BY TELEGRAPH

Domestic

photographs found in his room, the RACES WITH TRAINS AND SHIPS. Backed by a mass of letters and Philadelphia police assert that Harry Ferree, shot dead by A. Jackson Detsch, Jr., was a blackmailer of women. That he attempted to blackmail Mrs. Detsch is advanced as the theory of Detsch's motive for shooting the man. Detsch clings to the ruse that he shot Ferree believing him to be a burgfar.

Henry E. Warner, receiver for the

Arnold Print Works, of North Adams, Mass., has been appointed receiver Company and the firm of Gallup & the print works.

The United States Court of Appeals affirmed judgment against the York, in ballast, and guessed right Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, compelling it to pay a fine of \$15,000 for granting rebates on lard. in the cotton in her cargo.

Reform League. His successor is Joseph Choate

Judge Olin Wellborn, in the United by telling the people all about it. States District Court in Los Angeles, Cal., fined the Santa Fe Railway Company \$300,000 for rebating. James F. Jones, a mining engineer,

with 35-pound dumb bells. Two coal barges, the Onondaga

and Black Diamond, both heavily laden with coal, were sunk off Stony Point light, in Lake Ontario.

building in Newport, R.

British Ambassador hanged himself in his cell in the county jail at Washington, Pa.

to return by the way of Vladivostok, through Siberia and Europe. The directors of the American Cot-

ton Oil Company passed the dividend on the common stock. Ex-Judge Henry Hand has declin-

ship of Porto Rico.

The consignment of \$7,100,000 in I wanted to see what the Germans gold coin and bars which arrived on could do. the steamer Kronprinzessin Cecillie "I closed with the Germans for was transferred from the ship's safe the purchase of the Pommern, and it equivalent in currency of nearly the view point of men who go up in the house occupied by Louis Gimmer.

to bankers. The Arnold Print Works, North Adams, Mass., employing 6,000 made the ascent, thinking it easier, father. hands, is in a receiver's hands. Receivers have been named for the New York State Steel Company.

Raymond Hitchcock, the actor, who has been missing a week, surrendered to District Attorney Jerome, gave bail and reappeared in "The Yankee Tourist.'

The trust companies of New York have taken charge of the Trust Company of America and the Lincoln Trust Company.

Gray Gables, the former home of Grover Cleveland at Buzzards Bay. has been sold to George D. Flynn, a

brewer. The Arctic whaling fleet previously reported caught in the ice is home-

ward bound with a large catch. Two Chicago laborers were electrocuted by the cable of a derrick becoming charged with electricity.

Foreign

Paul Minow, an epileptic, 22 years old, has cleared up the mystery of crimes in Berlin resembling those of Jack the Ripper in London by confessing that he had stabbed four little girls.

The Austro-Hungarian government issued a circular warning prospective immigrants to beware of promises by disagreeable day and bade him go igents of would-be employers in the Southern United States.

gau in 1910.

be war between the United States dently tried to speak, but death preand Japan, are volunteering their vented. services to the American Embassy.

There will be no trouble between Uruguay and Argentina over the seizure of a tug in Uruguayan waters by Argentine officials. Russian police searched a number his residence.

passports of emigrants intending to served one term as sheriff of the sail for America. Emperor William will see Secre-Taft at Osborne House, Isle of

of houses in Libau and seized false

Wight, during the former's visit to Sensational testimony was given in the hearing of the Druce mystery

case in London. The Emperor and Empress of Germany started from Berlin for Eng-

Foreign Minister Hayashi, of Japan, declares the relations between Japan and the United States are as

will be settled without friction. The Italian government is taking military precautions in Sicily to

minister of public instruction. delivered a speech at Nottingham, England, on Anglo-American trade

relations

WOMAN SAILS OVER THE BIG CITIES

Philadelphia to New York in the Champion Pommern.

Dr. Julian P. Thomas, Wife and Party Just Miss a Monument in Going Up -Parallel the Pennsylvania Railroad Out to Sea.

New York (Special) .- The giant German balloon, Pommern, which United States district attorney at St. won the St. Louis race, tried another for the Williamstown Manufacturing trip, with Dr. Julian P. Thomas, her new owner; his wife and four other Houghton, which were affiliated with people on board. The start was made from Philadelphia at 11 o'clock. Dr. Jesus Garcia, a locomotive engi- Thomas said at the time that he was neer, gave his life to save the town going to New York. Sure enough of Nacazari, Ariz., by putting full at 4.55 o'clock the ship news experts speed on a train of explosives afire, at the Battery sighted a strange craft the train blowing up before it had heaving in sight over Governors Island. They guessed her to be the Pommern, from Philadelphia for New

After passing over the fort at Governors Island, the balloon held to a course up the East River, passing The Old Dominion Line steamer directly over the Brooklyn Bridge Jefferson, with nearly 100 passen- One of the bridge cops who is stagers, arrived in New York with fire tioned at the middle span picked up a newspaper which blew against his D. C. Gilman has resigned as pres- legs shortly after 5 o'clock and read ident of the National Civil Service about the start of the Pommern. A moment after he had read the item ne was beseiged with questions about The Cunarder Lusitania encounter- the balloon, then overhead, and was ed a gale at sea that swept her decks. able to uphold the honor of the force

After crossing over the bridge the Pommern held to a course along the died in Philadelphia, the result of landing at One Hundred and Seventyoverexertion, after his usual exercise fifth Street and West Chester Avenue, in the Bronx.

An hour afterward Dr. and Mrs. Thomas were back in their apartment, at the Hendrik Hudson, One Hundred and Tenth Street and River-Alfred G. Vanderbilt has given side Drive, and the Doctor was telling \$100,000 for the construction of a of his experiences as calmly and with Young Men's Christian Association as much interest as though he had been discussing uncooked food. With Sir Anthony McDonnell, under sec- Dr. Thomas were Lieut. Robert Henretary of state for Ireland, was pre- derson, chief engineer of the battlesented to President Roosevelt by the ship Missouri, and Capt, T. T. Lovelace, of the Aero Club of America. Harry C. Washabaugh, bigamist, Oscar Erbstoch, who piloted the Pommern when she won the race at St. Louis, and Herr R. Erbstoch, who Secretary Taft has finally decided also took part in the trial, had gone back to their apartments downtown, and were not present when Dr. Thomas told his story.

Dr. Thomas said: 'I had studied the methods of the French, having been the first man ed the offer of the attorney general- from this country to make an ascension with Count de la Voulx, and A fire caused a panic among the the American methods, as shown by inmates of the Kane County, Ill., Roy Knabenshue, whom I consider to be the best in this country, and

"I closed with the Germans for entire consignment is being advanced air, that, while they did not doubt my ability to pay, they wished perhaps, to settle with me than my

"We started at 11 o'clock in the gas works at Point Breeze. The balloon was equipped with 23 bags started. of ballast, weighing, altogether, 60 pounds. The six passengers weighed about a thousand pounds. nounced before I started that I would go to New York, but the inmates in the redhot ashes. balloon was managed by Herr Erbstoch and the credit of the remarkable trip should be given to German methods."

JUDGE McCOMAS DEAD.

Stricken Down When It Was Least Expected.

Washington (Special) .- Hon. Louis Emory McComas, associate justice of the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia, former United States senator and for four terms congressman from Maryland, died at Sunday morning. His death was due to heart failure.

His death came with the awful suddenness of a lightning stroke. At 6 o'clock he awoke and stepped to his wife's apartments to big her good morning. She smilingly chided him for rising so early on such a get a few more hours' sleep. Two hours later Mrs. McComas heard her Bitter feeling has been aroused husband breathing heavily and in over the selection of an actor to play apparent pain. She hurried to his the part of the Prince of Peace in room, and saw at once he was ill. "Passion Play" at Oberammer- She raised him in her arms and spoke to him, but he died an instant Many Russians, believing there will later. He was conscious, and evi-

> Editor Dies In Harness. Utica, N. Y. (Special) .- John C. Schreiber, for 50 years editor of the Deutsch Zeitung, in this city, died in his office, just after he arrived from He has been commissioner of schools in this city and

county All The Way On His Hands, Washington (Special) .- Max Duffek, of Munich, Germany, walked on his hands down all the steps of the Washington Monument and won a reaching the bottom and was then and Ohio Railroad, alleging discrimi-

Postcards For Children.

Washington (Special) .- Postmassmooth and cordial as ever and he is ter General Meyer has ordered that positive the immigration question hereafter souvenir post cards received at the Department, that are not returnable to senders because of Netherlands; Spencer F. Eddy, prescheck possible disorders in connection | defective addresses or other reason. with the trial of Nunzio Nasi, former be sent to the orphan asylums and lin, to be minister to Argentina. children's homes in this city. Be-United States Ambassador Reid tween 40,000 and 60,000 of these cards are received at the dead letter office daily.

OLYMPIA'S BRIDGE TO CELL. Bad Check Man Claims He Was

Lieutenant In Navy. Pittsburg, Pa. (Special).-From a Dewey's flagship Olympia, in the battle of Manila, to a cell in a police station, is the fall of Paul Kelley, a young salesman, according to a story he told the police upon his arrest on a charge of forging a check for \$22.50. Kelley claims to have been a lieutenant in the Navy and attach-Nearly All the Way-Feared Going ed to the Olympia before being retired for disability after the famous sea fight in the Philippines, and says he is a son of John F. Kelley, once Paul, Minn.

GAVE UP HIS LIFE TO SAVE THE TOWN

Engineer Puts Full Speed on Burning Powder Train.

FOREIGNERS BLOWN TO ATOMS. Gets the Explosives Away From

the Community, but the Whole Train Blows Up While Passing a Railroad Section-house Full of Mexican Workmen.

Garcia, a locomotive engineer, saved local yards and the Quincy yard. The Nacozari, Ariz., from destruction by running a burning powder train ships, as the Dakota will be equipped Long Island shore, and about 6 of two cars of powder just as the laid. o'clock Dr. Thomas' party effected a flaming train was passing a sectionhouse. John Chisholm, a boy, was also killed by the explosion.

According to details of the accident received a powder train on the narrow gauge railroad of the Pilares Mine caught fire when near Nacozari. In the train were two open cars

heavily loaded with explosives. Realizing that the concentrator and a good part of the town of ed in five electrically controlled, bal-Nacozari would be destroyed if the anced, elliptical turrets on the center powder exploded there, Engineer line, three forward and two aft. The to jump and started to run the train turets will be mounted on the same it about a half mile when the ex- will be mounted on an upper deck, sea, plosion occurred, as the cars were so that the second forward and secpassing a section-house full of Mexi- ond after turrets can fire over the tops house, the train, the men and the en- after turrets. The third forward tur- Admiral Coglan, Toasting Lake, Thus gineer to atoms

fire in the train,, sought to steal a ride on the rear car. It was imposmen were killed.

FOUR BURNED TO DEATH.

Bed-Ridden Man And Three Children The Victims. New Ulm, Minn. (Special) .- Four

is interesting to note as giving the persons were burned to death in the torpedo tubes.

The victims were three children of the Gimmets, the eldest but six years to receive all of the money before I of age, and Gimmer's bedridden \$750,000 Stone Given Him By The

Mrs. Gimmer locked the children and the old man in the house and went to a neighbor's to get some

When first seen the flames were bursting through the roof and sides I an- of the building and it soon collapsed. burying the bodies of the helpless

Want School Books Disinfected.

New Haven, Conn. (Special) .- To school children the Mothers' Club of the textbooks in every school building to be regularly disinfected.

Leopold Would Abdicate.

Liege, Belgium (By Cable). -- A newspaper of this city declares upon ing. the authority of a high official that his home, 2120 Wyoming Avenue, King Leopold may possibly abdicate Parliament on the question of the Congo independent state.

WASHINGTON

Members of the executive council with the President with reference to labor legislation to be recom-

mended to Congress. President Roosevelt received the States, Chammed Ali Bey, the presentation being made by Secretary

Ex-Senator Stewart, of Nevada. blames the financial stringency on Rockefeller and men of his stripe. The President has issued an order consolidating the two internal revenue districts in Tennesse

It has been decided to organize a special submarine and torpedo division of the Navy. Over \$48,000,000 was expended

June 30 of this year. Complaint was filed before the Interstate Commerce Commission by the Rail and River Coal Company, of wager of \$500. He fainted upon Bellaire, O., against the Baltimore ordered off the grounds by the watch- nation in the distribution of coal cars to the company's mines

> The Isthmian Canal Commission has appointed S. E. Blackburn, of Kentucky, a district judge in the Boarder In House Fails To Recognize Canal Zone,

Diplomatic transfers announced: Arthur M. Beaupre, present minister to Argentina, to be minister to the ent secretary of the embassy at Ber-

David Jayne Hill, former assistant be ambassador to Germany, to succeed Charlemagne Tower, resigned, arrested.

TWO MORE GIANTS

第二章发生的"Transaction"的企业。

position on the bridge of Admiral The Delaware and the North Dakota to Be Terrors.

LIKELY TO BE CONTEST IN SPEED.

Laying of the Keel for the Former Has Begun at Newport News, and There Will Be a Race Between the Shipbuilding Company of That City and the Fore River Concern.

Newport News, Va. (Special) .-The laying of the keel for America's giant 20,000-ton battleship Delaware began at the plant of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company Thursday and all of the keel plates will be placed on the stocks by the end of the week. Many of the frames and beams for the warship have been completed, and the im- Had Been Cast Up in Arctic By mense hull will begin to assume shape within two months. The officials of the yard expect to launch the vessel in January, 1909, and to PEAK deliver her to the Navy Department about August 1, 1910.

The Delaware's sister ship, the North Dakota, it to be built at the plant of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, Quincy, Mass., and naval men expect that a race in the construction of America's two greatest Douglas, Ariz, (Special) .- Jesus battleships will develop between the yards are also expected to have a spirited contest in the speed of the

> The Delaware and Dakota will each be 510 feet long over all, 85 ances feet 2% inches broad, and will have a mean draft on trial of 27 feet. The total coal supply will be 2,300 tons for each ship and the contract speed is 21 knots an hour.

The vessels will each carry 10 12-inch breech-loading rifles, mount-The terrific explosion blew the of the extreme forward and extreme ret will not be able to fire directly Young Chrisholm, not seeing the ahead, but all five turrets can be trained on the broadside, giving the

four 1-pounder semi-automatic guns, Japanese-American lake. two 3-inch field pieces, two 30-cali-

EDWARD'S GREAT DIAMOND.

Transvaal.

London (By Cable) .- Every loyal Englishman Saturday celebrated the make and keep the Pacific a Japan-No one knows how the fire birthday of King Edward, who was tom of long standing and its observance has at times been somewhat prefunctory, but there is a genuineness in the English sentiment today which is highly complimentary to Edward VII. He is very nearly the ideal English monarch - one who of a 6-inch cordite shell was found prevent the spread of disease among reigns, but does not govern, save by in the debris. The shell had been the beneficent influence he exerts this city, has drafted a new ordi- for the benefit of the kingdom. He nance, which it requests the city fath. has surpassed the hopes of friends ers to adopt, making it necessary for and discounted the forebodings of May 1, 1898; recovered later by a enemies, if he really has any. The soldier of the First Montana Infantry, King celebrated the event at Sand- and brought to Butte ringham, where the King and Queen of Spain and the Queen of Norway in addition to many other members

The morning was occupied in receiving an immense number of conrather than give in to the Belgian gratulatory telegrams, letters and presents from almost all parts of the world, one of the most notable events being the presentation to the King of the Cullinan diamond, the largest known, estimated to be worth \$750,-000, and donated to him by the legislative assembly of the Transvaal as a token of the loyalty of the people of that colony and in commemoof the Federation of Labor conferred ration of the grant of a responsible government to the Transvaal.

IDOL OF THE FILIPINOS.

new Turkish minister to the United Taft's Farewell At Manila A Great Demonstration.

Manila (By Cable) - The departure of Secretary of War Taft from this The number of lives lost is not city on the cruiser Rainbow for Vladivostok Saturday was attended by a remarkable demonstration on the part of the Filipinos. The horses were withdrawn from the carriage in which were steated Mr. and Mrs. Taft, and it was pulled by Manila schoolboys from the Luneta to the on Panama Canal construction up to dock through cheering crowds of citizens.

Mr. Taft started from the residence of Governor General Smith at 8 o'clock A. M. He reviewed the long military, civic and school parade on the Luneta at 9, making a brief address, in which he thanked the people for their reception.

MAN KILLED FOR BURGLAR.

Owner And Opens Fire.

Philadelphia (Special). - Harry Parree, forty years old, was shot dead at his home in the northern 10 per cent. regular annual dividend part of the city by A. Judson Delsch, a boarder in the house, who thought | mon stock. Parree was a burglar.

was mounting the stairs. Deisch was

GUILTY OF MALFEASANCE.

Gurko Dismissed From Office In Russian Government.

St. Petersburg (By Cable) .- Mr. who was implicated in the great grain scandal during the famine-relief operations of 1906, and who was placed on trial before the Senate as a high court of justice, has been found guilty of malfeasance, sentenced to dismissal from office and ordered to make restitution to the amount of \$250,000.

Through an illegal contract M Gurko made a deal with an irrespon sible individual named Lidval to supply all the grain to the famine-stricken provinces and advanced him \$400,-000, without security.

THE SEA SWALLOWS

An Earthquake.

WAS GROWING BIGGER. Captain Tilton, of the Whaler Hen-

nan, Reports That McCulloch Peak, But a Year Old and 3,400 Feet High, of the large premium rates. Has Dwindled to Almost Nothing Owing to Earthquakes.

San Francisco (Special).—Captain Tilton, of the whaler Herman, which arrived from the Arctic, reports that of currency made were generally for a terrific earthquake occurred at Un- out-of-town account, and through the town at top speed, but with the Curtis turbine engines, while alaska about a month ago, and that state that currency bought here in his own life and caused the the Delaware will be propelled by McCulloch Peak, which was created being dispatched to agricultural and death of a dozen or more Mexican two immense reciprocating engines. by an earthquake nearly a year ago, industrial centers where it is most section hands through the explosion The Dakota's keel has not yet been and extended 3,500 feet above the needed. The reappearancee of gold, sea, has dwindled to almost noth- hidden away in the hour of apprehen ing as a result of submarine disturb- sion, is a sure sign of returning con

> volcanic eruption in the Bogostov Is- who likened the present situation to lands, and was discovered by officers 1893, when advancing premiums for of the United States revenue cutter currency when money was tightest McCulloch. The place was visited called for a perfect flood from the by Boston scientists, who recently reported that the peak was increasing brought about a state of financial

in height. The earthquake shock, which was believed to have caused its sudden from depositories and sold to money shrinkage, was felt for miles around brokers. Safe deposit companies re Garcia called to the rest of the crew extreme forward and extreme after Bogostov Islands and Unalaska, and port a steady stream of people visitat one place a wall of water was ing the vaults to withdraw funds. away from the town. He had taken deck, while the other three turrets thrown up nearly 35 feet out of the money broker, in speaking of the

JAPANESE-AMERICAN LAKE.

Refers To Pacific Ocean, New York (Special) .- Rear Ad-

vessels a boardside fire of 10 12-inch miral Coghlan, in a speech at a ban- would defer the sale until he could sible to say just how many section rifles, as against a broadside fire of quet given in celebration of the Mi- telephone his wife to bring his safe eight 12-inch rifles on the British kado's fifty-seventh birthday, spoke deposit key down town, as he had battleship Dreadnought. While we In addition to these guns the ves- so long existed between Japan and never inquire from the sellers, it is sel will carry 14 5-inch rapid fire the United States and declared his not difficult to tell whether the curguns, four 3-pounder saulting guns, belief that the Pacific must become a rency has been taken from hiding

ber machine guns and two submerged friends," he said, among other things. increasing outpour of money from tornedo tubes. "I became convinced of that thirty- safe deposit vaults and the arrival of six years ago, when I first met his gold from Europe the rate has fallen majesty, the Mikado, in his own land. to 3 per cent.

I have not changed my opinion since. This mutual friendship is regarded by us as a heritage to be handed down to our children's children. It is this friendship, I trust, that will

ese-American lake." born November 9, 1841. It is a cus- EXPLOSION MYSTERY CLEARED. has not been formally discussed, al-Case Of Shell Brought From Manfla

By Soldier Found In Fire Ruins. Butte, Mont. (Special) .- A myspavilion in Columbia Gardens last week was explained, when the case part of a war exhibit.

It was fired at the Spanish forts at Manila by Admiral Dewey's fleet

AMERICANS MISTREATED.

of the British royal family, are stay- Guatemalan Official Charged With Having Two Negroes Beaten.

Guatemala City (By Cable) .- Two American citizens, colored, were arfully beaten by order of the military governor of the Department of Za-

The American charge d'affaires, William Sands, is making an investigation.

Earthquake In Spain.

Madrid (By Cable) .- A violent earthquake has occurred at Torre La Ribera, in the province of Huesca. The earth opened, leaving great fissures, the disturbance accompanied by subterranean rumblings which caused a panic among the population. Many houses were shaken down.

FINANCIAL

About 1,000 of the Frick Company Coke ovens have been closed The Pennsylvania gave orders this week for a number of new locomo-

More gold was engaged for import, making \$35,500,000 on this move-Philadelphia Rapid Transit gross

000 over October, 1906. Southern Railway's gross earnings in September gained \$432,684 and

net profits increased \$58,592. The purchase of Tennessee coal adds 700,000,000 tons of iron ore to the assets of United States Steel. American tobacco continues its and 10 per cent, extra on its com-

"Not including San Francisco, the secretary of state, now minister to the Netherlands, will be promoted to ter the house, and shot him as he this year than last," said the represensative of one of Philadelphia's leading companies.

COMING OUT OF ITS HIDING PLACES

Gurko, vice minister of the interior, Hoarded Money Enticed By Offers of Premiums.

SENT IN THE INDUSTRIAL CENTERS.

Three Million Dollars of Cash Brought to the Brokers From Vauits and Strong Boxes Within Two Days-The Steady Stream Has Caused a Falling Off in the Premium Rate.

New York (Special) .-- The magnet of high premium rates for currency is attracting the money hoarded by depositors in steel vaults and strong boxes, and within the last two days over \$3,000,000 has been enticed from its hiding-places and sold for a premium to money brokers. The placing of these large amount of hoarded currency into circulation is performing its important part in lessening the monetary stringency, and money brokers are confident that more currency will soon find its way into circulation from safe-deposit vaults, the owners of which, now being assured as to the financial future, are anxious to take advantage

The falling of the premium rate for currency Thursday from 2 1/2 to 3 per cent, was brought about by the large amount of gold and silver that was taken from safe-deposit vaults and offered for sale. Purchases fidence and belief that the storm has McCulloch Peak resulted from a passed, according to money brokers, vaults where it had lain hidden, and equilibrium.

Over a million dollars was drawn source of the currency now being offered for sale, related the following incident:

"Our firm was concluding the purchase of \$100,000 in gold certificates and after the rates had been agreed upon the seller plunged his hand in his pocket and then asked if we places. Premium rates have been "America and Japan are hereditary as high as 4 per cent., but under the

New York banks are not likely to follow the action of Chicago in deciding to use bank scrip and local bankers are of the opinion that the situation does not warrant their issuance in this city. A member of the

clearing-house committee said: The matter of issuing bank scrip though that doubtless has been thought of. The bankers feel that the clearing-house certificates will prove adequate in preventing a severe terious explosion during a fire in the money strain here, and that there will be no need for bank scrip."

HOLD UP A TOWN.

Bandits Blow Up A Safe And Get \$6,500.

Canova, S. D. (Special) .- Seven armed bandits held up the town at an early hour. They blew up the safe in the Interstate Bank and secured \$6.500, escaping an hour later, without leaving the slightest ciew. While the two bandits worked at the bank the others guarded the alleys and streets. The occupants of a hotel across the street were aroused by the explosion, but the robbers rested here, it is alleged, and fright-opened fire and drove them back, threatening to kill the first one who appeared. The hotel was riddled with bullets. Where lights were burning in the homes the bandits, at the point of the gun, forced the owners to extinguish them. The town is terror-stricken.

FIRE PANIC IN HOSPITAL.

Sixty Patients Are Carried To Safety By Physicians And Nurses.

Chicago (Special). - Much excitement was caused among 120 patients of the German Hospital, in Hamilton Court, by a fire in the top floor of the five-story building. There were no patients on the fifth floor. Sixty patients were promptly carried by physicians and nurses into a new addition which adjoins the main building, and no one was in-

jured. Ten Killed By Explosion.

Douglas, Ariz. (Special) .- A confirmed story, with details lacking, has been received here of a terrific Ariz., when ten men, probably Mexicans, were killed. The explosion occurred on the narrow gauge railroad earnings in October increased \$67,- between Necozari and the mines near Bisbee. The powder was in two cars.

Old Sloop Of War Sold.

Washington (Special) .- The Navy Department will accept the bid of \$3,210 made by Thomas Butler & Co., of Boston, who were the highest of the bidders for the old obsolete sloop of war, Saratoga, built in 1842. The sloop, which was one of Commodore Perry's ships on his Japan expedition, has been at League Island Navy Yard for several years and has been used by the Pensylvania Naval