CROPS IN FOREIGN LANDS

Agricultural Department Issues Its Monthly Review of the Situation.

RUSSIA'S WHEAT YIELD UNDERESTIMATED

Crop in that Country Smaller Than Usual, but Not So Small us Has Been Represented.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- The Agricultural department has issued its monthly review of the foreign crop situation. Much attention is devoted to the grain crop of Russia, especially wheat, on account of its magnitude as a factor in the European supply. The report says that all accounts agree in representing wheat crop as deficient, but the amount much difference of opinion exists. In face of dispatches painting the crop situation in various provinces in very black colors, and the statements of our consul at Odessa that this year's crop has proved a fallure, the review calls attention to the fact that since harvest

Russia has exported grain "very freely. "The exported grain very freely."
The exports of wheat August 10 to August 23." says the ceview. "amounted to 4,152.840 quarters, against 2,885.040 quarters and 3,383,780 quarters during the corresponding period in 1896 and 1895 respectively. These very large exports have led commer-cial process to withhold their credence from the more pessimistic of the reports which have been published. That the crop was deficient was admitted, but that the failure was so serious as such reports implied few of the grain dealers of western Europe believe. Recently, however, some change of attitude is becoming apparent. Stocks in the ports are not increasing as is usual for this time of year and the opinion is freely expressed that after this month Russia can be relied on for only very moderate ship

ACCOUNTING FOR LARGE EXPORTS. "It is generally understood that Russia had large stocks of wheat left over from the crops of previous years and this fact, coupled with the good prices which have prevailed, may account for the large experts which have taken place, even though the crop fallure in large parts of Russia has been extremely

The review says the estimates of the Rusetan crops are so uncertain that their re-production would be of doubtful utility. The preliminary offerings of France show a reduction of 26 yer cent below 1896 and 17 per cent below the average for ten years. As for five years France and Russia produced 26 per cent of the world's crops, the review siys a heavy shortage in both countries would be sufficient in itself to produce a very sensible effect on the world's supply, Inde pendent of the short crops in Austria-Hungary, the Danubian and Balkan countries and elsewhere, and the shortness of the last crop in India, Australia and Argentina. In Germany rye, which is the principal bread grain in that country, has been offi-

cially estimated at 4 per cent less than last The various estimat's for Austria-Hungary

are more or less conflicting, but there is no doubt as to there being a heavy deficit in the

UNITED KINGDOM'S WHEAT. The wheat erop of the United Kingdon is estimated at 50,666,600 bushels. The pre liminary estimate of the Italian wheat crop makes it 85,131,000 bushels, against 144,722,70

bushels last year. The Roymanian wheat crop is estimated at 37,134,720 bushels. The Bulgarian wheat crop is estimated at 40 per cint; rye at 35 to 40 cent, and barley at 25 per cent less than

The wheat crop of Turkey has been esti-mated at 50,800,000 imperial bushels. As regards crops now gr wing in the southern hemisphere the news continues to be favorable on the whole. In Argentina drouth, which for a time in some provinces threatened serious injury, seems to have been generally broken and danger of any serious loss from such a source seems now to have

The Indian wheat has been sown under favorable conditions and the same is in gen-eral true of the winter grain crops of Europe, and both in India and in Europe the weather seems, in the main, to have been yery favorable to the growth of the seed.

DECREASE IN GERMANY'S EXPORTS.

Shipments to This Country Reduced About One-Half.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- Consul Monaghan at Chemintz, in a report to the State department on Germany's exports to the United States, says: "Germany is alarmed. Exports to the

United States are dropping off. Nothing so clarming has appeared in twenty years. America was always the best customer in many lines of manufactures. In the Sep tember quarter of 1896 seventeen consular districts sent to the United States goods amounting to \$14,481,414. In the same quarter in 17897 the same districts sent \$7,189,112.

The average loss all over the empire is nearly 50 per cent. In many cases this indicates much more than mere money losses to our revenues. It indicates a diminution of the retired list.

The following transfers in the Thirteenth linearity have been made: Second Lieutenthat it could not risk the success of the suggested measures. This definite and absolute rate for our revenues. It indicates a diminution of the retired list.

The overage loss all over the empire is infantry have been made: Second Lieutenthat it could not risk the success of the suggested measures. This definite and absolute rejection of the proposal was fully set found in the cable reports of the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correction of the proposal was fully set for the correc in exports from this empire, due to the Dingley bill. The public is told to put little confidence in newspaper reports, even if accurate. Each issue urges intelligent effort

to retain the United States market." Consul Monaghan quotes from a paper which says that some of the falling off is due to the rush of goods to get ahead of the Dingley law, but adds that Germany must suffer severe losses on account of the tariff bill. Some papers suggest raising import duties to retaliate, and especially in the matter of sugar. One paper says: "We om break off now

One paper says: "We om break off now because of America's inconsiderate, a!most hostile action and attitude. The most favored clause has been violated. The universal opinion favors retaliation. We use, but we do not need American meats, cotton, corn and petroleum. We must fight her inch by inch over every line of goods that go out into markets to meet ours. The government must be given full power to put reprisals in operation. When the Reichstag and Landrag get together this fail ways and means must be found for forcing the United States from its position. We must wait and see how much damage Mr. Dingley's bill has done or will do. Mr. McKinley's bill was as bad in its way as Dingley's. It did little real damage."

were arraigned in district court before Judge Ryan yesterday. Only three of the indicated aldermen are in the council at the present time. The trouble grows out of an allowance of \$25 each to four aldermen who had done extra work. The law only allows whether the promised co-operation changes the conditions of the problem or adds materially to the chances of success."

550 a year for services and the council allowance of \$25 and the council at the present time. The trouble grows out of an allowance of \$25 and to learn the exact nature of the assurances and we shall then consider and the council at the present in the council at the present and the trouble states. If, however, assurances of really substantial co-operation should be secured from other council at the present time. The trouble grows out of an allowance of \$25 and the council at the council allowance of \$25 and the council at the council at the council allowance of \$25 and the c inch over every line of goods that go out

The paper next counsels against hasty action and adds: "The consciousness that we can count upon weapons with which to make war aggressive or defensive is enough Corn, cotton and petroleum they must It is not so certain that we must buy from them. Russia, India and Egypt are as near to us. They have cotton and petroleum, but we will wait. Not timidly, because the only way to have effect on Americans is by display of sharp teeth." Consul Monaghan says the above is a fair illustration of new-paper feeling in Germany regarding the loss of trade. He also says regarding the loss of trade. He also says that every effort is being made to make up for the loss of markets in the United States by increasing trade in every other part of the world.

CIVIL SERVICE OFFERS NO RELIEF.

Assistant Postmaster Cooper Cannot Be Reinstated.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.-The appeal of Major Cooper of Atlanta, Ga., from his re-Service commission, however, can see no rehief for the action, for an amendment to the civil service rules made July 27 last excepts assistant postmaster or chief assistant to the postmaster of whatever designation at each ostoffice from the civil service requirements for examination or registration before

Sell American Beef for Native. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- Consul Madden at Edinburgh states in a report to the State department that it is asserted in that city that American frozen beef has a great sale, but that it is made claudestinely. It is asserted that large quantities of the article are brought to Edinburgh, sold to the butchers at 7 cents a pound and retailed at 20 and 22 cents as home fed beef.

CLAIMS SEVEN MILLION ACRES. FOR A NATIONAL UNIVERSIT Land on Which St. Paul and Minnen-

polls Stand In the Tract.

view to securing certified copies of papers which they assert will establish their title

the way of securing information.
The case was presented to the land of-

ice today by George P. Rose of Michigan,

GIVES FOUR HUNDRED DECISIONS.

Interior Department Overrules Pen-

sion Bureau in Important Case.

attention and constant watchfulness.

that he is entitled to the rating therein pro-vided,"

SIGNS UNIVERSAL POSTAL TREATY

President Performs the Final Act on

Part of the Government.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- The final act

fication of the treaty adopted by the recent

Universal Postal congress was taken today

when President McKinley signed the final

convention or treaty and Secretary of State

herman had the government scal affixed.

Postmasters Appointed.

News for the Army.

Captain Richard W. Johnson, assistant sur-

geon, is ordered from Fort Logan, Colo., to Fort D. A. Russell, Wyo., for duty and Cap-tain Charles E. Woodruff, essistant surgeon, from Fort Custer, Mont., to Jackson Bar-racks, La., relieving Major William C. Shan-

nen, surgeon. Leaves of absence: Lieutenant Ora E.

Hunt, Fourteenth infautry, extended two months; Captain Thomas C. Woodbury, Six-teenth infantry, extended forty-five days; Lieutenant Frank E. Coe, First artillery, ex-

City Aldermen All Indicted.

WASHINGTON, Ia., Nov. 16 .- (Special.)-

The entire city council of last year was in-

Brief Session of the Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- The cabinet held

brief session today. The time was occupied

to a great extent in discussing the orders

garding his message, and has been discussing the subject with members of the cabinet,

ascertaining their views and opinions of sug-

tended one month.

day.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- (Special Tele-

The treaty takes effect January 1, 1899.

and Assistant Secretary Davis says:

ondinental congress.

on May 1, 1767.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- An immense cielm, embracing 7,000,000 acres of land to Of - Agitated Question Comes to the Front the northwest and including the cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul, was brought be-

WOMEN OF THE LAND TAKE THE PROJECT UP

Minneapolis and St. Paul, was brought be-fore Commissioner Hermann of the general land office today and the assistance of the government in securing official data was called for. The claimants are C. B. Hollo-way of Holland, C. and A. U. Gunn of Mau-mee, C. They are now making an examina-tion of the general land office records with a Enterprise Which Was the Dream of Washington_School Children to Aid. to the lands claimed by them. Their an-

continan Carver, an Englishman and a well known explorer in the last contury. Carver lived among the WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- The oft-agitated indians of the northwest, mostly in what is now Minnesota and Wisconsin, and for a women all over the world. They will as semble in convention in Washington on Dewho claims to be an heir through Captain Levi Thayer, who purchased a portion of the message to congress regarding the claim of Carver about the falls of St. Anthony, and three years later the committee on private land claims of the house made an adverse mund Anthony, jr., of Massachusetts Mrs. land claims of the house made an adverse report. The grant, according to papers filed today, was made by two chiefs of the tribe tucky, Mrs. H. H. Adams of Connecticut Mrs. S. B. Brice of Ohio, Miss Eugene Hale Mrs. David Starr Jordan, Miss Blake Brown, Mrs. F. S. Hubbard and Miss Caroline Jackson of California.

Mrs. Ellen A. Richardson of Boston, chief organizer of the movement, writing to George WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- Assistant Secetary of the Interior Davis made what is H. Harries of this city, of the plans thus

"The patriotic women of America are to build the administration building, and they propose to make the 22d of February, 1898. handing down 400 decisions in pension cases One of the most important was in the claim of Marshal Lawson, Tenth Tenneshe nation's first offering day. For this pur see cavalry, allowing an increase of \$50 where ose they are asking no large contributions egging nothing. America's 70,000,000 peo-le must build this great monument. If the bureau had refused any larger pension that \$30, for epilepsy resulting while in line of duty service. In consequence of the 13,000,000 children in the public schools in America would give an offering of a penn each on Washington's birthday they would requent and periodical epilepsy it is asserted the claimant needs frequent and periodical raise a sum sufficient to erect the building decision laid down has a significant bearing and endow it. Let us, then, join hands and have an American university, American

nonth. In a case of this kind it is evident hat saide from the pathological effects of the isease itself a large share of the danger to oldlirs lies in the fact that he may be seri-usly injured by falling during an attack, as hose who contribute to the movement. he was when so seriously burned in 1895, am satisfied that the mental and physics

INDIA THE POTENT FACTOR. condition of appellant as produced by his disease makes necessary aid and attendance, as described in the act of July 14, 1802, and

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.-The official reort of the correspondence in regard to the imotallic proposals of the United States nonetary commission to the government of Great Britain, together with the report of the proceedings at the conference of the from the minister of foreign affairs of Italy British premier, the secretary of state for India, the first lord of the treasury and the n the part of this government in the ratchancellor of the exchequer with the French ambassador and our commissioners, has reached this country. It fully confirms the reports cabled to the Associated Press on October 21 and 22. The negotiations fell hrough, notwithstanding the expressed willingness of the French government to

Postmaster General Gary had already signed. (ram.)-The following fourth class postwere appointed today: Nebraska— pictant concession requested of Great of commerce in Italy.

Buffalo county, Friend B. Peck. Britain, could not be acceded to. The govmasters were appointed today: Nebraska-America, Buildo County, Friend B. Feed B. Fream, cand not be acceded to the government of Great Britain in making its Howard county, M. F. Winchester, vice J. G. Schlytern, removed; Meadow Grove, Madison county of India, to which the proposal awards county, Robert E. Rouse, vice Jacob White, removed; Sterling, Johnson county, Vaienment of India therefore is the most imment of India therefore is the most immen tine Zink, vice J. B. She, herd, removed.

Towa—Chillicothe, Wageilo county, J. A.
Pinegar; George, Lyon ecunty, J. W. Donovan; Hosper, Sloux county, J. B. Landhuis;
Maliard Palo Alto county, F. N. Hildreth;
Mirathen, Buena Vista county, W. Larse
Beddine; Ocheyedan, Osceola county, A. T.
Underhill: Robertson, Hardin county, Windeker; Swea City, Kossuth county, John O.
Hatch; Urbana, Benton county, T. H. Remer; Worthington, Pubuque county, G. M.
Treiand. Waters, deputy surgeon general, has been

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—(Special Telegram.)—Lieutenant Colonel William E. the reply argues, with their supply of gold could to a greater or less extent protect themselves if the experiment did not succool. In other words the Indian govern-ment as a preliminary proposition declared rejection of the proposal was fully set forth in the cable reports of the corre-spondence, but the document contains a reservation which would seem to indicat-that if the scope of the proposed experimen were sufficiently broad enough India migh be willing at least to reconsider its refusal

from other powers which can be of any The entire city council of last year was indicted by the grand jury for wrongful appropriation of public money, and the men were arraigned in district court before Judge Ryan yesterday. Only three of the indicted aldermen are in the council at the present time. The trouble grows out of an interpowers which can be of any real value would be the addition of other countries to the bimetallic union of France and the United States. If, however, assurances of really substantial co-operation should be secured from other countries, we shall be glad to learn the exact nature of present time. The trouble grows out of an interpowers which can be of any real value would be the addition of other countries.

ment of consumption. The professor advo-cates the establishment of state sanitariums and holds that there is more benefit to be to the revenue cutter Bear which were pre-pared at the Treasury department. The in-structions were approved and the Bear will sall as soon as it can be made ready. The president is githering information rederived from good air, proper exercise and sanitary conditions than from any other known method of treatment. In another report Mr. Moore says the friendly feeling existing between Germany and the Transvaal republic has resulted in a great in-crease of trade between the two countries. Germany has established new steamship Lieutenant Colonel W. E. Waters, deputy lines and has otherwise taken steps to increase the trade. gestions offered by the senators and repre-

Do you see that sign?-Do you see Drex L. Shooman?—Do you see his dog? -Well, that's the place—the place where the best tan shoe ever produced is being sold-A man's winter Russia calf tan shoe-a big value for only \$3.50-It has moval as assistant postmaster in favor of the new double heavy soles—but it's not Major Smythe, has reached here. The Civil a clumsy shoe—but a nice dressy shoe in the new bull dog toe that you'd expect to pay \$5 for anywhere-but like all good shoes we sell-they're away below that -only \$3.50-but you're getting a \$5 value just the same-if value is regulated by the price others charge-Anywayyour saving is a clean \$1.50 and you're getting more than your money's worth.

Drexel Shoe Co.,

1419 FARNAM STREET New fall catalogue now ready; mailed

Explanation of Death of Captain

According to the statement made to the

Mexican customs officials by Marith Mendez, master of the sloqu Otila, Captain Porter salled from San Diego, Cal., with his companions, in a small beat to engage in col-

The consul says the island of Tiburon is

noted for their large size and extraordinary athletics on land and water. Those who have

with no other assistance than broad rawhide

They are, writes the consul, expert fisher-

island and limiting the killing of game under severe penalties. They destroy all children in infancy that are malformed or appear to

be lacking in intelligence. In this way the

standard of physical and mental conditions in both sexes is kept very high.

It is currently believed that at one time the native women were exterminated to

women was formed from captives made at various times extending over a series of years on land and water. They have no

schools, but each home has a system of

island even if he should make a landing.

that the man and woman are magnificent

No man or woman is allowed to live beyond the age of 70 years, no matter how well preserved in body and mind. By careful se-

lection a large percentage of the women have a transparent, peachy complexion and

JAPAN IS COMPELLED TO DECLINE.

Omaha Exposition.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- (Special Tele-

gram.)-Hon, A. E. Buck, American minister

to Japan, in a communication to the State de-

partment, states that the Japanese govern

ment is reluctantly compelled to decline the

nvitation of the Tansmississippi and In-

nounces, however, that instructions from the Preasury department and rules governing

he exposition have been published in the

General Draper, American ambassador to

Italy, in a communication under date of November 2, from Rome, says to Secretary

Sherman that he is in receipt of a letter

calling attention to the fact that some o

the chambers of commerce of that country are desirous of knowing more about the

coptes of programs, regulations and schedules

of admission, in fact, all documents pertain-ing to the same. He requests the secretary

of state to call the attention of the exposi-tion officials to the request of the minister

of foreign affairs for anything in the way of

to him he will take pleasure in seeing that they are distributed to the several chambers

Transmississippi Eyxposition was today awarded to James F. Early of this city at

RULES FOR INSPECTING TOBACCO.

Examiners for a New Code for the

Treasury Department.

ported tobacco. The report of the confer-

be examined, and that the rule for the pres-

ent be limited to tobacco from the West In-

dies, Mexico and South America; second.

Wedderburn Denied a Writ.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- Judge Cole of

the district supreme court today refused a

Ask for an Arbitration Treaty.

Consolidating Colorado Offices. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- The Postoffice

department today abolished the postoffice at

Highland, Colo., the first move in the line

of consolidation made in that section, sub-

and extending the free delivery service of Denver to include Highlands.

Final Trials of New Gunbouts.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Orders have been issued for the final trials of the Wheel-

ing and Marietta at Mare Island. The

Wheeling will go to sea for a two days' run on the 26th and the trial of the Marietta will

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- Secretary Alger

occur us soon as it returns from Alaska. Lieutenant Colonel Waters Retires.

Treasury department.

its participation would involve.

Make an Exhibit at

in their physical endowment.

valled on the island and disease is scarcely known among this extraordinate is

physical training.

deep auburn bair.

Imperial Gazettte

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- United States Consul Hugh Long at Nogales, Mexico, has furnished the State department particulars Once More. of the supposed murder of a party of Amerior the supposed murder of a party of Americans headed by Captain Porter, by the Seris Indians on Tiburon island, in the Gulf of

Propose to Make a Start on the

panions, in a small brat to engage in col-lecting shells. They left the port of Guay-mas August 9, under special permission from the Mexican government to explore the shores and islands of the gulf. question of establishing in the city of Wash-ington a great national university on the less suggested by President Washington has most remarkable tribe of Indians, who are ime he was adopted by some of the tribes, suggested by President Washington has necluding the Nawdanisala, who made him taken more deficile form than in the p.st. and chief, and for valuable services rendered, it is a number of representative American women asserted by the heirs, presented him the vast tract. They assert that this tribal act was presented by the heirs, presented him the vast tract. They assert that this tribal act was presented by the project with a determinant of the project with a determin atified both by King George III, and the mination to push it to a successful conclusion actually walk or rather run upon the water if possible. They have started out in a prac-Gunn says he is a great grandson of Carver, and Holloway's wife is the great granddaughter. A representative of the heirs had a long interview with Land Commissioner Hermann today, in which their the \$25,000 necessary for the erection of an men and huntsmen, having rigid ideas as to administration building to form the nucleus the maintenance of game preserves on the contentions were explained. The department lay the cornerstone on February 22, 1899.

Will render whatever assistance is possible. Their purpose in the interim is to urge the matter continuously on the attention of cember 14 to devise ways and means for ovi Thayer, who purchased a portion of the fact from Jonathan Carver by deed.

President Monroe, April 23, 1822, sent a arssage to congress regarding the claim of this city. Mrs. Ellen A, Richardson of Boston, Mrs. Clara R, Anthony, Miss Rachel Boston, Mrs. Clara R, Anthony, Miss Rachel Boston, Mrs. Louise Tincker and Mrs. Edmake room for a whiter and superior race of women. The nucleus of this race of higher I. S. Boyd of Georgia, Mrs. W. A. Roebling of New Jersey, Mrs. John K. Goodloe of Ken-The natives guard their shores day and night and no man is allowed to penetrate the

perhaps the record of the department in far formed, says:

"I am convinced that the appellant is en-titled to the increased rating of \$50 per sciences and American ideas for American

Mrs. Richardson further stated that she has arranged with the proper authorities that he Bureau of Engraving and Printing shall produce certificates which will be given to

Correspondence in Regard to Recen

open its mints, owing to the rejection by he British government of the proposition to ugain open the Indian mints. again open the Indian mints to the free The minister says to General Draper that coinage of silver. coinage of silver.

None of the other propositions were re-

Postmasters commissioned today; Nebraska the burden of failure, if failure should come from the experiment for the re-esreason urged against the proposition is tha -Isa'ah M. Snyder, Clear Water.

South Dakota—S. Lawrence Potter, But-ler; Sherman F. Lucas, Castalia.

Suppose of tature, if failure should come from the experiment for the re-establishment of bimetallism by France and the United States, must inevitebly fall on the United States, must inevitably fall or India. Both the United States and France

> That paragraph in Lord Elgin's letter is as writ of mandamus to John Wedderburn, a patent attorney recently disherred from prac-"We note that the proposals of the goveruments of France and the United States are subject to the provision that they are satisfied that they will receive assistance from other powers in increasing the demands for silver. We believe that a limited increase of the quantity of silver used as currency will exercise a very trifling influence, if any, in raising the gold price of silver and that the only assistance from other powers which can be of any patents that he be disbarred. dall Cremer, the well known English advovocate of international arbitration, is in the city for the purpose of presenting to the members of the senate a monster petition from the trades organization people of Great Britain in favor of the adoption of a treaty on that subject.

the State department Commercial Agent Moore at Weimar gives an abstract of a re-cent lecture by Prof. Von Leiden on the treat-

> When buying a stove it's well to look around-We don't expect you to come here first and then buy-but we know you'll buy nothing but a Jewel after you see all the others It makes no difference if it's a base burner-Jewel oak-cook or range—they're the leaders—Our prices are right too-in fact we make your purchase satisfactory in every way-We've other hardware things—such as a padlock for your coal bin-all kinds-from small to large-from five cents up -grauite ware that is granite ware-at about tinware prices-We've coal hods as low as 15c-fire shovels at 5c-pokers at 3c -stove pipe at 6e-Turkey carving sets -stag horn handles-knife, fork and steel-for \$1.50-from that up.

A. C. RAYMER BUILDERS' HARDWARE 1514 Farnam St.

The National Clothing Co.'s entire stock at 14th and Douglas streets is now in the hands of the Creditors and Receivers, and will be closed out at less than wholesale cost, beginning Thursday morning at 8 o'clock. Owing to the firm's inability to meet their obligations it is either necessary to ship the goods back to the factory, sell them to dealers in bulk, or close them out quickly in a retail way, or auction them off. We have concluded to hold a sale here and cut every suit, overcoat, hat and every article in the house to a price (and mark that price in plain figures) that is as low as the stock would bring under the hammer. This will give you an opportunity to buy suits and overcoats, such as has never before been presented in this community. The stock consists of the very best clothing to be found in this part of the country. A few moments spent in noting the prices will convince you at once. Examine the window display. Every article must go-nothing reserved.

CREDITORS' SALE OF THE National Clothing

ORDERS FOR RELIEF PARTY ernational Exposition to participate in the show on the ground that it is impossible to prepare a sultable exhibit in the short time remaining before the opening of the No Effort to Be Spared to Reach the exposition, as well as owing to the lack of available funds to meet the expenses which

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TO USE ALL THE AVAILABLE REINDEER

While Instructions to the Commander of the Bear Are Very Complete, He is Given the Widest Discretion.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- Captain Shoework on the Government building at the | fleet by means of an overland expedition.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- The government examiners of tobacco at several of the more ing will begin the overland expedition north.

The people in charge of the government important ports of entry into the United States, by direction of the secretary of the treasury, met in conference recently in New York, with the view to the adoption of a uniform practice in the classification of imnce, which has reached the Treasury department, makes three recommendations, as follows: First, that 25 per cent of all marks of every invoice of imported tobacco should that the percentage of wrapper found in filler bales be established by count of leaves; third, that the districts from which tobacco is imported be marked on bales, where practicable. These rules will be adopted by the

patent attorney recently discrete. Wed-tice before the Interior department. Wed-derburn sought to compel Secretary Bliss ship in the name of the government, appor-tion the provisions on hand and slaughter as WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- Hon. W. Ranshould be at Point Hope by July 1,

TO CURE COLD IN ONE DAY

Icebound Whalers.

maker, chief of the revenue cutter service. under the direction of the secretary of the ions to Captain Tuttle, who is to be in command of the steamer Bear, on its cruise north for the relief of the eight whaling vessels icebound in the Arctic ocean. Owing to the fact that at this season of the year the route to the Arctic through Bering sea is closed by ice Captain Tuttle is directed to The contract for plaster east ornamental establish communication with the whaling Messer, Vermont; steward, John T. With this purpose in view he is ordered to proceed with his vessel on or about Novem-Ohio; secretary, John Trimble, Washington, ber 23, to Cape Nome, thence, if the ice per- D. C.; gate keeper, A. D. Judson Iowa; mits, north between St. Lawrence Island and Ceres, Mrs. Lena M. Messick, Delaware;

with, with a view to collecting the entire available herd of reindeer to be driven to Point Barrow. W. T. Lopp at Cape Prince of Wales is to take charge of this herd and make all arrangements for herders, clothing, sleds, dogs, etc. The necessary food for use of the pirty will be landed from the saip. When the deer are collected and the start made the party from the Bear will travel with it as far as the Kotsbue sound. That point reached, one officer and necessary drivers will jush out ahead to Point Hope, leav-ing the others and the herd to follow. A this point the expedition probably will get news of the condition of the imprisoned fleet at Point Barrow. If it should be learned that the fleet is icebound and its people in distress the white people are to be informed that they will be expected to take care of such men as may be sent down later. The expedition is then to push on, following the

One the arrival at Point Barrow, if the situation is found to be desperate, as is anticipated, the officers will take charge of the to hold out until August, 1898, when Captain Tuttle may be expected to arrive with the Bear. Such reindeer as are left will be turned over to the Presbyterian mission at Point Barrow. All of the rescued whalers they can be reached and succored a month earlier than at Point Barrow. No opportunity for funting, sealing or whaling whereby the food supply may be added to is to be neg-

In case Captain Tuttle finds it impossible to effect a landing on the north shore of Norton sound he is instructed to adopt the most feasible of five other plans which are outlined, always bearing in mind that food must be gotten to the 265 starving men at the earliest possible moment. He is given stituting for the office a full carrier stition full authority and the largest possible tude to act in every exigency that may arise. After landing the overland expedition the Bear will seek such harbor as may be deemed proper in which to await results and the pening of navigation in the spring. In losing his instructions to Captain Tuttle Secretary Gage says: "Mindful of the arduous and perilous expedition upon which you are about to enter, I bid you, your officers portunity of seeing our art department. and men, godspeed upon your errand of mercy and wish you a successful voyage and

has issued an order for the retirement of Licutenant Colonel W. E. Waters, deputy surgeon general, under the thirty-years' service act.

Licutenant Colonel W. E. Waters, deputy druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Investigation Ordered of Agricultural Needs in Transportation.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Nov. 16.-Reports of

grange members of 60 per cent. The report of the transportation committee carried with it several resolutions, among day night next. Senator William B. Bate them one appointing a "field committee," to will preside over the meeting and addresses be composed of one member from each state, will be delivered by Senator David Turple of composed of one member from each state, whose duty it shall be to collect data on questions of agricultural needs in transporta-tion and otherwise, and forward the same to the statistical bureau at Washington. The duty of the statistical bureau shall be to casey Young of Memphis. Elaborate prop-codify data received, assist the grange legis-lative committee in its work before congress prominent men from all states in the union,

and assist the Patrons of Husbandry throughout the land. The report of the financial committee appropriated sums for the carrying on of the

everal departments. The sessions this afternoon and evening were taken up by the election of officers for 1898. Officers were elected as follows: Worthy master Aaron Jones, Indiana; over-seer, O. H. Hale, New York; lecturer, Alpha Cox, New Jersey; assistant steward, J. A. New-combe, Colorado; chaplain, O. S. Bowen, the coast of Alaska, to the north shore of Norton sound, between Cape Nome and Cape Prince of Wales, where a landing will be effected if possible. From the point of landing will begin the overland expedition north. The people in charge of the government other members of the committee hold over. station at Unalakilika are to be communicated. An assemblage of the Preists of Demeter was called after the closing of the election and G. A. Bowen was chosen high priest,

> Strike Far from Settled. WASHINGTON, Ind., Nov. 16.-The strike of the Cabel & Co. miners, which has een on since last May, is farther from ettlement than ever. Labor Commis rs Schmidt and McCormick have been in ers Schmidt and McCormick have been in this city for a week trying to adjust the differences, but without success. They have given up the task as hopeless. A proposition submitted by the miners to the operators last evening was rejected. The operators have imported a number of negroes from Kentucky, who are now operating the mines, and it is not impprobable that bloodshed will be the result in the near future.

> Coal Miners Strike. BELLAIRE, O., Nov. 16-The 100 miners t the Glen Coal company's mines, at Glenoe, O. ten miles west of here, on the Baltimore & Ohio, went out on a sirike tellay because the company wanted to reduce wages on a certain kind of work in the

mear future.

Daily Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16 .- Today's statenent of the condition of the tressury shows: ment of the condition of the tressury shows: morning at the Windsor hotel. The league Available cash balances, \$203,269,261; gold includes nearly every building and loan association of the United States and Canada.

NATIONAL GRANGE PROCEEDINGS, IN MEMORY OF SENATOR HARRIS Memorial Exercises Will Be Held at

Memphis. MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 16.-The memorial state masters were continued at today's ses- exercises which were originally to have been sion of the National Grange. Agron Jones of held in Memphis on October 5 in commemo-Indiana reported that the grange fire insur- ration of the life and services of the late ance companies of that state are now carry- Senator Isham G. Harris, but which were ing \$45,000,000 of property, with a saving to postponed twice on account of the presence of yellow fever first in the south and then in Memphis, will be held in this city on Sune of Mississippi, Governor Robert L. Taylor of Tennesses, Hon. John Vertrees of Nashville and General George W. Gordon and Colonel

> senators from neighboring states. Labor Trouble May Be Settled. PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 16.-The troubles n the window glass trade are in a fats way to be settled this week. The wage way to be settled this week. The wage committees of the manufacturers and workers met today and have joined in a call for a meeting to be held in this city on Thursday next, to discuss the wage question. Both sides are anxious to resume work, and it is confidently predicted that at the meeting the wage scale will be agreed upon and all the factories put to work at the earliest possible moment.

and especially from the south, have been invited. It is expected that there will be

present a number of representatives and

Reported Heavy Gold Shipment. NEW YORK, Nov. 16.-The fact was abled from London today that the report was current in that city that £500,000 sterling in gold was to be shipped to New York by tomorrow's Liverpool steamer, but that the report could not be verified. None of the bir banking houses of this city had any advice, they said in response to inquiries, of any shipment of gold to them from Europe and all said they did not believe the

Yellow Fever Situation. NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 16.-There were leven cases and two deaths today from yellow fever. The deaths were Michael Ross and Mrs. Ben L. Bear, MOBILE Ala., Nov. 16 - Four new cases of yellow fever were reported today. There were no deaths, Four new cases are re-

ported at Whistler.

Convicted of Killing a Policeman. NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—The jury in the ase of Fritz Myer, accused of the murder Policeman Frederick Smith, in the of Policeman Frederick Smith. In the church of the Most Holy Redeemer, brought in a verdict of murder in the first degree today. Meyer was found guilty after only twenty-five minutes' deliberation, The crimo was committed about two weeks ago.

Building and Loan Convention, NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—The third annual onvention of the International League of Building and Loan associations began this

We are now showing a new collection of original water color paintings-Carl Weber-Hugo Fischer-Bozane and others of the world's celebrated artists are represented in this collection-We've never before been able to gather together such an interesting colection and on are invited to come in and inspect it—We are also showing the new in frames-fancy and ornamental framesin the oval and square shapes-also new nouldings from which we make frames to order—at prices that are not much aigher than common lumber yard moulding-You should avail yourself of this op-

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