### Picked Up at Sea and Taken to the Azores.

The 672 people who sailed from Copenhagen on the ill-fated Danmark March 26, and who were feared to be lost, are all safe. The glad tidings were flashed across the Atlantic cable to Funch, Edye & Co., the New York agents of the Thingvalla Line. The cablegram they received read as follows: Message received from Lisbon: Passengers

and crew all saved. Brought to the Azores by steamer Missouri. Three hundred and forty passengers follow Missouri to Philadel-phia. Remainder still at the Azores.

This message came from Lisbon, Portugal, via Copenhagen, the information having been brought there from the little steamer which plies between that port and Fayal, in the Azore Islands.

The Danmark, when she left Copenhagen on March 26, had 628 passengers on board and fifty-four officers and crew. The first news of the disaster was when the City of Chester, which arrived at Queenstown early in April, reported having passed the Danmark on April 8 in latitude 48 north, longitude 37 west, in a water-logged condition and without a real condition. logged condition, and without a soul on board. All the boats were gone, and a chain dangled from the bow. It was thought at first that some steamer had endeavored to tow her, and, finding that the Danmark was soon to sink, had taken her passengers and crewon board and abandoned her; but as day after day went by, and arriving steamers brought no news of the missing people the belief became gen-eral that all had been lost after taking to the

cablegram from Lisbon, Portugal, gives the following particulars: Officer Lahan and forty-two of the crew of the steamer Danmark are coming here from Azores. The Danmark broke Azores. Inc. Danmark broke her shaft on April 4, when 800 miles off Newfoundland. Immediately after the accident Engineer Kass was found dead in the engine room, evidently struck by a wheel that had been freed by the breakage of the

The officers acted coolly, and the crew beved well. The vessel, powerless, drifted in a trough of the sea, and a leak astern made haved well. things look serious

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Distress signals were raised, and the day after the accident the steamer Missouri came up with her officers volunteering to do all in their power toward relief. She made room for twenty cabin passengers, and fastening hawsers, began towing the disabled steamer. After the first day's towing, the Danmark began settling noticeably. The second day it grew worse, and she dragged heavily. In the interim the 700 steerage passengers were growing restive and hard to control, and the officers inaugurated military discipline, the crew obeying admirably, greatly assisting in preserving order in the steerage.

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At the end of the third day after the accident the officers of the Danmark saw that the water was continually gaining on the pumps, and the after portion of the vessel became

The Missouri had no more room for passengers, but by moving her cargo managed to

The situation on the Danmark grew desperate on the third day and the passengers were transferred, the boats of both vessels being used for the being used for the purpose, those of the Dan-mark being afterward abandoned.

When the officers of the Danmark left her

deck her bow was clear of the water and her

The Missouri sailed from London March
28 for Philadelphia, but with the emergency of her burdensome complement of passen-gers, headed for the Azores as the nearest point. She arrived there safely and left 320 passengers, together with the officers and

The first officers immediately started back Copenhagen. The Missouri continued her voyage to Philadelphia with 340 of the Danmark's passengers aboard, which port she reached without incident.

The Azore Islands are about 700 miles west

of the coast of Portugal. The spot where the waterlogged Danmark was sighted by the City of Chester was about 325 miles northwest of Fayal, almost in mid-ocean. The Danmark was in the trough of the sea, and had apparently been abandoned some time.

### A HORRIBLE CRIME.

#### A Family of Six Murdered and Their House Burned.

A horrible crime was reported from Macon County, N. C. W. P. Wood, an industrious farmer, lived in the country at least five miles from any neighbors. His family consisted of his wife, three sons and two daughters. Three of the children were grown, and the other two were aged twelve and fourteen years. Wood had saved some \$700, and had always kept his money in an old trunk. Wood was called away from home on business. When he returned he was horrified to find his house in ashes. A short distance from the ruins he found three axes and two bowie knives, all stained with blood, and the old trunk in which he had kept his money. The trunk was broken open, and its contents were gone. Among the ashes charred bones were ound, showing that the entire family had been murdered before the house was fired. There were no clues to the murderers,

## VAULTS FULL OF MONEY.

Counting the Millions in the United States Sub-Treasury.

Assistant Treasurer Ellis H. Roberts has begun his official duties at the United States Sub-Treasury in New York, and as required.

by law there is to be an official count of all the money turned over to his charge.

The count of the cash in the Treasury vaults was begun by fifteen experts from Washington, under the direction of Assistant Cashier J. F. Meiine, of the United States Treasury. The work started with the countries of the country of the country of the countries o Treasury. The work started with the counting of the paper money, gold and silver certificates and United States Treasury notes, which aggregate about \$25,000,000. Beside the paper money there are \$108,000,000 of gold and \$32,000,000 silver to be counted, in addition to United States bonds and other securities. The work of counting this immense sum of money will occupy from three weeks to a month, when the Assistant Treasurer will give his receipt for the amount

# QUEER BAILROAD WRECK.

A Freight Train Sinks Into a Fallen-in Coal Mine.

A remarkable freight wreck occurred on the Cairo Short Line, two miles from Belleville, Ill., the other morning. A freight train was running toward Belleville. The track was clear ahead, when suddenly, without any warning, the road-bed began to sink, and the engineer and fireman felt themselves rapidly dropping below the surface of the surrounding country. They jumped for their lives, and both escaped with a few bruises. The engine and train went down a distance of ten feet and a terrific wreck followed. The cars, engine and freight were smashed and destroved in the earth. As soon as the frightened trainmen could recover their wits, they learned that the train was over Marsh's coal mine, and that the mine hal caved it. Along the track for a distance of 100 feet the road had sunk from eight to ten feet. Two brakemen, who went down with the wreck, were seriously hurt. was running toward Belleville. The track

### THE NEWS EPITOMIZED.

Eastern and Middle States. GENERAL CHARLES KINNAIRD GRAHAM, of the United States Army, died of pneumonia, at the Laurel House, Lakewood, N. J., aged sixty-five.

THE Conshohocken Worsted Company, of Philadelphia, has made an assignment. The company operates three mills and the monthly pay-roll amounted to about \$35,000. Liabilities \$900,000.

MRS. RUMMAGE, of Pittston, Penn., over-come by grief, committed suicide by jump-ing inte a reservoir. Her son committed sui-cide a year ago, and her husband was killed by lightning last September.

EX-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has declined the post of one of the Commissioners of the New High Bridge Park, to which he was recently appointed by a New York Judge. DR. SAMUEL W. GROSS, the eminent physician and surgeon of Philadelphia, has just

GENERAL SEIGEL has sent to Commissioner

Tanner his resignation as Pension Agent at New York city, to take effect upon the ap-pointment of his successor. JUDGE WALLACE'S order dissolving the injunction of the Western Union Company was recorded in the United States Circuit Court. On Mayor Grant's order the Bureau of In-cumbrances, of New York city, tore down the wires and poles on Broadway from Four-teenth street to Twentieth, and were to con-

tinue on until Fifty-eighth street was THOMAS F. SCANLAN, a piano manufacturer of Boston and Roxbury, Mass., has failed for \$200,000.

THE ferryboat New Brunswick, which plied between New York city and the Pennsylvania station in Jersey City, was burned to the water's edge, causing a loss of \$65,000.

WILLIAM T. MEEKIN, aged nine, died at Fall River, Mass., of hydrophobia. He was bitten on March 17, and the wound was al-lowed to heal without being cauterized.

GENERAL SAMUEL KENNEDY DAWSON, United States Army, retired, died at Orange, N. J., aged sixty. He was born in Pennsyl-vania, and graduated at West Point in 1849. JAMES FIELDS was fatally shot by his wife at Butler, Penn. Mrs. Fields was reading a book and her husband ordered her to come to bed. She refused, he struck her and the shooting followed. Before dying Fields exonorated his wife, saying she had shot in self-defense. When Mrs. Fields appeared at the coroner's recent the face was mashed almost beyond recognition.

WHILE engaged in removing wires and telegraph poles in New York city, under the supervision of the Bureau of Encumbrances, two men were pulled from a three-story window and one, Early, was instantly killed.

WM. M. CALLENDER, the President of the Newark (N. J.) Insulating and Waterproofing Company, is missing, with \$400,000 of the company's funds.

AT Farmington, Penn., an ore mine, the shaft of which is 125 feet deep, caved in. Eighteen men were in the mine and a dozen of them were partially covered with the fall-ing mass. Richard Ettinger was crushed to

THERE were twenty-five cases of smallpox in Nanticoke, Penn. The disease appeared to be spreading in all directions.

#### South and West.

CHARLES F. HATCH, President of the Wisconsin, Minnesota and Pacific Railway Company, and P. E. Lockwood, a real estate dealer and capitalist, formerly of New York, both committed suicide in Minneapolis,

THE Governor of South Carolina has granted a full pardon to two colored lynchers convicted of murder, his ground being that they had simply followed the example of white men, who had never been punished.

DAVID LINDSAY, a farmer over sixty years old, living near Ann Arbor, Mich., shot killed his adult son in a drunken quarrel.

Gus Sundertand, a colored boy, living at Mosely, S. C., was left by his mother to take care of a younger brother, and getting tired of the job, put a rope around the baby's neck and hung it to the rafter of the house. The

A CYCLONE swept over Montgomery, County, Als. Two men were instantly killed by lightning and several others were shocked and seriously injured. Houses were blown down and damage done to young corn

A TERRIBLE forest fire in Patrick County, Va., swept everything before it. One man, six borses, a large number of hogs and cattle, and about 200 dwellings and tobacco barns were consumed. Many poor people are left in a destitute condition.

JAMES A. SEXTON has been appointed Post master at Chicago.

W. H. Pettit, aged seventy-two, his wife and his son, Washington, got into a fight at Kearney, Neb., over a loaded gun. The fight ended when the gun went off and blew the old man's head to atoms.

The schooner Rio Lupton capsized in Albermarle Sound, N. C. The Captain and one of the crew were drowned. CHARLES FUNK, a cigar manufacturer Kankakee, Ill., shot his divorced wife fatally and then killed himself.

THIRTY-FIVE residences and business houses in Muir, Mich., were burned.

A WONDERFULLY rich discovery of copper was made at Duluth, Minn., by workmen excavating for a public building site.

THE Standard Oil Company has purchased a controling interest in the Ohio Oil Com-pany, thus coming into possession of the Lima oil fields. It is estimated that twenty-five lives were lost during the recent prairie fires in Dakota.

L. BRADFORD PRINCE was inaugurated as Governor of New Mexico.

NATURAL gas was turned into the pipes in Daytou, Ohio, for the first time. Extra pressure was put on at the wells in Mercer County and the gas traveled through the pipes forty-eight miles to Dayton in twenty-five

AT Manatee, Fia., Isaac Jones (colored) as-saulted his four-year-old daughter with a heavy iron bar, breaking every bone in her body and killing her instantly. Jones's wife, who attempted to interfere, also received fatal

PERRY WINE, a well-known citizen of Brockton County, W. Va., was felling a tree, when it broke across the stump, demolishing the house, and killing his wife and three chil-

A PACKAGE containing \$15,000 in gold mysteriously disappeared from the office of the Northern Pacific Express Company in Brainerd, Minn.

Washington.

REAR ADMIRAL WILLIAM ROGERS TAY LOR, United States Navy, retired, died in Washington. He was born at Newport, R. I., November 7, 1811, and entered the navy as a midshipman in 1828.

THE Chinese Minister gave a gorgeous pread at Washington to the Cabinet and a nost of high officials. A magnificent display of roses was one of the features of the

The National Academy of Science held a meeting at Washington and the following officers were elected: President, O. C. Marsh, of New Haven, Conn., re-elected President for a term of six years, and Professor F. P. Laugley, of the Smithsonian Institution, Vice-President for a similar term.

Superintendent Bell, of the Foreign Mails Office, has received a communication from the posial authorities of Germany recommending the establishment of "sea post offices" for the distribution of German-American mails on shipboard,

RED CLOUD, the big Sioux Indian Chief, called on the President accompanied by Agent Jordan, of the Rosebud Agency.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL MILLER presented to the Supreme Court the resolutions of the Bar on the death of Justice Matthews and made an appropriate speech, to which Chief Justice Fuller replied, and the resolutions were spread upon the records.

PRESIDENT HARRISON, accompanied by Mrs. Harrison and her guest, Miss Murphy, of Minneapolis, and Secretaries Blaine and Windom, went down the Potomac for a day's ride on the lighthouse tender Holly. The little vessel steamed for a distance of about forty miles, and then returned to the wharf which was reached about six o'clock. Before leaving the President received the Chicago and All America baseball clubs in the East

THE President has appointed William P. Hepburn, of Iowa, Solicitor of the Treasury, and William H. Whiteman, of Mexico, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the Territory of New Mexico.

Upon the authority of Russell Harrison, the President's son, it is stated that the White House inmates suffer from a plague of

THE annual session of the National Academy of Sciences was begun in Washington. emy of Sciences was begun in Washington.

The United States Pension Agent, Barger, of Columbus, Ohio, has just made the property of the largest voucher ever paid to a private soldier. Philip Flood, of Elyria, is the beneficiary. He is to be paid at the rate of \$8 per month from Nov. 14, 1862; \$25 per month from July 4, 1864; \$31.25 from June 4, 1872; \$50 per month from June 17, 1878, making a total of \$14,960. From this time on he will be paid \$73 per month.

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THE President made the following appointments: Robert P. Porter, of New York, editor of the Press, to be Superintendent of Census; J. W. Cunningham to be Assayer of the United States Assay Office, at Boise City, Idaho; William H. Calking of Washington. the United States Assay Office, at Boise City, Idaho; William H. Calkins, of Washington Territory, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Washington Territory; John B. Donnelly to be Marshal of the United States for the Eastern District of Louisiana, and ex-Congressman Edward S. Lacy, of Michigan, to be Comptroller of the Currency.

ADDITIONAL nominations by the President:
Marvelle W. Cooper, of New York, to be
Appraiser of Merchandise in the District of
New York; Marshal J. Corbett, of New York, New York; Marshal J. Corbett, of New York, to be Assistant Appraiser of Merchandise in the District of New York; Timothy Guy Phelps to be Collector of Customs for the District of San Francisco: F. Snowden Hill, of Maryland, to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the District of Maryland, and John H. Cozzens, of Rhode Island, to be Collector of Customs for the District of Newport,

THE Mexican Government has accepted the invitation and will be duly represented at the International Marine Conference to be held at Washington, October 16, 1889.

### Foreign.

JOHN ALBERT BRIGHT, the candidate of the Liberal Unionists, was elected to succeed his father, the late John Bright, as represen-tative of Birmingham in Parliament. Mr. Bright received 5610 votes, against 2560 votes for William C. Beale, the Gladstonian candi-

GARRIEL DUMONT, the late leader in the Riel rebellion in the Northwest Territory, has arrived again on the scene of the 1885 battles, and is addressing meetings of half-breeds, urging them to press their grievances upon the Canadian Covernment. At Rustan, Jamaica, West Indies, the Rev. Henry Hobson, his wife and her companion, a young girl, all natives of Jamaica, wore murdered by Joseph Bures.

MR. GOSCHEN, Chancellor of the British Exchequer, laid before the House the budget for the coming financial year. It shows a deficit of \$10,000,000. This Mr. Goschen proposes to fill up by an increase of the death duties and a slight increase in the duty on hear.

COUNT HERBERT BISMARCK and Councilor Kranel will be German delegates to the Samoan Conference.

An election was held in Rochester, England, to fill the Parliamentary seat rendered va-cant by the resignation of Colonel Hughes-Hallet. The balloting resulted in favor of Mr. Hugessen, the Gladstonian candidate. THE police of Paris have searched the resi dences of General Boulanger, Count Dillon and M. Rochefort and have seized a number

AT Buenes Ayres the National Government has closed the Bolsa because of disobedience to the decree issued a few days ago forbidding speculation in gold, and great was the excitement among the aggrieved brokers.

MR. PARNELL has instituted a suit against the London Times for libel, claiming \$500,000

CHOLERA is epidemic in the Phillippine Islands. One thousand five hundred cases are reported, of which 1000 have proved

An explosion occurred in a colliery belong-ing to the Rothschilds at Tiefblau, Austria. Five men were killed, two dangerously injured and six missing. THE Town Council of Edinburgh, Scotland,

has decided, by a vote of eight to five, to con fer the free om of the city on Mr. Parnell. A FAMINE was raging at Bicze, Wuag and detritz. Hungary. Hundreds of persons Bistritz, Hungary. Hunwere starving and dying.

A "WHITE BOOK" issued by Germany con tains a savage rebuke by Prince Bismarck of Consul Knappe, the German Consul in Apia, Samoa. Prince Bismarck concludes the report by declaring that Germany has nothing to do with the internal affairz of Samoa. The German mission in Samoa is restricted to protecting German citizens, and enabling them to develop their commercial interests.

THE Roumanian Parliament has voted a credit of \$3,000,000 for strengthening and increasing the fortifications on the frontier.

### A FATHER'S FRENZY.

Frank Hancock, of Addison, N. Y. Kills His Four Children and Himself.

Mrs. Frank Hancock, of Addison, N. Y. on opening the bedroom door of her house discovered her husband's dead body suspended

from a rafter, and four of their children lying dead in pools of blood.

One of the boys, only a year old, who was sleeping in the cradle, was unharmed. The father lind left a note, found on the cradie with a silver watch, in which he said:

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"I leave my watch to baby. Care for him, and when he grows up give him the watch and say it is from papa. Bury me and the children in the cemetery at Sabinsville."

The fiendish father cut the throats of all the four children, and, not content with that, disemboweled them. The oldest was ten and the youngest four. The father's body showed that he had stabled himself twice in the abdomen and gashed his throat. These wounds not being fatal, he slipped a rope around his neck and over a rafter and stood upon a soap box, and then kicked it from under him and strangled to death.

An examination of the father's body showed that he stabbed himself twice with a butcher knife and haggled his throat before

At the Coroner's inquest Mrs. Han-cock said that she and her husband had not been living happily-together. She admitted that she and her husband had agreed to separate on May 1, dividing the children be-

### BITTEN BY A MONKEY.

A Princess Going to Paris to be Treated by Pasteur.

The Paris Gaulois says that the Frincess of Sagau, a noted leader of fashion, was bitten a short time ago by a pet monkey, which has since died from hydrophobia. The Princess, the paper says, is about to visit Paris for the purpose of putting herself under the care of M. Pasteur, the noted hydrophobia expert.

#### A HERO OF 1812.

Death of John Fielding at the Ripe Old Age of 110 Years.

John Fielding, a soldier of the war of 1812 and a native of Virginia, died in Laurens County, S. C., a few days ago at the age of 110 years. In 1787, when Fielding was eight years of age, his parents moved to South Carolina and settled on the Tiger River. At the breaking out of the war of 1812 he volunthe breaking out of the war of 1812 he volunteered, and served until the war ended. He married three times, the last time at the age of eighty-five, and his wife is still living. He had three living children by his first wife, and they are aged men. He was a successful farmer, and although impoverished by the late war, he leaves his widow well provided for. Until within the past three years he has been Until within the past three years he has been remarkably active, and in 1884, when at the age of 103, he walked four miles to vote the national Democratic ticket. One or two of his sons, then middle-aged men, were in the

#### A SON'S QUADRUPLE CRIME. Patricide, Arson, Assault and Suicide by the Same Hand.

At West Farms, a hamlet about five miles from Westfield, Mass., Joseph King, aged seventy-eight, a whip manufacturer for half a century, well-to-do and highly respected, was shot while sleeping in his bed by his dis-

sipated son of forty-four years.

After shooting his father he attempted to kill his aged maiden aunt, Miss Cynthia Tuttle. He then burned down the house, and three hours later, within a dozen rods of the burned buildings and within hearing of the neighbors who were about to institute a search for the murderer, put a bullet through

Where had stood a peaceful dwelling, nothing but a few charred embers remained, and a few rods distant, in a small deserted house, lay the dead bodies of father and son. The father had pistol-wounds in chest, neck and eye, either of which would have been fatal. The son had a ball through his temple.

### THE NATIONAL GAME.

McGlone is captain of the Detroits. JIM HART manages the Boston team. JOE GERHARDT captains Jersey City. STAGG will pitch for Yale this season.

THE Philadelphia Club is in very bad shape. THE President of the Columbus (Ohio) Club DES MOINES, Iowa, is in the field with a lower wind instruments.

Wise, formerly of Boston, has signed with

BROOKLYN has a very strong in as well as THE Pittsburgs look like a flock of orioles in their gay uniforms.

THE price paid for Morrill and Wise by Washington was \$5000. CAPTAIN ASSON has traded off Ryan for Philadelphia's Fogarty.

CRANE, New York's pitcher, has improved THE All-Around-the-World Baseball Tourists traveled 27,679 miles.

Six business men are at the head of the club at Chattanooga, Tenn. A PROMINENT physician says the game of baseball produces heart disease.

THE Indianapolis uniforms are dark blue, with orange stockings, belts and caps. It is a poor ball player in Pittsburg that hasn't a juvenile club named after him CAPTAIN EWING thinks that the New Yorks will play better ball this year than last.

George Washington Bradley, the veteran, has signed with Sioux City, Iowa. "TOMMY" ESTERBOOK, an ex-New York player, is captaining the Louisville team.

GRANT, the colored player, late of Buffalo, will play with the Cuban Giants this year. Tolepo. Ohio, has an amateur league composed of players under nineteen years of age. THE Kansas City Court of Appeals has decided that playing baseball on Sunday is

Over ten thousand persons witnessed the ng American Association game in Cin-CHICAGO, it is said, offered the Cincinnatis

\$5000 for Catcher Earle's release, but it was refused. TOMNEY is a great head-first slider. He is

considered the best base-runner Louisville KROCK and Hutchinson will do most of the pitching for Chicago this season, with Far-

DURELL, of Princeton College, is considered one of the finest fielders in the amateur arena.

CHARLEY KING, of the St. Louis Browns

has got a new curve. It is a zigzag, in and out, up and down. SIX runs on one hit is a feat recently accomplished by the Worcesters in a game against the Lowells.

Or all countries visited by the Spalding tourists, Italy appeared to be least able to understand baseball.

THE reason John Morrill was released by the Bostons was his refusal to captain the picked nine on Fast Day. Indianapolis, with Boyle, Whitney, Shreve and Burdick, will be very strong in the pitcher's box this season.

Manager Hart fixes the total amount lost by the Western Association last year

owing to high salaries at \$90,000. PITCHER RAMSEY, of Louisville, says be even now can't explain his curving; all he knows about it is that he can do it.

JOHN K. TENER, of the All-America was badly wanted in Rome as a model. H was offered \$2000 to pose for two months

BASEBALL cranks are plentiful in Cuba. Over 900 people traveled 140 miles to see a game between Havanna and Matanzas. They occupied three special trains, FRANK RINGO, the old catcher, who once played with the Detroit, Pittsburg and Phila-

delphia clubs, took a dose of morphine at Kansas City with fatal effect. THE New Yorks, by winning, took the entire gate receipts of the first two games with Brooklyn. They won over \$5000. The Brooklyns captured the third and last game of the

ing the greatest mystery on the ball field to-day. After a winter's dissipation and with-out a day's practice or preparatory training he walks out into left field and plays in perfeet style.

A PECULIAR thing happened in a game between the Metropolitan and Commercial teams at Weehawken, N. J. Gough, of the Commercials, allowed twelve runs to be made off him in the first inning. Upon having his arm examined after the game one of the bones was found to have been split.

THE widow of Kersey Coates, of Kansas City has a fortune estimated at \$10,000,000, which all came from a successful venture in real estate—a bit of land which cost her husband \$2000. It was then a farm, but is now twenty acres in the heart of Kansas City. Ar Rio Jantiro, at Tantos and other places in Brazil a plague is raging. Rio is becom-ing a kind of pesthouse, the funerals in one day amounting to 189. There is a mystery about the malady which makes no distinction

The oyster-dredging season in the Chesa-peake Bay has come to an end. About 9,-000,000 bushels of oysters were handled at Baltimore alone during the season.

### MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

EDWIN BOOTH has "sworn off" smoking. Rose ETYNGE is going a-staring through California.

DR. von Bulow will return to this country next spring.

Inving's profit out of "Macbeth" is reckoned at \$2500 a week. MLLE. RHEA has made a hit in her new play "The Case Vidal," THE transportation of the Wild West show from New York to Paris will cost \$16,000.

MISS MARY ANDERSON has landed in Queenstown, greatly improved in health and spirits. It is said that M. Coquelin's acting in this country netted him about \$50,000 for one

LEONA DARE proposes to astonish Paris by leaping from the Eiffel Tower during the coming exhibition. +

SARAH BENNHARDT said recently that in her opinion Ellen Terry was the most perfect actress on the stage.

In Mrs. J. G. Blaine, Jr.'s, support next season will be H. B. Conway, an English actor of high reputation. PAULINE HALL, the comic opera prima donna, has renewed her contract to appear with the New York Casino Company.

J. W. SCANLAN, the Irish comedian, be-gan a three months' tour of ten large cities of Great Britain, opening in "Shaun na

GEORGE W. CHILDS, of the Philadelphia Ledger, surprised everybody by going to the theatre the other night, for the first time in many years.

A New opera, "Gorinshka," by Anton Rubinstein, will be brought out at the Im-perial Opera of St. Petersburg during the ASH WEDNESDAY no longer interferes with theatrical performers in London. Form-erly all theaters closed on that day, but this

year not one did Manager F. F. Proctor has secured a life contract with Charles T. Ellis, the comedian, and will star him as long as he remains on the stage.

"ROBERT ELSMERE," the play founded on Mrs. Ward's novel, has been drawing good houses at the Hollis Street Theater, Boston, and the critics speak well of it. THE candle in Othello and Desdemona's

bedroom, now being played at La Scala, Milan, is an electric light, no other form of illumination being permitted there. The Prince of Wales now practices upon the banjo or "California harp," as it is styled in his district, with great persistency, and the Czar is hard at work upon one of the

HELEN DAUVRAY WARD, after having engaged nearly all her company and booked her tour for next season, has now decided not to return to the stage at all, but to return in-stead to domestic life with her husband, John Montgomery Ward, the baseball player.

It is of record in a single copyist's office in New York city that 1000 plays were worked off on the typewriting machines of the house within one year. Of the total only five ever caw the boards and of these five there was not one that could properly be designated a good drama

THE latest freak of English society is an amateur minstrel company, headed by a noble Lord, and embracing among its mem-bers many distinguished persons of the aristocracy. They black up, do clog dances and sing plantation melodies. They give performances for charities,

# PROMINENT PEOPLE.

THE Empress of Austria is insane, THE Queen of Greece writes poetry. GENERAL BOULANGER is in bad health, Ex-King Milan has gone to Palestine. NEAL Dow, the reformer, is eighty-four. ROBERT BROWNING, the poet, is seventy-

PRESIDENT HARRISON is a little deaf in one JOHN BRIGHT had Jewish blood in his

MRS. CLEVELAND shuns publicity in New York. THE Princess of Wales is no longer a beau-

tiful woman. THE Prince of Wales has expressed a wish to meet Parnell. CHARLES PRATT, the Brooklyn oil man, is

worth \$6,000,000. JOHN BRIGHT was an inveterate smoker and a remarkably fine billiard player. BISMARCK is a regular reader of many of the leading American newspapers.

KARAGEORGVITCH, pretender to the Serv-ian throne, has come into a fortune. THE Czar will be represented at the Paris Exposition by his second son, George. EVANGELIST BARNES, of Kentucky, has settled on an island off the coast of Florida. JOHN JACOB ASTOR, JR., of New York

ADMIRAL KIMEERLY, commander of our Asiatic Squadron, is a clever water color dr-KAISER WILHELM is devoting much time and attention to the state of the German

CAPTAIN HOWARD PATTERSON, York, will become Admiral of the Haytian

THE King of Corea begins his work at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and closes at about 3 o'clock in the morning. THE wealthiest colored man in the So a New Orleans sugar planter named Marie. He has an income of \$40,000 a year.

SENATOR QUAY is troubled with his old complaint, insomnia, and has gone to his home at Beaver, Penn., to recuperate. SENATOR VANCE is improving rapidly at its home, in Buncombe County, N. C., and

his remaining eye is stronger than it has been The widow of the late President Barrios, of Guatemala, is one of the handsomest young widows in New York. She is worth

JOHN McKEON, the Pennsylvania oil king. is said to have an income of nearly \$25,000 a month. Nevertheless he is at work by 8 o'clock every morning.

\$7,000,000.

MRS. STONEWALL JACESON is described as a "modest, black-eyed and dark-haired little woman, rather inclined to portliness, and decidedly averse to notoriety." The Dukedom of Buckingham has become extinct with the death of the late Duke. The ancient Earldom of Temple, however, goes to his nephew, Mr. Gore Langton.

ROBERT GARRETT, the Baltimore million-nire, is greatly improved. He will probably go to Scotland in June to hunt on the estate of Winans, whose guest he will be. "JACK" LOGAN, the son of General John A. Logan, has an utter abhorrence of politics and political life. He is managing a stone quarry and coal mines at Youngstown, Ohio, for his father-in-law, Mr. Andrews.

It is a curious fact that no paper has ever been able to publish a portrait of Boston's foremost preacher, Phillips Brooks. No photograph of him is obtainable for publica-tion, and won't be if Dr. Brooks can help it.

JOAQUEN MILLER is now a prominent eldi-sen of Oakland, Cal. Recently he gave that city fifteen acres of land for a public park. The appreciative authorities propose to re-ward the poet for his generosity by building a pesthouse next door to his property. Edison has in his workshop at Orange, N. L., a mass of flowering shrubs and spreading salus, which show that while the inventor's aind may be practical and mathematical, it also has its sentimental side. There are few nen who grow flowers in their workshops.

Propressor Hornardy, of the Smithsonian assistute, estimates the total number of wild uffaloes now in existence at 700.

# OKLAHOMA BOOMERS.

### The Mad Rush of Settlers Across the Cherokee Strip.

### Scenes and Incidents of the First Day's Exodus.

A dispatch from Arkansas City, Kan., describing the exodus of the boomers into Oklahoma, says: Acting under orders from the War Department, the United States troops allowed the boomers to cross the Cherokes outlet on their way to Oklahoma, so as to enable them to reach the-border of the territory on the opening date. Miles of white covered wagons toiled along the road but deep in the mire. All of the bocmers were, as a rule, heavily armed.

At 8 o'clock in the morning Captain Hayes, at the head of his column, blew a long bugle blast as a signal for the assembled boomers to

start, and immediately a thousand wagons and five bundred men, women and children began the long and wearisome journey on the Pawnee trail across the Cherokee strip for Just before the start was made Captain Hayes made a brief speech to the boomers, reminding them of their pledge not to interfere with cattlemen's fences or Indian villages in the Pawnee and Ponco reservations.

The rush across the Indian Territory line-into the Cherokee strip was like the awful rush of multitudes fleeing in panic. Within a radius of six miles over twelve hundred wagons loaded with boomers and their families and household goods were seen on their way to Oklahoma.

Two soldiers stood on guard at each side of the gateway, and at 6:50, the front teams becoming unmanageable, the word to advance was given, and immediately E. W. Morgan, a Kansan, who had spent all his-life in new countries, crossed the line, the first man to legally do so. A short distance behind him followed a wagon in which E. Martin, of Sanga-mon County, Ill., and a member of Company It, Second Illinois Cavalry, carried the un-furled Stars and Stripes. Then rolled in the boomers' white-covered wagons. At nine-o'clock the head of the columns appeared over the divide, five miles below the line, while to-the north as far as the eye could reach the-

wagons could be still seen coming.
By noon the road had become so badly cut up as to be almost impassable. Teams stuck in the mud, delaying the line of march, and other horses were brought into requisition. At the side of the roadway rode and toiled a string of women and children, whom the overburdened team could not haul. In many of the wagons were carried boats for crossing the streams, and one man for his wagon-bed had a flatboat, upon which was erected a

At one point one unbroken line of covered wagons ten miles long could be seen pushing on through the Cherokee strip, and every road was literally blocked with wagons, carts and horsemen, while thousands of men were wearily wending their way on foot, regardless of the mud and water. The roads were so badly cut up that wagons were getting stuck in mudholes, and all over the country was heard the shouts of the impatient drivers urging their exhausted animals forward.
Some men whose wagons were heavily

loaded threw away part of their loads so they would not be left behind in the rush. As the strange procession passed the Chil-loco Indian school little Indian girls greeted it with cheers. The skipper of the neatest-schooner of the fleet was pretty Ella Black-burn, of Quincy, Ill., and her crew of three-sisters. They were dressed in calico gowns and old-fashioned sun bonnets. These girls were going for homes in Oklahoma and they would not rejurn without them even said they would not return without them even if they had to marry boomers. They carried

two Winchester rifles. The Indians were coming in from th reservation in large numbers and were buy-lng ammunition and arms. They say Oklahoma is not large enough for the number of whites going in, and that encroachments will

two boomers claimed the same quarter section, and one, George Kramer, undertook to put the other, Charles Heidke, off the land. shot through the head and instantly killed. Heidke was shot through the groin.

A Mr. Fitzgerald and wife attempted to drive across the line and both lost their lives in the river. enue, has decided that under the recent act of Congress and the proclamation of the President in relation to Oklahoma, it ceases

# special tax stamps may be sold to wholesale and retail liquor dealers, to engage in business there, under the same terms and regulations as in other States and Territories of the United States.

"Indian country," and ax stamps may be so

### FIVE MEN DROWNED. A Whole Party Lost Through One

Man's Lack of Nerve. At the Alabama Midland crossing of the Cattahooche River, near Bainbridge, Ga. two boats, with seven and eight men respectively, were crossing the river, when one of the boats commenced sinking, and one of the men jumped to the other boat and cap-sized both boats. Five men were drowned. They had been breaking rock for the Alabama Midland bridge.

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