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ROYAL SALARY GRAB

William Evidently Proparing For the Proverbial Rainy Day.

HE SAYS HE NEEDS MORE MONEY.

And That His Services Are Worthy Some Substantial Recognition.

ANOTHER VIEW OF THE CASE.

Progressists Think His Income Already Large Enough,

AND WILL OPPOSE AN INCREASE.

Proceedings in the Reichstag-A Step in the Direction of Religious Toleration-The Bi-metalliq Question.

He Wants More Money. (Copyright 1889 by New York Associated Press.) BEELIN, Feb. 9.-In the lower house of the Prussian diet to-day the emperor's civil list passed a second reading after a debate, in which the progressists repeatedly protested against increasing the imperial allowance by 35,000,000 marks. They had no difficulty in proving that the wealth of the imperial family is already enormous, the emperor having at his disposal not only his revenue of 13,250,000 marks, but also other resources from his family domains. The Hofkammer, which administers the domains, is charged with the care of the crown edifices, forests, and lands, and the collection of rents, for the lands are so extensive as to require division into seventy-

ber of farms. The supporters of the bill could not show any necessity for an increase of the imperial ncome. They rested their demand upon the argument that as the emperor's functions and work were increasing, his revenue ought to be enlarged.

seven stewardships, each comprising a num-

The emperor's health is again delicate. With a renewal of the severe weather, his ear troubles have been aggravated. Dr. Bergmann has been specially summoned three times this week. The emperor rises at 5 o'clock. He makes his children share his own severe regime. princes are roused at The o'clock, and often breakfast with their father at 6:30. Their lessons begin at 7 o'clock. The crown prince has just ob tained his first grade in the army, having been appointed gefreite, a position similar to that of corporal. He has now his own suite of rooms and household. Twice daily he is instructed in military drill with his brothers. He is allowed one and a half hours daily for play

Dr. Windthorst has given notice that he will offer a motion to insert in the acts regulating the judicial condition of countries under German protection, guaranties of liberty of conscience to natives and foreign-

volve upon a female. Vienna court advices assert that Emperor Francis Joseph avoids facing the succession difficulty. The Archduke Francis, the presumptive crown prince, suffers severely from epilepsy. He himself desires to live in quietness and obscurity. The emperor detests the next brother, the Ar chduke Otto, the scamp who so brutally treated his wife, the Princess Marie, of Saxony, that she recently entreated herrelatives to give her shelter and procure a separation for her. The Kreuz Zeitung says that the Samoa onference will begin on Thursday next, and that the United States will be represented by Chapman Coleman, first secretary of the American legation. Prince Bismarck is indisposed. The public prosecutor has rescinded his rder confiscating the number of the Deutsche Rundschau which contains Prof. Geffeken's extracts from the late Emperor

Frederick's diary. The action brought by the family of Prof. Geffeken for the purpose of placing him under tutelage has been withdrawn, the professor's nervous balance having been restored. Prince Leopold, son of the Red Prince,

will be received into a Free Masons' lodge on Wednesday next. The number of the Contemporary Review

containing the article entitled "The Bismarck Dynasty," circulates freely here. No order to confiscate it has been issued. The article is treated with contempt by the newspapers, both conservative and liberal.

The equipment of the East Africa expedition includes twelve Krupp guns of light cal-

The Prussian railways will reduce the freight tariff for export goods, on April 1, about 39 per cent.

EDGERTON WOULDN'T RESIGN.

Choosing Rather to Suffer Official Decapitation. WASHINGTON, Feb. 9,-The president to-day

sent to the senate the nomination of Hugh S Thompson, of South Carolina, to be United States civil service commissioner in place of Alfred P. Edgerton, removed. Judge Edgerton was at the capitol this afternoon. He said that he had received no intunation from

the president to remove him from the office until yesterday, when he called at the white house. The president then requested him to resign his office in order that it might be filled by Thompson. The president said that there was little hope of securing a place for Thompson as long as there was no suitable vacancy in the commission. Edgerton, however, declined to resign, holding that his re-

signation would not be politic or creditable to nimself, or calculated to help any other person, intimating that Thompson would not be confirmed if nominated. Of course the president might exercise his prerogative if he saw fit. The president did see fit, and when he (Edgerton) reached his office this morning he found the following letter awaiting him: EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON, Feb.

9.—Dear Sir: You are hereby removed from the office of United States civil service com-GROVER CLEVELAND. missioner. Hon, A. P. Edgerton. When the news was communicated to Com-

ussioner Lyman that officer was surprised. and found himself in a predicament, as he was by no means satisfied that he had was by no means satisfied that he had authority, single handed, to discharge the formal duties of the civil service commis-sion. Edgerton says he cannot recall any differences with the president during his term of office, except those growing out of what he describes as "the fact that the pres-ident is the first much much land while

FOR SPIRITUAL GUIDANCE. General Harrison Presented With a Magnificent Bible. INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 9 .- There is a lull in cabinet speculation, and the situation remains practically unchanged. There is no longer any doubt of Mr. Blaine's acceptance of the state portfolio. Opposition to ex-Secretary Windom for the treasury portfolio is developing to a certain extent. Colonel John C. New is regarded by a number of politicians as having a fair prospect of being, offered the streasury,

but there are others who assert that he is booked for the Austrian mission. There has been considerable talk about United States District Judge Woods for a cabinet place, but that gentleman stated to day that he had no such aspirations. This afternoon over one hundred members

of the Marion County Tippecanoe club called on General Harrison for the purpose of pre-senting him with a costly and ele-gant bible, purchased by the club senting him with a costly and ele-gant bible, purchased by the club some time ago. The binding was specially designed for General Harrison. On the blank pages were recorded the names of 130 veterans who have gone from earth, and the signatures of 121 members who par-ticipated in the gift. They were received in-formally by the general. The sacred book was placed before the president-elect, and Rev. Dr. Henry made a brief but eloquent presentation address, in the course of which he invoked the guidance of divine wisdom and strength for the general for the new and arduous dutics he is about to undertake. General Harrison responded, thanking the veterans for the many evi-dences they have given him of respect and affectionate regard, both now and in the and the signatures of 121 members who par

affectionate regard, both now and in the past. He concluded as follows : "I can hope to escape just criticism in the discharge of the enormous and complicated duties which are soon to devolve upon me, but I do hope that I shall escape fatal

error, and that it will appear, when my inadequate and brief work is done, that I have set before me as the pole star of my I have set before he as the pole star of my public life a pariotic purpose to promote the true glory of our country and the highest good of our people. God bless you, every one. May the consolations of this holy book fill your lives with peace, and make the last the best day of all your honorable lives." At the conclusion of the general's touching words the veteraes passed along silently and

grasped his hand, many of them nearly in tears. The scene was one of the most solemn and impressive ever witnessed in the Harrison residence. DIECKMANN WANTED TO DIE.

A Sensational Story of the St. Louis Absconder.

Sr. Louis, Feb. 9 .- The total amount of Dieckmann's indebtedness is now understood to reach \$200,000. This represents an inheritance of the seven Meyer heirs and three Guy heirs. The Mauntel-Borgess Milling company has not suffered heavily, nor will his creditors here and in Chicago among the speculative fraternity, be hurt by their losses. The mothers of the children who have been so cruelly wronged are the chief bondsmen of Dieckmann, so that their loss will be total, or nearly so. John Meyer, one of the Meyer heirs, has attached 120,006 shares of the capital stock of the Ruby Trust Mining company. This, together with \$11,000 stock in the Mauntel-Borgess Milling company, are the only visible assets to be placed against the heavy gap of his shortage. Dr. Frank L. James, physician of Dieck-

mann, tola a sensational story of the ab-sconder before his flight to Canada. He says sconder before his light to Canada. He says that Dieckmann came hurriedly into his of-fice Monday afternoon and locked the door after him. He then asked the doctor for something he could take to kill himself with. He said he had betrayed and robbed those who had trusted him, and the only way out of it was by sui-cide. The doctor tried to dissuade him, and told him he could do nothing for him. The doctor tried to learn the particulars of his trouble but Dieckmann would not tell him

WITHOUT THE CRISIS Parliamentary Day Passes and Floquet Still Rules.

SCRUTIN D'APRONDISSEMENT. Now Almost Certain That the Chamber Will Vote It.

THE QUESTION OF REVISION

Sure to Be Rejected by the Members of the Senate. .

ASKS FOR THEIR SUPPORT.

The Premier Appeals to Those Who Share in His Opinions For Some Evidence of Their Allegiance.

The Ministerial Upheaval Averted. [Copyright 1889 by James Gord in Bennett,] PARIS, Feb. 9.-[New York Herald Cable

-Special to THE BEE. |-As the European edition of the Herald predicted, parliamentary day yesterday passed off without giving rise to a ministerial crisis. Floq uet, aftor hesitating as to the attitude of the cab inet on the question of giving the priority to the scrutin arrondissement project, or to that of the revision, finally made up his mind to ask the chamber to fix Monday for discussion of the former and to place the second on the order of the day for the Thursday following. In his speech yesterday Floquet dwelt on the necessity of deciding concerning electoral reform, which under the present circumstances is a weapon the republicans stand in need of, in order to successfully resist the adversaries of republican institutions. He added that he proposed to remain faithful to his programme, which is that of

the radicals, and that the question of revision would be taken hold of immediately after the scrutin d'arrondissement, and declared that he could not think of remaining in office unless those who shared his opinions gave him their mark of contidence. The radicals divided into two camps. M. Pinchon made himself the mouthpiece of those who, out of deference to Floquet, consented to adjourn the discussion of revision until after the scrutin de liste. Camille Pelletan, on the contrary, mounted the tribune and said he would not allow the ministry to make this a cabinet question, and urged that each deputy should preserve the liberty of this vote. Finally the cabinet came out victorious, and by 279 votes to 231 the chamber decided that the scrutin d'arrondissement bill should be discussed on Monday and that the question of revision be put before the chamber on Monday week. It is now almost certain that the chamber will vote the scrutin d'arrondissement. As to the revision it seems pretty sure to be voted by the chamber, for the right and the radicals, and probably a good number of the opportunists, have agreed to vote for it, but it is certain to be rejected by the senate.

revise the tariff, the board has called a meet-ing of the general managers of all Kausas railroads on February 19, to confer with the board on the matter. The Leavenworth Coal company has filed with the board a sim-SIX ilar complaint, nileging that the rate for a 400 mile haul in this state is \$3.70 per ton, and in Illinois only \$1.60.

IOWA NEWS.

The Billings' Murder Case.

DES MOINES, IA., Feb. 9.-|Special Tele-gram to THE BEE.|-The Billings' murder case is being exhaustively argued in the lowa supreme court, the accused being a constant and close listener to the argument. Eaton, of Waverly, counsel for Billings, finished his argument for a rehearing this morning. He was followed by County Attorney Dawson, of Bremer county, who presented the argument of the prosecution. The clean revolver found in Billings' overcoat pocket in Kingsley's office; the revolver with empty cartridges found under Kingsley's body; the cartridges, etc., were shown to the judge of the supreme court, who handled them with evident interest. The theory of the state is that Kingsley could not have had powder burns down to the end of his nose if he had committed suicide. Following him, Attorney General Stone made a very clear and strong argument for the state, contend-ing that Billings' mental qualities were just such as to lead to such a shrewd and intricate plot as had been woven about the mur-dered man. The case then went over till Monday.

Will Sue the Sheriff.

BURLINGTON, Ia., Feb. 9.- [Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-The Burlington liquor war is ended for a time. The Temperance Alliance won a complete victory at Ediapolis to-day. The cases of Werthmulier & Ende and Berthold Bosch, the brewers whose goods were seized last week, were tried. The defendants allowed them to go by default. One hundred and fifty barrels and twenty-five kegs of liquor were ordered destroyed. It is said that the threatened legal proceedings against Sherifi Fullerton and his surcties will be pushed with vigor by the attorneys of Delahoey & Purdy. This firm, one of the oldest and largest in the state, is convinced that the seizure of their stock was unwarranted and illegal, and are determined to learn whether the decisions of the United States supreme court or the arbitrary in-structions of the Temperance Alliance con-stitute the highest law in the land.

Keokuk Saloon Men Raided.

KEOKUK, Ia., Feb. 9.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-Encouraged by the decision of the supreme court in the original package case. Marshal Haidin is pushing things against the dealers. On Thursday he took from Gus Leisy & Co. ninety-eight oneeighth kegs, and from Pope & Gilleer the following packages of liquors: Two one-eighth kees of beer, one case of bottled beer, one dozen bottles of beer in a sack, three one-gallon jugs of whisky and two half-gal lon jugs of whisky.

Mrs. Brown Becoming Nervous.

MASON CITY, Ia., Feb. 9.--[Special Telegram to THE BEE,]--Fourteen days has been occupied in the hearing of the Brown murder trial, and the end is not yet. The attornevs for the defense closed their pleas to night, and J. J. Clark will occupy all Monday in closing for the state. The judge's instruc and is awaited with much interest. Mrs. Brown manifests more anxiety to-night than ever before.

Will Accept the June Schedule.

any spasmodic effort. DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 9.- [Special Tele-Corbin's amendment will solve the school gram to THE BEE. |- The railway commisfund problem. All of those funds, after this sioners settled the complaint of the Council mendment is adopted will be taken up b Bluffs board of trade against the Northwes ern railroad by a decision to-day that the road would accept their schedule of rates of June 28, with the western classification. The charge was unreasonable and discriminating rates to the prejudice of Council Bluffs.

THE WAR IN SAMOA. Accounts of a Recent Battle Between Germans and Natives.

FRANCISCO, Feb. 9.-A Hawaiian paper which has been received here contains an account of a recent battle between the Germans and natives of Samoa, written by Hiram Kaumialli, a native Hawaiian, who is located at Apia, and who witnessed the bat tle. He stated that the natives were prepared for the attack, as they had heard that the Germans had formed a plan to capture King Mataafa and carry him off. When the German boats approached the shore, the natives hailed them, but the only answer they received was the cracking of shots from revolvers, and immediately the battle begun at 6 o'clock in the morning and continued

until 9. On Mataafa's side seven were killed and thirty one wounded during the principal bat-tle. After this light German spy-glasses were directed on the shore, and eight Samoans were seen around a fire. A shell was immediately fired among these people, and when it burst it killed seven, making a total loss to the natives of fourteen. On the Gorman side twenty-one were killed. Among these six had their heads cut off, and their

bodies were buried seperately. The number of wounded was forty-eight. Tamasese did not come out. The path on which he was expected was obstructed. The Germans set fire to the Samoan houses. The letter, which is written under date of January I, continues: "It is now said that German war ships are going to Tutuila, where a United States coaling station is located, to shell the houses, and when that is done they are going over to Savoy to burn it. The American war feeling is very strong,

and if the British was like it this war would soon cease. NEBRASKA NEWS.

Awe Inspiring Phenomena.

MADISON, Neb., Feb. 9 .- [Special to THE BEE.]-The grandest display of "mock suns," ever witnessed here, occurred this morning (February 6) at sunrise. The phenomenon was awe inspiring and beautiful beyond feeble words to express, and lasted fully ten minutes. One ray, or bar as it appeared to the naked eye, apparently sprung out of a high bluff

directly under the sun, extending about half a mile westward to a slight elevation on which it appeared to rest, spanning the intervening valley like a narrow foot bridge. Two other rays appeared almost instantan eously, of equal magnitude and brilliancy,

higher up the horizon also extending in a westerly direction, one on each side of and separated from the sun about 15°, suspended in space, and not reaching the earth like the first one During the period of their existence they

hung the valley gradually diminishing in size and intensity until they fade laway. On the appearance of the sin the first ray, bar or span, or whatever it was, came out of the bluff, as it were, by slow graduation, widening and legthening until it reached the extreme western limit where it seemed to enter the ground and there remained fully five minutes.

Legislative Gossip.

BEE.]-The members tried in vain to hold a

Saturday afternoon and Monday forenoon

session. The babit of going home had be-

come so strong that it could not be broken by

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 9.-[Special to THE

sky entirely free from clouds.

and only recently turned up. The atmospheric conditions this morning were favorable or the production and ob-servance of perhelion displays, the thermometer (one purchased of the United States gov-ernment) registering 25° below zero and the

until to-day, when a hunter named Keller reported that his party had discovered their bodies. All of the Mexicans had been shot and were somewhat cut up by knives, showing that the struggle was a hand to hand one. There were evidences that the victorious party had lost three or four men, and they had made a hasty departure, carrying the dead and wounded with them. What surprised the hunter most

was to find that the mine had recently been worked. It is not known

LIKE A FAIRY TALE The Story Which Comes From Wyoming.

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EIGHT MEXICANS FOUND DEAD.

They Had Followed the Tracings of

a Chart

LOOKING FOR A FABLED MINE.

Fate Led Them to Graves Instead of Gold.

MURDERED BY OTHER SEEKERS.

The Assassins Secure the Mystic Symbols and Go in Quest of

> Wealth of Which Legend Tells,

Romance of a Search. CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 9.-The discovery of the bodies of eight Mexican prospectors at the mouth of the abandoned San Salvador

mine, in the northern part of Wyoming, has brought to light a romantic story, rivalling ail the tales about seekers for Captain Kidd's buried treasures.

Miguel Martinez, at the head of a party of his countrymen, was here last fall for two days. He confided to a Mexican gambler here that they were in search of an abandoned gold mine, which they believed to be rich in metal and were going to develop.

Martinez carried a chart traced on parchment, which they said was 200 years old and was made by an ancestor of his in the seventeenth century. The chart had been lost for seventeen years, but recently turned up, and at once a party was organized.

The story that had run through the family for generations was that Martinez the elder was at the head of a band of Spanish gold hunters, who were working a rich mine somewhere in this part of the country. The miners quarrelled and finally fought, and their division resulted in the abandonment of the mine, though it was very

rich. Martinez was wounded and died on the way home. With his blood he traced a chart, which was to be a rich legacy to his children. A faithful friend delivered the document, which soon afterward was lost,

Martinez's descendent was told of two mines up north that minerologists have declared were worked by Spaniards hundreds of years ago. His party was not heard of

the free exercise of public worship and the right of the missionary propaganda. The motion has the semblance of a simple declaration in favor of religious toleration but concealed under the recognition of this general principle, the center party aims at obtaining the assent of the reichstag to the Jesuit propaganda in the colonies.

A similar attempt was made in 1885, when the order of St. Esprit, affiliated with the Jesuits, demanded the assent of the government to the founding of missions in West Africa. Prince Bismarck then replied that the religious orders forbidden in Germany were prohibited in the colonies. The Na tional Press, discussing Dr. Windthorst's motion, declares that the attitude of the government will be found to be unchanged; that the government will not refuse the fullest liberty to the Catnolic propaganda, but that the Jesuits, being recognized as a danger to German interests, in view of the society's character as an active international agent. cannot be allowed any footing in the colonies as that would open the door for their admis sion into Germany.

Regarding the unsettled question of bi metalism in the reichstag. a majority, composed of conservatives, free conservatives and centrists, are not satisfied with the waiting attitude of the government, and want the chancellor to initiate negotiations for an international conference on the ratio of gold and silver. Should England delay action on the recom mendations of the bi-metallic members of the English currency commission, and failing carly government action, Herrn, Helldorf, Mirbach and Kardorff will, on the reopening of the house, introduce a resolution calling upon the government to convoke a conference. During Thursday's debate Herr Bamberger made a powerful statement in sup port of the gold standard. He held that the present prosperity of Germany was greatly due to the abandonment of bi-metalism, and showed that the country held gold stock, including bullion in the Reichbank and private banks, and the war treasure in the fortress at Spandau, amounting to \$00,000,000 marks, the Reichsbank alone holding 400,000,000. Business, especially finance, was booming he said, and all countries were coming to Germany for loans. His arguments failed to impress the majority in favor of the bi metallism, which is determined to push the question to a division of the house. The position of Herr Scholz, Prussian minister of finance, is seriously menaced, owing to his advocacy of the gold standard.

Both the emperor and Prince Bismarck have held a long conference with Lord Charles Beresford. During the interview the conversation turned upon England's state of preparation for war against the combined naval forces of France and Russia. Prince Bismarck, it is reported, advised Lord Charles that an Anglo-French was as nearly probable as war between France and Germany, one and if the Boulanger clique saw a possibility of beating England by a sudden attack, they would prefer the risk to taking the chances of the terrible results of a defeat by Germany. Prince Bismarck declared his readiness to conclude a defensive alliance with England. He told Beresford to strongly represent to his government the urgent necessity that England should put her "house in order."

Snow has been falling incessantly since Wednesday throughout central Germany, Railway traffic is interrupted and several trains are embedded in the snow.

In discussing the Austrian succession, the general press expresses the opinion that Emperor Francis Joseph will recognize the validity of the provisions of the Pragratic sanction, that only in case of a total extinction of the male line shall the succession de-

ident is the first mugwump in the land, while I am a straight-out democrat." He intends to write a letter to the president in a day or two, acknowledging the receipt of his notice of removal, and, perhaps, adding an expres sion of his opinion upon the president's course in the matter.

Red Nosed Mike's Trial.

WILRSBARRE, Pa., Feb. 9.-In the trial of "Red Nosed Mike" to-day the murderer took the stand. His testimony occupied over three hours. His story was a narration of the most terrible crimes ever executed by human hands. His bearing on the stand at imes was indicative of the bravado and confidence that must have belonged to his guilty heart from the start, but when in his story he came to the shooting of two innocent men he completely broke down. He managed, however, to say that he took no part in the killing, charging that completely on Beverino and Villela. It is stated that the accom-plices of Mike-Beverino and Villela-have been captured in Italy. A private dispatch to that effect is known to have reached the attorneys for the prosecution. The prisoners are to be brought here as soon as possible.

"Red Shirt Bill" Exonerated.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 9.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-An investigation made by the authorities of Carbon county has re sulted in the discharge from custody of "Red Shirt Bill," recently arrested at Wichita Falls, Tex., for the killing of Harry L. Strong and S. Morris Wain, two wealthy Philadelphians, who were murdered near Point-of-Rock's corrall, Wyo., in July last. "Red Shirt Bill" was employed as cook by the unfortunate men, but left their employ several weeks previous to the murder. When he learned that he was suspected of having committed the crime he voluntarily submitted to arrest in order to obtain a complete vindication of the charges against him.

The Sackville Successorship.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.-No information has been received at the state department in regard to the appointment of a British minister to this country. The department has, however, been informed that Edwards, first secretary of the legation at Washington, who has been in London for some time past, has sailed for this country. His return at this sailed for this country. His return at this particular time is understood by certain officials to mean that there is no immediate prospect of the appointment of a successor to Lord Sackville.

Mudd Confident of Victory.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 9 .- The taking of testinony in the Mudd-Comption congressional contest to-day adjourned sine die. Mudd's friends claim that the investigation will prove that he has a plurality of two in the listrict, and that a sufficient amount of intimidation of colored voters has been shown to make it nearly certain that the next con-gress will award the Fifth district seat to the contestant.

The Land Grant and Tariff Bills.

came

\$80,000.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9 .- The conferees on the general land grant forfeiture bill together to-day, and while they adjourned without agreement, a spirit of concession was shown which gives promise of ate agreement. The democratic members of the committee

on ways and means have been earnestly con-sulting and working upon the tariff bill. The present expectation is that they will be able o report to the house upon the senate amendments next Tuesday.

A Tilden Memorial Banquet.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 .- This being the anni versary of Samuel J. Tilden's birth, the occasion was marked to-night by the Harlem democratic club with a memorial banquet at which Henry Wattersen delivered an address of commemoration.

The Fire Record.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 9,-A special from Mon ico, Wis., says that the entire works of the Wisconsin Sulphate Fibre company, located at that place, burned early this morning, causing a loss of \$120,000, with insurance of erly winds'

rouble, but Dieckmann would not tell him anything except that he wanted to be dead when the facts became known. Dieckmann. inding he could not get what he wanted left, and the doctor says he heard nothing nore of him until the news of his flight. It is rumored to-night that Henry Dieck

erman, the absconding member of the board of trade, had committed suicide at Windsor Canada, to-day. DETROIT, Feb. 9.-Henry Dieckmann, the St. Louis defaulter, is in Windsor. He was seen this morning in the office of Lawyer Hanna, but declined to say anything about his affairs. It is understood, however, that he is arranging a sottlement.

Evidence Against Molloy.

LONDON, Feb. 9 .- The case of Patrick Molloy, who is charged with having given false testimony before the Parnell commission, was resumed to-day. Patrick Delaney, who gave testimony yesterday, was recalled. He testified that Patrick Egan, while treasurer of the league, was both a Fenian and an Invincible. The league originated the Invincibles. Byrne, secretary of the league, was an Invincible. The Invincibles received

was an Invincible. The Invincibles recution funds from the league through Egan. league officers supplied the invincibles with firearms, knives and daggers. The witness saw Molloy in the league offices. On cross examination Delaney said he joined the Femans in 1868. Byrne attended the councils of the Invincibles, and named persons to e murdered. The witness had seen Byrne lay bank notes and gold on the table.

Annie Redmond's Abductors Arrested CHICAGO, Feb. 9 .- The police this morning arrested Mr. and Mrs. Gurley, abductors of little Annie Redmond, who was returned to her parents last night, after nearly a year's absence. They were found in a house on State street, near Thirty-second. Warrants have also been issued for the arrest of Gurley's father and mother. When questioned by the police the Gurleys

declared that the child was abducted by a woman named Maggie Gordon. Mrs. Gurley declares that Maggie gave her the child. saying it was her's (Mrs. Gordon's), and that she was unable to care for it. A warrant is out for the Gordon woman's arrest.

Their Counterfeiters Arrested.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 9.-United States Detec tive Sweeny and Deputy Marshal Chambers arrived in this city to-day with a gang of thirteen counterfeiters captured in various parts of Butler county within the past ten The gang has been operating extendays. sively for a long time, and a large amount of spurious coin is believed to be in circulation. The detectives also secured the dies and molds used in making the counterfeit money. It took about twenty-five officers to make the arrest, as the men were considered to be of

the most desperate character. Glad to Get Back.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 .- Minister Phelps told a reporter this evening that he was glad to get back, and would probably go to Washngton in about a week. When asked if he came here to resign, he said: "No, I am on leave of absence, and expect to resign only on the incoming of the new administration." Mr. Phelps begged to be excused from speaking of the Sackville-West affair and the Samoan imbroglio, or expressing any per-sonal opinion of the English people. He said he had been courteously treated in all his of ficial transactions with England, and appre

ciated the hospitality extended him,

Another Fast Train. CHICAGO, Feb. 9. The Chicago & Northwestern railway, connection with the Union Pacific company, inaugurated to-day a special fast passenger train service between Chicago and Denver. The Northwestern is the third of what is termed the Missouri river lines that is now running through trains between Chicago and Denver.

The Weather Indications. For Nebraska and Dakota: Fair, slightly cooler, southerly winds. For Iowa: Fair, slightly warmer, south-

In reality the situation of the cabinet re mains unmodified. Floquet has learned that his influence over the radicals themselves is extremely weak, for from only a part of them could he obtain the slight concession that he demanded. As to the moderate republicans they have only a lukewarm confi-

dence in the policy of a cabinet that still persists in its radical programme, and abstains from pursuing its plans for revision.

M. Francis Magnard, in this morning's Figaro, says: "The ministry has escaped once more. Floquet will have a dangerous moment

to pass when the revision comes up for discussion, but these ministerial incidents have no bearing on the general course of events. This will only be modified by the October elections. As for revision, Floquet may persist in asking for it and in getting the chamber to vote it, but it will only be an excuse for the noisy sessions at the Palais Bourbon."

THE ROME LABOR RIOTS.

The Situation Discussed in the Chamber of Deputies.

ROME, Feb. 9.-In the chamber of deputies to-day Signor Bonhi and other members censured the authorities in connection with the labor riots. Prime Minister Crispi, reply ing, blamed the commissioner of pub-

lic safety for culpable lack of presence of mind. He announced that he had given stringent orders to prevent all neetings of workingmen. The government, he said, was warned some time ago that the present agitation would occur either in February or March. Hinting that the socialists were at the bottom of the trouble Signor Crispi said that the government would know how to do its duty.

Le Caron's Military Record.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 9.-[Special Telegram to THE BEE |- A special dispatch to the Times from William Duncan, captain in the Nineteenth United States colored infantry, now living at Carbondale, Kan., states that Informer Beach, alias Le Caron, was enlisted as a private in the Fifteenth Pennsylvania infantry in 1862, and was made second lieutenant of a company in the Thirteenth colored infantry in 1864. He became first lientenant in 1865, and as such mustered out of the service. Captain Duncan says, was the extent of Le Caron's career. He further says that when the Fenian trouble first began Le Caron tried to persuade him to go into it for the money there was in it.

Alger For the War Department DETROIT, Feb. 9 .- Senator elect McMillan,

who had received an invitation to visit General Harrison, returned home from Indianapolis this morning, and soon after was closeted with General Alger. The latter was seen by a reporter when the conference ended, and he stated that he was not at lib-erty to say anything about McMillan's con-vorsation with General Harrison. There is every indication that the talk between Gen-eral Harrison and McMillan has resulted in the offer of the position of secretary of war to General Alger, and that before to-morrow morning General Alger will decide to accept the offer the offer.

A Farmer Suicides.

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 9.-|Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-Hon. Thomas Bain, a wealthy farmer living near Parsons, committed suicide yesterday morning. He has been despondent for some time over an unfortunate business transaction. His wife became alarmed yesterday morning at his prolonged absence and going to the barn found his body hanging from a beam by a rope.

Cutting Down Coal Tariffs.

TOPEKA, Kas., Feb. 9.- |Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-In accordance with a resolution adopted by the legislature, declaring freight rates on coal to be extortionate, and calling upon the railroad commissioners to

The Supreme Court.

DES MOINES, In., Feb. 9.-[Special Tele gram to THE BEE.]-The supreme court filed the following decisions to-day : State of Iowa vs A. J. Solis, appellant Adams district; petition for rehearing over-

ruled. George Hall, appellant, vs John Jackson; Mills district; affirmed.

Another Heavy Failure.

CHICAGO, Feb. 9 .--- A special from Columing committees waiting for action. bus, O., says: The Ohio and Western Coal & Iron company has failed. Gliddea & Curtis, the Boston firm, which collapsed a the bill will be allowed. few days ago, was backing the company, and the embarrassment of the bankers through seat yesterday for the first time in two we the Pacific Guano company's misfortunes is He has been confined to his room during this time by sickness. supposed to have brought about the crash in the affairs of the Ohio company. Attachdistrict in good shape. With his terse epi-gram, "we want men not cattle," he struck ments were issued to-day against all the company's Columbus property by the Hocking Valley railroad, whose claim is \$21,500. The company has been doing a heavy business in the manufacture of iron, the key note of the fight in favor of the herd law. and its furnaces in Hocking Valley are among the largest in the west. It is claimed ong the largest in the west. gram to THE BEE. |- This morning about 8 that the assets are large, but that for some o'clock a special arrived here from the east reason the company has been unable to col-lect accounts long since due, and the Boston bringing President Perkins, Vice President failure may have only hastened the inevi-Stone, and General Manager Holdrege and table crisis. The company was capitalized for \$3,000,000 in bonds and \$5,000,000 of stock. Of the latter, it is understood that stock. Glidden & Curtis controlled seven-eighths The firm is said to have advanced the combut during their short stay they made a sur

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 - The Catholic News of pondent, a cablegram stating that G ladstone has resigned his contemplated trip to the "Eternal City," at the express wish of the Italian government, and in accordance with earnest requests from persons high in the diplomatic service of England. The dispatch states Signor Crispi has brought all the in-fluence he could command to make Gladstone change his mind, or to return to England without visiting Rome. One of the pope's domestic prelates remarked to a corespondent: "This is another proof that the Italian government fears the influence of Leo XIII. on the minds of men who come Into personal contact with him. It was feared that Gladstone might sanction an nopeal to the nations and give countenance to a scheme which it is known the holy father has in view."

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 9 .- As a number of colhere last night for his action in voting for ored men, who were at work on the Ken tucky Union, in Lee county, were returning to camp, William Shaw, a desperado, ap proached and asked one of them to take a gram to THE BEE. |-A. R. Elswick and son drink. While the negro was in the act of complying Shaw shot him, killing him in-stantly. The enraged negroes seized the were fined for assaulting Judge O. P. War desperado and would have lynched him had not a railroad contractor rescued the mur derer from their hands. The murderer was taken to Beattyville and lodged in jail.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9 .- A meeting of old soldiers of both the confederate and union armies, was held to-night at the Fifth avenue hotel for the purpose of devising the best method by which to raise funds for the permanent establishment of a confederate sol-dier's home at Austin, Tex. Speeches were made by Major Stewart, of Texas, and others. A committee was appointed to push the pro-ject. It was announced that Chauncey M. Depew had consented to act as treasurer.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.-The resignation of Hon. H. M. Sewall, as consul general at Samoa, was received by the secretary of state this morning.

that a pickaxe had touched it since two mer local districts to build schoolhouses and for other purposes. Next week Hall's bill to establish maxi-

this character where it will count.

Gilchrist has downed the cattlemen in his

"Site" Seeing.

the west with the intention of spending the

Bail Fixed at \$70,000.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Feb.9.-[Special Tele

without a license, was to-day brought to the

city and lodged in jail. His bail was fixed at

\$5,000 on each charge, which he has been un-able to furnish, and he will likely remain in

Hung in Effigy.

BLAIR, Neb., Feb. 9.-[Special to THE BEE.]

-Representative Cameron was hung in effigy

For Assault.

WHITMAN, Neb., Feb. 0.-[Special Tele-

Steamship Arrivals.

Deadly Cabbage.

A Colored Murderer Lynched.

jail until court meets.

submission.

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next three weeks looking over the lines.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Feb.9 .- [Special Tele-

tracks to reach th

daylight.

starved to death there in 1877. There is reason to think that the San Salvador was mum freight rates will have the floor. The not the mine described in their chart, and bill will come up as a special order on Tuesthat the murderers have taken the map and day, and may take up several days. Olm-stead succeeded in getting the proviso, "to be considered from day to day until disposed gone off to locate the ancient mine. The fact that the Mexicans' horses and tools of," stricken out. The fight over this bill were takens and their jewelry and some promises to wax warm. The uniform school book idea has not made money were not removed from their bodies,

seems to prove this. a very robust growth, and the willy book agent has got in his work against bills of Keller says there was every indication that the San Salvador mine was paying, and No bills on the school book question are likely to see believes that the mine sought for by the Mexicans is not far from the other, and is Appearances now point to a long session The file is combered with bills, and there are scores of them yet in the hands of the standknown to the party who were at work. No one here knows who the murderous pros-The ar pectors were, and as the region in which the propriation bills will take up no small amoun events occurred is almost inaccessible, it is of time. Every item is going to be closely not likely that anybody will work the old scanned and thoroughly understood before mine and bury the Mexicans before spring Mr. Fuller, of Sherman appeared in his

O'Brien Again Summoned.

DUBLIN, Feb. 9 .- O'Brien has been served with a third summons under the crimes act, it is stated that the will be removed from Clonmel to Tralee jail on Monday. Father McFadden was escorted from Glen-

more to Londonderry by the police. En-gineers and skirmishers at intervals watched the route, in order to prevent the rolling of the foulders upon the railway. Father Me-Fadden will be charged with complicity in the murder of Inspector Martin.

Another Times Expose.

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.-Reporters for the Times Superintendent Thompson, of the B. & M. to-day discovered that James Cunningham, division. The train was composed of combijanitor at the East Chicago avenue police nation car 15, coach 91 and sleeper 230. The station, Captain Schaak's command, was conparty remained in the city about one hour, ducting a "fence" for stolen goods. Cunvey of the grounds on which it is ru-mored a new depot will be built. ningham had a partner in the person of John Payne, an employe of the Pullman Palace Car company. Most of the stolen goods be-The lot selected as the site i on the west side of the track, which will b ong to the Pullman company, and included much safer for the public, as many accidents the most expensive carpets and hangings.

A Bad Outlook For Farmers

depot. The officials took their departure for READING, Pa., Feb. 9.-The sheriff of. Berks county to day sold ten fine farms, aggregating nearly one thousand acres. During the present winter season the sheriff has sold some twenty other large farms, besides the farm stock of twenty other farmers, all gram to THE BEE. |-Herman Wachendorf. of whom had failed. This condition of things the Talmage saloon keeper, who was some is taken as an indication that farming no time ago bound over to the district court on longer pays. A similar state of affairs exists in other counties in this section of the state, fourteen different charges of selling liquor

Reached An Agreement.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.-The conferees on the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill have reached an agreement. The house representatives accepted the senate amendnents of \$500,000 for the maintenance of American rights in Samoa, while the senate conferees agree to allow a provision of \$100,000 for a naval station at Pago-Pago to go into the naval appropriation bill

Shot a Bystander. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 9.-|Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Louis Garfinkle, a bartender at George Jaffee's barrel house. Third and Walnut street, in an altercation with a negro named Jim Taylor, shot and killed a bystander, a colored boy eighteen years old named Steve Matney, at 5:30 o'clock to-night.

Killed by an Explosion.

NEW YOUK, Feb. 9 .- The bursting of a centrifugal machine in the works of the New York Tartar company, Brooklyn, killed two men and wounded three others to-day. Emil Webber, the superintendent, had the upper portion of his head cut off, and Robert P. King, an employe, was also so badly in-jured that he lived but a few minutes.

Given Up for Lost.

NEW YORK. Feb. 9.-The brig Florence SHREVEPORT, La." Feb. 9,-Haywood which left this port on November 15, for Handy (colored), who shot and killed a Galveston, with a cargo of iron, has been young white man named Charles Stewart, in Bossier parish, yesterday, was lynched by a mob last night. given up as lost. The brig was in command of Captain Atkins and had a crew of eight men.

At Stettin-The Gothia, from New York. At New York-The Adriatic, from Liver-At Liverpool-The Etruria, from New A Confederate Soldiers' Home. York. At Queenstown-The Republic, from New York. SEATTLE, W. T., Feb. 9.-J. Bordeaux and wo children died, and another child will die,

at Shelton, Mason county, from poison. It is supposed that their cabbage contained poison, as they were all seized with fits immediately after dinner.

Sewall Resigns.

Wanton Murder of a Negro.

pany \$750,000. Gladstone Will Not Visit Rome. this city has received, from its Rome correshave occurred in the past because were obliged to cross the tracks to re-