The **Centre Reporter** Centre Hall, Pa. GROWING COUNTRIES.

The census department of Canada estimates the present population of the Dominion to be 7,350,000. The distribution by sections is: Maritime provinces, 1,037,112; Quebec, 2,088,-M61; Ontario, 2,619,025; Western prov-Inces, 1,871,164; unorganized territories, 58,309. It is not surprising that Canada, with her many resources and her healthful climate and varied opportunities for industrial wealth-seekers, should grow all the time, says the Mexican Herald. A sturdy race which increases by the excess of births over Beaths is continually being reinforced by immigration, and that of the best kind. The consuming power of the population of Canada is very large, and accounts for the heavy importations of foreign goods and the excellent support given to home industries. Argentina, with about a million less population than Canada, is rapidly increasing in wealth. It is interesting to see that the influx of immigrants Into this country from Spain continues, just as it does in the case of Cuba and Argentina. The ancient Iberian motherland still breads a sturdy race which send its sons to former colonies.

It used to be "King Cotton." Then corn came into active rivalry for supremacy. And now it looks as though rubber might be the great staple of commerce. There has been an enormous increase in the production of rubber and in importations into the United States. This is due to the rapidly augmenting demand, with rubber as an essential for automobile, bicycle and carriage tires and for other purposes. Word comes from Sumatra, which has been the source of supply for tobacco of a certain grade, that the planters are giving up the "weed" and are converting their estates into rubber farms. It is not believed, however, that tobacco growing in Connecticut, Kentucky and other American states will be supplanted by rubber production.

This is the day of the auto, the airship and the wireless telegraph. But some of the old-time slow coaches still come into play. A wealthy summer resident of Newport who went in his automobile to visit another gentle- is 7,429,740.

CITY IN WORLD New York Given That Distinction · By the Census Returns.

LONDON ONLY METROPOLIS AHEAD.

SECOND LARGEST

Figures Given Out By Director Durand Show That Greater New York Has Increased Since 1900 By 1,329,-681, or 38.7 Per Cent .- The Borough of Bronx Showed the Greatest Increase, With 114.9 Per Cent. More. Residents-Some Comparisons.

Washington, D. C. (Special) .- Greater New York has a population of 4,766,883,. under the thirteenth decennial census, according to figures issued by Director of the Census Durand. This makes New York the second largest city in the world, and as large as any two foreign cities, excepting London.

Since 1900 the population of the me-tropolis has increased by 1,329,681, or 38.7 per cent., as compared with 3,437,-202 under the last census.

The borough of Bronx showed the great The borough of Bronx showed the greatest increase in the greater city, ieens, Brooklyn, Richmond and Manfollowing next in order. The hattan figures for these boroughs, together with the increases, are as follows:

Bronx, 430,980, an increase of 230,473. or 114.9 per cent.

Queens, 284,041, an increase of 131,-042, or 85.6 per cent. Brooklyn, 1,634,351, an increase of

467,769, or 40.1 per cent. Richmond borough, 85,968, an increase

of 18,948, or 28.3 per cent. Manhattan borough, 2,331,542, an increase of 481,449, or 26 per cent.

A Comparison.

New York city contains only 164,649 fewer people than the combined 14 cities of more than 200,000, the population of which already has been announced, namely: Pittsburg, St. Louis, Detroit, Buffalo, Cincinnati, Newark, Milwaukee, Washington, Indianapolis, Jersey City, Kan-sas City, Providence, St. Paul and Denver. The aggregate population of the cities named is given as 4,931,532. The city of New York, as constituted

prior to the act of consolidation effective January 1, 1898, had a population in 1890 of 1,515,301, as compared with 3,437,292 in 1900, showing an apparent increase of 1,921,901, or 126.8 per cent.

for the greater city. The population of Chicago in 1900 was 1.698,575; Philadelphia, 1.293,697; St. Louis, 575,238; Boston, 560,892; Baltimore, 508,957. These were the only six cities in the United States that had a population over 500,000.

Paris Is Third.

According to figures at the Census Bureau, the population of Greater London in 1901, at the official count, was 6,581,-372. The estimated population for 1909

OVER-WATER FLIGHTS TO COL. ROOSEVELT Curtiss Averages Speed of Forty- The Miners to Submit Their Five Miles An Hour.

WILL PUT IT UP

Troub'es to Him.

LITIGATION VIEWED WITH ANXIETY. Announced Time Consumed In the Passage One Hour and Eighteen Minutes-Forty Thousand People When the Colonel Visits Pittsburg on Cheer as He Soars and Sweeps Out Over Lake-Breeze and Rain Cause Him to Postpone His Return Flight.

Cleveland (Special) .--- Glenn H. Curtiss, of Hammondsport, N. Y., established a new record for over-water flights by traveling over Lake Erie from Euclid Beach, nine miles east of this city, to and operators in the Irwin and West-Cedar Point, Ohio, approximately 60 moreland fields will be submitted to miles distant.

NEW RECORD FOR

New York.

It was shortly after 12 o'clock when the biplane was taken from the aero-velt visited the anthracite field a month drome. ascertained that the 12-mile breeze from gate the trouble in the Westmoreland the northeast prevailed in Cleveland and Irwin field, and that now it was hoped Cedar Point alike, the motor was started. he would be instrumental in restoring At 1.06 P. M., with the cheers of 40,000 peace. Those arrested are under \$3,100 people who had gathered at the starting bonds. point ringing in his ears, the aviator swept out over the lake.

selves along the lake front and on top has been running at full capacity. of buildings, and three minutes later had The extent of the litigation is mile water front.

lifted him from the machine and carried will be brought against certain operators. him on its shoulders to his hotel.

Had the aviator been able to maintain a sensational plot. the speed at which he started out he probably would have broken all speed records. West of Dover Bay, however, he encountered air currents that material-ly impeded his progress.

FALL FROM TREE FATAL.

One Dead and Three Others Seriously

Injured. Philadelphia (Special) .--- One boy was

killed and three others were seriously in- was found dead in a lodging house, claspkilled and three others were seriously in-jured, when they attempted to imitate acid, in his hand. According to the po-

ADVANCE A MILLIONAIRE KILLS COTTON'S BIG Failure to Cover Untile Last Moment is Costly.

Samuel J. Hirsh Cuts His Threat The High Price Is Looked Upon as the Culminating Point of the Bull Movement Which Has Been in Progress for the Last Six Months. HE WAS FOUND IN THE BATH TUB. No Attempt to Figure the Profits of Bull Leaders Who Handled 800,-000 Bales Valued at \$65,000,000.

New York (Special) .- August cotton sold at 20 cents a pound in the New York cotton market Monday on urgent demand from speculative shorts who had postponed covering until the last moment in the hope that the increasing new croj movement in the Southwest might break the control of the bull leaders.

This price, the highest reached by cotton for any delivery since the Civil War and exceeding by nearly 21/2 cents per until now, had stood as a standard of throat with a razor. Thursday, will go down as the attention dying. spectacular in the annals of the cotton dring. Mr. Hirsh had been traveling in Eu-

the bull leaders, to sell 100,000 bales known. checked the upward movement, and it It was about half an hour after noon

the entire August interest remaining. hundred bales, August again advanced the arm. on renewed buying by shorts, touching "Look!" she screamed. on renewed buying by shorts, touching 19.90 in the afternoon, or within 10 points of the high record. At the close August was quoted at 19.75 bid, while ing wide on the carpet. The young wom-

In the local spot markets the price the greatest advance recorded being 3% from ear to ear. cent at Savannah, showing the local hotel physician could get there. character of the extensive advance.

indictment charged with conspiring in maids had seen dripping as he wrote. restraint of trade in connection with the party to the transactions.

In all, the bull leaders have handled On any their last bale of spot cotton has been was running. sold. In the New York stock they still

With a Razor.

HIMSELF IN HOTEL

Wealthy Clothing Manufacturer of Chicago Writes Several Messages Before He Takes His Life-Blood Dripped On the Paper as He Wrote-He Had Returned From Abroad a Week Ago-Man Was In Ill Health.

New York (Special) .- Samuel J. Hirsh, of the firm of Hirsh & Wickwire, clothing manufacturers, at the corner of Franklin and Van Buren streets, Chicago, pound the highest figure reached in the committed suicide in his room at the famous bull year of 1903-1904, which, Knickerbocker Hotel by cutting his He was seen by a comparison was regarded by many as the maid in the hotel while he was writing culminating point of the bull movement some farewell notes with the blood in progress here for the last six months, streaming down his face from a gash on during a season which, when it ends his cheek. Before hotel employes could Thursday, will go down as the most reach him he slashed his throat and was

Not a great many bales-perhaps 15, rope for his health. He was in a very 000-actually changed hands on the ad-vance from 16.82, the closing price of last York, August 24, with Walter H. Reed, week, to 20 cents for August. At 20 his traveling companion. He stopped at cents an offer from W. P. Brown, one of the Knickerbocker, where he was well

was the general impression around the when Margaret Kohler and Margaret ring that this was a level fixed in the Brown, two chambermaids, who were at open market as a basis for settlement of work on the seventh floor of the hotel, looked out across the court and found Later, however, this view of the situa- themselves staring into Mr. Hirsh's tion was somewhat shaken by the fact room opposite. He was seated at a desk that after reacting from 20 cents to in the corner writing. Suddenly Mar-18.20, under scattered selling of a few garet Kohler seized her companion by

new-crop months, which had been very en ran to the telephone and told the clerk quiet all day, were only 4 to 9 points net what they had seen. The house detective used his passkey to Mr. Reed's door.

The room was spattered with blood. was marked up to 19.75, but the South- In the bath tub, the water just lapping ern spot markets showed no such gain, his nose, was Mr. Hirsh, his throat cut He died before the

Coroner Holtzhauser, who was called, No one has attempted any accurate found several messages scrawled on telefiguring of the profits of the big bull lead-ers-Brown. Eugene G. Scales and signature to any of them, but they were Frank B. Hayne-all of whom are under all marked with the blood which the

"Good luck to you all, but it is no bull pool. James A. Patten, of Chicago, one's fault but my own. I have been is included in the indictment, but in view this way all my life, and I do not think of his repeated announcement of retire- that anyone or anything could give me ment he was not genefally considered a any sense. So don't censure yourself in

On another blank was scrawled just spot cotton to the amount of \$00,000 one sentence: "This can hurt no one bales, valued, approximately, at \$65,000, but myself." . The third message, and 600. But the bulk of this has been ship the one which was not explained, was as ped abroad, and just how much of it has been actually sold and how muchs of it Chicago." He had started to write some may now be held on consignment at for- more, but had broken off. Perhaps that eign points is uncertain. Inasmuch, how- was when the knock at the door startled ver, as the bulls have handled contracts him and reminded him that he had other for many thousand bales in excess of work to do. Then he had risen, stood in those upon which they have actually re- front of the mirror, which is set in the ceived cotton, they have undoubtedly bathroom door, and cut his throat. Then taken large speculative profits, no mathe be staggered into the bathroom and threw ter how their deal may turn out when himself into the tub in which the water One other note was found in which he spoke of his calabash pipes which he had bought abroad, and of which he was very fond, and of his traveling companion, Walter Reed. "The presents in my trunk are for each one and marked accordingly. The cala-Washington, D. C. (Special).-Suicide bash pipes are for the boys that smoke is increasing and homicide is decreasing pipes in the office, and you should see in Washington, according to statistics that Walter is taken care of for the balpublic by Coroner Nevitt, ance of his life. I feel easier than I During the fiscal year ending June 30, have in a long time, and that should be

ers and Operators In the Irwin-Westmoreland Fields Will Be Placed Before Him. Pittsburg (Special) .-- The legal and industrial entanglement of the miners and operators in the Irwin and West-

September 10 the Legal and In-

dustrial Entanglements of the Min-

Theodore Roosevelt when he visits this The time of passage was 1 hour and 18 city on September 10. This was anminutes. His average time was 45 miles nounced by District President Francis an hour, although one stretch of 20 miles Feehan, of the United Mineworkers of was covered at a rate of a mile a minute. America, after he had been arrested with Curtiss used the eight-cylinder 50- five other local officers, in connection with horsepower biplane of his own construc-tion, in which he made his recent fights against 87 miners and officials by seven down the Hudson river from Albany to operating companies in the affected districts.

At 1.03 P. M., after it had been or more ago he was requested to investi-

Three hundred and thirty-five out of 400 workmen in the mines of the West-After reaching a height of 200 feet the moreland Coal Company, one of the machine turned to the west. At 1.13 plaintiffs, are reported to have left their P. M. it had passed Cleveland harbor, work when they learned of the suits bewhere 100,000 persons had grouped them- ing brought. For several weeks this mine

The extent of the litigation is viewed faded into the mist beyond Rocky river, with much anxiety in industrial circles the western extremity of the city's 18- here because of the persistency of both sides. In a statement Feehan asserted At 1.26 P. M., just 20 minutes after that the miners had been misrepresented leaving Euclid Beach, the biplane was in their attitude, while Attorney Richard sighted off Dover Bay, 20 miles distant. B. Scandrett, counsel for the plaintiff At 1.46 it passed Loraine, at 1.58 companies, announced that the actions crossed directly over Vermillion and at were not to be construed as attacks upon 2.18 was sighted at Cedar Point. Five the right of workingmen to organize, but minutes later it glided onto the beach in "we charge that operators in the Pitts-front of the Breakers Hotel. burg district have contributed support to A crowd of 10,000 persons gathered on the maintenance of the strike and paid to the beach went wild when Curtiss landed. have organizers in the field that the The throng rushed down on the aviator, strike might be prolonged." Other suits

> LAST CENT FOR POISON. Suicide Pawned Trousers to Buy

according to Scandrett, that will reveal

Carbolic Acid. Philadelphia (Special) .--- After obtaining money with which to purchase poison by pawning his trousers, a man, supposed to be Thomas H. Goodrich, 46 years old,

man found himself with his touring car stuck in soft sand from which it could not be moved unaided. An obliging farmer of the neighborhood hitched up his ox team and drew the snachine out of the predicament into which the vehicle had plunged. Could frony further go? Still, the auto is a good and useful invention and has come to stay, although occasionally, in the case of a breakdown, it stays too long in one place.

A new compass which may supersede the compass now in general use is under test on the scout cruiser Birmingham. It is a combination of the conventional compass with the gyroscope, and is said to eliminate all varieties of deviation of the needle. It can also be placed in the interior of a ship, where it is safe from the missiles of an enemy. A compass of this kind would be extremely valuable in naval service, but it would be far more valuable to commerce, as the influences which affect the compass on modern steel ships are puzzling, and sufficient in some instances to cause wrecks through deviations from proper courses.

The census officials expect to add the names of 60 cities in the United States to the list of those having a population of 25,000 or over which was compiled in 1900. Perhaps there will be even more than 60. The invention of machinery for the farm is one of the factors that have contributed to the rise of the cities.

A New York girl who is heiress to a fortune amounting to \$6,000,000 is compelled to work for the purpose of getting enough money to pay her board, because the lawyers are busy trying to divide the estate among themselves. The case affords a strong argument in favor of the "give while you live" theory.

Fair Parisiennes have adopted the hobble skirt style of bathing suit. It is absolutely impossible for them to swim when hobbled, but they probably don't mind that. If they wished to go into the water they would probably do so in their bathrooms.

Now that we get the true story on the life of the fly by the aid of the microscope we see that it merits nothing else so little as kind treatment.

Shirtwaists for men will not do. It has been decreed that men must wear coats. Old Grimes is dead, but his soul is marching on.

New York will make policemen out of farmer boys and Kansas is going to find it still harder to harvest its crops.

an official count, had Paris in 1906, by population of 2,763,393. St. Petersburg 1909, official count, 2.740,300. in Berlin in 1905, official count, 2,040,148. Rome. 1901, official count, 1.196,909, and an estimated population in 1909 of 1,323,-

Pekin, China, at one time supposed to be one of the largest capitals in the world, with a population of more than a million, according to records in the Census Bureau, now has a population esti-mated to be somewhere in the neighborhood of 700,000.

HOPE FOR MILLION.

Tuberculosis Societies to Unite In Selling Seals for Letters.

New York (Special) .- Arrangements for the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals for 1910 were announced in a bulletin just issued by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis and the American Red Cross. "A million for tuberculosis" will

be the slogan of the 1910 campaign. Two features of the sale this year are unique and will bring considerable capital to the tuberculosis fighters. The American National Red Cross is to issue the stamps as in former years, but this organization will work in close co-operation with the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, which body will share in the proceeds of the sales. The charge to local associations for the use of the national stamps has been reduced also from 20 per cent. to 121/2 per cent., which will mean at least \$50,000 more for tuberculosis work in all parts of the United States.

The stamps are to be designated as "Red Cross Scals" this year and are to be placed on the backs of letters.

The National Conference of Tuberculo sis Secretaries through its president John A. Kingsbury, of New York, has issued a letter calling upon all State and local anti-tuberculosis associations to unite with the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis and the Red Cross Society, in the sale of Christmas seals.

It is expected that over 430 anti-tuberculosis associations and hundreds of Red Cross societies in every State of the Union will unite in the sale of Christmas seals.

Drinking But Removed.

Milwaukee, Wis. (Special) .- The law against public drinking cups on railroad trains and at public fountains went into effect Wednesday, and in accordance with instructions the trainmen on all trains coming into Wisconsin from adjoining States carefully removed the drinking cups before reaching the State line and kept them locked up until the train had passed beyond the line into another State.

Drowned In Freezer.

St. Louis (Special) .- Drowned in an ice-cream freezer while neighbors were searching for him and while his mother was at work four miles away, the body of Harry-Kramree, two years old, was found in the rear of the Destrehan Pharmacy. He had climbed upon a box beside the freezer and leaned over the ledge and lost his balance. It is believed the child was seeking the fragments of ice that remained.

the Swiss family Robinson and build a lice, the suicide was employed as a sweep cabin in a tree 40 feet above the ground. er at the League Island Navy Yard. William Crawford, aged 9 years; Arthur Clymer, aged 14: Edward Clymer, eta was a membership card in a trolleyaged 12, and Harry Sheetsz, aged 15 men's union of a Western city. Two years, were dancing for joy at the com-pletion of the platform on which the and the other for a pair of trousers, were

the branches to the ground. Crawford was found lying dead, with which Goodrich bought the poison which a fractured skull, and the others were all ended his life. suffering from injured arms and heads and probable internal injuries, when

passersby, who had heard their screams, ran to their assistance.

DR. CRIPPEN COLLAPSES.

Prisoner Removed to the Hospital Ward of the Jail.

Crippen, jointly accused with Ethel Clara and a vigorous condemnation of secret Le Neve of the murder of his wife, has societies in high schools were the features suffered a nervous collapse, and was re- of the session of the Sagamore Beach moved to the hospital ward of Brixton conference on moral and religious trainiail.

has given him an explanation of the fare- United Society for Christian Endeavor, well message found among the prisoner's was the speaker who denounced secret Inspector Dew, which will societies in high schools. effects by throw a different light on the matter when it is made public. The message was read in court at the arraignment of Crippen and Miss Le Neve and indicated that the writer contemplated suicide during his flight to Canada on the steamer Montrose.

TORNADO KILLS TWO.

Houses and Barns Lifted from Foundations and Wrecked.

Heaton, N. D. (Special) .--- H. O. Thor heaton, N. D. (Special) .- H. O. Thor-binson and the infant child of Albert given out, was decided upon at a con-ference at which the railroad was repre-Alsson are dead as the result of the tofnado which nearly wrecked this town. ing, superintendent of the road at A. R. Hubert was seriously hurt and Owosso, Mich., and J. B. Hurst, A. Mcscores of others painfully injured. The property loss will exceed \$100,000: ent for the engineers.

Smith Center, Kan. (Special) .- A tornado, accompanied by a terrific hailstorm. laid waste an area a mile wide and about 10 miles long north of here. Houses and barns were lifted from their foundations, outbuildings were wrecked and trees were shorn of their foliage and uprooted. So far as known no person was injured.

American Girl Killed.

Munich, Bavaria (Special). - Miss promenade overlooking Casco Bay. The statue is eight feet high and rep-Rose Buckingham, of San Francisco, was killed and Miss Agnes Roos, of the same automobile as they were leaving the Prins Regentin Theatre. The driver had lost control of the car as it approached burr C. Miller, of New York and Paris, city, was severely injured by a runaway the main entrance to the playhouse, and a son of Warner Miller, who was an swerving suddenly, it plunged into the intimate friend of Mr. Reed. crowd on the sidewalk. The cost was about \$35,000

Two "Bumper" Crops. New Haven, Conn. (Special) .-- Two

Among the papers found in his pockhouse was to be erected, when the nails also found. The pawn ticket for the trousers was issued by a pawnbroker with own about 100,000 bales.

HITS SECRET SOCIETIES.

Prof. Wells Condemns School and College Fraternities.

Sagamore Beach, Miss (Special) .- A defense of the American colleges and schools against the charge that the stu-London (Special) .- Dr. Hawley H. dent bodies were irreligious and immoral Solicitor Newton says that his client of Boston editorial

Ann Arbor Men Also Get Shorter

Toledo, O. (Special) .- Beginning today all engineers employed by the Ann Arbor Railroad, numbering about 115, will receive an increase in wages and a reduction of working hours.

The new scale of wages, which is not sented by Mr. Holliday and K. A. Goher-

Portland, Me. (Special) .- A bronze statue of the late Thomas Brackett Reed. for many years Speaker of the House of Representatives at Washington, was unveiled in his home city, on the western

resents the former Speaker in an attitude of repose with a scroll in his left hand. The cost was about \$35,000.

Fortune In Blast.

Portland, Me. (Special) .- Forest L. "bumper" crops are being harvested in Beavy, of Lewiston, will net, it is said. Connecticut. The peach orchards will from \$50,000 to \$60,000 from a single yield in the aggregate half a million blast of dynamite that uncovered the yield in the aggregate half a million blast of dynamite that uncovered the bushels of luscious fruit. One grower greatest find of tourmalines ever unat East Pittsburg. As a result John adopted by the board of engineers in will ship 90,000 bushels from his own earthed in this State. In one pocket orchards. Reports from every part of alone no less than 6,000 carats of the the State indicate that the tobacco crop gems was taken out. Already the farmis the finest in years. At New Milford er residents of this and adjoining towns 20 cents a pound has been offered for the finest quality of leaf, as against 10 locate other pockets that may contain cents a pound for the past three years.

SUICIDE ON INCREASE.

Homicide, However, On Decline In Washington.

just made 1910, there were 13 murders in Washing- a relief to everyone." ton, less than half the total for the pre ceding fiscal year, which was 28. For the fiscal year of 1908 there were 86 suicides, as opposed to 91 for the year just ended. Between automobile accidents, acci-

dental poisoning, murder and suicide and other cases to which the notice of the last year.

OPIUM INVADES ARMY.

Using Drug.

San Francisco (Special) .-- Opium, the insidious enemy of the armies of the world, has invaded the ranks of the United States troops stationed nt the Presidio to such an extent that a strong campaign, in which are in-volved more than 2,550 men, has been launched in an effort to crush out what is declared to be the greatest danger confronting the enlisted men at the reservation. An appeal has been made to the eivil authorities to aid in taking drastic

Last January company commanders be gan to make reports to post head-quarters, and the general hospital daily received a stricken soldier. It is estimated that 40 per cent, of the men at the Presidio are using the drug.

New Director of Mint.

Chicago (Special) .-- George E. Rob-erts, of Chicago, announced that he has sent to President Taft his acceptance of the post of direct of the Mint. He will Fowler is being pursued by a sheriff's go to Washington this week and his family will soon follow.

Senator Root On Way Home. * Southampton, England (Special) .----Senator Elihu Root, who headed the counsel in the New Foundland fisheries dispute before The Hague arbitration tribunal, and Mrs. Root, sailed for New York Wednesday on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse,

Thirty Lives In Danger.

Pittsburg, Pa. (Special) .-- Wood aleohol mixed with beer and whiskey at a ferdam will be constructed about the Wodocsy, Stephen Veroski, Wassil Bavo-bosky and Andrew Muloc are in a critical neers decided that it was the intent

MAN TURNING TO BONE.

Supposed to Be After Effects of Hookworm.

Richmond, Va. (Special) .- S. M. L. coroner is called, the work of that office Peaden, a farmer, aged 30, of Pitts counhas increased exactly 100 per cent, in the ty, N. C., is threatened with ossification of the limbs and body at the Retreat for the Sick here.

Peaden's condition is thought to be due Enlisted Men at the Presidio Take to to the hookworm disease, from which he suffered two years ago. He was pronounced cured after a year's treatment. Six months ago he noticed the harden-ing of the muscles of his feet, limbs and hands. Physicians diagnosed the case as rheumatism. The hardening continued so that he could not move about much. Dr. J. C. Walton, who is treating the patient with electricity, says that the lisease was yielding somewhat to the

BANDIT IS DESPERATE.

treatment.

Cartersville, Ga. (Special) .- After killing a man named Phillips at Beasley Gap, near this city, and wounding five pursuers, William Fowler, an aged white man of this county, escaped to the hills and is now at liberty heavily armed. made.

At the time Fowler killed Phillips he also shot and wounded James Byers and Sam Boston,

A posse surrounded Fowler in a house near Beasley Gap and demanded his surrender. Fowler came out, firing as he advanced, and Capt. J. W. Pierce, Hardy Goode and Sam Kilby fell wounded, the latter being dangerously shot. Fowler then escaped to the hills.

Aim to Secure Bodies,

Washington, D. C. (Special) .- A corforeign christening almost snuffed out wreck of the battleship Maine, in Havana The engicondition and are not expected to re. Congress to regain the bodies of the dead cover. The alcohol was found where tome printers had left it and was put into the drinkables by some of the guests. Those who partock of the poisoned bever-nges were almost instantly overcome.

In Portland, Me.

ent for the engineers.

REED STATUE UNVEILED. Heroic Shaft of Maine Granite Raised

ENGINEERS GET INCREASE.

Working Hours.