# THE NORFOLK NEWS: FRIDAY, MAY 2, 1902.



Wild Panic in a Cigar Factory

at Philadelphia.

SCORES OF OTHERS INJURED.

Accident to Janitor and False Alarm of Fire Start Mad Rush for the Stairway, While Some Hurl Themselves From the Windows.

Philadelphia, May 1 .- An unfortuate accident to a deaf and dumb boy, Isador Baccus, was directly responsible for the death of eight girls and young women, the fatal injury of three others and the serious injury of more than two score of girls employed in the cigar factory of Harburger, Homan & Co., located at Tenth street and Washington avenue,

The dead are: Mary Geneva, Helen Gross, general merchandise; pank of Tolini, Elizabeth Tarline, Annie Res- Gross and Simms' barn. schneider, Louise DeSept, Ida Green, Annie Ford, Hannah De Poulter.

Fatally injured: Mary Mesino, Jospehine O'Ronco, unidentified woman. The injuries of the others consist mainly of bruises about the body and

fractured limbs. The building in which the disaster occurred is a five story brick struc-

ture and reaches an entire block. Twelve hundred persons were at work at the time of the accident, 90 per cent of whom were girls, whose ages range from 12 years upward. Baccus, who was the janitor of the building, started for the fifth floor for a ball of twine. The elevator was at the top of the shaft and Baccus pulled the rope to bring it down. He opened the door leading to the shaft and leaned forward to see where the carriage was. As he did so, the elevator, which was descending slowly, struck him across the back of the neck, pinioning his head between the elevator and the floor. A boy released Baccus and cried for help. The foreman rushed from the building to call an ambulance and immediately there was a panic guage. Appeal made to Rome." among the employes. Some of the NOISE AROUSES THE CITIZENS, younger girls fainted, while others, not cried fire. Instantly there was a mad rush for the stairway leading to Tenth bend in the exit between the second Crafton, Pa., at 1:30 a.m. and third floors. In their eagerness hundreds of children and young womshricks and screams of terror stricken | condition is serious. girls could be heard for a block or

## GROSS HAS \$30,000 FIRE. **Luciness Portion of Nebraska Town**

Obliterated by Flames. Gross, Neb., May 1 .- The business portion of this town was obliterated

by fire, probably of incendiary origin, Insurgents Surrender and which started in the rear of Korab's saloon at 11 o'clock last night, never ceasing in fury until the work of destruction was complete. The combined efforts of the citizens against

the awful conflagration was of no avail and building after building melted before the roaring flames.

This place was a thriving town, in spite of its having been left out of direct railroad communication, but it will probably not rise from this body

blow The following are the losses, which amount to nearly \$30,000, with but one-third of that amount of insurance. Marcellus restaurant, bowling alley, Korab's saloon, Seller's harness shop, Blair's general store, M. E. Smith & Co., general merchandise; Gross Hardware and Furniture company; B. B.

#### OFFICERS STILL IN PRISON.

Application for Discharge of Americans Held in Venice Is Denied.

Rome, May 1 .- The officers of the United States cruiser Chicago who were arrested at Venice remain in prison there. An application for their discharge has been rejected. The Italian law does not allow the court to grant pardon in cases of assaults on the police.

Washington, May 1.-Secretary Long has received the following tele gram from Captain Dayton of the Chicago, dated Venice, in reply to the department's inquiry: "Doddridge. Wynne, Ledbetter, Kress and one marine, on leave, arrested. Principal charge, resisting police. Serious under Italian law. Sentences: Wynne, four months and ten days; remainder three months each. Have not yet had their full statement or a report from court, but applied for. Resisting arrest largely due to pressing in of crowd and not understanding lan-

being able to control their feelings, Burglars Attempt to Blow Open Safe and Desperate Fight Is the Result.

Pittsburg, May 1.-Five burglars street. The girls rushed down the blew open the safe in Daub & Pressnarrow staircase until they reached a ler's grocery store. Craft avenue,

The explosion aroused the citizens to escape the frightened leaders fell. and a desperate fight ensued between Others immediately following tripped the officers, the citizens and the and in less than a minute there were was shot through the leg and Officer William M. Peak was struck on the en struggling in the passage way. The head with a heavy chisel. The latter's

The burglars finally escaped with more. During the excitement an alarm the cash box containing about \$30. cer Westcott. Joseph Sullivan, be-



Peace Reigns in Island.

ORDER TO POISON SPEAR HEADS.

Lieutenant Shields Says It Was Undoubtedly issued by insurgent Lead. reer and personality of Princess Rader Lukban-Defense in Smith Court-Martial Rests Its Case.

Washington, May 1.-- A cablegram received at the navy department from Rear Admiral Rogers, commander-inchief of the United States naval forces on the Asiatic station, records the work being done by the navy in suppressing the insurrection in Samar. He says under date of Yokohama, April 30:

"Wildes reports 600 insurgents, with 75 rifles, surrendered on the 27th. No more organized bands in arms in Samar. Evans reported on the 27th and hoisted his flag on the Kentucky on the 28th. Harris has been ordered to duty as temporary governor of Olongapo.'

Rear Admiral Evans relieved Rear Admiral Kempff in command of the second division of the Asiatic fleet. H. Shields, Jr., alde-de-camp of General in his opinion, if the Boers will make do as he promised when the strikers Jacob H. Smith, testified at yesterday's an oral concession of defeat the Eng- returned to work on Monday last. session of the court-martial, which is lish will pay them almost any sum to trying the general.

The lieutenant said he knew well the signature of Lukban, the insurgent leader who was captured Feb. 22 by Lieutenant Strebler's Philippine of money to bring about peace in an hour for an eight-hour day. The scouts in the island of Samar. The order issued to poison the natives' spears

was undoubtedly signed by Lukban. The witness also said Lukban confessed to him that he was the author of the proclamation setting forth that German warships were bombarding Vigan and that the Filipino navy was blockading Manila, which was issued to encourage the Filipinos. The defense then rested its case and the court adjourned until Saturday.

# WANT GARDENER AS A WITNESS.

Patterson's Resolution Precipitates Warm Discussion in Senate.

Washington, May 1.- A resolution offered in the senate yesterday by Patterson (Colo.), directing the secretary of war to order by cable Major Gardener, now in the Philippines, to come immediately to Washington to pines committee, precipitated a warm discussion. The debate continued for

about two hours, considerable feeling being manifested on both sides of the minority that the majority members

## PRISON FOR A PRINCESS.

Found Guilty of Forgery and Given a Two-Year Sentence. Cape Town, May 1 .- Princess Radzi-

will, who has been on trial here before gery in connection with notes purporting to have been endorsed by the late Cecil Rhodes, was sentenced yesterday

London, May 1 .- The morning pa-

ziwill. They generally attribute Mr. Rhodes' death to the worry she caused him and to the fact that he was obliged to return to South Africa in the hottest weather to fight this case. In a sketch of the princess, the Daily Telegraph says: Mr. Rhodes lived in alwas always open, says the paper, and his notions of hospitality did not per-As a result Princess Radziwill was a day. frequent, but unwelcome, visitor. The

Daily Chronicle describes the princess as probably the only woman who ever obtained the least influence over Mr. to compel the reinstatement of fellow Rhodes.

### READY TO PAY FOR PEACE.

England Willing to Restore Homes If Boers Will Confess Defeat.

pair the ravages of the war.

ready and anxious to pay a large sum striking carpenters demand 37½ cents South Africa.

Baseball Results Yesterday. National League-New York, 6; Philadelphia, 5. Pittsburg, 7; St.

Louis, 4. American League-Baltimore, 5; Boston, 4. Washington, 7; Philadelphia, 11. Chicago, 4; Cleveland, 0. St. Louis, 1; Detroit, 0. American Association-Indianapolis,

13; Kansas City, 7. Louisville, 13; Milwaukee, 2. Toledo, 1; Minneapolis, 2. Columbus, 8; St. Paul, 6.

Western League-Denver, 5; Kansas City, 6. Omaha, 9; Peoria, 3. Des Moines, 5; Milwaukee, 6. Colorado Springs, 12; St. Joseph, 9.

Dies After Fasting Fifty Days. LaGrange, Ind., May 1 .- Mrs. Mary Hall is dead after fasting for 50 days day of this week. on account of advice given her by a over the struggling mass of humanity thieves. Officer Thomas Westcott appear as a witness before the Philip- doctor more than 25 years ago. At that time she was told that as some future time she would be afflicted with cancer on her nose which would cause her death. Since then she hrs been chamber. The charge was made by the acting in accordance with that opinion and 50 days age she ceased eating, of fire was turned in, but before the They went toward the Steubenville of the committee were endeavoring to saying that the cancer would thus be order was issued to gradually close the engines could reach the scene several pike, with a score of citizens at their suppress facts and information. This driven away. Physicians could not yarn making departments in the Olneyof the occupants of the building had heels. Later three of the burglars was denied by the chairman of the change her mind. A post mortem ex- ville mills. Over 1,200 hands will be rushed to the windows and jumped were captured and identified by Offi- committee, Lodge, who said that such amination revealed the fact that her paid off. The closing of a number of action would be inconceivably stupid. organs were in perfect condition. Cummins the Guest of Honor. Minneapolis, May 1 .-- Governor Cummins was the guest of honor before the Fourth Ward Republican club at its fourth annual banquet last night. The lowa governor discussed the principles for which he said the Republican party stood and contrasted the condition of this nation its commanding position and must not be restricted. The Republican party meant to see that competition was protected.



the supreme court on the charge of for- Thousands of Workmen in Many Sections Idle.

One Line of Industry is Twenty Thousand Woolen Mill Employes. Carpenters in Paterson Out.

Pittsburg, May 1 .- The May day strike fever is on in this city and nearly 12,000 workmen failed to report for duty because their employers have most comic terror of her. His house refused to comply with their demands for advances in wages and shortening of hours, the principal demand of all mit him to deny his door to anyone. the unions being for an eight-hour

Chicago, May 1 .- Seven hundred employes of Morgan & Wright, monufacturers of bicycle tires, went on strike workmen, who, it is claimed, were discharged for joining a labor trion. One hundred of the strikers are girls. South Bend Ind., May 1 .- President Bet of the local Federation of Labor, New York, May 1 .- W. Bourke Coch- has issued an order calling out all ran, who has just returned from a trip | union men at the Singer factories. He Manila, May 1.-Lieutenant George to Rome, Egypt and London, said that, claims that Manager Pine has failed to Paterson, N. J., May 1.-Between 300 restore their destroyed homes and re- and 600 carpenters went on strike here. The electrical workers and hod-In other words, he said, England is carriers are expected to strike. The

> only change in the dyers' helpers' strike was that the dying house of Simpson & Co. signed the proposition submitted by the men. The supply of

silk is becoming very scarce. Miners and Operators Fail to Agree. New York, May 1.-After spending

two entire days in endeavoring to arrive at a settlement of their differences the operators and the United Mine Workers of America, who were brought together by the good offices of the National Civic Federation, have again referred their troubles to the committee on conciliation of that body. When the committee will meet for the purpose of taking the matter up has not been definitely settled, but the probability is that the meeting will take place either tomorrow or Satur-

Weavers' Strike Affects 20,000. Providence R. I., May 1.-An unlooked for development in the affairs of the American Woolen company, in connection with the strike of weavers | being given. in 13 of its mills, came today, when an

MORTON AT REST IN TOMB.

Large Number of People Pay Last Tribute to the Dead.

Nebraska City, Neb., May 1.-The remains of ex-Secretary of Agriculture J. Sterling Morton arrived in this city yesterday morning from Chicago, accompanied by his brother, his sons and a party of intimate friends who have come from all over the country to pay this last tribute to his memory. Upon the arrival of the train the casket was taken through a long line of people to the hearse. The procession formed and moved north on Sixth street to Main, thence west again to Eleventh and east to the public library, where the body lay in state until 11:30 o'clock.

The floral tributes received were many and very elaborate. The remains were taken to his home at Arbor Lodge at about 11:30, where they were visited by another large coterie of neighbors and friends. The services at the house were conducted by Rev. F. W. Eason, Lincoln, assisted by Rev. A. E. Knickerbocker of this city. The funeral procession left the house at about 3:15. The procession was over a mile and a half long. The services at the grave were short and simple and soon all that wyas mortal of Julius Sterling Morton was lowered into the ground to be seen by mortal man no more.

Deitrich Amends Cuban Bill.

Washington, April 26.-Senator Deitrich yesterday introduced an amendment to the bill recently introduced by himself providing for reciprocal trade relations with Cuba. As originally introduced the bill provided for a return to Cuba of 25 per cent of the money collected as port duties on Cuban goods brought into the United States for the purpose of making internal improvements in Cuba. The amendment submitted yesterday gives the alternative of using 25 per cent of the import collections in the purchase of land in Cuba for coaling stations. Senator Deitrich says that he has been assured that with this addition the bill will be valid.

Railroads Will Fight Injunction. Chicago, May 1 .- The Record-Herald says: Control of the rate situation by means of injunctions against a small number of railroads has been declared a failure by the management of the lines now resting under restraining orders. Owing to this fact the 12 roads against which restraining orders have been issued have decided to fight the issuance of a permanent order when the matter shal be called for hearing before Judge Grosscup June 23. This decision has been reached because of the existing suspicion that rates are being cut by lines not enjoined and that preferences of various kinds are

Packers Out of the Market.

Chicago, May 1 .- The Record-Herald says more live stock was carried over unsold at the yards last than on any

to two years' imprisonment in the WAGES MAIN CAUSE OF DISPUTE. house of correction.

pers comment upon the remarkable ca- Largest Number of Strikers in Any

street, a distance of over 50 feet. Helen Tolini, one of those to lieved to be the leader of the gang. All parties, he insisted, were anxious jump, was almost instantly killed.

Firemen Add to Their Terror. When the firemen and policemen ar-

rived every effort was made to quiet the terrorized girls. The firemen rushed up the stairway and begged the girls to be calm, telling them there was no danger, but the sight of the firemen seemed only to add to their terror. While the policemen and firemen were endeavoring to quiet the girls on the stairway, ladders were being run up on the outside of the building and the employes who had climbed out onto the fire escapes and window ledges were quickly taken to the street. After a few minutes the men were enabled to check the awful crush on the stairway, and then began the work of rescuing those who had been trampled and crushed between the the past few days there has been a second and third floors. The alarm for marked decrease in the Chinese popuambulances had been turned in and as lation of San Antonio. Establishquick as the dead and injured could ments run by Chinese have been closed hurried to hospitals. The number of peared. Laundries that have been in and patrol wagons were brought into doned and the employes have gone. ment.

about the structure was heartrending. lice are at a loss to account for the The building is located in a section exodus. largely inhabited by Hebrews, many of whom were caught in the terrible erush. Parents and relatives of the unfortunate girls were screaming and strain them entering the building.

Moody Succeeds Long.

Washington, May 1 .-- Secretary Long closed his official career as the day. Affairs progressed as usual and leave of the retiring secretary, No- stantly. ticeable among the day's callers were Secretary Hay and Mr. Moody, Secretary Long's successor. It has been arranged that Secretary Moody shall assume the duties as secretary of the navy today. Very few changes will department. Mr. Moody forwarded his rica. resignation as representative from the Sixth district to the governor of Massachusetts. It is dated May 1. He his action.

#### Former Express Messenger Arrested.

Burilngton, Ia., May 1 .- W. B. Mahonnah, formerly an express messenis said to be in connection with the theft of a \$20,000 package consigned from a Chicago bank to this city. The arrest follo ed an attempt to get the government to redeem money that was partly burned.

creek.

Town Marshal Shot and Killed. England, Ark., May 1.-Town Marshal Sam B. Weaver was shot and killed by Dr. W. E. Allen last night. The right arm of Arthur Young, a bystander, was broken by a stray shot. Dr. Allen was seriously wounded in the hip by Weaver. Dr. Allen was arrested about ten days ago by Weaver. Witnesses state that the two men met of the Rosebud reservation in South and after some angry words. Allen pulled his pistol and shot Weaver four times. As Weaver fell he pulled his pistol and shot Allen in the hip and expired.

#### Mysterious Exodus of Chinese,

San Antonio, Tex., May 1.-Within be carried from the building they were up and the proprietors have disapambulances was entirely inadequate operation for years have been abanuse to carry the victims away for treat- no one outside of the Chinese who are still here knows where, and they While this was going on the scene refuse to disclose anything. The po-

#### Carnegie Goes to Scotland.

New York, May 1 .- Andrew Carnegle left yesterday on the steamship rushing about the streets like mad. St. Louis for his estate in Scotland. and it was almost impossible to re- with him were Mrs. Carnegie, Miss Carnegie and James Bertram, his private secretary.

#### Fills Heart With Lead.

Osceola, Neb., May 1 .- E. L. Chenohead of the navy department yester- with, a young farmer living about two miles from town, committed suicide the event was unmarked save by the yesterday by shooting himself through calling of many friends to take official the heart with a shotgun, dying in-

#### Delarey Story Is Denied.

London, May 1 .- There is no truth In the report circulated in the United States yesterday that General Delarey, with three Boer commands, has surfollow the change in the head of the rendered to the British in South Af-

#### SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

Chief Engineer Francis Cadwallader also sent a communication to the Dade, U. S. N., retired, died at Philaspeaker of the house notifying him of delphia Wednesday of heart disease.

An official British estimate of the total cost of the South African war to March 31, 1903, places the amount at nearly £223,000,000.

ger, has been arrested here by govern- H., said to be the birthplace of the were excluded from Russia, was The Wilson homestead at Mason, N. ment secret service men. His arrest original "Uncle Sam," was sold at auction Wednesday for \$1,500.

> The annual congress of the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution convened in Washington Wednesday with about 200 delegates present.

was caught while swimming Chartiers | for the fullest information, but he and others contended that it would not be advisable to cable to the Philippines for Major Gardener, as he was about to come home and would be here in time to appear before the committee. Patterson and Carmack urged that Gardener's testimony was particularly important and that it ought to be had before action was taken on the pending bill. The resolution finally went over for a day. The bill for the purchase Dakota and the sundry civil appropriation bill were considered, but no action was taken on them.

#### PLASTIC KIND OF PEOPLE.

Filipinos Not Ready for Self-Govern ment, but Not Hard to Control. Washington, May 1 .- Major General MacArthur gave further testimony before the senate committee on the Philippines. He explained his statement that absolute chaos would result should independence be given the Fillpinos and the United States forces be withdrawn, by saying that the people of the Philippines, being less prepared for self-government than any of the Latin-American republics at the time of their emancipation from Spain, their own unsided efforts would in all probability prove abortive.

The people of the Philippines, he said, have rudimentary ideas and aspirations, and are therefore in an essentially plastic condition, which, under the control of the United States, would, in his opinion, admit of a rapid molding of the body politic into a consistent, self-supporting commonwealth. American withdrawal from the islands would, in his opinion, result in the permanent failure of republican institutions in the east and a fratricidal war, which would continue until suppressed by some exterior force.

#### House Passes Agricultural Bill.

Washington, May 1 .- The house yesterday passed the agricultural appropriation bill and began consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill, the last but two of the regular supply measures. By the terms of a special rule adopted before the District bill was taken up, it will be in order to attach a rider to it to make operative the existing personal tax law of the District, which has been a dead letter for 20 years. Chairman Cannon estimated that there was \$100,000,000 of initiaxed personal property in Washington. The Goldfogle resolution, calling on the secretary of state for informaadopted.

#### Tiffanys Are Divorced.

New York, May 1.-Announcement was made that Mrs. Marle H. Tiffany ine, the Russian minister of the intehad been granted an absolute divorce rior, April 15, has been sentenced to from Perry Tiffany at Riverhead, L. L

First to Use Pneumatic Power.

Topeka, May 1 .- On June 1 John Player, superintendent of machinery and motive power, will close 12 years' Player was the first man in the world ments used in railroad shops.

#### Chicago Jewelry Firm Fails.

Chicago, May 1 .- The wholesale jewelry firm of Moore & Evans, one of the largest in the west, was placed in the hands of a receiver yesterday. It has been rumored for some time that the bankruptcy. Liabilities are \$175,000;

#### Morgans Are Ready.

London, May 1.-The Morgans, who had until today the option of confirming or withdrawing from the provisional agreement by which the White Star their part of the agreement.

Battleship Illinois Sails for Europe, poned until May 20. New York, May 1.-The United States battleship Illinois sailed yesterday with Rear Admiral A. S. Crowninshield

St. Petersburg, May 1.-Balschaneff, the man who assassinated M. Sipiagudeath. He will be hanged May 3.

mills in other cities has stopped the demand for yarns. It is estimated that this strike at present affects 20,-000 persons.

#### Illinois Miners Idle.

Springfield, Ills., May 1.-Miners and operators of the Chicago and Alton subdistrict met yesterday at Auburn in an endeavor to settle the questions the country in 1860, when it came into left open by the state conference of power, with that of today. Regarding miners and operators. They were untrusts, he said competition had given successful and all the mines in this district, including Auburn, Chatham, Divernon, Green Ridge, Carlinville and Girard, will be idle until an agreement is reached. From 1,500 to 2,000 miners are involved.

#### Score of Firemen Overcome.

Seattle, Wash., May 1.-Yesterday afternoon fire broke out in a sub-baselabor with the Atchison, Topeka and ment on First avenue, used for storage Santa Fe railroad. The office will be- purposes by a retail furniture firm, come vacant with his retirement. Mr. and 26 firemen were overcome by the smoke and fumes generated by the into use pneumatic power in connection fammable material. It became neceswith the various mechanical imple- sary to dig through four feet of masonry from an adjoining basement to reach the seat of the flames. The overcome firemen were taken into the

open air and physicians revived them.

Awful Death of a Woman. Detroit, May 1 .- Crazed by the death of her 3-year-old child from scarlet firm was in a bad way and as creditors fever on March 19, Mrs. Adeline Sage began to hurry in their claims the of this city arose from her bed last company decided to go into voluntary | night and poured a can of kerosene oil over herself and ignited it. When the nearest physician arrived the last little flames were dying out on the woman's charred body.

Blaze at Fargo.

Fargo, N. D., May 1 .- Fire which started at 10:30 last night destroyed several business houses before it was brought under control. The Masonic Canada and Mexico, which met yester. temple and the new opera house block day. The convention will be in secsion were on fire at one time, but the blazes were quickly extinguished. The loss is estimated at \$30,000; partially insured.

#### Mining Suit Is Postponed.

New York, May 1 .- By consent of counsel on both sides the hearing set line was to enter the Atlantic ship- for yesterday, in the suit brought by ping combine, have notified that line E. Rollins Morse of Boston against of their intention to carry through the Montana Ore Purchasing company to determine the division of ownership in the Michael Davitt lode, was post-

Barges Go to the Bottom. New York, May 1 .- The tugboat Volon board to take command of the Euro- unteer has reached this port after pean station and to take part in the having lost the barges Henry Hughes naval ceremonies at the coronation of and Baxter off Penfield reef, Long Isl-King Edward. She is commanded by and sound. One boy on board the Henry Hughes was lost.

> Queen Rapidly Recovering. The Hague, May 1,-The morning bulletin regarding the condition of quiet night and feverless periods were | number will cat meat during the next more frequent.

previous day this year. Representatives of packers spent over an hour looking the markets over before they took hold to any important extent. Then they bought about 8,000 out of the 18,000 head of cattle received and drew out of the market. At the close of business there were 10,000 cattle left over unsold and half as many hogs.

#### Daughters of Revolution Elect.

Denver, April 25.-The Daughters of the Revolution elected the following officers: President general, Miss A. W. Sterling, New Jorsey; first vicepresident general, M.ss S. A. Hunt, Massachusetts; second vice president general, Miss Graham, New York; recording secretary general, Miss C. M. Moody, Pennsylvania: treasurer general, Mrs. George W. Hodges, New York; corresponding secretary general, Miss Emma G. Page, New York.

#### Boy Dragged to Death.

Bradshaw, Neb., May 1 .- The 13year-old son of Charles Seuff, while watering a horse, met with a frightful death. The boy had the halter fastened about his body. The horse became frightened and ran and the rope tightened. The boy was dragged several rods, when his older brother came to his assistance. He was yet alive when released from the rope, but before medical aid could reach him he died.

Indiana Republicans Name Ticket. Indianapolis, April 25 .- The Republican state convention adjourned last night after nominating the following ticket: Secretary of state, Daniel E. Storms; auditor, David E. Sherrick; treasurer, N. H. Hill; attorney general, Charles L. Miller; judge of supreme court, John H. Gillett.

#### Judge Indicted for Forgery.

Sioux Falls, S. D., April 25 .- The United States grand jury returned an indictment against Edwin M. Starcher, county judge of Gregory county, for the alleged forgery of a final proof paper covering a quarter section of government lands.

### Relations to Be Resumed.

Budapest, April 30 .- The lower house of the Hungarian diet yesterday ratified the Austria-Hungarian commercial and consular treaty with Mexico, which lapsed in 1867 and had not since been renewed.

Pollceman John P. Nolan tried to arrest Michael Devaney at Chicago for wife-heating and was shot. He then led the police in an assault on the house, and was again shot. Devaney was caught and beaten into submission.

An agreement has been entered into among the 2,000 employes of the Chicago and Alton shops in Bloomington, Queen Wilhelmina says she passed a lils., which provides that none of their 30 days.

# Assassin Sentenced to Death.

Captain Converse.

ing the annual meeting of the International Association of Rallway Surgeons, comprising the United States, three days.

assets, \$100,000. Railway Surgeons Meet. St. Louis, May 1.-Several hundred of the most distinguished surgeons of North America are in St. Louis attend-