FAMILY TANGLE UNRAVELED nor were badly injured. All travel was de-

Chase Installs Brother in Hotel and Latter's Wife Clings to Property.

COURT DISMISSES THE CLAIM OF THE WIDOW

Disinterested Act is Not Allowed to Bring Financial Loss Upon the Performer and He Finds a Rotel on His Hands.

follows:

a deed for one-half interest in the property
made by John Chane October 15, 1886, to
the respondent, Edward Chase.
The bill charges that John and Edward
Chase, brothers, bought the property in
December, 1881, and paid for it \$16,000,
each paying one-half of this amount. Soon
after this date John and Mary Chane took up their residence on the property. In the fall of 1887 the residence of Mary Chase on the property was interrupted by a visit to the city of New York. After she left John Chase brought suit against her for divorce which was granted February 8, 1888. Th parties were remarried November 29, 1888 when Mrs. Chase returned to Cheyenne and resumed her residence on the property un-

der her second marriage.

In reference to the interest of the brothers in the property Edward Chase avers that he negotiated the purchase of the property from Charles and Erastus Halleck of Den nish him a way of making a living. Of the purchase money \$5,000 was paid by Edward Chase and notes signed by John and Ed-ward Chase and secured on the property were given for the remaining \$11,000. John Chase was to have the management of the business. If all went well the notes were to be paid out of the profits of the hotel and when paid John Chase was to be entitled to a one-half interest in the property. He was to pay nothing to his brother for the use of the property and in the end, if John should be able to pay the \$11,000 from the income, he would receive a half interest. John Gets Into Difficulties.

On October 19, 1896, when John conveyed to Edward his interest in the hotel, a crisis had arisen in John's allairs. He was largely in debt and his creditors threatened to collect their dues by process of law. To avoid closing the business it was necessary to transfer the hotel to Edward. The intention to keep John's interest from the creditors may have been in the minds of the parties when the transfer was made. John afterward told his wife that they had that purpose in view. Edward says the deed of October 19 was made in satisfaction of the purchase money and because John had failed to pay any part thereof. The intent to prefer Edward in respect to the purchase dragged out. money is not inconsistent with other in-tentions in the mind of the granter. Whatever the fact may be as to the creditors, there is no reason to believe that Edward intended to deprive complainant of her homestead right and he was apparently dis-

posed to treat her fairly at all times. A homestead right arises only upon full title in the claimant in equity as well as at law. The circumstances disclosed in the record do not show that John Chase ever acquired an interest in the property in controversy. The property was conveyed to him jointly with Edward, but he did not pay the vendors as he agreed to. The deed to Edward of October 19, 1886, was made its satisfaction of the purchase money paid to e vendors by Edward and therefore it was valid and effectual without the signature of complainant.

at the cost of the complainant. The attorney for the complainant gave notice of an appeal from the decision of Judge Hallett.

NEW SEWERAGE SYSTEM FOR LEAD. Council Determines to Put the City

on a Metropolitan Basis. LEAD, S. D., March 9 .- (Special.) -Although Lead is a city of nearly 8,000 inhabitants it has no sewerage system and the drainage is allowed to run down the streets and alleys. The city council has now voted to put in one of the best sewerage systems in the state. Estimates of the cost have been made by Engineer Rosewater of Omaha, who places the figures at \$26,000. The council will pay more than that for the system before it is completed, probably not less than \$50,000. Bonds will be voted for the necessary amount and they will be taken up by the business men of the city. The right of way is being secured through the streets and alleys. It will be a busy time for the laboring men of the city and it is intended to pay the standard wages of the Black

Eugineer and Fireman Hurt. CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 9.—(Special Burroughe, the British vice consul, and was relegram.)—Union Pacific westbound train extended in behalf of resident subjects of the No. 3 was wrecked near Piedmont station carly this morning by being run into by a light pusher engine. The two engines, mail and baggage cars were deraifed. Engineer Hamilton and Firemen Mitchell and O'Con-

Grip Hangs On.

Unless the poisons deposited in the system by the germs of La Grippe are quickly and thoroughly driven out at the beginning they will continue to sap the vitality and waste the nerve forces of the body until the strength gives away and the victim is overcome by nervous prostration and collapse. Ancient methods of treatment are no donger recognized as competent to treat this tenacious disease, but there is a remedy which never fails to give relief so long as there is vitality enough left to build on. It is Dr. Miles' Nervine, a nerve food and vitalizer of unequaled value in all cases of grip or its terrible after effects. Headache, backache, nervousness, dizziness, loss of appetite, inability to sleep and nervous prostration all yield before its wonderful soothing, strengthening and vitalizing influ-

"La Grippe left me terribly afflicted with neuralgia, sleeplessness and stomach trouble which soon developed into hervous prostration and I was a complete wreck. When our home physicians failed to help me I went to Grand Rapids for help, but they gave me up to die. Began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and was benefited from the first dose. In a few weeks I was well and now I can do as much work on my

farm as I ever could." JOHN F. MISNER. Cedar Springs, Mich. A trial package of Dr. Miles' favorite treatment for the grip, consisting of Dr. Miles' Nervine, Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills and Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills, will be sent absolutely free of cost to any person sending name and address on a postal card, requesting the sample and mentioning the name of this paper. Address, Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

SETTLEMENT ON INDIAN LANDS.

stenders from Double Payment. CHAMBERLAIN, S. D., March 9 (Special.)-The sundry civil bill, passed by congress at the last moment, contained a clause that is c2 vital interest to this section of the state. The paragraph referred o provides that all persons who may have heretofore settled upon that portion of the great Steux reservation which was opened up o settlement by virtue of an aci passed on March 2, 1889, may secure patents for the lands embraced in their entry upon making the paymen's required in section 21 of said CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 9 .- (Special.) - act, and that no other payment shall be re-An important decree and opinion by Judge quired of said claimants. Several years ago havy estimates in the House of Commons to-Hallett was handed down in the United the commissioner of the general land office. States court here this afternoon. The de- ruled that settlers upon the ceded Sloux cree dismisses the suit of Mary E. Chase, lands would have to pay \$1.25 per acre for estimates been submitted under more Widow of John Chase, against Edward Chase the lands, the regular homestead fee, in ad- unique circumstances. Ahead was the conof Denver. The opinion, in part, being as dition to the Ice awarded to the indians for the land, thus making a behind were the incidents of last November, Mary E. Chase, as the widow of John double charge. This action of congress and while a comparison of the paval strength Chase, asserts a homestead right to the waives the payment of the \$1.25 homestead of the various countries was in everybody's Inter Ocean hotel property in the city of fee declared by the commissioner to be due mouth the most striking confidence was Cheyenne, and brings this bill to set aside and leaves but the one charge against the shown in British preparedness to meet all a deed for one-half interest in the property land, saving \$200 to each claimant. The emergencies. ruling of the commissioner that the double charge was due has discouraged settlement turbed by the allegation that Great Britain

THRILLING ESCAPE OF A CAR

naturally relieve the whole situation.

Motorman of Halstead Street Car Saves it from a Plunge Into the Chicago River.

CHICAGO, March 9 .- Fifty people narrowly escaped death tonight in an accident to a Halstead street electric car at North

Halsted street bridge. Approaching the bridge at a rapid rate of speed, the motorman of the car failed to ver with the view to set up his brother in business. His brother is said to have been within a few feet of the river he suddenly discovered the danger and put on the brakes, at the same time endeavoring to reverse the electric current. In spite of his efforts the front part of the car ran down upon the abutments of the bridge and hung

there. One foot further and it would have plunged into the river thirty feet below, and as it was jammed with passengers the loss of life must have been frightful. The motorman, thinking the car was doomed, warned the passengers and then jumped into the river. The tipping of the car on the abutment, accompanied by the motorman's warning, caused a panic among the passengers, and they made a wild stampede for the doors. During the rush for safety four of the passengers were injured. They

Albert Rose, ankle sprained. Mrs. Mary Farnsworth, prostrated by

Charles Richter, ankle sprained. Minnie O'Houlihan, cut by falling glass from the windows of the car.

The motorman, after jumping into the river, managed to clutch some piles and keep his head above water until he was

WRANGEL DESIRES TO SECEDE

Believe Under Canadian Rule the Town Would Be the Center of Trade for the Interior.

SEATTLE, March 9 .- The citizens of Fort Wrangel, Alaska, are said by late arrivals from the north to be drawing up a petition asking the joint high commission to cede their town to Canada. This is one of the uation. oldest settlements in Alaska. They desire of other nations—resulting from the commines of the interior and think a change of ing international conference—could make it to be the center of Canadian travel to the The only excuse they offer for their desire to program, while of course maintaining our The decree of the court dismisses the bill get from under the American flag is that the stands are not in effect in Alaska. They claim that the territory has been abused and neglected and that the present laws are

unfit to live under. Fort Wrangel is the starting point for the interior by the Stickeen or all-Canadian trail. It proved a dismal failure last year and the Canadian government has about given up hopes of getting to the interior that way. It is doubtful if Canada would accept Wrangel as the British entrance. Wrangel is one of the oldest settlements in Alaska and has about 500 population,

The A B of It.

A kidney education starts with: Backache means kidney ache, lame back means lame kidneys, weak back means weak kidabout the free distribution in this paper, and call at Kuhn & Co., pharmacists, corner 15th supply in the event of war, England was and Douglas, Omaha, Neb., on Saturday,

Kipling Invited to Knusus City. KANSAS CITY, March 9 .- Rudyard Kiping has been invited to Kansas City to give reading on Queen Victoria's birthday, 24. The invitation was sent through P. E. queen. Elaborate cerementes are planned.

TODAY'S WEATHER FORECAST

Rain in Eastern Nebraska; Snow and Colder in Western Portion.

WASHINGTON, March 9 .- Forecast for For Nebraska-Rain in eastern portion rain or snow and colder in western portion;

variable winds, becoming northerly. For South Dakota-Cloudy; probably snow: colder: winds becoming northerly. For Iowa-Cloudy; probably rain; east to

For Kansas-Increasing cloudiness; probably rain; colder in western portion; variable winds.

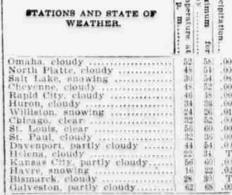
For Missouri - Increasing cloudiness: probably rain; easterly winds. For Wyoming-Snow and colder; north winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, March 9.—Omaha record of tem-perature and rainful compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

Record of temperature and rainfall a bmaha for this day and since March 1, 1899 Omaha for this day and some
Normal for the day
Excess for the day
Accumulated deficiency since March |
Normal raintall for the day
D ficiency for the day
Total rainfall since March |
Deficiency since March |
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Reports from Stations at S p. m.



T indicates trace of precipitation, L. A. WELSH,

Local Forecast Official.

PUZZLING POSITION

Act of Congress Refleves Home- England's Lord of Admiralty on the Nava Estimates for the Year.

WILL MODIFY ARMAMENT IF OTHERS DO

United States, Russin, France and Germany Have 225,000 Tons More of War Ships Under Construction Than England.

LONDON, March 9 .- In introducing the day the first lord of the admiralty, the Right Hon. George J. Goschen, said never had infantry, arrived this morning. ference for International disarmament, while

The continental powers, he said, were disand the present action of congress will was preparing with a particular purpose for aggressive action, but, the minister asserted, the idea never entered the mind of the government. He then proceeded to de-

tall the naval program. Mr. Goschen said her majesty's govern ment proposed to make Wei-Hai-Wei the war port on the northern coast of the Shan-Tung peninsular-a secondary naval basepointing out that it would be a most valuable ancherage and of the greatest importance in any operations in Chinese waters, and adding that it was proposed to expend £1,300,000 on Wel-Hai-Wel during the pres ent year and £1,500,000 next year. Continuing, Mr. Goschen informed the

House that the personnel of the navy for the coming year would be increased 4,250 men. making a total of 110,640, at a cost of £7,-Pay of Personnel.

Comparing the pay of the personnel Mr. £7,000,000 and France £3,000,000 Russia Malietoa Tanus. paid only £445,000. He could not underestimates revealed.

Germany had under construction 685,000 aggressor." tons of war ships, or 225,000 tons more than This had forced the government to draw ip a new program. Excluding last year's Tour of Tenth Immunes Through supplemental program it provided for two ironelads, two armored cruisers and three maller cruisers of a specially high speed. The money required, therefore, for the supplementary programs, would be £12,817,- | road. 000, an increase of over £2,000,000. The total estimates were £26,594,000.

For armament Mr. Goshen asked an intion of guns, but also for more ammunition for practice, which he asserted was a matter of enormous importance as shown by the

Willing to Modify Armament. After speaking of the necessity for an increased shipbuilding vote, he said these were the votes required by the present sit-

"But," he added, "would that the action possible for us to diminish or modify the

principles and laws for which that flag her majesty's government that if the other Mr. Goschen then announced in behalf of great naval powers were prepared to diminish their program, Great Britain was prepared to modify its own. But if the czar's hopes were not realized, the program would have to stand and Mr. Goschen expressed the hope that those who were proposing to attack the country's expenditures would not ing the taxation necessary to carry on the duties of the empire.

In conclusion the first lord of the admiralty said the estimates were simply the embodiment of the feelings of a peace-loving, determined nation. (Cheers.)

Mr. Goschen emphasized the purely defensive ideas of the navy, but in view of the construction by rivals of fast cruisers, neys, cure means Doan's Kidney Pills. Read with the avowed purpose of preying on the forced to build five new cruisers, particularly swift, in order to circumvent those schemes. He also said that the four armored cruisers now being built under the original program would be the most powerful ships in the world.

ADHERE TO PUPE'S TEACHINGS

Paulist Fathers Reply to the Encyclical Recently Issued from Rome.

NEW YORK, March 9 .- The following official statement as to the action of the Paulist fathers upon the publication of the recent letter of the pope on Americanism, late Father Isaac T. Hecker, the founder of the congregation of missionary priests of St. Paul, the apostle, as interpreted in Abbe Klein's French translation of his life was

issued today: Gibbons had been published in the daily papers the Paulist fathers sent a telegram to Cardinal Rampolla assuring him that they entirely acquiesced in the teachings of the holy father and that they would shortly send a letter expressing this more fully. This was immediately prepared and sent. It makes a detailed statement of the absolute obedience of the Paulist fathers to the letter and spirit of the pope's teaching, quoting their rule as to the thorough spirit of obedience and loyalty to Rome prescribed for the

When a new edition of this "Life of Father | tremulous voce cried out: Hecker" is prepared it will emphasize the pope's teachings and conform to his judgment in every respect.

fathers.

None of the members of the Paulist community would give any further details conring that any future publication regarding entine's house at 13 Hediey street. Pushing is a copy of the cablegram referred to above, which was sent to Cardinal Rampolla immediately upon the publication of the pope's encyclical, by the Very Rev. George Deshon, in an old arm chair, his eyes fixed upon the

superior general: "The Paulist fathers about to dispatch a letter of adherence; fully embrace the teachings of Leo XIII."

TEST OF TUBE WIRE GUN

Highest Pressure Reached is 30,000 Pounds, with Velocity of 3,000 Feet Per Second.

where fifty of these guns are being built for years, and no one knew the story of his past. the government. The gun is five-in h caliber, weighs three and one-half tons and is nineteen feet long.

The tests were under the supervision of Captain Ira McNutt of the Ordnance department and Edward M. Gage, government inspector in charge of the leading and firing.

The highest pressure reached was over 30.

The man had nothing to say. He knew that the best thing he could do was to preceed pounds, with a velocity of nearly 3,099 tend to take it as his wife's little joke.

tinued for some days. So far they have been bighly satisfactory to the inventor, J. H. Brown, and the government of the five for the fi

Brown, and the government officials. INCENDIARIES AT PANDACAN

Terrorizing Inhabitants of Filipino Village Who Do Not Sympathize with Insurrection,

MANILA, March 10.-11:25 a. m.-Rebel endiaries landed at the village of Pandaan last night for the purpose, it is alleged. of terrorizing those of the inhabitants who do not sympathize with the insurrection. A umber of houses were destroyed, The United States transport Grant, which

sailed from New York January 19, having on board Major General Lawton, the Fourth infantry and a battalion of the Seventeenth With the exception of San Pedro Macati, where Filipino sharpshooters incessantly an-

noy the American troops, matters are un-

The weather is much cooler today. SCHEME TO RESTORE TANUS Admiral Kantz Said to Be Acting

usually quiet along the line,

Rightful King of Samon. CHICAGO, March 9 .- A special to the

Under Instructions to Restore

Francisco, March 9, says: "Concerning the Samoan situation a just prior to the sailing of the flagship for According to the officer Admiral Apla. British consuls and declare Malietoa Tanus and wounded several of their assailants. the rightful and legal king.

'Malleton will be placed in authority under the protection of American and that the country in the west and southwest British marines. Mataafa, who now has ascendancy, will be called upon to surrender. Should be refuse to do so Admiral | went on to Manchou, Ping Liang and Sing-Kautz is instructed to proceed by force if anfu, which latter place was reached at fears are entertained regarding the safety of special contents. Goschen said thet while Great Britain paid necessary to reinstate the duly-elected king, Christmas, then down Tan river in a the pearl shelling fleet, which employs 1,000

"It is believed there will be a struggle, stand how that was, but that was all the Mataafa is brave. He thinks he has the indorsement of, and will be supported by. Referring to shipbuilding he said the com- | Germany. It is not believed that Admiral ing program had been framed after con- Kautz will attempt to follow him further whilst Dr. Holterer more particularly insideration of the programs of other powers. than his present stronghold, some six miles After a study of these programs he pointed from Apia, in which case our sailors would out that it was not reassuring. The United not be endangered, except from bush-States, Russia, France, Japan, Italy and whackers. But Mataafa himself may be the

was contemplated in the present estimates. LEAVE RED FIRE IN WAKE

oming financial year was £550,000, and the the Tenth immunes through South Carolina of the storm in the channel. The postpone-

total under the shipbuilding vote, including was marked by drunken rioting and shooting ment of her majesty's departure is a strikthe liabilities for last year's original and at people, houses and cattle along the rail- ing illustration of the extreme care and of

NEW YORK, March 9.-Neilson Burgess, better known by his stage name of Neil in readiness, while the entire railroad line Burgess, the actor and stage manager, today to Nice was guarded by soldiers posted at filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy.

His total liabilities are \$104,059, all unse-

cured; no assets and not even a wardrobe. Bridge Builders Adjourn Convention PITTSBURG, March 9.—The fourth annual convention of the National Association attempt to dissuade the people from bear-ing the taxation necessary to carry on the ended today with the election of officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, John T. Butler of Buffalo; secretary-treasurer, J. W. Pryael of Pittsburg; vice presi-dent, W. E. Barry of New York; general organizer, W. J. Ryan, Boston. The of affiliation with the Federation of Labor and the National Building Trades council

was referred back to the local organizations

SECRET OF A STRANGE LIFE. Jeems Valentine's Remarkable Silence of Fifty Years, Then Death. The strangest character that ever dwelt within the confines of Bridesburg is dead. reports the Philadelphia Telegraph. He was Jeems Valentine, who lived at 13 Hedley street, and with him passed away the carefully kept secret of his life. That there was a romance in it there is no doubt. Bridesburg was a village of a few scattered houses when Valentine first arrived there. He came from no one knew positively where. He was cheerful enough in those days, and was an excellent neighbor. This was years

before the civil war. Suddenly a change came over the life of Jeems Valentine. It was about five years before the rebellion broke out, and several new houses had sprung up within sight of the young man's home. The people wonwhich touched upon the teachings of the dered why Valentine did not speak when he met them on the street, and their wonder ment changed to amazement as the years passed and the young man went about his As soon as the pope's letter to Cardinal farmers marched away to the war, never to undertaking to support China against a return, while Valentine, broken-hearted and power committing aggression in China be the public.

Forty years passed. Sergeant Albert Berwhen the town bell rang 12 o'clock. The ern railroads. sound of the last stroke had scarcely died

should be made from Rome. Following open the front dcor, the policeman entered the only living room in the house. Upon the mantel burned a single tallow candle, shedding a dull, uncertain light, while seated opposite wall, was Jeems Valentine. The old man's white hair fell down over his shoulders, and the policeman cried out: 'Come, Mr. Valentine, what is the matter?' Valentine never answered, and Gimbel saw that the old man was dead.

Looking upon the spot on the walls where the dead man's eyes rested, the patrolman beheld the picture of a young woman, her hair arranged in the quaint style of long ago. Who the young woman was whose READING, Pa., March 9.-An official gov- picture had charmed Valentine's dying gaze ernment test of the Brown segmental tube will never be known, as the man had no: wire gun took place today at Birsboro, spoken to his neighbors for well nigh fifty

> Chicago Post: The boy was trying to specify when a certain thing happened. "The night that you didn't come home," he began, addressing his remarks to the man. "That is very indefinite," broke in the

German Scientists Locate Source of Yellow River in Darkest India.

MEET STIRRING ADVENTURES WITH ROBBERS

Valuable Geographical Information is Obtained Together with Important Zoological and Geologieal Collections.

VANCOUVER, B. C., March 9 .- Advices by the steamer Empress of India say: There arrived in Shanghai recently two distinguished travelers, Prof. Futterer of Karlsrule, geologist, and Dr. Holterer of Lorrach in Badea, who have just crossed northeastern Thibet from Turkestan, discevoring the source of the Yellow river and entering China by the northwest, reaching Hankow and civilization by the Han river. The professor has left for home via Japan and the United States. The delegation left Germany on November 19, 1897, accompanied by a German servant. Reaching Suchou, the explorers went to Siningfu, which they reached in the middle of last July.

It was from there that the two scientists arranged to start on an expedition, having arsenal were placed there as a practical Chronicle from Honolulu, March 1, via San for its object the exploration of the Yellow river south of the Kokener. At this point their servant descried them and the travelstartling report was given out by an officer ers were swindled by natives. They left of the cruiser Philadelphia to a friend here Donkor on August 6 and went over country never before traversed by foreigners. With them were two Cossacks and eight Chinese Kautz is instructed to uphold all of the re- In the upper Taho valley the party were cent decisions of Chief Justice Chambers attacked by about thirty robbers, one-half respecting the election of a king in Samon of whom kept up a lively fusilade whilst and matters growing out of it. He is to co- their companions raided the animals of the operate at once with the American and expedition. The explorers returned the fire magazines, one convict was killed and sev-

Reaching Tachou, where some American missionaries were met, it became evident was full of robbers, so traveling there had to be abandoned. Accordingly the party vere hurricane. Already there has been ouple of boats to Han river, which took men. them to Hankow on January 4. Dr. Futterer made a valuable geological collection besides taking careful observations for me teorological and map-making purposes terested himself in zoological matters, getting together an important collection.

ELABORATE CARE OF QUEEN

Victoria's Trip to Southern France is Made the Subject of Extraor-

Tour of Tenth Immunes Through
South Carolina Marked by
Hiotona Conduct.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 9.—The tour of the storm in the channel. The postpone was made and everything was marked by drunken roting and shooting at people, houses and cattle along the ration and the enormous amount of machinery of the storm in the channel. The postpone here there were drinking and disorder among the men. Several shots were of the going in her own yacht to Cherbert of the ground or into the air. All all all and gather from Henderson tonight asys.

"The Tenth immunes, negro troops, passed here today over the Seaboard Air Line. They shot at private houses and school children. Several men were wounded. The officers of the regiment seemed to have no control over the men."

AUTHOR OF "COUNTY FAIR"

Nell Burgeas Declares Himself Bankraph Linhillities, \$104,050; Not a Wardrobe Left.

New YORK March 9.—Nellson Burgess.

A Boulogne-Sur-Mer, in addition to a large force of gendarmes and custom house of the Katnar, and indicate the subject of Extraor-dinary ment in consequence of the storm in the channel. The project of the storm in the channel. The postpone of Che-Kinng, which the Italian minister, Signor Martho, had decained and maintained and coaling station, is official, two declared unfounded.

BOOT AND SHOE MEN FIGURE

The Tenth immunes through Bout Carolina was marked by within the train stopped here there were drinking and disorder among the men. Several shots were derived and planter in the channel. The project of the storm in the channel of the storm in the channel. The project of the storm of crease of £161,000, chiefly for the construction at the ground or into the air. All bourg, as usual, she decided to avoid the

large force of gendarmes and custom house upper leather trust is being actively pushed officials, two battalions of infantry were intervals, supplementing the usual force of railroad employes detailed for duty in such affair. emergencies. The French government is Limp drew a knife and cut Patterson a feartaking unusual precautions on account of ful gash in the throat. the supposed hostility of a portion of the people to the queen. All these arrangements in France were upset by a dispatch from Rear Admiral Fullerton postponing the journey on account of the weather prevailing in the channel, classed as a "storm,"

whereas only a moderate sea was running.

MURDERER TRIES TO ESCAPE His Paramour Requests Her Parlo Organ to Be Brought to the Juil-Wants to Play Death Service.

ST. SCHOLASTIQUE, Que., March 9. Samuel Parslow, who was to be hanged with Mrs. Cordelia Poiriere tomorrow for the murder of the latter's husband, tried to escape last night and had actually got out of his cell when the guards detected him.

Mrs. Poirier, who was the organist at St. Canut church, has asked as a last favor that her parlor organ be brought into the jail so she may play and sing the musical part of her own death service.

MONTREAL, March 9 .- At the request of the Catholic priest it has been decided to hang Sam Parslow and Cordelia Poiriere at St. Scholastique tomorrow back to back and with a heavy black curtain between them.

ENGLAND WILL SUPPORT CHINA. No Power Will Be Permitted to Force Dissolution of Contract.

LONDON, March 9 .- In the House of Com mons today, replying to a question on the duties as silent as the tomb. The matter was subject, Right Hon, John Broderick said her soon forgotten, however. Many of the young majesty's government had not modified its dejected, moved into the little Hedley street cause the latter had granted British subhouse when that thoroughfare was opened to jects permission to make or support a railroad or public work. But, he government did not anticipate that a quesgin of the Bridesburg police station was tion of this description would arise with sitting in his office last Wednesday night respect to the British contract for the north-

The foreign question and answer arose away when a belated pedestrian rushed into from the Russian protest against the British the roll room and with white face and railroad contract and the statement of th British minister at Pekin, Sir Claude M. 'My God, sergeant, old Valentine's sitting | MacDonald, that any attempt to repudlate in his front room all frothing at the mouth!" the contract will be regarded as a breach of Sergeant Bergin immediately rang the faith meriting retributive measures. He at station house gong and Policeman Frank | the same time recalled Lord Salisbury's as-Gimbel was sent away on the double-quick surances of support for China if another cerning the letter sent to the pope, prefer- to investigate. Gimbel soon reached Var- power attempted to force it to repudiate the

Condition of Queen Henriette. BRUSSELS, March 9 .- Pessimistic rumors egarding the condition of Queen Marle Henriette continue. A bulletin issued late this evening says she had a serious relanse during the afternoon, but afterward improved.

Liberals Increase Their Majority. LONDON, March 8 .- In the election yes erday in the Elland division of the West Riding of Yorkshire for a successor in Parliament to Thomas Wayman, liberal, re-

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears tho Egnature CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Chart H. Pletchers Bears the Signature CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the

was successful by a majority of 884. the last election the liberal majority was

LIKE THE LOOKS OF BLUECOATS.

American Soldiers Get a Chance to Exercise on the Island of Malta VALETTA, Island of Malta, March 9. The United States transport Sheridan from New York on February 19 for Manila arrived here yesterday morning. By permission of the governor of Malta, General Sir Arthur

James Lyon Fremantle, the American troops,

consisting of 2,000 men, landed today and

the governor, attended by his staff, inspected

them on the Florian parade ground. Sub-

sequently the Americans marched past and created a splendid impression Admiral Sir John Ommanney Hopkins, mmander-in-chief on the Mediterranean station, and Major General Lord Congleton, commanding the infantry brigade, with their staffs, were present. There was also a arge attendance of naval and military men and an immense concourse of spectators. The troops on board the United States transport Sheridan consist of the Twelfth United States infantry and a battalion of the Seventeenth infantry. The detachment

is commanded by Colonel Smith. Toulon Cartridges Are a Joke. PARIS, March 9.-The Gaulois says the dynamite cartridges found near the Toulon joke and adds that they contained a harmless blasting powder. The Gaulois may be correct, but the real truth will not be known until the official inquiry is concluded.

Mutinous Convicts Suppressed. MADRID, March 9 .- In a conflict today between the Spanish soldiery and a number of mutinous convicts at Santona, sixteen miles east of Santander, the site of an important arsenal and of several military eral wounded.

Storm Threatens Pearl Fishers. BRISBANE, Queensland, March 9 .- The northeast coast is now being swept by a semuch loss of life and property and serious

Pauncefore to Represent England. LONDON, March 10 .- The Daily Graphic ays this morning it understands that Sir Julian Pauncefote, British ambassador at Shere I recommend

bay, province of Che-Kiang, which the Italian minister, Signor Martino, had demanded

Playmates' Fatal Quarrel PETERSBURG, Ind., March 9.—This even-ing Fred Limp, aged 14, and Dee Patterson. nged 12, got into a quarrel over some trifling affair. When they finally came together ful gash in the throat. The boy lingered until 9 o'clock, when he died,

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PEKIN, March 9.—The report that the Italians have seized San-Mun, on San-Mun bay, province of Che-Kiang, which the Italians in the province of Che-Kiang, which the Italians is a province of Che-Kiang, which es in either sex; re-store Shrunken or

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