# SPAIN'S EX=QUEEN IS DEAD

A Tumultuous Royal Career Ended in Paris.

# GRANDMOTHER OF KING ALFONSO.

The Late Queen, Up to a Few Years Ago, Was Noted for Her Cheerfulness and Joviality-In Fact it Was This Inherent Good Humor Which Made Her the Easy Victim of Many Intrigues.

Paris, (By Cable).-Ex-Queen Isabella of Spain, grandmother of King hands. Alfonso, died here at 9.45 o'clock A. M. from influenza, with complications.

The American Embassy, which is opposite the Palace Castille, on the Avenue Kleber, the late Queen's residence, was early informed of her ing of a 16-year-old boy by another mentarily expected. death, and Ambassador Porter was among the first to call.

The Infantas Isabella, Eulalie and Marie, daughters of the Queen, were

at the bedside when she died. The Queen had been afflicted with the grip two months, and it gradually affected the lungs. At night she became unconscious and the death agony began at 7 A. M. The three infantas and Prince Ferdinand of Bavaria, husband of the Infanta Marie, were summoned to the bedside, but the dying have failed. Queen did not recognize them.

The Papal Nuncio was sent for to administer the last sacraments, but, pany and the Imperial Trust Comowing to his absence from Paris, the rites were administered by the vicar of the Church of St. Pierre. The Queen's death followed shortly afterward. Prince Ferdinand immediately III. telegraphed the news to Foreign Min- were fatally injured and 20 others ister Delcasse and to all the European

M. Delcasse called later and was admitted to the death chamber. President Loubet sent an officer of his household to present his condolences. It is understood that King Alfonso

will not come to France for the funeral, as he did not come for the fun-eral of his grandfather, King Francis, who died in April, 1902.

The late Queen had been one of the conspicuous figures of Paris since she left Spain. After her abdication, in she continued to live with queenly magnificence here, giving largely to charitable and religious

#### HURRICANE CAUSES DISASTER.

#### Japanese Bazar at the World's Fair Grounds Was Destroyed.

St. Louis, Mo. (Special) .- The high wind that prevailed here completely destroyed the partially completed bazar building in the Japanese reservation at the world's fair, not a timber being left standing.

The building was a two story frame structure and was partly roofed. The rumpus there and the Greeks were work of reconstruction was begun al- driven out. most immediately.

No other buildings on the grounds were damaged.

The storm was general throughout Missouri and neighboring states and much damage was done. A blizzard, life. the most serious for this season in many years, prevailed at St. Joseph, and the telephone and telegraph service was crippled.

Fort Worth, Tex., (Special) -A cyclone passed up the Red river country doing much damage. At Mills two Embassy, which is American soil. children were killed in the wrecked home of Benjamin Diggs and several other members of the family were injured.

A man driving along the public road near Point Enterprise, on a load of wood, was picked up and carried over a fence into a field and slightly in-

Telegraph wires are down and the running of trains on the Cotton Belt the minister of the Netherlands, sign-Railway is interfered with.

Houston, Tex., (Special).—A tor-nado which passed near the town of Mexia killed a family of three persons and injured nine other persons, three of whom it is feared are fatally hurt. The dead are John Ballard, his wife and 4-year-old child. Many houses were demolished and

much damage was done to growing

Lincoln, Neb., (Special).-Nebraska was swept by the most severe April Bulgarians in Macedonia. storm known in many years. A fine by a wind that at times reached the was in collision off Cape Degaton. off velocity of a hurricane. Minor damage was reported from several towns. end of a Southern tornado struck proceeded Owensboro and vicinity. The street car power house was partially demolished and not a street car is runhas been done, especially to telegraph and telephone companies. Waves ran to high on the Ohio river that steam-

severe wind and snowstorm prevails over North and South Dakota, and in some instances railroad traffic is blocked and telegraph service is seriously hindered.

# Twenty-Five Killed By Earth quake.

Vienna, (By Cable) .-- According to a dispatch to the Neue Freie Presse an earthquake on April 4 killed 25 persons, injured 40, destroyed 1500 houses and caused great distress in the vilayets of Kossovo and Salonica, Macedonia.

# His Love Levels Rank.

Omaha, Neb., (Special).-Clarence Thurston, son of former United States Senator John M. Thurston, of Nebraska, wealthy and with a high standing in society, has just married Miss Nellie Cotter, daughter of an Omaha railroad switchman. The ceremony was performed at the Planters' Hotel, Louis, where Mr. Turston now lives. Miss Cotter and Mr. Thurston had

#### NEWS IN SHORT ORDER.

The Latest Happenings Condensed for Rapid Reading.

Domestic.

Vice Chancellor Bargen signed an order in New Jersey to show cause why an injunction should not issue to restrain the Northern Securities Company from holding a stockholders'

Work at the Bay State Mills of the American Woolen Company, in Low-ell, Mass., was suspended, the company ordering a shutdown for an indefinite period. This effects 700

Miss Jennie Gray, daughter of Col. to Capt. Earle D'Arcy Pearce, of the United States Army.

A quarrel over a girl, their companin Chicago.

For half an hour traffic on Lower Broadway was blocked by a small fire in the new subway in New York. John Cleves Short Harrison, grandson of President William Henry Harrison, died at Los Angelese, Cal.

Edward and Jacob Hammond, brothers, and Oscar Sigertsen were asphyxiated by gas in Philadelphia. Five persons are dead and another

Mount Vernon, N. Y. The Exchange Bank of Dow City and the Bank of Buck Grove, Ia.,

The police raided the offices of the Pacific Underwriting and Trust Company, in Chicago, and arrested those in charge on the charge of swindling. Sixty-three Indians were wrecked in a train east-bound near Maywood, Three were instantly killed, 3

were more or less seriously hurt. The National Cotton Spinners Association at Boston adopted resolutions favoring an eight-hour day, antiinjunction laws and a better system of factory inspection.

In an amended bill in the United States Circuit Court at St. Louis an insurance company which is resisting the payment of policies for \$200,000 on the life of James L. Blair, who was vice general counsel of the World's Fair, charges that Blair obtained the policies by fraud.

Advices from Nome, Alaska, say that the spring cleanup of gold on the Nome Peninsula will be greatly in ex- posts behind them. cess of any previous season. Conservative estimates place the cleanup at \$1,250,000.

Smuel W. McCall and Charles F Choate, Jr., were appointed receivers for the Union Trust Company in Bos-The company's liabilities are placed at \$1,600,000.

Albert Robbins and Edward L. Robbins, president and cashier, respectively. of the defunct Farmers' Bank at Auburn, Ind., were arrested the place at short notice if necessary. for embezzlement. The retention of 35 Greek strike-

Car Company, in Chicago, caused a The nail department of the Ameri

at Rankin, near Pittsburg, was burned down, causing a loss of \$175,000. As the result of playing with powder, three boys were fatally injured in States Minister Conger, at Peking, Salt Lake, Utah, and one crippled for

Coal has advanced \$1.20 a ton in ed by the strike.

# Foreign.

It has been arranged that the signing of the Panama Canal contract shall take place at the United States

King Alfonso was well received in Barcelona, a number of anarchists and suspects having been arrested as a precautionary measure.

It is officially denied that an anti-Gomel or any other place in Russia. Delcasse, and the Chevalier de Stuers, in self-defense.

Lippe, is dead. The dock authorities at Liverpool tinue to hamper the Cunard Steamship over Jelick. Company's operations by increased ships to another port.

egain begun the persecution of the

The Hamburg-American Line steam-Owensboro, Ky., (Special). - The was badly damaged, but the steamer

Hard fighting has occurred in Ni-geria, British West Africa, and the British punitive expedition sent against ning in the city. Much other damage the Okpoto Tribe has suffered a re-

King Edward, in a reception to the diplomats at Copenhagen, expressed to United States Minister Swenson his boats were obliged to tie up.

St. Paul, Minn., (Special).—Another admiration for President Roosevelt. The United States Consul at Odessa reports that a demonstration against the Jews at this time is unlikely.

The English annihilation of the best part of the Tibetan Army has revived irritation throughout Russia. United States Ambassador Mc-

Cormic is negotiating a treaty in St. Petersburg to secure for American corporations the right to sue in

# have been successful.

Financial. One of the Rockefellers last week brought 200,000 shares of Union Pacific, putting up a margin in cash of

40 per cent. Missouri's wheat crop is 81 per cent. against a ten-year average at this who murdered Lilian Shaw, colored, sitions, died in Washington. season of 84 per cent. One year ago in Johnson county, and who is now in

it was 91 per cent. Public trading in bank stocks was resumed in the Pittsburg Exchange. ment of the public schools 15 years ago.

Since last October, because of the unsettled condition in banking affairs there.

# STRONG ON THE YULU RIVER

Japs Cross and Occupy Important Positions.

### CRUISING NEAR PORT ARTHUR.

Admiral Togo Likely Watching for an Opportunity to Make Another Attack Japanese humorous aspects. Supply Sfeamers Enter the Estuary of Yalu River and Land Cargoes on the Korean Shore. London, (By Cable).-With the Ja-

panese fleet again cruising in the vi-James R. Gray, editor of the Atlanta the Japanese forces on the fighting ournal, was married in Atlanta, Ga., line having crossed the Yalu River and occupied strong positions at several important points, news of both ion at school, culminated in the kill- naval and military operations is mo-

Advices from Seoul, Korea, state that the Russians are occupying six of the largest border towns on the Tumen River, in northeastern Korea.

A Korean prefect has sent in a report that the Russians and Chinese who were at Yongampoo, Korea, have withdrawn to Antung, across the Yalu River. Only a few merchants remain | 000 s dying as the result of a fire in at the former place. The Japanese ation of a reported engagement between Russians and Japanese at Kwi-They have, however, received advices from Seoul that the Japanese the estuary of the Yalu River and are landing their cargoes at various points on the Korean shore. It is presumed here that the movement of these supply steamers is covered by Japanese gunboats. If this is true, the Russian forts erected upon the Chinese side of the Yalu River are evidently not effective.

According to reliable Korean re-ports the American mines at Unsan and the English mines at Gwendolen are safely guarded by detachments of

Japanese troops. Shanghai from Korea assert that the vice A. D. Barlow, resigned. fear that the Japanese may land at are retreating, leaving only small out-

#### Massed for Fight.

Niuchwang, Manchuria, (By Cable.) General Kuropatkin's visit to Niuchwang has inspired boundless confi-

The Commander-in-Chief ordered 10,000 reserves to reinforce this po-sition, in view of the expected Japanese attack, while an additional force of 15,000 is ready to concentrate upon

It is estimated now that there are 400,000 Russian troops in Manchuria. breakers at the plant of the American General Dragomiroff is actively as- of bonds for municipal improvements sisting General Kuropatkin.

General Wogack has taken over the come on the cost of railroads. can Steel and Wire Company's plant defense of the town are complete.

# Mines Laid in River.

Washington, (Special). - United Cooper. cables the State Department that Consul Miller, at Niuchwang has been notified by the Russian authorities conducted in and out safely.

# RIVALS HAVE FATAL QUARREL.

### Sixteen-year-old Boy Shoots Another Because of Jealousy.

a girl, their companion at school, culminated in the killing of one 16-yearold boy by another. The victim was he has now been appointed. Jewish demonstration has occurred at Paul Jelick and the slayer was Henry Schaze. He was arrested and has con The French foreign minister, M. fessed the killing, but declares he shot

ed an arbitration treaty in Paris.

Schaze escorted a girl pupil from packages of liquor shipped within Princes Sophia of Lippe, widow of school a year ago. The youths fought their borders as interstate commerce of first, when Jelick declared the other was filed in the House by Representation. had tried to "cut him out," as other pupils said, and in a fist battle behind have been warned that if they con- the school building Schaze was victor

After that time, it is said, the boys charges the company will transfer its would quarrel every time they met, until Schaze organised his companions The Turks are reported to have into a bodyguard and the feud spread throughout the school. Both boys often would be acompanied by bands of supporters, and challenges were fresheet of sleet and snow was driven er Prinz Adelbert, from New York, quent. The clash finally came, when, after quarreling for several minutes, the Spanish coast, with the Spanish Jelick struck the other in the face and Coal Strike Commission, urged the bark Jose Roig. The latter vessel threw him to the ground. Schaze then Arbitration Bill before the House drew a revolver and shot Jelick, who Committee on Labor. died almost instantly.

# INDIANS KILLED IN SMASHUP.

#### Their Special Car Wrecked in Collision Due to Fog.

West show were smashed into by a mail train two miles west of here the opening session of the annual during a fog. Three of the Indians were instantly killed, three were fatally injured, and 20 others were more or less seriously hurt. The Indians who were not pinned in the wreck fled in a panic across the prairie.

The trains which collided were the Oregon express and a fast mail on the Chicago and Northeastern Raileastbound.

# Mob Lost Its Courage.

special to the Times from Bristol, \$3,000,000. Tenno, says a mob tried to get possession of Finley Preston, the negro who held a number of government pojail at Mountain City. The mob al- the right to fix the price of gas at most had the man in their possession when their courage failed them and

#### LIVE WASHINGTON AFFAIRS.

### Sale of Spanish Mausers.

The response of the Assistant Secretary of War to the suggestion of a Georgia Representative that the Mauser rifles captured during the Spanish-American War had been sold to the revolutionists of Panama has some

While the circumstances of the sale were such that few, if any, of the arms could possibly have reached the Panamaians, the list of purchasers, it is said, contains the names of three members of Congress-M. E. Olmsted, of Pennsylvania; C. B. Landis, cinity of Port Arthur and a portion of of Indiana, and Charles H. Grosvenor, of Ohio. Mr. Olmsted bought one, Mr. Landis and General Grosvenor two apiece. The total number received from all sources was 21,154. Only three are left at the Spring field Armory. To the United States Army 63 were issued and 20,220 were sold at auction, 18,200 going to a single purchaser.

### Country's Mineral Resources.

The Geological Survey will soon issue its report on mineral resources. for 1902, showing that in that year for the third time the total value of the commercial mineral products of the United States exceeded \$1,000,000,-

The exact figures for 1902 were authorities at Tokio have no confirm- \$1,260,639,415, which, as compared with \$1,086,584,851 in 1901, shows a gain of \$26,667.743, or 6 per cent. Every variety of fuel increased in value except anthracite coal, which shows a desupply steamers are safely entering crease in quantity of 23,301,850 long tons and in value of \$36,330,434. The and non-metallic products \$50,072,089. To these should be added estimated unspecified products, including building, moulding and other sands reported to this office, the rare mineral molybdenum and other mineral products valued at \$1,000,000.

#### An Educator for Consul.

The President will nominate James R. Parsons, Jr., as United States Refugees who have arrived at Consul-General to the City of Mexico.

This a personal appointment on the Possiet Bay (in Manchuria, about 65 part of the President. Mr. Parsons miles southwest of Vladivostok) is is a distinguished educator, 42 years causing a general exodus inland. Even old and a native of Albany, N. Y. the Russian garrison in that locality He is secretary of the board of regents of the State University of New York and has taken an important part in the development of the public school system of that State, Mr. Parsons has had experience in consular work, having been from 1888 to \$15,000. 1890 United States Consul at Aix-le-Chapelle.

#### Improvements in Philippines.

Senator Lodge reported favorably from the Senate Committee on the Philippines the Lodge-Cooper bill to amend the Philippines Civil Government catby authorizing the issuance and guaranteeing a 5 per cent. in-

Philippine Government act in several

# Successor for Judge Kalua.

Attorney General Knox announced Iowa on account of the scarcity caus- that mines have been placed in the that A. N. Kepoikai will be appointed river, but that neutral ships will be by the President to succeed John W. Kalua as judge of the Second Circuit at Honolulu. Judge Kula was re-moved from office because he had adjourned his court until the day following the expiration of his commission on learning that he would Chicago, (Special) .- A quarrel over not be reappointed. Judge Kepoikai with a strong effort, Senator Burton Electric Light and Power Company. is at present treasurer of Hawaii. Formerly under the kingdom he was chair back as he said: judge of the same district to which

# Favorable Report on Hepburn Bill.

The report favoring the passage of the Hepburn-Dolliver bill granting the The boys became enemies when states police power over original packages of liquor shipped within

# Congressional and Departments.

Former Secretary Root will be temporary chairman and Speaker Cannon permanent chairman of the Republican National Convention at Chicago.

The oral arguments on the Eighthour Bill before the Senate Committee on education and Labor were closed by Samuel Gompers. Bishop Spalding, a member of the

The remains of Gen. Americus V.

Rice were buried at the National Cemetary at Arlington. Secretary Hay and Senor Quesada, the Cuban minister, signed a treaty of

extradition. Maywood, Ill., (Special). — Sixty-three Indians in a special car on their way East to go aboard with a Wild in the suicide in his room in Wash-

> meeting of the Oriental Society. The District of Columbia Court of Appeals holds that the statute to punish conspiracy covers the charges made in the indictments against former Assistant Attorney General Tyner

President D. C. Gilman presided at

and Law Clerk Barrett. The Senate Committee on Finance indicate that the precationary measures way. The express train was run into authorized Senator Aldrich to report taken to prevent anti-Jewith riots by the mail train. Both trains were an amendment to the bill for the government of the Panama Canal zone.

> A delegation of representative Porto Ricans has arrived in Washington Chattanooga, Tenn, (Special) .- A for the purpose of placing a loan of Gen. Americus V. Rice, of Ottawa O., who had a brilliant war record and

> > The United States Supreme Ciurt decided that the city of Chicago had

Southard Parker Warner, of Washington, son of Brainard H. Warner, sular agent at Gera, Germany.

# EXTERMINATED BY FIRE

### Father and Three Children Cauhgt in Death Trap.

# WIFE THE ONLY ONE TO SURVIVE.

The Flames Spread Throughout the Top Floor With Great Rapicity-The Inmates Were clote lighthouse. Aroused by the Smoke and Heat and all Endeavored to Make Their Escape, But the Members of the Frey Family Were Overcome.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., (Special) --Five persons were burned, one fatally, in a conflagration which destroyed Columbia Hall shortly before 5 o'clock Nathan Frey perished in the flames. Columbia Hall was occupied on the have not yet been recovered. ground floor by the piano factory of pository of D. R. Woods. The second and recovered. was an auditorium used for theatrical purposes and the top floor was oc- party out for a cruise to the lightcupied by families. The building was house, but met rough weather and the

It was shortly before 5 o'clock when Louis Levine smelled smoke. He located at Sutherland, on the west flames and escaped by the stairway from Tampa. cut-off. Levine seized his baby and calling to his wife to follow him, fled 16.02 per cent. The fuels increased to the roof, where he made his escape to the adjoining building. Mrs. Levine was overcome by smoke and was rescued in an unconscious condition. Were drowned in a large pond less Levine aroused the house by his cries than forty rods back of their home. metallic products increased \$123992,325 and the frightened tenants poured The pond was covered with a thin into the smoke-filled hallways. Na- ventured. than Frey, seized by fear, stumbled back into his apartment and awoke support them and they sank together

his wife, the three shildren and maid. created a draft and the flames caught clasped.

Mrs. Frey made her escape, but Mr. Frey carrying two children in his Court Asked to Set Aside Merger of Electric arms, and followed by the eldest child and the maid, were caught and burned in the doorway.

ocated her hip. The fire department in the meantime had arrived, and with long lad- Electric Light and Power Company, ders the tenants, who were huddled now constituent corporations of the on the roof, were carried to the street | North American Electric Company of

The origin of the fire has not been

# BURTON IS SENTENCED.

#### Six Months in Jail and a Fine of \$2,500 -Bill of Exceptions Filed.

St. Louis, Mo., (Special).-Senator J. R. Burton, of Kansas, was sen- gal. tenced to six months' imprisonment | Second-That an injunction be forthin jail and a fine of \$2500 for using with issued to restrain the officers of command here from General Kondratsvitch. The preparations for the defense of the town are complete.

The report of the House Committee before the postoffice department in behalf of the Rialto Grain passage of the bill amending the passage of the bill amend the p and Securities Company of St. Louis ceiver to take charge of the Missouriminor matters was filed by Chairman for having received payment from the Edison Company's property and purcompany for his services.

When Senator Burton, accompanied by his attorney, came into the United the merger was voted without his States District Court Judge Adams consent, and that as a result the stock spoke of the motions that had been of the Missouri-Edison Company has filed for arrest of judgment. The greatly appreciated in value. court, after briefly reviewing the motions, overruled them both. The Missouri-Edison Electric Company, court then said to the defendant:

why sentence should not be passed

stood leaning with both hands on a "Your honor will please allow me following day to respectfully decline to say any-

The courtroom was almost empty. with the exception of a few persons who had remained out of curiosity.

#### delivery of the sentence. VIRGINIA LAUNCHED.

#### Big Battleship Floated Amid the Cheers of Thousands.

Newport News, Va., (Special) .-hours that the navies of the world sight of Newport News the Confeder- her body by Minto's heavy mining ate ram Virginia and the first monitor shoes. Coal Strike Commission, urged the tried conclusions in a battle which revolutionized all theories of naval construction, and sounded the death knell of the wooden ship as a war vessel. Tuesday a new battle-ship, admittedly representing the highest type of naval achievement, was launched from the yards of the Newport News | waterproof paper. Shipbuilding Company, bearing the name Virginia, representing a people and a State that have always stood for the highest type of chivalry, courage, and endurance and an insatiable appetite for carrying their conviction by superior skill in open, honorable riages in Japan is one to four. contest. The new Virginia is not There are in use in the expected to revolutionize naval construction, but the expert constructors and the most experienced officers of the navy are confident that her thundering batteries and stanch and unyielding armor will prove more than a match for any fighting ship affoat and enable her to do her full share in placing the United States at the head of the naval powers of the world, potent for peace and invincible in war. lect.

# Three Firemen Killed at York.

York, Pa., (Special).-The worst tween twenty and twenty-one. fire in recent years in this city wiped out the big six-story brick factory of the York Carriage Company, damaging the big farm implement warehouse the use of meat is forbidden appendiof Ernest & Bupp, the foundry of the citis is unknown. Variety Iron Works, nine dwellings and other property, causing a loss of \$200,000. By the collapse of a wall

#### FIVE PERSONS DROWNED.

Disastrous End to a Night Cruise is the Gutt of Mexico.

Tampa, Fla., (Special).-Five persons, members of a pleasure party from the Florida Methodist College, at Sutherland, were drowned near An-

The dead are:

Mrs. Walker, wife of the president of the college.

Miss O'Connor, of Atlanta. Miss Slaughter, of Sutherland. Miss McCray, of Sutherland.

Mr. Bouland, of Sutherland. President Walker and Miss Newton A. M. Nearly the entire family of reached the beach alive. The bodies of Mrs. Walker and Miss O'Connor

The bodies of the other three who J. C. Schlicher and the carriage re- lost their lives were washed ashore

President · Walker had taken the boat was overturned in the gulf.

The Florida Methodist College is

found the complete lower floor in coast of the gulf, about thirty miles Tustin, Mich., (Special) .- The three children of Mr. and Mrs. Robert

Holmes-Laura, aged 13; Hazel, aged 11, and Wendell, aged 9 years-residing three miles southwest of Tustin, coat of ice, on which the children The ice was not strong enough to

thirteen feet of water. When the bodies were recovered two hours later The open door of the apartment the children's hands were still tightly

# CONSOLIDATION OF MILLIONS. Light and Power Companies.

St. Louis, Mo., (Special) .- Suit to-Mrs. A. E. Berry, while descending set aside the \$20,000,000 consolidation a ladder, which broke, fell and dis- of the Missouri Electric Light and Power Company and the Citizens' Philadelphia, alleging that the merger determined. The loss is estimated at was effected by fraud, was institued by Morgan Jones, of Denver, Col., in-The tenants lost all their belong- the United States Circuit Court here. Mr. Jones avers that he is the owner of more than \$100,000 worth of stock and that other stockholders standready to join in the proceedings.

First-To declare the merger ille-

Through his attorneys he asks the

the consolidation companies from a

chases pending the settlement of the litigation. Briefly, Mr. Jones' complaint is that

The defendant to the action are the August Gehner, Charles H. Huttig, "Have you anything to say as to Herman C. Stifel, C. Marquard Forster, Eugene H. Penoist, Philip Stock, William F. Nolker, Henry S.

Evidently suppressing his emotions William D. Arthwein and the Union The merger was effected on Sep tember 8, 1903, and was ratified on the

# A Woman Kicked to Death.

Wheeling, W. Va., (Special) .- Mrs. Peter Minto, the wife of a coal miner and the silence was almost oppressive living a few miles below Bellaire, as Judge Adams in a low tone began O., on Pipe Creek, was kicked to death Sunday night, and Monday morning the woman's body was found on the floor of the poorly furnished cabin. Minto was arrested, and has been placed in St. Clairsville jail. Minto came home drunk and began to kick his wife. The neighbors About forty-two years ago a fighting paid little attention to her cries, beship named Virginia showed in a few cause it was a common thing to hear the people quarreling. Sunday evening the abuse continued until the would have to be rebuilt. Almost in woman died, life being crushed out of

# FACTS WORTH REMEMBERING.

Combs are found in the earliest; known graves. Guinea fowls are becoming popular

as table birds.

weigh 134 pounds.

For 300 years the Chinese have made A woman 5 feet 4 inches should

The sale of patent medicines is prohibited in Sweden. The proportion of divorces to mar-

There are in use in the United States 1,400,000 miles of telegraph The annual number of divorces in Canada has averaged two for thirty-

four years. The exports of Canada for 1903 were \$478,574,591, and imports \$243,141,016 The general depth of the Niagara River at the brink of the falls is four

The age at which the greatest number of Japanese girls marry is be-

Nearly all business transactions ig Columbia are based on United States In the religious communities where

The records of the Weather Bureau conflict with the popular belief in the equinoctial storm.

The propellers of the fast auto of the plant of the York Carriage boats revolve 1,250 times a minute, has been appointed United States con- Company three firemen were killed giving a speed of twenty-five miles as-