DRUNKEN FATHER'S HORRIBLE CRIME

Kills His Wife and Cuts and Sleeping Children.

RAIL-SPLITTER USED AS WEAPON.

The Three Children Were Asleep in One of the Beds, and the Brutal Father Rushed to the Bed and Rained Blow After Blow Upon the Sleeping Little Ones-There Is Very Little Hope of Their Recovery.

Pittsburg, (Special).—A ghastly dis- mules. covery was made here, when some neighbors, hearing cries coming from the residence of Vinenzo Visolek, a Pole, broke open the doors and found the bed- member of the Adams county (Pa.) bar, room of the house saturated with blood.

Mrs. Visolek lay beside her bed, her face and head almost crushed beyond Pittsburg. recognition, dead. Three little children United States Senator Joseph B. Forbodies covered with cuts and gashes, lature. and the husband and father himself, al-

most dead, fay near them. tragedy it appears that Visolek came Los Angeles. with a rail-cutter. The first blow in- \$200,000. weapons as she could find in the room, part in any campaign having for its purdefended herself.

The three children were asleep in one of Cuba. of the beds, and the brutal father, an- Colonel Marasigan, a Filipino insur- trades closed out bring a fair price, I rained blow after blow upon the sleep- cers and 245 men, surrendered at Toel, 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 wheat Congress, which has been in session in was brought to the surface before mid- the mother and baby were found togething little area. The shared at Toel, 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 wheat Congress, which has been in session in the sleep- cers and 245 men, surrendered at Toel, 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 wheat Congress, which has been in session in the sleep- cers and 245 men, surrendered at Toel, 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 wheat Congress, which has been in session in the sleep- cers and 245 men, surrendered at Toel, 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 wheat Congress, which has been in session in the sleep- cers and 245 men, surrendered at Toel, 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 wheat Congress, which has been in session in the sleep- cers and 245 men, surrendered at Toel, 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 wheat Congress, which has been in session in the sleep- cers and 245 men, surrendered at Toel, 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 wheat Congress, which has been in session in the sleep- cers and 245 men, surrendered at Toel, 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 wheat Congress, which has been in session in the sleep- cers and 245 men, surrendered at Toel, 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 wheat Congress, which has been in session in the sleep- cers and 245 men, surrendered at Toel, 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 rye, 5,000,0 ing little ones. The sharp edge of the Batanzas, which section is now report- and 600,000 corn and oats. Saturday a the City of Mexico for the last three ploy of the company for some time, and mother's arms. cutter hacked the children in a frightful ed to be practically clear of hostile manner, and the hospital physicians say forces.

she sprang at her husband and stabbed he is "broke." him a number of times. He managed to A second headless body was found get in several blows during the close bat- within a week on the beach near Fort tle, and seeing that she was getting Casey, Washington State. on her skull with all his force, crushing western was accepted. her skull. She fell to the floor dead.

solek was exhausted. He sank on the in separate session. floor and lay there throughout the night, Mrs. Harriet B. Holmes, a sister of unable to move. The moans of the chil- Benjamin F. Butler, died at her home, dren, and the crying of one of them was in San Jose, Cal. what attracted the attention of the George H. Phillips, the noted Chicago neighbors. Developments add mystery speculator, known as the "Corn King," to the tragedy. Three Poles who were was caught short of his margins yesterboarders in the Visolek house are under day and failed to respond to the limit arrest, and the police are scouring the of his calls after settling \$105.000 in city for John Okenski, who was also a margins. He was given until this mornboarder, but who has not been seen ing to settle over \$100,000 more. since the murder was discovered.

BRITISH SHIP BLOWN UP?

Bodies of Hundreds of Mules Floating on Waters of the Gulf.

New Orleans. (Special).—It is be- more and Ohio crashed into a trolley lieved in shipping circles here that a car at North Benwood, near Wheeling. British transport laden with American mules bound for South Africa has been intercepted and blown up by a Boer spy who is an acrobat, disappeared from her ----in the Gulf of Mexico or else has foun- home, in St. Louis.

A schooner arriving on the lower coast reports hundreds of dead mules floating on the waters of the gulf for a distance of 30 miles. This news has excited shippers, who fear that further attempts will be made to stop the export of mules to-Cape Town. Conservative persons attribute the **doating carcasses** to a disaster to one of the British vesssels during the storms

seen long rows of dead cattle and mules stirred up. floating in the water.

Strikes Cost Half a Million.

Indianapolis, Ind. (Special).—The auditing board of the United Mine Workers of America met in this city to charge of being concerned in postoffice of medium height, with no mustache, boxes on the streets, with a view to deexamine the annual report of Secretary- frauc's. Treasurer Wilson, which will be presenthere. The finances of the order, the withstanding heavy drains made on the Thomas at the American Legation. amounting annually to between \$300,000 joined Dowie's church. and \$400,000.

Blown to Pieces by Dynamite.

Williamsport, Pa., (Special).—A dispatch from Karthaus, Clearfield county, says: Three negroes were blown to pieces and seven others hurt in a dynamite explosion. The explosion occurred in one of the shanties occupied by on by Chinese soldiers in the Tam Chan negro laborers employed on the New Channel, and Rev. C. R. L. Cowan, chap-West Branch railroad.

Shortly before 3 o'clock several of the Max Regis was sentenced to three negroes who were to go to work in the years in prison in Algiers for failure to new tunnel at Karthaus, on an early pay judgments obtained against him in shift, arose and began thawing dynamite libel suits. at a wood stove. Soon afterward the The Earl of Wicklow and Lady Gladys dynamite at the stove exploded and Hamilton, daughter of the Duke and up on the 9th, 16 miles southwest of Presidency. The bill is to apply to any three negroes who were about the stove Duchess of Abercorn, were married in were literally blown to pieces.

Fatal Boiler Explosion.

Charleston, W. Va., (Special).- tion. News reached this city from the interior of the county of a disastrous boiler ex- De Wet, and Bruce Hamilton reports plosion at Island Branch. The boiler of having just missed Botha. Beter Shaffer's saw and grist mill ex- be attended on his visit to the United There is great rejoicing in the official pointed in charge of the naval reception ploded, the boiler going through the roof, States by German army and naval offidemolishing the millhouse and killing cers. They will sail for New tatally. A team of horses standing sail next Saturday, in command of Adnearby was scalded in a terrible manner. miral Count von Baudissin.

Threw Acid on Wrong Man.

Aurora, Ill., (Special).—Charles Straussburger, of Chicago, a student for the priesthood, was the mistaken victim of an acid thrower at the Chicago, stove companies is said to be progress-Burlington and Quincy depot here. The ing slowly. fluid missed his eyes, but the right cheek has declared a dividend of 2 per cent.. charge of the drilling machine. He sador to the coronation of King Edward, by the death of ex-President Harrison. and side of his nose were burned. The payable this week thrower took a second look at his vic- A Northern Pacific official says: "Our helper, while Jenkins put his brother in Army and Capt. Charles H. Clark to tim, cried out: "My God, I've got the traffic is certain to increase for years Grant's place. Just as the men quit work represent the Navy.

SUMMARY OF THE LATEST NEWS. GEO. H. PHILLIPS

\$30,000,000 of bonds, of which \$13,000,-000 is to be used in practically renewing the equipment of the road. The Cincinnati Southern Railroad Southern Car and Foundry for \$1,250,000 worth of cars.

mob stormed the jail at Flemings-

burg, Ky., to secure Charles Gaskins. olored, accused of murder, but the sheriff kept the prisoner. It is rumored at New Orleans that a Boer spy has blown up in the Mexican Gulf a British transport loaded with

Condor was lost in a typhoon on her way from Victoria, B. C., to Honolulu.

Vincent Vencelsick, a Pole, while drunk, killed his wife and children at

lying on the floor had their heads and aker was re-elected by the Ohio Legis-Norman P. Eyre was killed at Philadelphia by a train.

home intoxicated and assaulted his wife | Fire in St. Louis caused a loss of er. "Men whom he worsted in former is designed to promote commerce and

flicted an ugly gash on her shoulders and | E. G. Rathbone, in his examination at knocked her down, but she was on her the trial of the Cuban postoffice fraud feet again in an instant, and with such cases in Havana, said he did not take pose his appointment as civil governor

there is very little hope of their recovery. George H. Phillips, the former "corn The attack on the children infuriated king" of Chicago, has lost heavily by the wife, and with a knife in each hand the break in rye, and his attorney says

weak, he gave her a shove. As she stag- | The Pennsylvania Railroad Company's gered back he brought the cutter down offer for the Pennsylvania and North-

James B. McCreary was elected Sen-

The report of Frank W. Arnold, grand secretary-treasurer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, shows that of the 50,000 locomotive firemen in the United States and Canada 40.720 are

The "Cannon Ball" train of the Balti-W. Va., killing the motorman and slightly injuring five passengers. Lottie Richards, an 11-year-old girl,

According to present plans, Prince Henry of Prussia will sail on the Kronprinz Wilhelm on February 15 and meet the imperial yacht Hohenzollern a Newport News, whence the Prince and this retinue will go up the Potomac to Washington. Rear Admiral Evans has been selected to have charge of the

that have been raging near the coast this. The Venezueian government has refused to allow a Frenchman to land at At Quintana, Texas, Captain Peterson. La Guaira to look after his father's esof the schooner Olga, reports having tates and the French consul is much

peace in South Africa.

Herr Wolf, a pan-American leader, who recently figured in a social scandal, ed at the convention of mine workers was elected to the Austrian Reichsrath.

report will show, are in good shape, not- wife attended the ball given by Minister treasury by strikes during the year in The London Central News reports West Virginia, Kentucky, Kansas and that, owing to doctrinal differences, Gen-Indiana. These strikes, it is said, have eral Booth's son-in-law and daughter, cost the organization more than \$500,000. Mr. and Mrs. Booth-Clibbern, have re-The secretary-treasurer handles funds signed from the Salvation Army and

the Czar and Czarina expressed to Wellington on March A. 1903. United States Ambassador Tower their gratification at the good feeling in the United States toward Russia.

Prince Henry of Prussia, on his return from the United States, will be deputed to represent Emperor William at the coronation of King Edward.

The British steamer Nanning was fired

lain, was wounded.

The report of the Russian Finance Minister accompanying the budget says Lord Kitchener hopes soon to capture Walla.

Admiral Prince Henry of Prussia will

Financial

Ohio Coal Traffic Association roads will advance rates on coal ten cents a

wrong man," and fled. Straussburger to come. Immigration is pouring into Grant slipped up behind Jenkins, plung- A bill was introduced in Congress to tradition treaty between Chili and the true bill against Dr. Krause, former

CORN KING BROKE

Men He Worsted in His Former Deals.

WIPED OFF THE FINANCIAL SLATE. merce.

He Puts the Amount Involved in His Trouble at \$60,000-Was Long About \$1,200,000 Rye, 5,000,000 Wheat and 600,000 Corn and Oats When the Break on Rye Began-Could Not Stand, the Heavy Calls.

Hon. David McConaughy, the oldest fortune in two days. A notice was post- of Immigration, Bureau of Statistics, ed at the opening of the Board of Trade the United States Coast and Geodetic calling for the closing of all open deals Survey, the Commissioner of Railroads, the only persons in the pit, and none out the front of the store and hurled with Phillips. A heavy call for extra the Census Office, the Patent Office, the margins is said to have been the cause Fish and Fisheries, Bureau of Foreign of the posting of the notice. The trou- Commerce, now in the State Department, ble was due to a 31/2-cent break in rye. to be consolidated with the Bureau of Jacob Ringer, attorney for Phillips, gave Statistics. out a statement, saying that his client | There are also to be established a bu-From what could be learned of the Fire caused a damage of \$150,000 in had been practically wiped off the finan- reau of manufactures and a bureau of cial slate. "He is broke," said Mr. Ring- mines and mining. The new department deals went after him, and they 'got'

part. as follows: "The amount involved in my trouble now performed there. is about \$60,000. My customers had their trades well margined, and if the member of the board interested in break- months, is expected in a few days. ing the rye market sent notices calling for an extra margin of 10 per cent. on rye. This naturally caused selling or-By the time he had killed his wife Vi- ator from Kentucky by the two houses reflecting on my strength, resulted in un- ject, and is still fighting to prevent even plaints to make.

stated that Phillips had traded but little clusions as to arbitration. on his own account, the grain for the most part belonging to customers.

NEGRO NEARLY KILLS WOMAN.

A Horrible Crime Committed in Lynchburg,

Lynchburg, Va., (Special).—The most dastardly crime ever perpetrated in this city occurred when Mrs. Ralph Webber, a young married lady living on Monroe street, was outraged and desperately wounded by an unknown negro man. The brute, after having accomplished his purpose, dragged her to the floor and choked her, he placed his knee on her head and with a knife cut her throat almost from car to ear. Mrs. Webber. dwindled, until Mr. Cannon (Ill.), under in her attempt to save her life had both ands gashed, the left thumb being cut and the ball of the middle finger of the right hand being nearly sliced off. In iddition to this, she has a big bruise on her right temple, where the fiend's knee

The negro disappeared, and Mrs. Webber, although desperately wounded, staggered to the next house above, which is occupied by Mrs. R. B. Wood. She callto reach her neighbor's door, where she delivery of mails in cities, a new scheme At a review of guards about to depart fainted from loss of blood and fell to the for South Africa King Edward said that ground. Her cric had been heard by there would be an early declaration of a colored man and help was summoned, a physician and nurses soon being at ant Postmaster General Shallenberger. Ex-Director Rathbone continued his hand. She describes the negro as being testimony in his trial at Havana, on the almost as light-colored as a white man, mental letter-box to the regular letterand well dressed.

A. P. GORMAN FOR SENATE.

Prince Charles of Sweden and his Maryland Democrats Send Him to Washington Again.

Annapolis, Md., (Special).—Ex-Senathe Democratic members of the Legisla- postoffice for postmarking and then deture to again represent Maryland in the livering immediately to the addresses. United States Senate.

At the Russian New Year's reception He will succeed Senator George L. bly-17 in the Senate and 51 in the

the Republican ballots-52 in numberor 16 less than Mr. Gorman. State Treasurer Vandiver was reelected to that office.

Wal'a Walla Raft.

Aberdeen, Wash., (Special).-A raft f the ill-fated steamer Walla Walla was Melville Dollar. The raft was picked from the date of retirement from the Crescent City and 75 miles north of the ex-President living at the time the law scene of the disaster. On the raft were is enacted. found a coat, a jacket, two life belts and a felt hat. The pocket of the jacket the country's finances are in good condi- contained papers, showing that the owner, was W. J. Shiel, a waiter on the Walla

Nicaragua Celebrated Over Canal.

Managua, Nicaragua, (By Cable).circles of Nicaragua over the news by in New York Bay. from the battery.

Murdered by a Helper.

new Sharon Steel Company mines, eight in honor of Mr. McKinley on February The proposed merger of the Western miles west of this place, Henry Grant 2 almost instantly killed William Jenkins. Postmaster-General.

NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS.

Department of Commerce. The Senate Committee on Commerce

authorized a favorable report on Senator Nelson's bill for the creation of an executive department of the Government to be known as the Department of Com-

Besides providing for an additional member of the Cabinet, known as a secretary of commerce, the bill provides for an assistant secretary and a complement of officers. Under the new department shall be the following offices and bureaus:

Life-Saving service, Lighthouse Chicago, (Special) -George H. Phil- Board, Light-house service, Marine Hos-

gather and furnish all information upon commerce and industries. It also will Mr. Phillips gave out a statement, in relieve the other departments, notably the Treasury, of a great amount of work

Three Months' Work in Vain.

An adjournment of the Pan-American

Advices received by the Bureau of American Republics are to the effect that ders Monday, and the representative of the congress as about abandoned hope the member mentioned, finding the mar- of a successful solution of the arbitraket bare of orders, forced the market tion plan to which Chili has strenuous down three cents. This was done in a ly objected, and that the prospects of an moment, and the news, flashed all over adjournment without any definite reholders of rye contracts, many of whom portant question, seem now practically sold on a weak market. A decline of settled. Chili has succeeded in preventone cent in wheat, coupled with rumors ing action by the congress on this subusually heavy calls for margins. I was a motion being submitted on the floor for the moment unprepared, and the only of the congress which it is believed alternative lest was to close out. I would result in a majority favorable to

which had embarrassed Mr. Phillips. He the congress without any positive con- tangas.

Hepburn Bill Passes.

The Hepburn Nicaraguan Canall bil passed the House by practically a unanimous vote. Only two members out of 310 voted against it-Messrs. Fletcher ama canal, if it could be purchased for er, will surrender next week. At each succeeding vote their strength year. whose leadership the fight was made, was unable to get the ayes and nays on a motion to recommit. All other amendments failed and the bill passed exactly as it came from the committee. None of the votes, except that on the final passage of the bill, was a record vote.

Quicker Special Delivery.

In conection with efforts the Postoffice ed for help as she went and managed Department is making to expedite the p for quicker dispatch of special delivery letters is under consideration by Assist-

This contemplates attaching a supplepositing therein only the special delivery letters. This will be of much benefit to sections of cities remote from the postoffice, as special delivery messengers would make a rapd round of these special delivery boxes at frequent intervals, transferring the ordinary letters erroneously deposited to the regular boxes and Arthur P. Gorman was chosen by carrying the special deliveries to the

For a Permanent Census Bureau. He received every Democratic vote unanimously agreed to recommend the time the postoffice has been robbed the n each branch of the General Assem- passage of the bill introduced by Sena- burglars operated in the same way. This tor Hale to create a permanent census broke open a tool box which stands by insane. bureau. The committee was addressed the side of the Lackawanna railroad Admiral Schley had a remarkable re-Mr. William H. Jackson received all by Director Merriam, who said with a permanent establishment the bar. They then knocked off the combi- He met and shook hands with thousands work of the bureau could be done bet- nation of the safe and, inserting a charge of people of all classes. The streets

\$25,000 Salary for Ex-President.

Representative Lovering, of Massachusetts, introduced a bill providing a sal-

Capital News in General.

Henry of Prussia. Admiral Dewey's old 1894 for the same offense. flgship, the Olympia, may escort the imperial yacht Hohenzollern and thunder a salute to the German prince. Rear

The House passed the Pension Appropriation Bill and the resolution provid-Uniontown, Pa., (Special).—At the ing for memorial services in the House

Hon. Henry C. Payne was sworn in as The Wayne Title & Trust Company ing the shaft and Grant had been in Whitelaw Reid would be special ambas- appointment is to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Portia Knight, the American

lynched under federal jurisdiction.

TEN KILLED IN MINE EXPLOSION

Little Damage.

AFTER-DAMP.

The Ten Men Who Lost Their Lives Were the Only Persons in the Pit, and None Was Left to Tell the Story—All the Bodies Were Recovered—The Victims Had Been in the Employ of the Company for Some Time.

Dow Mining Company, at Dow, I. T. | ally dropped a lamp.

was left to tell the story. All the bodies some of the contents of the windows were recovered, and as none was burn- into the middle of the street. Plate-glass ed, the conclusion is that death was due way were shattered and the sound of the to afterdamp. The explosion did not explosion was heard two blocks away. injure the shaft, which was a new one. The flames enveloped the building in a and the fire that followed was put out short time. before it did much damage.

plainly at the surface, and rescuers immediately went to work. The explosion occurred at a depth of 240 feet. The scended as soon as safety would permit. mass of flames. The bodies were found close together. The fire was extinguished before

most of them were men with families. The mine had not yet been thoroughly that of his wife. He also held one of opened. Experienced mining men say is remarkable that gas should have accumulated in sufficient quantity in a new mine to cause an explosion.

YIELDING TO GEN. BELL

the country, caused consternation among sults having been obtained on this im- Filipino Leaders in Batangas Surrender The Famous Singer Injured in a Georgia Unconditionally.

sigan, Major Cabrera and a renegade a collision between a passenger train and priest, Padre Castillo, who is alleged to a freight train on the Southern Railway. have stolen a valuable image of the Vir. near Reeves Station, 20 miles north of have no excuses to offer and no com- some form of arbitration, not necessari- gin from a church, for which, it is al- Rome, Mme. Lillian Nordica, the singer, leged, he obtained large sums of money, was injured. Her accompanist, E. Ro-H. Hurlbert. Phillips' office manager. The United States, by its refusal to have surrendered unconditionally to maine Simmons, sustained a bruised declared that it was the suddenness of force matters and bring Chili to terms, General Bell, who is conducting the hand. An engineer was killed and three the call for the extra 10 per cent, margins probably will cause an adjournment of campaign against the insurgents in Ba-

> They had control of the district of! The train to which Mme. Nordica's Toaei, extending westward to the sea, private car was attached was a mixed including the towns of Banan and Gue- passenger and freight. It arrived at noa. An agreement has been made that Reeves Station at 3.30 o'clock A. M., these chiefs shall on Monday absolutely where it had orders to meet freight No. surrender every man and gen in their 55. A freight train, which proved to be district. It is estimated that 160 rifles an extra, was on the siding at Reeves will be turned in. Many men and rifles when the passenger arrived, and the enhave been captured during the past few gineer of the passenger evidently assum-(Rep., Minn.) and Lassiter (Dem., Va.) days, and small engagements occur daily, ed that in was No. 55 and did not stop, The opposition to committing the Gov- General Bell visited the city, and had but continued his run toward Chattaernment to the Nicaraguan route at a conference with General Chaffee. He nooga. tempted to secure amendments to lodge says the present campaign is securing A mile north of Reeves, while going with the President the discretionary valuable results, and that it is possible at a rapid rate, the passenger train met power to purchase and complete the Pan- that General Malvar, the insurgent lead the freight on a sharp curve. The two

> \$40,000,000. The test came on the first | The United States Commission has ap- Engineer Tracey in attempting to jump, vote, when the advocates of an alterna-propriated \$2.500,000 for insular ex- was caught between the two locomotives tive route polled 102 against 170 votes. penditures during the first quarter of the and crushed to death.

CHICAGO BURGLAR HAD NERVE.

Tells Sick Woman He is a Physician and Writes a Prescription. Chicago, (Special).--While Mrs. W.

cian, was in a light s'eep a man appeared son, is in-jail awaiting an investigation. in the room. Removing his overcoat, he approached Mrs. Reynolds and said: and requested me to make his call."

Then he gently lifted the patient's sick hand and felt of her pulse. "Ah!" he murmured, "just a slight trace of fever."

Inquiring whether she had rested well, wels were missing. The prescription read: "I am sorry I had to steal like

Robbed Six Times in Six Years.

New York (Special).—For the sixth time in as many years the postoffice at Short Hills, N. J., was entered by robbers. They got into the outer safe by the cause of the fire. The Senate Committee on Census use of dynamite, but got only \$10. Every time, as on the other occasions, they man, of Morgantown, W. Va., became that tracks and got a hammer and heavy iron ception at the City Hall in Savannah. of dynamite, blew off the outside door were packed with people, who cheered of the safe.

Zelaya Seizes Vasques.

ary for ex-Presidents of the United Government of Nicaragua has arrested ing into a street cutter. He was posbrought into port here by the steamer States at the rate of \$25,000 annually General Vasquez, the former President of From St. Paul. Minn. comes Honduras, on board the South Ameri- port of a progressive scheme of railroad can Steamship Company's steamer Tu- consolidation which contemplates the capel. The General is charged with at- bringing together of all the important tempting to incite a revolution in Central railroad systems in the country. America against President Zelaya, of The Union Pacific is preparing to ex-The President and Cabinet consider- Nicaragua. who drove General Vasquez pend from \$25,000,000 to \$30,000,000 in ed plans for the entertainment of Prince from the Presidency of Honduras in order to be able to fight the Northern

Is Miss Stone Released? London, (By Cable).-The release of tion in Philadelphia. W. S. Mitcheil. Miss Ellen M. Stone by the brigands who have held her in captivity since Sep- ing place. York cable that the Nicaraguan canal bill has There was a tilt in executive session tember 3, is believed to be only a ques-John Shaffer, the son of the owner, be- about February 15 on a passenger liner. passed the House of Representatives. between Senators Blackburn and Deboe tion of hours. An official telegram resides injuring six men, several perhaps The imperial yacht Hohenzollern will The national band at Managua played over the nomination of S. C. Sharp as ceived in London, which was dispatched cup challenger. "Hail Columbia," and salutes were fired United States marshal, which was con- from Constantinople after midday, says the release of Miss Stone is imminent.

On the Hague Tribunal.

Washington, (Special).-Mr. Oscar S. Strauss, of New York, formerly United dence that American sailors shot a Rus-States minister to Turkey, was appoint- sian soldier during the recent disturbed a permanent member of the Commit- ances. Jenkins was shift boss on the gang sink- The Secretary of State announced that tee on Arbitration at The Hague. The

Chilean Treaty is Approved.

Santiago, Chili, (By Cable).—The ex-Chilian Congress.

CREMATED IN BURNING HOUSE.

Burned to Death.

Buffalo, N. Y., (Special).—Henry Pearlstein, his wife and five children, ranging in age from 11/2 to 12 years, were burned to death in a fire that destroyed a two-story frame building here. Joseph Supowski, who owned the building, and Karl Bracki, his brotherin-law, have been arrested pending an investigation. Supowski carried an insurance of \$9,000 on the building and

The Pearlsteins and another family South McAlester, I. T., (Special).— lived in rooms above the shoe store and It is reported that the British warship lips, the former "Corn King," has been pital service, Steamboat Inspection ser- Ten miners lost their lives in the explosure were asleep when the fire started. Suworsted in the market, and has lost a vice, Bureau of Navigation and United sion in Mine No. 9 of the Milby and powski told the police that he accident-

A few minutes after the fire began The 10 men who lost their lives were there was a loud explosion that blew windows on the opposite side of Broad-

The family living in the rear flat bare-The sound of the explosion was heard by escaped with their lives. The Pearlsteins were awakened, but before they could reach the only stairway leading from their rooms, the fire had undermachinery was not injured, and miners mined the floor in the hallway and it working at the mouth of the pit de- collapsed, carrying them down into a Their charred bodies were found at 8

it o'clock, four hours after the firemen had reached any of them, and the last body extinguished the flames. The body of Pearlstein's corpse was found close to

the children in his arms. The bodies of the other three children were found huddled together close to the father's re-

NORDICA HURT IN WRECK

Manila, (By Cable).-Colonel Mari- Rome Ga., (Special).-As a result of other employes of the road were injured.

engines crashed into each other, and

Woman Roasted to Death.

Marinette, Wis. (Special).-Mrs. La Christel, aged 70, was literally roasted to death here. Her charred and lifeless body was found in her room by a police-W. Reynolds of 4634 Calumet avenue, the place. Le woman's death was a man who had seen smoke issuing from who is ill and under the care of a physi- mysterious one and Martin Christel, her She was a Russian. Circumstances indicated that when her clothes were burning she had made a struggle for life, "Doctor ——— cannot be here today, as her body was found some distance from the bed, where she had been lying

Through Flames to Safety. Sault Ste Marie, Mich., (Special).took notes of her appetite, wrote The home of Henry Plaunt was dewhat purported to be a prescription and stroyed by fire and the eleven inmates Five hundred dollars' worth of barely escaped with their lives. Four members of the family were horribly burned in making their escape from the house, their passage being through a mass of flame. A 10-year-old boy saved his life by jumping from a second-story window. Plaunt, clad only in his night clothes, bareheaded and barefooted, ran four blocks through a storm to give the

alarm. An explosion of a lamp was the

ODDS AND ENDS OF THE NEWS. Capt. Robert Stanton, Salvation Army

him with a will. Richard A. Moran, aged 73 years, an, old California miner, was fatally suffo-Managua, Nicaragua, (By Cable).- | cated near Middletown, N. Y., by fall-

From St. Paul, Minn., comes the re-

lines under the control of J. J. Hill. The National League of Commission Merchants concluded its annual conven-

of Louisville, was elected president, and Chicago was selected as the next meet-Sir Thomas Lipton has arranged with William Fife for the building of the next

Paul Deschanel was re-elected president of the French Chamber of Deputies. The United States consul at Newchwang has informed the Russians that, upon investigation, he has found no evi-

actress, against the Duke of Manchester, has been settled out of court, the Duke paying Miss Knight \$5,000.

was able to return to his home in Chi- our territory, thus increasing the ton- ed a big knife through his body and ran, place cases where aliens have been United States has been approved by the governor of Johannesburg, on the chargedf inciting to murder