WRANGLE OVER PIPE LINE

Efforts Made by Determined Minority to Clog the Marshall Bill.

The Measure Is Opposed by Representative Herzog from Berks County-Mr. Seyfert Attempts to Tack on a Clause or Two.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 28.-Representative Farr, the champion of compulsory education, won a decisive victory the passage of his bill tonight through the house on second reading stage. The greater part of the day was By the United Press. given to the consideration of the measure. Numerous amendments were promoted, but the friends of the bill formed a solid front and it passed without material change. There was no doubt from the opening of the contest but that it would pass, the struggle being to keep out the undesirable amendments that were showered upon

it by the enemies. Mr. Seyfert, of Lancaster, who had introduced a bill on the same subject, opened the fight by trying to substitute the first section of his bill for the first section of the Farr bill. This was defeated by an overwhelming vote The Lancaster member, not deterred by this setback, kept up a running fire of amendments as each section was considered, but without avail, as the house promptly and vigorously voted them out of sight with one exception, namely, to provide for the payment of the fines into the county treasury for school purposes. This amendment Mr. Farr favored, as he intended to offer one for the same purpose.

bill was that made on motion of Mr. Fow, to compensate assessors as they are now paid for additional work necessary to make the census enduration of

weaker than at either the session of turer. 1893 or 1891, and he is confident that it will pass the house finally by a larger vote than it ever received.

THE RECORD OF A DAY.

Proceedings of Interest in the Senate and House of Representatives.

By the United Press. Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 28.-The senate met at 10 o'clock. After hearing re-ports of committees, several bills were introduced, one of them, by Mr. Porter, helds it legislative apportionment bill. This is the bill of 1883, introduced to give it a place on the calendar. A sensation was sprung by Senator Kauffman offering a resolution to re-commit the Marshall pipe line bill, in order that some of the independent producers might have a chance to be heard on it. By A wrangle followed, in which it was developed that Senator Grady, who called the bill up out of order yesterday at the request of Senator McCreary, as he said, had made a mistake in the number of the bill.

Senator White advocated the passage of the resolution, declaring he had many constituents who were opposed to the bill's passage, and he insisted on knowing whether the corporations committee had even held a meeting to consider the bill. Mr. Grady asserted that he had gone to all the members of the committee on Monday night and informed each one of his intention to report the bill; that he waited until the senator from Beaver arrived and then told him of his nurpose

Senator White was unable to see how this could have been possible, as the bill was reported Monday night and he had not appeared at the capital until Tuesday morning. He then called for the yeas and nays on the resolution and it was defeated-9 to 24.

The bill was then reached in regular order on the calendar. Its opponents had apparently exhausted their ammunition and contented themselves with recording their votes against it. The Yeas-Messrs. Andrews, Baker, Becker, Coyle, Critchfield, Crouse, Grady, Hacken-berg, Hardenbergh, Keefer, Kennedy, Kline, Landis, Lemon, McCrown Kline, Landis, Lemon, McCreary, Mitch-ell (Bradford), Mitchell (Jefferson), Moyer,

Upperman,-29. Nays—Messrs. Brown, Green, Hyde, Kauffman, Meredith, Milleisen, Shortt, Vaughan and Walton.—9,

The house bill establishing a depart-

ment of agriculture was passed by a

vote of 34 to none. Bitls Presented in the House The house met at 10 o'clock. The bill

prohibiting hazing and providing penalties for the same was reported favorably from the education committee. Among the bills read in place was the following: By Mr. Hicks, of Philadelphia, providing for the employment of none but American citizens on public works, and providing that a violation shall work a forfeiture of the contractor's bonds.

When the compulsory education bill was reached on second reading a half dozen members tried to get the floor in order to offer amendments. Mr. Seyfert, of Lancaster, moved to amend the first section, to provide that every child between the ages of 8 and 13 years shall attend school at least sixteen consecutive weeks each year, instead of "at least sixteen weeks," as provided in the pending measure, and also to take from the school directors discretionary power in the matter of excuses for non-

Mr. Seyfert explained that the pending bill could not be enforced, and his amendment was introduced for the purpose of making the proposed law ef-

bers near Tremont, beat them off with his Mr. Herzog, of Berks, moved to amend the Seyfert amendment by striking out the words "sixteen consecutive weeks," inger, of Tarrytown, ended his life with a and insert "eighty days," Both amend-

ments were voted down. Mr. Farr Defends the Bill. Farr contended that his bill would be effective, and that the com-

mittee on education had practically discarded the Seyfert propositions.

Mr. Seyfert said he was astonished at county, still have big forces of men show-the audacity of Mr. Farr in making eling snowdrifts from the highways. such a statement, in view of the fact

that he had done everything to perfect

and the first section passed without reading.

Mr. Burrell, of Mercer, appealed to the house to sit down on the squabble between the gentlemen who desired fame in connection with the passage of the measure and resist the attempts to defeat compulsory education.

Mr. Fow and Mr. Herzog made speeches against the bill, the former COMPULSORY EDUCATION BILL declaring that there is no demand from the people of the state for compulsory education at this time.

Mr. Herzog said it could not be forced. Pending the consideration of the bill the house at 12.40 took a recess until 8 o'clock this evening to enable the members to attend the Indian school commencement at Carlisle.

STRIKERS' STRONG CARD. Walking Delegates Will Call Out 10,000

Mechanics.

New York, Feb. 28.-At a meeting of walking delegates this morning it was decided that the Master Builders' had no intention whatever of compromising or of meeting the strikers half way. This being the case, the delegates de-

A resolution was adopted calling out tomorcow every man connected with the Building Trades' association. This is the strongest card the strikers have played. It means that more than 10,-000 men will stop work tomorrow.

cided to make no more offers of any

SLATTERY LECTURED.

At the Close of His Address the Ex-Priest Announced the Coming of an A. P. A. Organizer.

By the United Press.

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 28.-A guard of fifty police surrounded the Odd Fellows' hall during ex-Priest Slattery's lecture tonight. Several hundred peo-The only other change made in the ple gathered in the streets, drawn by curlosity. There was no disturbance however, Several hundred people were in the hall and listened to the lecture, which was a discussion of the theology of the Roman Catholic church, and an Mr. Farr was congratulated on all alleged expose of the secrets of the sides for the persistency with which he confessional. The lecturer dealt largely opposed the inimical amendments and in ridicule and satire. The crowd in that the opposition to the bill was seemingly in sympathy with the lec-

At the close of the lecture Slattery announced that an American Protective association organizer would be in extended by a committee of the ladies Savannah within twenty-four hours, of the Grand Army of the Republic, Ite said that he was a member of the consisting of Mrs. M. G. Lawrence, American Protective association, but Circle 67, Philadelphia; Mrs. M. J. Turderied that he was a representative of her, Circle 60, Allegheny, and Mrs. H. the organization.

Eleven arrests have been made so far for participation in Monday night's disturabnee. Three were given ten days' in jail and one was fined \$10. Seven are yet to be given a hearing. Slattery announced tonight he would go from here to Atlanta.

SMUGGLING IN ALASKA.

A Revenue Cutter to Stop the Illicit Whisky Troffic.

smuggling traffic has grown to such enormous proportions in Alaska that journed. Uncle Sam has at last decided to resort to heroic measures, The revenue cutter Gorwin has been quietly fitting out for a cruise for weeks past. The Corwin today sails for the North, and it has leaked out that she has been er pecially detailed to patrol the Alaska coast from Sitka northward and to keep a sharp eye out for illicit traders.

The whalers and sealers who are now fitting out for their annual voyage to the frozen zone will be objects of special attention at the hands of the Corwin's officers, and in all probability most of them will be overhauled and thoroughly searched before they have an opportunity of landing their contraband wares if they have any such on board.

ENGAGEMENT EXPECTED.

Government Forces and Rebels Will

Fight at Cucuta. By the United Press.

Feb. 28.—Secretary Washington, Herbert tonight received this cable Colon, Feb. 28.-An engagement is ex-

pected near Cucuta, Colombia. (Signed) Cromwell, commanding officer Atlanta. Cucuta is a small town in the Cucuta Valley, province of Pomplona United Osbourn, Penrose, Porter, Rowland, Say-lor, Smith, Snyder, Steel, Stiles, Thomas, States of Colombia, and near the Venezuelan frontier. The engagement reported as expected to occur is between the government forces and the revolutionary party.

Fred Pfeffer Reinstated.

By the United Press. New York, Feb. 28.-At today's session of the National Base Ball league a sched-ule for the coming season was adopted. and Fred Pfeffer, second baseman of the Louisvilles, was reinstated among the league players. Pfeffer was assigned to the Louisville club for the coming season and fined \$500 for his attempt at rebellion.

Steals a Lecturer's Bottle. By the United Press.

Jefferson, Ia., Feb. 28.-During a tem perance meeting in this city last night, while E. B. Stillman, of the Jefferson Bee, was illustrating the effect of alcohol upon the stomach by cooking the white of an egg, a man slipped into the room, pock-eted the bottle of alcohol and got away before he could be apprehended.

Insane from Worry.

By the United Press. Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 28.-Edward Colmotorman on the Columbia and Donegal Electric railway, was taken to the county insane asylum this morning. Several months ago Collins' car ran over a ittle boy on the streets of Columbia. Since that time he has worried so that his mind became unbalanced.

CONDENSED STATE TOPICS. Jacob Hoffman, waylaid at night by rob-

inger, of Tarrytown, ended his life with a bullet.

A Pennsylvania railroad train struck and killed an unknown woman at Conshohocken. A mine tunnel 600 feet long will be driven

into Bear mountain at Tower City, to drain a colliery.

when a statement, in view of the fact hat he had done everything to perfect he bill.

When the weather grows warmer the Schuyikill Electric Railway company will commence \$200,000 worth of trolley construction in Pottsviffe and suburbs.

THE ENCAMPMENT CLOSES

Labors of the Grand Army Delegates at Williamsport Concluded.

THE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

State Will Be Asked to Furnish Assist ance Toward Securing Data for Regi mental Histories - Greetings on Behalf of the Ladies.

By the United Press.

Williamsport, Pa., Feb. 28.—The Grand Army encampment concluded its labors today and adjourned sine die. The morning session consisted of the installation of the newly elected officers and the adoption of the reports of committees. Among the resolutions adopted were the following:

Resolved, That hereafter it will be an offense, punishable by law, for any person not entitled or who is unworthy, to wear the Grand Army of the Republic badge or button. Resolved, That regimental histories be published, and that the state be asked for

for an appropriation to assist in securing well authenticated data, Resolved, That the law placing Mexiican soldiers on the rolls at 62 years, be amended to apply to soldiers of the repub

Resolved. That the proper authorities

of the Department of Pennsylvania re-quest the national encampment to change the date of the annual encampment to a ummer month. (Probably July). Resolved, That the Grand Army of the Republic is in favor of equitable and just pensions to all soldiers of the republic. Resolved, That the committee on resolutions ask the legislature to make an appropriation sufficient to maintain the standing of the Grand Army of the Repub-

and their orphans, The resolution asking that the name of Pension Commissioner Lochren be dropped from the lists of the Grand Army of the Republic was reported negatively by the committee, they deeming it out of the jurisdiction of the

lic in its charitable work to old soldiers

The council of administration made a report, which was adopted. The rethe victory he had won. Mr. Farr says the hall was quiet and orderly and ports of department officials were also adopted.

Greetings on Behalf of Ladies. Greetings on behalf of the ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic were

Department Commander Cumings at once appointed James S. Morrison, assistant adjutant general, and Abraham Levering assistant quartermas-

ter general. After balloting for national delegates, the vote for which will not be counted until it reaches headquarters at Philadelphia, a committee consisting of Mrs. Morrison, Smethport; Mrs. Cumings, Vomen's Relief corns extended greet-San Francisco, Feb. 28.—The whisky lings on behalf of the Women's Relief encampment then ad-The corps.

Cavalry Reunion

The survivors of the Eighth Pennsylvania cavalry held their reunion this afternoon and elected the following offleers: President Samuel Wilson: vicepresident, Captain Pickett; corresponding secretary, J. W. Vanderslice; recording secretary, John E. Kane;

treasurer, Alexander Allen. The ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic elected the following officers today: President, Mrs. Marie F. Ely; senior vice-president, Mrs. E. Stritchfield; junior vice-president, Mrs. Ella Jones; treasurer, Mrs. Ada L. Shannon The Woman's Relief corps elected

the following officers: President, Mrs. Anna L. Wilbur; senior vice-president, Mrs. Jennie Aldridge; junior vice-president, Mrs. Anna Loomis; chaplain, Mrs. Sarah Messimer. An executive board was also chosen.

Delegate at large, Mrs. Maria L. Mumford; delegates, Mary Dugann, Nan L. Leslie, A. Horton, Lona R. Patterson, Nellie C. Fullmer, Eliza Booth, Jennie Pinney.

GUATEMALA'S CASE.

Envoys Present Her Side of the Argument to Mexico. By the United Press,

City of Mexico, Feb. 28.—Guatemalan Envoy De Leon has presented documents showing Guatemala's side of the case. The Mexican government is now studying the same, which is a historical and geographical review of the difficulties between the two countries, and is voluminous.

Special stress is laid on the claim that under the treaty of 1882, Mexico had no vested rights in the ceded territory now in dispute until the delimitation of the frontier was finished.

Engineers are still engaged on the work of delimitation and it will be some months before they will be ready to re-

SAW FAIR'S WILL STOLEN. A South Dakota Man Wants \$15,000

to Tell. By the United Press.

San Francisco, Feb. 28.-Charles L. Fair has received a second letter from an unknown correspondent at Brookings, S. D., stating that he witnessed the abstraction of the will of the late James G. Fair from the county clerk's office on Jan. 28 and offering to reveal the identity of the thief for \$15,000.

The writer gives Fair until Feb. 25 to remit the money. At the same time he wrote to the attorneys for the executors, making the same proposition. The recipients paid no attention to the lettrs. but there is much speculation cerning the clumsy but persistent black-

BURNING OF A CHURCH.

The Edifice Which Withstood the Johns town Flood Destroyed by Fire.

By the United Press. Johnstown, Pa., Feb. 28.-The large St. Joseph's German Catholic church, which withstood the brunt of the terrible flood of 1889, was at 5 o'clock this morning destroped by fire.

After the fire was under control. Louis Pfars was fatally injured and a man named Boltz badly injured by being caught under a falling wall, while looking at the ruins. The loss is about \$50,000 and is fully covered by insur-



Carnegie's Second Conversion Due to Hard Facts.

SENATE DOES SOME WORK

Passes the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill at Last.

JUICY PLUM FOR POTTSVILLE

An Appropriation of \$20,000 for a Government Building-House Unable to Agree on Senate Amendment to Hawaii Cable Bill.

By the United Press.

Washington, Feb. 28 .- The sundry civil appropriation bill was passed by the senate today, its consideration having occupied the larger share of four that were adopted in committee of the whole were concurred in after the bill was reported back to the senate-almost all of them in bulk.

There was an effort made by Mr. Vest (Dem., Mo.) to have the amendment for the purchase of the Blaine property, on Lafayette place, Washington, modified so as to require "a fee simple title" to pass, instead of Mrs. Blaine's "right title and interest" to the property; but that motion was defeated-yeas, 26; nays, 37-and the original amendment was agreed to.

The five and a quarter million dollar amendment for the payment of sugar bounty did not even have the distinction of a separte vote, but was covered up in the general vote for all the Tideoute, and Mrs. Bronson, from the ment providing a retiring list for of-ficers of the revenue cutter service. An effort was made by Mr. Stewart Pop., Nev.) to have Mr. Walcott's (Rep., Col.) amendment for the appointment of delegates to an international monetary conference modified so as to prohibit the delegates from agreeing to any higher ratio between gold and silver than 16 to 1; but he was not able to muster more than eleven votes on his side, and a motion to reconsider the vote agreeing to the Wolcott amendment was also defeated-yeas, 9; nays, 52. So the provision for the appointment of nine dele-

gates remains in the bill. An amendment appropriating \$20,000 for a public building at Pottsville, Pa., with a limit of cost at \$60,000 was among the items agreed to. The bill now goes to a conference, where it will probably be subjected to considerable pruning. The legislative, executive and judicial aproportation bill was taken up, and by 5.49 p. m., when there was a short executive session, followed by a recess till 8 p. m., ninety-two pages of the bill-over two-thirds of the whole -had been completed, with no more delay than was required for the two reading clerks to race through it, omitting most of the reading matter between the opening and closing of each paragraph.

Unable to Agree on Hawaii. The first matter under consideration before the house was the report of the conferrees on the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill that they were still unable to agree upon the item inserted by the senate authorizing the construction of a cable to Hawali, propriating \$50,000 to begin the work by a vote of 150 to 115; the house voted to still insist upon its disagreement to that

amendment. Mr. Lawson, (Dem., Ga.), reported the resolutions agreed to by the committee on elections on the contest of Goode vs. Epes from the Fourth district of Virginia-in favor of Epes, the sit ting member.

Senate amendments to the bill making it unlawful for any unauthorized person to wear the insignia of the Red Cross were agreed to, and it now goes to the president for his approval.

The bill to protect forest reservations, which the senate amended by the sub stitution of an entire new proposition was referred to the committee on public lands, which is equivalent to a defeat The joint resolution authorizing the erection in the District of Columbia of a statue of the late Professor Samuel Gross, M. D., D. C. L., L.L. D., of Philadelphia, having been recalled from the senate was agreed to with an amendment striking out the appropriation of \$1,500 for a pedestal for the statue.

OBJECT TO CARICATURE.

The Comic Valentine Statue of General Grant Rejected by Senate Committee. By the United Press.

Washington. Feb. 28.-The joint library committee of the house and senate today decided, by a unanimous vote, to reject the statue of General Grant, which was presented weeks ago to the government by the Grand Army of the Republic. It was decided that the statue was not a rect representation of General Grant. and that its facial resemblance to the great leader was so imperfect that it would not be recognized unless labelled with the general's name.

The rentue was chiselled by Franklin Simmons, who modeled the statue of Roger Sherman, which has stood for some years in stat tary hall as the declared the minister of finan-gift of the state of Knode Island, It budget committee,

was proposed to place it in the main hall of the capitol building, and this intention would doubtless have been carried out but for the decision of the committee not to accept it. WILL STAND NO NONSENSE.

France Must Keep Hands Off San Do mingo. By the United Press. Washington, Feb. 28.-Although the three French gunboats continue in the neighborhood of San Domingo, confi-

dence is expressed at the state department that they will commit no overt act pending the negotiations which are now in progress. Assurances have been given by France to that effect, and the United States has no doubt that they will be kept. It is learned that the representations of the United States to France are of such a nature international conference looking to the legislative days, All of the amendments | that France could not afford to pursue too threatening an attitude toward ful presentation of Mr. Everett's resolu-San Domingo.

country permit France to seize the customs receipts of the little republic as prior claims on San Domingo for debts long due, and the settlement of which without threats of seizure indicate sufficiently our attitude in the matter.

MORGAN'S SENTENCE.

Acquin Creek Train Robber Receives Eighteen Years.

By the United Press. Stafford C. H., Va., Feb. 28.-Charles Morgan, allas Morganfield, who has that they too appreciate the improved been on trial here charged with holding up and robbing a train at Acquia for independent action by the United on | States. Creek of \$25,000, was this afterno found guilty and sentenced to eighteen

years imprisonment. Upon being advised of the verdict Governor O'Ferrall telegraphed his congratulations to Prosecuting Attorney White. The governor telegraphed: "Train robbers will seek some other state for the nefarious work. Virginia juries will uphold the law."

NAVAL ECONOMY.

Provision for Construction of Twelve Torpedo Boats Stricken Out.

By the United Press. Washington, Feb. 28.-The naval appropriation bill was reported to the senate this afternoon by Mr. Gorman. It reduces the number of battleships authorized by the house from three to two. The provision for the construc-

and three torpedo boats at a cost of not exceeding \$175,000 each. TWENTY-FIVE KILLED.

than \$230,000, exclusive of armament,

Result of the Explosion at Cerrillos, New

Mexico. By the United Press. Albuquerque, N. M., Feb. 28.-Advices today from the scene of the mine explosion at Cerrillos place the number of dead positively at twenty-five. One man is still missing. All the rest of

the miners were accounted for, The superintendent of the mine said today that the explosion was caused by the carelessness of two miners who passed the danger line with unprotected lamps against orders. The damage to the mine is very small.

General Post's Successor.

By the United Press.
Galva, HL. Feb. 28.—George W. Prince of Galesburg, was today nominated on the one thousand four hundred and seventy-sixth ballot by the Tenth district Republican convention to succeed General Post

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS.

The heavy rain in Nebraska was worth illions of dollars to the farmers. The Colorado senate yesterday passed the bill prohibiting capital punishment in Mayor Schieren, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is looking at the car fenders on the Balti-

ore street cars. Cincinnati whisky men refuse to accept the trust's advance of 3 cents a gallon and will sell at old prices. A thousand Salvation Army members

bade farewell to General Booth when he sailed from New York yesterday. An unknown miscreant fired four shots at Engineer Radford, as his train passed through Thomasville, Ga., but only slight

HEARD OVER THE CABLE.

Francois Coppee, the Franch poet, Is sald to be dying Lord Rosebery is rapidly recovering

from the influenza. Two feet of snow fell in the German cantons of Switzerland, Lord Randolph Churchill is said to have left considerable property.

The German reichstag refused to confer

dictatorial powers upon the governor of Alsace-Lorraine. Austria's sugar crisis is only transitory

THERE'S HOPE FOR SILVER

The Proposed International Conference Is Well Received.

SENATORS ALL COMMEND IT

f England Does Not Favor the Scheme, Other European Countries May-Extreme Silverites Are Pleased

with the Outlook.

Washington, Feb. 28.-Members of

By the United Press.

the senate are giving careful attention to the movement in Europe for another rehabilitation of silver. The success tion in the house of commons proved Under no circumstances would this a pleasant surprise to a large majority of the senators. Indeed not a single senator out of a large number consecurity for money demanded. Our versed with on the subject expressed any other view than that the result was one upon which the people of the this country has patiently awaited United States were to be congratulated The more extreme silver men go furthe than the senators who advocate international bimetallism only and still contend that the United States need not wait upon any other government. But a majority of them comprehend thoroughly that if an international agreement can be arranged it will at one stroke remove all their difficulties. prospects abroad while still contending

> Very few of the senators of whatever views on the silver question, were prepared for the action of the British parliament, for they had not considered that the present government would consent to another conference, but now that the Everett resolution has been adopted, some of them interpret it to indicate that resistance to it meant the downfall of the Rosebery government. Hence they find especial encourage-ment in the inference that the British 813 SPRUCE ST., SCRANTON, PA. nation is behind the official action of its legislature. In view of these facts they regard the conference as an assured fact, and the opinion is almost uniform that the result of its proceedings must be far more satisfactory to the advocates of bimetallism than was the Brussels conference. Senators Allison, Platt, Chandler

two. The provision for the construction of twelve torpedo boats is stricken out and the following substituted:

For six light draft coraposite gunboats of about 1,000 tons displacement boats of about 1,000 tons displacement for silver. Senator Allison, Platt, Changier, Hill and others regard the adoption of the resolution as a most propitious omen and think that if a conference is held it will surely result in a substantial gain for silver. Senator Allison, who was a member of the Brussels conference, expressed the opinion that England would make important concessions in case of another conference. a semi-official newspaper, says it is certain that Austria-Hungary will accept an invitation to join in an international

monetary conference WILSON CONGRATULATED. He Is Surrounded by Friends in the Sen-

nte Cafe. By the United Press. Washington, Feb. 28.-The president this afternoon sent to the senate the Shoes. You are going nomination of Representative William L. Wilson, of West Virginia, to be postmaster general, Mr. Wilson's first knowledge of his nomination being sent to the senate today as postmaster general was communicated by Henry Talbot, the clerk of the ways and means committee. A moment later he went down to the cafe in the basement in company with Mr. Stevens, of New mediately surrounded by the members of the house, who crowded about his of the house, who crowded about his hair and heartily congratulated him. He does not expect to qualify until the first of April. He has decided to employ the intervening time until April

1 in recuperating his wasted energies. Treasury Statement.

By the United Press. Washington, Feb. 28.—The treasury statement to be issued tomorrow will show the excess of expenditures over receipts for the eight months of the current fiscal year to be \$25,532,000. This does not include \$48,0000,000 owed to the sinking fund

Another Lie Nailed. By the United Press. New Orleans, La., Feb. 28.—The steamer

for the current fiscal year,

John Wilson arrived here today from Bluefields, and the captain and a pas-senger, a business man from Bluefields, both denied that there was any truth in the story that a British warship had fired on an American vessel there. An After Dinner Suicide.

By the United Press. Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 28.—Emanuel Korte. a farm hand, employed by Hiram Bru-baker, of Manhelm township, arose from the dinner table today, and going into the rehard, blew his brains out. There is no known motive for the act. Korte was 27

years old and single WEATHER REPORT.

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vas a memoer of the Brussels conference, expressed the opinion that Engand would make important concessions in case of another conference. Vienna, Feb. 28.—The Fremdenblatt, a semi-official newspaper, says it is cer-

ing to have more comfort. We are going to sell more

to help us. It has paid you in the past. It will pay you in

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