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The Wound of the Chinese Envoy Is Not Dangerous.

THE MIKADO ISSUES ORDERS

Says the Law Must Be Obeyed and the Fanatic Assassin Promptly Punished. The Shooting May Somewhat Delay Peace Negotiations.

Washington, March 25.-No official confirmation of the attempted assissation of Li Hung Chang has been received at either the Chinese or Japa-nese legations. The general feeling here is one of profound regret that this venerable Chinese diplomat should have fallen a victim to a fanatic's bullet. Its effect upon the peace negotiawill depend upon the result. Should Li recover after a short illness, the only result, it is believed, would be to delay a settlement of peace. Should be die a postponement of the peace negotiations for a number of weeks is regarded as inevitable. So great is the confidence of the Japanese envoys and the Japanese people as well in Li's ability to further a settlement of peace, that his death would make it difficult to secure another envoy on the part of China. who would be equally acceptable to Japan, or who, it is believed, would so easily bring the negotiations to a suc-

vers. The attack upon LL who is the drect representative of the Emperor of China, is tantamount to an attack upon the emperor himself and will, for this Important Supreme Court Decision Afreason, be sternly dealt with. Even should Li recover, it is regarded as probable that Koyama, the assassin, will be condemned to death as a warn-ing to his fellow countrymen.

London, March 25.-A dispatch from Li Hung Chang, has tlegraphed to the emperor that the Chinese envoy's is an exceedir wound is in good condition, and that by companies there is no cause for anxiety regarding the result. Li Hung Chang's assailant. the dispatch further says, is believed to

A special gazette has been published containing a message signed by the emperor and the imperial ministers deploring the act of a fanatic against the person of an envoy under the protec-tion of Japan. The criminal, the mesimperial orders.

#### A CRISIS IN CANADA.

Deficit of Millions, and Threats of a Bitter Religious War.

Quebee, March 25.—The political crisis at Ottawa is growing in intensity. For nearly a month there have been almost daily sittings of the cabinet, and still-the question is undecided whether the ministers will meet in parliament as usual next month or whether they will seek permission from the governor-general to dissolve parliament and appeal to the country.

A deficit of some millions of dollars in the Federal finances, owing to the continued depression of business and consequent falling of in imports and customs dues, is one of the troubles. But the greater difficulty confronting the government is the solution of the Manitoba school question, which has now attained such proportions that it almost threatens the country with a religious

#### COUNT IN A STEEL MILL. He Has Just Fixed Up a Quarrel with His

Father.

for the Carnegie works here, has returned from a brief visit to the parental estate, near Vienna, Austria, which he left in anger a dozen years ago because he refused to marry a duchess of his father's choosing on an adjoining estate. After traveling around the world he reached Braddock four years ago, and, being an excellent draughtsman, soon worked himself up.

Count Camille made a reconciliation with his father before he left Austria, and he says he will inherit the estates.

# MURDERED HIS CHILDREN.

Bodies of the Victims Were Then Tossed Into the River. Huntington, W. Va., March 25.-Sev-

eral days ago two boys, aged 7 and 9 years, suddenly disappeared from their homes here. It was thought they had been kidnapped. Beverly Blakely yesterday swore out a warrant for the arrest of John Ringo, colored, father of the missing boys.

The warrant charges Ringo with having disposed of the boys by foul means. Blakely claims that he can prove that the boys were murdered, and that their bodies were thrown into the Ohio river. Ringo is in jail.

# READY FOR OFFICE.

Captain Delaney Has Secured Bond as State Costodian.

senate an approval of the bill creating the office of custodian of public buildings and grounds,

On Wednesday he will send in the name of John C. Delaney as custodian. Delaney has been requested to get bond in the sum of \$25,000. The Commonwealth Trust company has become

#### RISKED HIS LIFE FOR A HAT. Mr. Rose Leaped from a Bridge Into the

Pittsburg, Pa., March 25.—Cyrus L. but the cdiffice was not damaged. In some Rose, a member of the carpet firm of places near Reading the shocks were so Bovard, Rose & Co., fell or jumped into severe as to shatter panes of glass in the Allegheny river from the Sixth street bridge yesterday morning. He was rescued before drowning

Mr. Rose says that his hat blew off and in an effort to recover it he jumped upon the guard rail, lost his balance

# LITTLE GIRLS HIS VICTIM.

Ex-Superintendent Bitting, of an Industrial Home, Confesses.

Harrisburg, March 25.-A confession

made by ex-Superintendent William Bitting, of the Children's Industrial Home. He was arraigned in court fo riminally assaulting three girl inmates of the home. Bitting has protested his innocence all along, but while the jury was being called to try his case, awakened and told his counsel to plead guilty. He was remaided for sentence. Bitting is an elderly man and marded. The women managers of the iome were in court with the most damaging evidence against him. Bitting is prominent in church work here.

# LIVELY FIGHT WITH TRAMPS

One Fatally Injured, Others Badly Hurt The Conse.

Leesburg, Pa., March 25,-A riot that will probably result in the death of .O S. Reynolds, a member of the Hyde Park Brick company, and the injury of several others, occurred at the Hyde Park brick yards late Saturday night. Five tramps under the induence gation company's second new steam. Cole went to Toadvine, and, locating night. Five tramps under the influence of liquor demanded admittance to the warm sheds. They were ordered away by Henry Schaffer, one of the firm. Mr. Schaffer was badly beaten before employes came to his assistance, and the tramps were driven away. Later they returned, and when again

ordered away by Mr. Schaffer, they pened fire on him with revolvers. Schaffer was shot in the leg and was S. Paul would be abandoned today, as followed into his office by the mob. even if they could start her by conwhich continued shooting. O. S. Reyn- tinuing at work with hydraulic jacks olds was shot in the face and had his skull fractured with a brick. H. F. Ross was also knocked senseless. Neighbors came to the rescue and a general fight followed.

One of the tramps was arrested. He The Assassin's Punishment.

The punishment which L's assassin runs high, and if the tramps are capwill receive will be both speedy and setured they will suffer severely.

BACK TO THE

#### NO RIGHT OF DOMAIN.

feeting Trolley Company Property. Philadelphia, March 25.—The decision f the Pennsylvania Railroad company against the Montgomery County Rall-Tokio to the Central News says: Dr. way company, appealed from the com-Sato, the surgeon in attendance upon men pleas court of Montgomery counmon pleas court of Montgomery county, which was delivered this morning. is an exceedingly important one to troi-

The gist of the opinion is that the street rallway act gave no right of eminent domain, and that as the trollines are incorporated under that t they have no power to construct ieir road, where the taking of property is incident or necessary to it, with-out the consent of the property owner. The practical effect of the decisions tion of Japan. The criminal, the message says, must be punished according capital invested in trolley lines over the state, and it will be necessary for the imperial orders. go to the legislature for relief.

#### MUSICIAN AND MEDIUM FIGHT. Former Gets a Gun and, Threatens to

Shoot and is Arressted. rest of J. Baker, a musician. Baker at- who have taught fifty years or more tended a scance at the residence of within the public schools of the state; ing that it was a spirit form. He also talking for the spirit.

He was partially inside the cabinet between the medium and Baker and they rolled all over the floor. Baker was turned out and made the mistake of getting a revolver, going back and threatening to shoot. He was locked

#### AIR BEDS IN SLEEPING CARS. The Pennsylvania Railroad Is Testing an Invention.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 25,-Prominent Braddock, Pa., March 25.—Count officials connected with the Pennsylva-Camille Mercader, chief draughtsman nia Railroad, Pennsylvania company, Pittsburg and Lake Eric rallway and the Carnegie Steel company, have formed a temporary organization and subscribed to a fund to be used in testing an invention of Linford F. Ruth for use on parlor and sleeping cars, of combined seats and berths to be inflated by compressed air. Seats can be turned into berths and

vice versa, by the use of the air. If the test is successful, it will be adopted by the big railroad system represented in the provisional company.

Rosebery Is Better. London, March 25.-Lord Rosebery is

#### much improved. STATE NEWS NOTES.

Pennsylvania and Princeton may meet on the gridleon next fall,

The Lock Haven Traction company was organized and capitalized at \$200,000. The immense ice gorge in the Alleghen

river broke at Kittanning and passed out, loing no damage whatever, Governor Hastings and staff will attend the funeral of General W. W. Greenland at Clarion. There will be no military funeral.

The North Main Avenue Methodist Eniscopal church. Allegheny, was damaged by fire yesterday morning to the extent of about \$5,000. The flames were started by

The Newport Deposit bank, as was expected, falled to open its doors. Approxi-Harrisburg, Pa., March 25.—Governor Hastings will tomorrow send to the and the affairs of the bank liquidated.

guard headquarters has night announcing An order was Issued from National the death of General W. W. Greenland, late adjutant general. The order reviews his public services and orders flags to be displayed at half must.

Governor Hastings has appointed Col-onel Thomas Robinson, of Butler, superintendens of public printing, vice Colonet W. Hayes Grier, of Columbia, resigned. Colonel Robinson's a friend of Senator Quay. He will assume his duties April 15.

The lightning rod on St. John's Lu-theran church, Boherstown, was broken in pieces by lightning yesterday afternoon,

dwellings.

Recause Morris Coll. supervisor of Raha township, Schuylkill, in return for lifelong employment, consented to let the Inter-County Street Rallway company oc-cupy certain roads, the state supreme court calls him down and cancels the

greement. Following close upon the failure of the Newport Deposit bank comes the assign-ment, at Newport, of Aivin Jones, a large dealer in grain, coal and railroad ties, for the benefit of his creditors. Judg-ments to the amount of \$12,000 are entered of the most damaging crime has been against him.

# LEGISLATORS DISAPPOINTED

They Had Hoped to See the Cramps Launch the St. Paul.

BUT SHE WOULDN'T LAUNCH

The Solons Then Came Back to Harris burg and Got Down to Business Like Gentlemen, As This Column Will Prove.

the majority of the memwere disappointed today in their expec-Charles H. Cramp, of the Cramp Saip Building company, refuctantly and killing him. nounced to the people upon the guests stand that the attempt to launch the S. Paul would be abandoned today, as and tues, the launch might result disastropoly to the vessel, as the tide had turned and was upon the cub and there was not enough water to float the ship in safety. It is not yet definitely de-

#### BACK TO THEIR LABORS.

Both Senate and House Hold Evening Sessions to Make Up.

Harrisburg, March 25.—The senate met at 9 o'clock. Bills were introduced by: Mr. Penrose, making ten hours a feet, roaring and seething like a geyof the supreme court expressed in the opinion of Justice Willams in the case men under conductors and motormen under conductors and motormen under conductors and motormen under conductors and six men under penalty of \$100 fine and six | feet of railroad embankment. menths' imprisonment, or either; Mr. Meredith, regulating the measurement and inspection of crude off delivered to pipe lines under contract or for storage and transportation; and by Mr. Shortt, hot for medicinal purposes or for use in

Senator Grady's bill repealing the act requiring county officers to pay into the state treasury 50 per cent, of all fees received, after deducting all expenses, was passed finally. Senator McCreary's bill providing for the issuing by motor power companies of bonds secured by mortgage to an amount equal to the capital stock of the corporation paid in was passed finally, and the senate, at 9.45, adjourned until tomorrow morning

Night Work in the House. Bills were read in place in the house as follows: Mr. Lawrence, Washing-

ton, to tax national banks 4 mills on the actual value of their capital; Mr. Bur-James Millspaugh and claims that he Mr. Creasy, Columbia, probibiting railcaught Oren Stephens, a well known road companies from charging more medium, working a rag in a materializ- than 2 cents a mile and making the ing seance, making it appear at the minimum fare 5 cents, each offense opening in the dark cabinet and claim- punishable by a fine of \$500; Mr. Woodring. Northampton, making it a misclaims that Stephens was doing the demeanor to organize a trust to advance the price of food supplies; Mr. Focht, Union, amending the Brooks and grabbed the rag. A fight followed high license law, providing for regular visits of constables to saloon and reports thereon.

A concurrent resolution was introduced by Mr. Nicks, of Philadelphia, providing for a committee of three nembers of the house and two of the senate to wait upon the members of the Fifty-fourth congress and strenuously arge the passage of an immigration law, the committee to be allowed netual expenses only. Several attempts to the committee on foreign relations and then to that on appropriations, but they failed and the resolution was then cover. defeated. A special order was made for the bill increasing the salary of the superintendent of public printing from \$2,000 to \$3,000. It will be read the sec ond time tomorrow, and finally on Wednesday

The resolution to place the negatived civil service bill of Mr. Moore, of Chester, on the calendar was not a sed to. Mr. Jeffrey, of Luzerne, s cured a special order for the new Quay county bill, which will be put through the last stage tomorrow and Wednesday. The calendar of bills on first reading was Home. cleared, and the house adjourned until tomorrow morning at 19 o'clock.

# WOMEN IN MANY PULPITS.

Iwenty Five Churches Will Be Occupied

by Pair Prenchers. Pittsburg, March 25.-An unusual occurrence will take place here three weeks from next Sunday when women four classes. will preach in twenty-five churches in this city. The plan has been made by the Young Women's Christian association. They have secured the loan, so to speak, of the twenty-five churches, representing various denominations.

They will select a woman to preach a regular sermon from each of the pul-It is expected that texts of pecial interest to women will be selected by the fair preachers, but as yet that part of it is a secret. This departure is comething new here and is creating

# RETURNS MARRIAGE LICENSES

Farmer Wants Money Back That Was Paid for the Document.

Elkhart, Ind., March 25,-Today Charles Mangim, a wealthy young farmer, appeared at the county clerk's office and throwing down a marriage license demanded back the money he had paid for it Feb. 19 for the purpose of marrying Miss Laura Holderman. He explained that she had agreed to marry him, and told him to get the

license, and then refused. He had kept the license in stock in the hope that she would relent, but as she had not done so he wanted his money, which he did not get.

#### SEARCHING FOR HER HUSBAND Minchart Had Money; His Wife Fears He Has Been Murdered.

Columbus, O., March 25.-Mrs. Solomon Minenart has arrived here in search of her husband. They lived on a farm near Trenton, N. J., and last summer started to Beatrice, Neb., to settle up an estate. On account of ill

health she left him here and went on to Nebraska alone. She received letters from him up to January. Since then nothing has been heard from him. He cannot be found here. He had about \$7,000 with him and

was 75 years old. She is about 40, and fears he has been murdered,

END OF A NOTORIOUS OUTLAW im Morrison, an Alabama Desperado Killed by an Officer. Birmingham, Ala., March 25 .- Jim

Morrison, murderer, counterfeiter, robber and jail-breaker, the most desperate outlaw in Alabama, was killed near Philadelphia, March 25.—By reason of ty, by Deputy Sheriff Henry Cole. the poor quality of tallow supplied to be used upon the ways, 25,000 people, made his last escape from the pentientiary a year ago, and with his gang has been making counterfeit money and

committing various depredations. Offiship-the St. Paul-launched. The big his man, laid for him in an unfrequenthall stack stubbornly and could not be ed path along which he knew Morrison started from the stocks into the river, would pass. When the outlaw ap-After two hours' hard work in the proached Cole covered him with his effort to start the ship. President gun and demanded his surrender. Morrison raised his gun, but Cole fired,

#### NARROW ESCAPE FOR TRAIN. Engineer in Florida Saves IIIs Passengers

from a Peculiar Danger. Ellaville, Fla., March 25., Passengers on the east-bound train of the Florida Central and Peninsular rattroad had a narrow escape as the train approached the "sinks," about two miles from here. cided when another effort to launch These "sinks" are hollow places in the gave a description of the rest of the the St. Paul will be made, but it will be earth of various sizes, somewhat resembling the dry bed of a lake.

As the train approached one of these 'sinks" about daybreak the engineer noticed water flowing from it and stopped just at the edge. He was none too quick, for, a minute or two later, an immense volume of water arose in the air to a height of fifteen or twenty ser. The overflow washed away thirty

#### KILLED BY UNKNOWN ENEMIES Kentucky Farmer Murdered After Being

Enticed from His Home. Georgetown, Ky., March 25.-Scott county is terribly excited over the cowardly assassination of Albert Wight, a young farmer, who occupied Ben Os-burne's farm, three miles from George-Last night about 11 o'clock Wright heard a great deal of noise in his hog pen, and, going toward it, some persons unknown to him fired a load of

slugs into his body. One struck him in the throat, one in the right shoulder, and one in the abdomen. His physician says he cannot live. He has a wife and several small

Colonel Ingersoll Talks of Some of the Men Named. Laporte, Ind., March 25.-In an inter-Anderson, Ind., March 25.—A sensa-flon was caused last night by the ar-\$10 a month to public school teachers nel Robert G. Incersoll said that the nomination in 1896 would go to an advocate of free silver, and that no candidate nominated on a single issue could hope to be successful.

Allison, said Ingersoll, is an impos-Indiana's favorite son, but there we'reasons for the belief that the head of the ticket would come from one of the western states.

# EXPLOSION UNDER HIS ARM.

Miner Held a keg of Powder When It Blew Up. Burns, a St. Clair miner, held a keg castle, the members walking. The en

and lives to tell the story.

He was filling a hole in the rock for a blast. He had the keg under his right a blast. He had the keg under his right Accept my warmest thanks for the hono could be a blast. He had the keg under his right a blast in the hono could be a blast and a blast a blast a blast and a blast and a blast and a blast and a blast a blast a blast a blast and a blast a blast a blast and a blast a and lives to tell the story.

# CAT SHOW FOR MILWAUKEE.

Cream City Felines Are to Compete for Gold Medals in April. Milwaukee, March 25.-The cat show, hich is to be given at Leiderkranz hall April 4, 5 and 6, is attracting no little attention. The prizes will be gold medals in all classes. The post lar cat of the show is to be decided by

The ballots will cost 5 cents each and the proceeds will go to the Infant's

# VARIOUS WIRINGS.

Harry Vaughn, colored, was shot and killed during a row at Roanoke, Va. The interstate military drill, to be held at Memphis, will offer \$17,500 in prizes in

made almost entirely of silver, has been

close for an indefinite period, During a fencing scene in a Boston play-

house Actor Joseph Haworth had a thumb nearly cut off by Howard Gould. After blowing open a bank safe at Canfield, O., without securing any booty, a burglar gang were frightened away. Anna Kohn, convicted at Belleville, Ill., triel, pleaded guilty and was sent to prison

While playing with a rope near a street boy of six, was drawn into the machine ind killed. On the charge of embezziing \$25,000 from

the Continental Clothing company, of Boston, Cashier Sydney W. Sprague, is In sentencing J. E. Young and Edward

Steele to prison for selling immoral books. Judge Grosscup said they were worse than reptiles. Carl Browne, of Coxey army fame, threatens to get married on the Washington Capitol steps, if he can find a woman to accept him.

law by giving a pass, C. P. Huntington, president of the Southern Pacifis railroad, was indicted at San Francisco. To get revenge on the janitress, who had tozzo, a New York tailor, set the six-story tenement afire, but the flames were pr

For violating the interstate commerc



#### Ex=Chancellor Bismarck.

# **BISMARCK CREETS FRIENDS**

He Makes a Speech of Commingled Pathos and Humor.

THREE CHEERS FOR THE KAISER

The German People, He Declares, Need a Revival of the National Spirit-llow This Can Be Accomplished-The Prince's Witty Ending.

Friedrichsruhe, March 25.-Prince Bismarck received the members of the Prussian diet and many members of PRESIDENTIAL POSSIBILITIES the reichstag today. The members of the Prussian lower house were welcomed by Count Herbert Bismarck at the station, pending the arrival of the members of the upper house. To the intense surprise of all, Prince Bismarck, the old chancellor, appeared Everybody rushed toward him and the prince said in a loud tone: "Gentle-

Councillor Kleinschmidt, a member sibility. The lightning might strike of the landtag, said to the prince: "The members of the reichstag have not yet arrived." What?" said the ex-chancellor, "are

#### they permitted to come?" This remark created great laughter. The Ex-Chancellor's Address.

Just then the train conveying the embers of the reichstag arrived and Pottsville, Pa., March 25.-Rody Prince Bismarck was driven to the of powder in his arms, when it exploded tire delegation assembled around the terrace facing the lawn. Several short addresses were made, to which Prince

were made to refer the resolution first | the powder and blew up the keg. His you have tendered me. It is to me the clothest were torn from his body and he was badly cut, but will likely recover.

I should be achamed if the honor was not for the work I have done, not for my person only. The credit for the present results achieved I share with these co-operating with me, who ar now dead, and above all with my great! worshipped master under whom I worked

Here the aged ex-chancellor stopped speaking and cried bitterly, the assembly in the meantime being greatly Prince resumed his remarks in a voice

that choked with emotion. "What," he said, " could I have done without his aid and that of his powerful army? I would have stuck in the same bog that frustrated all previous attempts at German unity. Our dynasties, thank God, are still powerful in their countries. [Cheers]. And especially the king of russia is able to put a powerful army the service of national interest. This was Students in Boston university will have to give up tobacco or leave the institution.

The interstate military drill, to be held our Emperor William 1 and his federated sovereigns, more was done than any diplomat could do. If the emperor had not ordered the mobilization of the armies A remarkable counterfeit quarter-dellar, made almost entirely of silver, has been discovered at Baltimore.

Ordered the monassator of the monassator of the model and the the country. The dynasties fought harder with each other than any of the parlia-mentary factions fought. We fought Bavaria and Saxony, yet when the need aros we grasped each other's brother's hand and marched together against the common for. Among the parliamentary faction a distance of thirty feet. When found the dissension is deeper and more hand common action seems excluded.

# Need of National Feeling.

"The diets," he said, "ought to take a larger interest in the foreign policy. They ought to discuss what is known about the instructions a foreign minister receives and what he does. In the fedarel council the budget for salaries of foreign ministers always offers a chance for debating the foreign pelicy. This would tend to revive national feeling in the empire, which is not of late manifesting itself so strongly as I would wish. There is no doubt that there are people who labor under the erroneous impressions that there are two separate and independent governments at Berlin. There is but one, for the foreign policy which, as intended by the constitution, ought to be imperial, has not been disturbed by bureaucratic malpractices from the original intention I am sorry I cannot directly take part in the management of affairs."

Here the ex-chancellor was interrupted by shouts of "So are we." With a wave of his hand, Prince Bismarck continued:

No, I am not well enough to co-operate with you practically, but my ideas are with you, perhaps more than is proper for an old man like myself. But I cannot help myself; I cannot drive away what has be-come an habitual interest through lifelong work. I cannot now express my feeling

better than by impressing upon you, especially you members of the landing, that you must hold fast to the national idea and remember that in Prussia, also, we do not follow the Brandenburg, or Prussian policy, but the imperial German policy. In this sense I call upon you for three cheers for the kuiser.

The cheers were given heartly, When julet was restored Prince Bismarck :Dobbs

I very much wish my house were able receive you all as my guests, but there no room. Although there is room in no narrowest but for happy lovers, there s not room enough here for 400;

The concluding remarks of the exhancellor were greeted with laughter. and he retired for luncheon with the presidents of the bodies represented. The deputies departed for their homes on three special trains.

#### TORTURERS ARE HELD. Mrs. Childs' Assuffants May Have to An-

swer Murder Charge. Bradford, Pa., March 25.-At Smethport today, Justice Knapp held Grattan Wilson, Fred and William Mabee for trial on the charge of torturing and robbing Mr. and Mrs. Morritt Childs. at Palmer's Mills, last Wednesday. Elmer Fields, one of the accused, was discharged.

Mrs. Childs was very roughly handled by the miscreants. Her condition is very critical today and it is thoght she may die. The three negroes may hav to answer to a charge of murder.

# GIBSON IS CHAMPION.

He Defeats Connelly of Wilkes-Barre in the Fighth Round.

Pottsville, Pa., March 25 .- A big rowd witnessed the fight to a finish in Centenniai hall this evening between William Gibson, of Palo Alto, and Charles Connelly, of Wilkes-Barre, for purse of one hundred dollars, and the light weight championship of the anthracite coal region

Both men stripped in fine shape, and he fight was won by Gibson in the

# ighth round,

ROSENFELT IS MISSING. His Accounts Are Irregular and He Has Much Money.

Shamokin, Pa., March 25.-Agent A. Rosenfelt, of the United States Insuraffected. Regaining his composure the lance company, of Newark, N. J., left here last Saturday with \$300 in his pockets to make collections at Centralia, since which time he has been

The company has notified General Agent McCaron, of Pottsville, who arrived today, to swear out a warrant for Rosenfelt's arrest. His accounts do not seem to be in satisfactory condi-

THOMAS BENNETO'S FATE. lumps from His Window While Insand and Is Found Dead.

Wilkes-Barre, March 25 .- Ex-County Auditor Thomas Benneto, aged 40 years, a well-known politician in his A strike against decreased wages forced not impress him well. He and his party day, committed suicide this morning, the East Douglass (Mass.) Awi works to never impressed me as adding strength to He has been an inmate of the Luzerne county almshouse at Retreat for a year past.

#### He was despondent for some time, and while in a fit of insanity, jumped from the window of his room to the ground,

he was dead.

C. L. Shimer has been appointed post-Rumor says Miss Brice, daughter of the hio senator, is engaged to Max Ironsides, of the British embassy,

The navy department will probab! d

WASHINGTON WISPS.

to the German canal celebration the w York, Minneapolls, Columbia, San Franelsco and Marblehead. Officials of the Indian bureau discredit the report from the Puyallup and Nis qually Indians of Washington are going on the war path on account of the killing

of a medicine man. The president has appointed ex-Congressman Joseph H. Outhwaite, of Ohio, to be a member of the board of ordnance and fortifications, vice Byron M. Cutch-eon, resigned. The office is worth about

\$7,000. Secretary Carlisle could not be seen with regard to the dispatch from New York that the quarantine laws had beer violated in taking aboard a tug from the Paris his son, William K. Carlisle, before the steamer had passed quarantine.

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