterof the schooner placed the fatailties the night of January 25 very drunk prise, which has abundant capital. "Have you any prejudice against at five hundred. The steamer Ex- and began to abuse her. She secured celsior arrived at Papeete the follow- a revolver, which she had purchased ing day with 400 destitute survivors. a few days before and tried to frighten The captain of the Excelsior esti-him. He attempted to take it from mated the total loss of life to be 800, her and in the struggle it went off. These figures comprised only the the buildt striking him over the eve deaths on the three islands of Hao, and killing him instantly. She was Hiknera and Makokan, whose ordit so frightened for fear of being arfell asleep for lifteen minutes and pary population is 1800. On Hikner- the walled city with all possible by the Beatrice Ministerial associa-

Tabiti place the number of islands, inces," he said, "where there was darkness. The water and light com-The surviving inhabitants are left violation of the treaty with the new- inability to funrish the light and

rested for murder that she decided to

ceipt of news of the disaster took Her fourteen-year-old daughter ported by the committee at Washing-

Beset By Chinese Rabble.

San Francisco, Feb. 10.-Pre iou. reports of a threatened outbreak in which she was using to start a fire. China against Caucasian residents is The accident occurred several days As the islands were barely twenty confirmed by several persons who go and Miss Liermann was badly feet above sea level and not sur- have just arrived here from the burned about the body. She was the

to the cocoa nut tree when the tidal steamer China: David Austin and o. school at West Point. wave began to cover the land. These J. Cavanuagh are among those who

swept about and over them. The der the direction of a Chinese guide, party was beset by a rabble and met

brought off as many persons as could the five story pagoda, where they

However, when the Americans em scription at Dr. Young and his party

Mo'ten Metal From Ladle.

Pueblo, Colo., Feb. 10,-By intense ly hot molton metal from a ladic which tipped over one man was killi-New York. Feb. 9.—Bishop Hare | ed, three fatally and five others were Episcopal bishop of the Dakotas, injured, among the latter being church of the Incarnation on the conventers at the Minnequa stee ping on his face. The accident was breaking.

Nebraska Notes

John F. Griffiths has been appointed postmaster at Pawnee City, Neb. The Lincoln Union Pacific freight house as damaged to the extent of

\$500 by lire. Postmaster John Wesley Huntsberger, editor of the Pender Repblican,

died of erys pelus.

died.

Charles E. Satchelll has been appointed postmaster at Highlands, Herman is. Young dropped dead at

county clerk of Otoe county and was 35 years of age. Otoe county farmers are formulating demands for better roads and,a

different method of taxation for county road work. Chester Kendig, 13 years of age, fell forty feet from a ladder at the union Pacific water softener at Kearney and recceived injuries from which he

The summary of reports of the month's shipments by the elevators accompanied by a terrific hurricane, today without assistance. His eyes at Arlington showed a total of over 100 cars of grain sent out during the n onth.

> totally destroyed by fire. It was one of the largest business houses in town. The loss is \$4,000. There was no insurance. Plans for a new national bank

The Rawlings block at Wymore was

building for Beatrice have been drawn. The building will replace A steel tank factory will soon be in

operation at Falls City. Joseph Tepik and S. M. Turner of Humboldt Grain business of Beatrice during January was it excess of previous records. Estimates are that 30,000

bushels of oats, 70 000 bushels of

wheat and 150,000 bushels of corn

were marketed. Arrangements have been completed tion for the state convention of the semi-consciousness. From one of were engaged in pearl diving early. Mr. Cavanaugh declares the center Young Men's Christian association.

ing arms and ammunition in open Missouri river was responsible for the

Among the appropriations in the sundry civil appropriation bill re-Omaha postoffice, \$75,000 for continning the work of the Lincoln public building, \$60,000 for the Hastings postoffice. \$20,000 to complete the publie building at Norfolk.

The poor condition of the county reads around West Point is causing being diverted to other points. Sevreal movements are on foot to remein these were Alexander Brander, N. crime haunted her. She was brought supervisors will take the matter up said.

> Miss Mary Liermann, a pretty 17year old girl died from burns recleved in the explosion of a can of gasoline, daughter of William Liermann, a Dr. James Young u-geon of the prominent farmer, and was attending

The store of C. H. Norris of Table Rock was entered by burglars whe bored three holes in the safe after which they left. A gun had been accidentally discharged by one of the robbers and the bullet struck the show cases. It is presumed that this frightened the robbers away, as nothing was taken from the store.

