FERRYBOAT GOES DOWN

Northfield Sinks in Collision With Steel Propeller.

TUGBOATS HURRY TO RESCUE.

Water Instantly Filled With Struggling Determine Loss of Life.

been in the service of the Staten Isl- the loss. and Railway company for the past 30 ferry slip, at the foot of Whitehall reforms. street, and in less than 20 minutes the Northfield, which was crowded with were aboard her. Over 100 passengers on the sunken Northfield were dragged out by the people on shore, and the promptly responded to the ferry boat's call for help. A few of the Northfield's Chinese troops to Peking. passengers were hurt, and the police believe that some lives were lost. Captain Daniel Gully of the tug Mutual, who saw the ferry boats crash together, says that immediately after the collision 25 or 30 of the passengers deaped into the water and that many of those perished. Captain Gully says he is sure that over a score of the Northfield's passengers were drowned.

The captains of the tugboats, who were early on the scene, are inclined to think the disaster was not so serious as to loss of life. The reason for such a variance in opinion resulted from the wild excitement on the Northfield. The tug Mutual saved about 75 persons from the Northfield and the tugs Unity and Arrow saved between them 150 persons. Two policemen rescued 30 people between them. As soon as the crowd which had followed the sinking ferry boat along the river front were able to render any aid they worked with a will, and in many instances men sprang into the water to save life. The greatest service was rendered by the tugboats, which circled around the wreck and made a bridge to the climbed over the tugs to the shore.

While the Northfield was well supplied with life preservers, which were stored in out-of-the-way places, not more than two dozen of the endangered passengers were able to get the Lugs themselves in the water.

question of which boat had the right gathering of people. of way was the cause of the disaster.

UPSETS IN DRY DOCK.

Transport Ingalls Turns Turtle In Erie Basin.

Intured.

There were about 240 carpenters, declined with regrets. machinists and other laborers at work on the vessel and dock at the time. It is supposed that the vessel was thrown from an even keel by the shifting of the blocks on which she rested, causing her to list to starboard, driving the shoring beams through the rotten walls of the old floating dry dock in which she was cradled. Among the machinists and other workmen who were preparing her for a voyage to Manila, there were supposed to have hold of the ship, employed in shifting her ballast. While the workmen were trying to escape the dock itself, overbalanced by the weight of the ship, turned on its side and sank in 50 feet of water. A number of the men were borne down into the water and jammed ander and beneath the wreckage which gose to the surface. How many were caught could not be learned. Martin Anderson, a painter, was caught under the descending side of the ship and out of the water badly injured or half drowned, and hurried to the hos-

Added to the horrors was the uncertainty of the fate of the men in the wessel's hold. Some managed to get to the dock and leaped into the water as the vessel was sinking, but it is feared that the majority were less fortunate.

Barn Burner Lynched.

Athens, Ala., June 17.—George Harfis, a negro, was hanged by a mob in the northern part of this (Limestone) county last night. Harris was susfarmer for whom he worked, having a grievance against a fellow farm hand, who had stock housed in the barn destroyed.

Pingree Bears Up Well. London, June 17 .- Dr. Thomas Barlow said that ex-Governor Pingree's condition was unchanged. The complications from which Pingree suffered yesterday continue, but his strength has not materially decreased. He is bearing up under the most trying conditions.

JAPAN THE ONLY HITCH.

Cannot Borrow Money at Four Per Cent for China.

Peking, June 17 .- The foreign ministers say that although yesterday's meeting did not result in the settlement of matters, still things are working most satisfactorily toward a conclusion and that the amount of the indemnity and the four per cent rate of interest were almost agreed upon, the only hitch being with regard to Japan, which country cannot borrow money Men and Women-Excitement Among under five per cent. It is the desire Passengers Makes it impossible to of most of the ministers to arrange this satisfactorily, as it is felt that Japan deserves special consideration. New York, June 15.—The wooden The probability is that additional eldewheeler Northfield, which has bonds will be given sufficient to cover

Special Commissioner Rockhill on years, was rammed last night by the behalf of the United States, has agreed steel hulled propeller Mauch Chunk, to add five per cent to the tariff, proused as a ferry boat by the Central vided China would agree to the widen-Railroad of New Jersey. The collision ing and dredging of the Shansi and Pel occurred just off the Staten Island Ho rivers and also to certain tariff

The ministers consider it certain that everything will be ended before passengers, sank at the outer end of July. All the troops except the legathe pier in the East river. The Mauch tion guards will have left by the end of Chunk, which was badly damaged, August. The Germans today will landed two dozen passengers who turn over to the Chinese the winter palace for preparation for occupation by the court.

The director of the Pao Ting Fo railcrews of the fleet of river tugs, which road has been notified to have means of transportation ready to bring 3,000

LAST OF THE WHITECAPS.

Sioux Falls Penitentiary Closes Upon a Kingsbury County Farmer.

Sloux Falls, S. D., June 17 .- The concluding chapter in the now famous Kingsbury county whitecap case was written when the doors of the Sloux Falls penitentiary a day or two ago closed upon a Kingsbury county farmer named Page, who was convicted at a recent term of circuit court in that county for being implicated in the whitecap raid. Last July a party of men went to the home of Nels Sands and dragged him out of the house. After his assailants had beaten him with clubs they fastened a rope around his neck and attempted to hang him. He was cut down before life was extinct. One of his ribs was broken and he was otherwise injured. Early in the present year four of the assailants were convicted of burglary for their connection with the crime and sentenced to terms of ten years each in the Sioux Falls penitentiary, where they now are. Page, another of the Spanish pier. Men and women party, who has just entered the prison, will serve two years.

UNVEIL STATUE OF BISMARCK.

Emperor William Gives the Signal In Presence of Big Gathering of People. Berlin, June 17.-The Bismarck handly obtainable and the wildest sort | veiled at midday in the presence of the Northfield sank to the bottom and of the active houses and the memorial then all who had not jumped to the committee. There was an imposing array of officers, officials, veterans' asso-The swift running flood tide and the ciation, students, etc., and an enormous

PRESIDENT CANNOT ATTEND.

Declines Invitation to Black Hills Quar-

to-Centennial Celebration. Washington, June 17.-Accompanied New York, June 15 .- While the by Commissioner Hermann of the gen-United States transport Ingalls was in eral land office, William S. Warner of the dry dock at the Erie basin, South the Black Hills Pioneer society called Brooklyn, yesterday afternoon, where at the White house Saturday and preshe was about to undergo extensive sented to the president an invitation repairs, she suddenly slipped from to attend the quarto-centennial of the the blocks and capsized. One man is first settlement at Deadwood, July 3 known to have been killed and many to 7. The invitation was engrossed upon a gold tablet. The president

Knights of St. John to Meet. Cincinnati, June 17 .- Reports to the local committees show that every section of the country will be represented here at the 23rd annual international convention of the Knights of St. John, June 24 to 27. The large delegations will attend from Canada and the west. California, Colorado and New Mexico will send commanderies to enter the competitive drills for the world's chambeen about 30 Italian laborers in the pionship. Over \$25,000 has been subscribed to the entertainment fund. An their families is indicated from the letters received.

Rockefeller Spends Day In Worship. Chicago, June 17 .- Sitting on the left of President Harper in the graduate quadrangle tent, John D. Rockefeller worshipped for five successive hours yesterday in attending the diin the decennial celebration of the killed outright. Others were dragged University of Chicago. The session nearly 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and at its conclusion Mr. Rockefeller was to the quiet of Dr. Harper's home to rest and did not appear again during Kwang Si province. the day.

Convention of Zionists.

annual convention of the American Federation of Zionists began here yesterday with a larger attendance than 100 pulpits in Boston yesterday, for ever before in its history. Delegates this was the great occasion and the from every section of the country were practical close of the international jubpresent. The aim of Zionism, as exin Palestine a legal home for the oppressed and persecuted Hebrews of Russia, Roumania and other European countries.

Indians Searching for Black Horn. Pendleton, Ore., June 17.-Half a dozen well-mounted Umatilla Indians are scouring the Blue mountains to the landlady with whom Mrs. Kline capture Black Horn of the Umatilla reservation and a Yakima Indian who tried to murder Brisbow, chief of the was crazed with jealousy, his wife hav-Indian police.

Pour Deadly Volley Into Camp of Victorian Rifles.

ENEMY CAPTURES TWO POMPOMS

British Have Eighteen Killed and Forty-two Wounded-One Hundred and Fifty Taken Prisoners, but Released-Kitchener Sends News.

London, June 17.-Lord Kitchener has cabled from Pretoria under yesterday's date as follows: "Near Welmansrust, 20 miles south of Middleburg, 250 Victorian mounted rifles from General Beaston's column were surprised in camp at Steenkoolspruit by a superior force of Boers at 7:30 a. m., June 12. The enemy crept up to within short range and poured a deadly fire into the camp, killing two officers and 16 men, and wounding four officers wounded. Only two officers and 50 men escaped to General Beaston's camp. The remainder were taken prisoners and released. Two pompoms were captured by the enemy. Full details have not been received."

The serious reverse which Lord the defeat inflicted upon Dewet's force by Elliott's column on June 6, the loss of the guns is regarded as a serious matter which will encourage the Boers to continue the struggle.

More or less fanciful accounts are published on the continent of alleged peace negotiations, but there is nothing in them, and nothing has come of the interview between Mrs. Botha and Mr. Kruger beyond revealing the fact that Mr. Kruger will listen to no proposals unless they are accompanied with a gnarantee of the independence of the republics.

CAILLES ALSO SURRENDERS.

Another Insurgent General In Luzon

Follows Aguinaldo's Example. his men at Santa Cruz, Laguna province, as quickly as possible and there surrender himself and his command to

lock of Illinois; Zamboanga, Ickis of Iowa; Jolo, Whitsett of Misosuri.

JURY UNABLE TO AGREE.

Third Trial of Dr. Kennedy Ends Without a Verdict.

New York, June 17.—The jury which murder of Dolly Reynolds, reported to earth as with a carpet. Judge Newburger yesterday that they could not agree on a verdict. The judge at once discharged the jury and remanded the prisoner to the Tombs. The final ballot stood four for conviction and eight for acquittal. This is Kennedy's third trial for this crime.

Good News for War Department. Washington, June 17 .- Officials of the war department are very well pleased with the prospective surrender of General Cailles, the Filipino insurgent leader. Advices received at the department indicate that this would occur soon. Cailles is a man of considerable influence and with his backing of some hundreds of men has been a neapolis, 2; Des Moines, 1. Denver, 2; menace to the efforts of the military Kansas City, 4. authorities to stamp out the rebellion attendance of over 30,000 knights and in Luzon. His capitulation therefore is regarded with much satisfaction by the authorities here, who say

French Losses In Tenquin. Tacoma, June 17.-The steamship Tacoma brings news from China that vine services of convocation Sunday the French forces in Tonquin have lost four officers and 17 soldiers in a fight along the Tonquin frontier with marof worship lasted from 8 a. m. until auding bands of Chinese aggregating over 500. The Chinese forces include 1,000 regulars who preferred robbery almost exhausted and betook himself to soldiering. Many Chinese women were killed and they were driven into

Close of Y. M. C. A. Jubilee. Boston, June 17 .- The work on be-Philadelphia, June 17 .- The fourth half of the religious life of young men the world over was told in words of eloquence and force from more that ilee convention of the Young Men's plained by the speakers, is to establish | Christian association, which has been in session for nearly a week.

Shoots Three Persons and Self. Roswell, N. M., June 17 .- Arthur Kline, a well known stockman, yesterday shot and killed his wife. Beatrice Kline, dangerously wounded Marshal Maddux and probably fatally wounded was living, who attempted to interfere, and then committed suicide. Kline ing deserted him.

DOWIE TELLS OF WEIRD PLOT

Zion Overseer Says Chicago Physicians Are Trying to Kidnap Him.

Chicago, June 17 .- John Alexander Dowie announced at his meeting in Zion tabernacle yesterday that certain physicians of this city formed a plot to kidnap him, lock him in a detention hospital and beat him on the head and back till he should lose all his reasoning powers and become really insane.

He said that the kidnaping might take place that night and after his services he called a special private meeting of the male members of Zion to take steps to help the Zion guard in protecting him. He also made threats against the physicians that he would do to them as he thought they were says: "That the Harriman combine trying to do to him, unless they shall let him alone and stop calling him a paranolac.

With all this Dowle repeated continincarnated, making way for the end of the world, and he incidentally laid claim to immortality, until such time as his work was accomplished.

Disturbance-Six Expelled. Yankton, S. D., June 17.-The quiet waukee and St. Paul transfer. and at the faculty meeting six were among the various western lines. expelled. Two of these were to have graduated.

SHAW ENDORSES ALLISON.

Governor of Iowa Urges Him to Run for President.

Des Moines, June 17. - Governor Shaw, whose name has frequently been mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination for president in 1904, last night took notice of recent suggestions that Senator Allison be a candidate by sending the following telegram to him: "I notice with much satisfaction that the country is Manila. June 17 .- Colonels Infant taking kindly to the mention of your and Guivar, representatives of General name for the presidency. I hope you Cailles, yesterday signed the name of will encourage its use. I will be more their principal to an agreement to sur- than glad to aid to the best of my abilrender. Under the terms of this agree- ity. Let Iowa and the nation rally to ment General Cailles is to assemble you as never before. Do not say no."

Des Moines, June 17 .- The grain the American authorities. The exact dealers in Des Moines have reports number of his force is uncertain, but from many parts of the state which there will probably be more than 500. Indicate that the oats crop in Iowa most important circuits as follows: after a period of cold and wet weather 326: Total mileage, 55,592." of a panic followed when the hundreds emperor and empress, Prince Herbert Manila, Kinkaid of New Mexico, and has caused trouble. Last year the of passengers realized their danger. Bismarck, Count Von Buelow, Prince Odlin of New Hampshire; Appari, oats crop of Iowa amounted to 130,000, This was only a few minutes before the Hohenlohe, the ministers and members Blount of Georgia; Dagupan, Johnson 000 bushels. Grain men estimate that Leavenworth Excited by Their Purof Michigan; Batangas, Linebarger of it will not be over 75,000,000 bushels Illinois; Nueva Caceres, Carson of Vir- this year. The acreage is less than ginia; Ilollo, Bates of Vermont; Ne- usual. Higher prices are anticipated.

Crickets Become a Plague.

Douglas, Wyo., June 17 .- Clouds of south across the mountains north of peared in the Big Horn country last summer and destroyed the range for listened to the evidence against Dr. hundreds of miles. The insects are Samuel J. Kennedy, accused of the about an inch in length and cover the

Negro Laborer on the Jury. Eldorado, Kan., June 17 .- One of the jurymen already accepted for the trial of Jessie Morrison for the murder of Mrs. Castle is a negro laborer. The attorneys for the state have decided the first one and will introduce only that evidence bearing directly on the tragedy itself.

Baseball Scores Yesterday. National League-St. Louis, 11; Brooklyn, 5. Cincinnati, 0; Pittsburg, 2. Chicago, 4; New York, 4. Western League-St. Paul, 2; Omaha, 3. Min

Boston Lumber Yard Burns. Boston, June 17.-C. W. Leatherbee's lumber yard was burned about 1 they see in it another evidence of the o'clock this morning. There were begeneral disintegration of the insurgent tween 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 feet of dressed lumber, nearly all of which was destroyed.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

Fred Gilbert of Spirit Lake, Ia., won the special trap shooters' trophy at Hendon, Eng.

The chocolate factory of Runkel Brothers, New York, was destroyed by fire Sunday. Loss, \$250,000. The Women's Relief corps of Iowa

has ordered a monument for Jennie Wade, who was killed at Gettysburg while baking bread for union soldiers. Fire at Durant, I. T., Sunday destroyed nine brick and 20 frame buildings in the center of the town. The total loss is \$50,000; insurance, about two-thirds.

A grand stand collapsed at the field day exercises of the Cook County Normal school, Chicago, injuring 17 persons, one of whom, Benjamin Ziegler, was stricken blind and may die. The butchers' strike at San Fran-

cisco was formally ended Sunday. The striking journeymen butchers decided to withdraw their demand that a union card should be displayed in all retail shops.

Mrs. Lulu Prince-Kennedy was found by the Kansas City jury and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary for killing her husband. Her father and brothers are to be tried for conspiracy.

JOINS GREAT RAILWAYS.

Harriman Adds the Milwaukee to His Group.

PUTS AN END TO RATE CUTTING

All Lines West of Chicago In a Mutual Agreement for Profit-Conference In Chicago Practically Assures Completion of Big Deal.

Chicago, June 17.-The Tribune has secured control of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul and that a composite agreement has been made to perfect a community of interests ually his pretensions to be Elijah re- among roads that have tracks enough to twice belt the globe, is generally accepted in railroad circles. The sudden departure of Mr. Harriman for the east, accompanied by President John J. Mitchell of the Illinois Trust and and 38 men, of whom 28 were slightly INVADE THE GIRLS' DORMITORY, Savings bank, was announced in support of the statement that Mr. Mitchell Yankton College Boys Create Midnight and other bankers would furnish the funds for the completion of the Mil-

of this year's routine on College Hill "The meeting of the western officials was broken last week by a number of with Mr. Harriman is believed to have college lads. The girls' dormitory was been the result of the recent contro-Kitchener reports is the first accident entered at midnight, cordwood and versy over control of Northern Pacific of the kind that has happened to the yells aiding in the disturbance. The stock which drove short holders to Australian contingent, and it is sup- awful noise coming at the dead of cover at \$1,000 a share. A few small posed to be due to neglect of proper night, when all were slumbering, was roads out of Chicago are not parties picketing. Although it is offset by too much for some of them and sev- to the agreement, but it is understood eral of the young women were pros- they will consent to anything that will trated from fright. Some have been maintain rates and end the squabble ill since. The boys were arrested that has been kept up in the past "It was asserted that all the roads

west, northwest, and southwest from Chicago to the Pacific coast will be controlled in future by the following interests: Lines west of Chicago to the Pacific coast by Harriman, Kuhn, Loeb & Co., and the Rockefellers; lines northwest from Chicago, by Hill and Morgan; lines southwest from St. Louis, by Gould and the Rockefellers: lines southwest from Chicago, by the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, to which will be added before long the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific. J. Pierpont Morgan and E. H. Harriman, however, will be the real dictators and direct policy to be pursued by these combinations, thus establishing the "community of interests" which has been the plan of Mr. Morgan.

"The railroads interested in the Harriman consolidation, with their mileage, are the following: Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, 6,946 miles; Southern Pacific, 7,614; Union Pacific, 4,439; Northern Pacific, 4,524; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, 6,191; Chicago Seventeen judges have been ap- this year will be poorer than for sev- and Northwestern, 5,077; Chicago, Burpointed to the courts of first instance. eral years. The early promises of the lington and Quincy, 7,180; Missouri life belts on. This state of affairs was statue, facing the column of Victory in Among these appointments there are crop bureau have not been fulfilled, for Pacific, 5,324; Great Northern, 5,127; because the life preservers were not front of the reichstag building, was un-

NEGROES ARE BUYING ARMS.

chase of Revolvers From Soldiers. Leavenworth, Kan., June 17 .- Considerable excitement has been caused gros, Norris of Nebraska; Cebu, Car. The corn crop is in better condition. by what appears to be a scheme of the negroes of Leavenworth to arm themselves with revolvers purchased from soldiers at Fort Leavenworth. crickets are reported to be moving Ever since the burning of Fred Alexander the negroes of Leavenworth have the Laramie plains. The pests apbeen in an ugly mood and conservative men say that the race feeling stirred up at that time may break out any time. The police are doing everything possible to kill this feeling and are assisting the officers at Fort Leavenworth to recover the revolvers.

> Canadian Pacific Trackmen Strike. Vancouver, June 17 .- All of the Canadian Pacific trackmen will go out today, the demand of those in the eastern division for an increase in wages to make this trial much shorter than of 20 cents per day not having been acceded to. Officials of the road stated that the granting of the demand would mean an additional expenditure of \$400,000. Men are being secured to take charge of bridges and portions of the track where surveillance is especially necessary, and it is announced that all trains will be run as usual.

> > New Ministers Ordained. Jamestown, N. Y., June 17.—The ses-

sion of the Augustana synod of the Swedish Lutheran church yesterday was devoted entirely to religious matters rather than to the business of the synod and consisted largely of the ordination of new ministers, among whom were the following: N. A. Almer, Adullam, Neb.; C. W. Andeer, Stratford, Ia.; C. E. Benson, Madrid, Ia.; A. J. Borgstrom, Newman Grove,

Woolley Starts on Globe Trip. Chicago, June 17.-John G. Woolley, prohibition candidate for president in 1900, started last night on a trip around the world for the purpose of collecting data on the liquor traffic and conditions in the countries visited. preparatory to issuing a book on the results of the prohibition movement. Mr. Woolley will sail from San Francisco on the steamer Mariposa

Nebraska Bunday Schools. Hastings, Neb., June 17 .- All preparations are made for the entertaining of the state Sunday school convention. which will be in session here Tuesday. Wednesday and Thursday. An exceptionally large attendance is anticipated and, as there is much important work to be done, the convention promises to be one of great interest.

Trial of Jessie Morrison. Eldorado, Kan., June 15 .- In the trial of Jessie Morrison for the murder of guilty of murder in the second degree Mrs. Olin Castle better progress was made yesterday in selecting jurors and at adjournment it was believed that this evening would see the taking of testimony.

Dropsy

starting in the feet or ankles comes from a weak or diseased heart - a heart that cannot keep up the circulation. The blood then settles in the lower limbs where the watery portions ooze out into surrounding tissues causing bloat and swelling. The heart must be strengthened and built up before the dropsy can be cured to stay; and the best of all heart medicines is Dr. Miles' Heart Cure.

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this country would not see its equal in fifty years. In all but the space occupied, however, the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo this year will excel the great show of 33. This means that more can be seen in the same length of time at the Pan-American and with less of the fatigue and weariness that was unavoidable at the World's Fair.

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