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THE ENGAGEMENTS REPORTED

Town of La Sale Teked and Burned Insurgents Rob a ore at Mariano and Escape-Other News of the Cuban War.

Havana, April 8.-A committee of ludies of this city and the bishop of Havana have presented petitions to Captain General Weyler asking for the pardon of the political prisoner, Jose Cabreva Roque, whose execution has been fixed for tomorrow. Roque has only one leg, having lost the other at the time he was captured, and this fact is urged upon General Weyler as a rea-

son for granting his pardon.

The town of La Saluda, in the Havana province, was entered by insur-gents, who ransacked several stores and set fire to a number of houses. Three insurgents also made their

Weaves and Colorings way into Mariano, in the same province, at s o'clock last evening, and before their presence was known to the troops their presence was known to the troops stationed at the forts, robbed the store of Manuel Valdes of a number of pairs of shoes and a quantity of provisions and succeeded in making their escape. and succeeded in making their escape.
General Barges reports the capture of a rebel camp at Jarahueca. In the fight which occurred before the rebels were compelled to abandon their camp five of them were killed.

The capture of a camp at Ti Arriba, in the province of Santiago De Cuba, is also reported by General Barges. In this engagement the insurgents lost fifteen killed and two of the Spanish force were wounded Two arrests have been made by the

police of Guanabacoa, near Havana, in connection with the recent swindle of the New York kbanking house of August Belmont & Co One of the prison-ers is named Pelegrin, and the other is an ex-employe of the Hidalgo com-pany. In the possession of the latter were found several blanks and papers pany. which prove his connection with the

CORTES CONSIDERS CREDIT.

Madrid. April 8.—The proposal to ask the Cortes for a credit of 23,000,000 pe-setas for the purpose of constructing warships, which was considered by the cabinet at its meeting yesterday, was not adopted by that body, the council nor adopted by that body, the council deciding instead to submit to the new cortes a complete project for increasing the strength of the navy. The government prohibited a meeting of students which it was proposed to hold in this city today for the purpose of protesting against the action of the United States house of representatives in regard to Cuba.

gard to Cuba.

The National party is no proposing to organize an anti-American demon-

stration.
The municipal council of Barcelons has decided to raise and arm a bat-

talion of volunteers.
London, April 8.—The Standard tomorrow will publish a despatch from Madrid saying that the civil governor of Madrid has forbidden the holding Are bound to be popular. White or colored grounds and an endless assort-

GOOD EFFECT OF RESOLUTIONS. Havana, April 8, via Key West, April -The Cubans are greatly encouraged

by the action of congress.

They say it is certain to have a good moral effect, and hope for practical benefit also. Members of good families are leaving cities and towns to join the insurgents in great numbers. The severe enforcement of Weyler's decrees

is driving many to take the field. government has still failed to crush Maceo in the western province. He is west of the strong line, between Marcel and Majana, but several parties have crossed and entered Havana province. Lacret, with 3,000 men, has entered from the east. All the wires west and south are cut and no accurate news of the movements of the insurgents are obtainable. The govern-ment has been silent four days, although it is known here several important engagements have been fought. The hospitals are crowded with wounded and sick soldiers. Now that the yellow fever season is beginning there is no room for victims. The prisons are also fill d with political suspects. The government was obliged to transfer 76

Gomez was last reported in Santa Clara province, moving in the direction of Siguanea valley. His forces en-tered the important town of San Juan De Las Veras, taking supplies and ammunition. The troops shut them-selves in forts and allowed the town hall and several other buildings to be burned. Refugees from the town have arrived at Ranchuelo. The Spanish gunboat Alvarado was badly damaged by the rebel fire in attempting to en-ter the port of Marabi, near Baracoa. The balls shattered the rudder, penetrated the dockhouse plating and tra-versed the sides. The gunboat re-turned to the attack three times, but finally went to Baracoa for repairs

from Cananas Fortress to the city pris-

wounded. SPANISH KILL WOMEN.

During a night attack upon the town of Moyo Colorado, about fifteen miles west of Havana, the Spanish troops shot and killed four women and two children, and wounded others. The troops occupied four forts. The insurgents entered the town, crawling on hands and knees, fired upon the forts, burned a number of houses and retired. The troops later seeing a group of people on the principal street, fired a volley from the fort, mistaking the women and children for insurgents owing to the darkness. The accident is great-

The official report says one sailor was

ly deplored. Seven prisoners of war, condemned to be shot in Cubanas Fortress last Monday morning, have been respited pending a vote of the house. Their lives will probably be saved as the general bellef is, since the action of congress no more insurgents will be publicly shot under the bandit decree. There is nothing new in the cases of Walter Dygart and other American citizens im-

TO ENLARGE JEFFERSON.

Property Has Been Purchased in Which New College Buildings Will Be Erected. Philadelphia, April 8.-The trustees of Jefferson Medical college have pur-chased the property at the northwest corner of Tenth and Walnut streets. Contributions of money are now so-licited, which, when secured, will be licited, which, when secured, will be added to the present principal available for building purposes and used to erect upon this new site the most complete hospital building in the country; and upon the present site of the college (immediately adjoining Tenth street) a corresponding structure as to exterior appearance for college purposes.

poses.
The present hospital on Sansom street, is overtaxed and is not fitted to

accommodate the many patients knocking hourly at its doors, and the proposed new building will so extend the hospital department of the college as to enable it to meet the present and constantly increasing demand upon it.

KENTUCKY DELEGATES.

Results in Countles That Have Held Republican Conventions.

Lexington, Ky., April 8.—Following a carefully compiled list of delegates from counties that have held Re-publican conventions. For McKinley twenty-eight counties outside of Jefferson, 382; for McKinley in Jefferson, 123; total, 505. For Bradley, thirty-three counties outside of Jefferson, 403; for Bradley in Jefferson, 72; total, 475. Uninstructed ten counties, 151; con-tested, two counties, 47.

ARRESTED AS SWINDLERS.

John H. Crowthers and Henry B. Wall Nabbed on the Eve of a Trip to the

Pacific Coast. Chicago, April 8.—John H. Crowthers and Henry B. Wall were arrested this afternoon at the Auditorium Annex ho-tel by E. F. Gentner, an officer of the state of Pennsylvania, attached to the state's attorney's office at Philadelphia on an indictment found against the men April 1 in that city charging conspiracy to defraud C. Arthur Beasley, a Philadelphia lawyer, and other prominent citizens. The arrests were accomplished when the men and a dis-linguished party of twenty-eight men tinguished party of twenty-eight men and their wives were preparing to resume a trans-continental journey in Vermont Puliman cars. The party went east tonight, but Crowthers and Wall did not join them. They are accused of getting the Philadelphia people to organize the Chicago Canaigre company for the purpose of cultivating the root on lands in southern California. New Mexico and Arizona, advancing \$25,000 to the prisoners to underwrite the corporation's bonds to London for \$1,800,000. When they got to London it is alleged they made fraudulent use of the options which the Philadeluse of the options which the Philadel-phians had secured, and organized the Anglo-American Canaigre company, to which the options were transferred, leaving the Philadelphians in the lurch.

It is alleged that Crowthers, who was the original owner of the options, obtained thousands of dollars from John H. Sutton, of Philadelphia, giving him bonds in the Chicago company, which are now worthless. The party with whom the prisoners were traveling is composed of stockholders and prospec tive investors in the company, chief among them being Duff Miller, of Miller & Co., London, the largest manu-facturers of tanic extract in the world. Mr. Miller, the men arrested, and George H. Tousey, of Philadelphia, who is also one of the party, which has been having a luxurious trip to the Pacific coast from New York, are defendants in a civil suit for \$100,000 damages brought by Beasley and others.

MISS BINNEY'S SAD DEATH.

Brooklyn Girl Joins the Silent Army of Victims of Malpractice-Her Murderers

Arrested Brooklyn, N. Y., April 8 .- Emily Binney, 19 years old, who lived with her parents at 208 Rutledge street, Will-iamsburg, died early this morning under circumstances which the police con-sidered suspicious, and an investigation was begun immediately. Later Mary Schott, a midwlfe: Minnie Meyer, a seamstress; Arthur Robbins and Geo. May were arrested charged with causing Miss Binney's death.

The girl only recently graduated

from the high school. When arrested Mrs. Meyers said that Mrs. Schott had performed the operation and that a man nown as Scott had paid the midwife \$50.

The description that Mrs. Meyers gave of the man named Scott corresponded with that of George May, a cousin of the dead girl, who boarded with the Binney family. He was ar-rested and identified by Mrs. Meyers and admitted that he paid all bills con-

and admitted that he paid all olins con-tracted during the girl's illness.

The father of the young woman,
William Binney, is a retired wheel-wright and is wealthy. The Binney
family is one of the most respected in Williamsburg's fashionable and the circumstances of the young woman's death have caused the greatest sort of a sensation.

COL. COIT VINDICATED.

Ohio Legislature Stands by the Officer Who Prevented Lynching. Columbus, Ohio, April 8.-The legis lature today put a stop to further pros-ecution of Colonel A. B. Coit, upon the ndictments growing out of the ington Court house riots by authorizng Attorney General Monnett to nollpross the remaining indictments unless Favette county gives the state an in-

the costs of the trial. A bill appropriating \$17,750 to pay Colonel Colt's attorney fees and other expenses also became a law.

Editor's Narrow Escape.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 8.—An attempt was made last night to assassinate A. N. Brown at Dayton, Tenn., by two men concealed in his woodshed. Brown is the editor of the Dayton, Leader and a particularly bitter writer. He received two shots in his back and leg, neither fatal. The identity of the would be murderers is unknown.

Lehigh and Berks for Quav-Allentown, Pa., April 8.—The Republican conferrees from Lehigh and Berks counties today confirmed the election of A. M. High and E. M. Young as delegates, and Henry Klemmer and Llewellyn Williams as alternates to the St. Louis convention. The conference endorsed the candidacy of Senator Quay.

Killed by a Trollev Car.

Reading, Pa., April 8.—Annie, the 6-year-old daughter of Andreas Long, was run old daughter of Andreas Long, was run down by a trolley car this afternoon and died from her injuries several hours later. The fender worked all right, but the child rolled off and was caught and mangled by the guard board before the car could be

Lancaster Farmers Disappear Lancaster, Pa., April 8.—Amos L. Bechtoldt, state and county tax collector of Pequea township, and Daniel Brubaker, a tenant farmer of the same vicinity, have disappeared, leaving families. Bechtoldt

is short in his accounts \$496.93, for which his bondsmen are liable. Seven Men Injured Ogden, Utah., April 8.—A terrible explosion of glant powder occurred this afternoon at a quarry two miles from this city, in which seven men lost their lives and three were badly injured. The injured men will all recover. The explosion was caused by a premature blast.

Coal Operators Meet. New York, April 8.—The Anthracite Coal Operators' association, composed of inde-pendent operators, held their quarterly meeting at the Hotel Waldorf today. It is stated that nothing but routine busi-ness was transacted.

Old Forge Light Company. Harrisburg, April 8.—The Old Forge Electric Light, Heat and Power company of Lackawanna county, capital \$5,000, was cartered teday.

CAMPAIGH IN THE SOUDAN

Anxiety at Cairo Over the Fate of the Advance Guard.

KHALIFA IS BLOODTHIRSTY

Will Look Out for British Prisoners-The Dervishes Preparing for Stubborn Resistance - Where the First

Fighting Is Expected. Cairo, April 8.-The anxiety here is increased by each additional budget of news from the scene of operations of the English and Egyptian troops up the Nile. While the British intelligence de-partment experiences the greatest difficalty in obtaining information regarding the movements of the Dervishes, the latter succeed in transmitting important news with rapidity from any part of the country to the other. The departure of pligrins from Mecca

has been suspended, indicating that the holy war is to be pushed with all the energy of the Dervish leaders. The Khalifa has declared that the tribes immediately collect and forward to Ondurman a heavy war tax; that the pick of the warriors be hurried to that camp, and that all preparations be made for a long campaign. He expects, according to current reports, to muster an army of 50,000 men, composed of the best lighting men of the Soudan, at Omdurman by September, when the English-Egyptian advance will be met by the Khalifa in person. He has recalled the Dervish armies from Fashoda and Darfur, and even the Dervishes before Kassala, it is ex-pected, may be utilized later at Khar-

tum and Dongola. The Khalifa, writing to the Sheik of Assuan, under date of last December, said that he was always ready to sub-mit to the authority of the Khedive of Egypt, as the representative of the sul-tan, but that he would "resist to the death any expedition coming from Egypt, so long as the British occupy the country." In concluding his letter he said: "I am aware that the British desire to have me assassinated, but I have taken precautions that none of the European prisoners shall survive

BASE OF OPERATIONS Though Wadi-Halfa is really the base of the Anglo-Egyptian operations, it is at Akasheh, a place of little importance, about ninety miles south of Wadi-Halfa, that the light railroad is being pushed forward for the conveyance of men, supplies, etc., and there the first fighting will probably occur, for telegraph communication with the vanguard occupying Akasheh has been twice out on by small, straggling parties of Dervishes, and the latter are believed to be gathering in force in the vicinity of that place. Akasheh was occupied by a small column of troops, under Major Collinson, without oppo-sition, on March 20, and from that time on reinforcements and stores have been pushed forward by rall where possible, and by river boats when the railroad could not be used. It is now being strongly fortified, and a large camp is being marked out and arranged for the occupation of the troops moving

southward. The British troops which will take part in the advance on Dongola will, it is expected, number about 5,000 men. together with about 15,000 Egyptian trained troops led by British officers. Colonel Hunter is in command at Wadi-Halfa, General Knowles and Major-General Henderson command at Alexandria, and other British officers

of rank are now on their way there to assume commands.
Two battalions of the North Staffordshire regiment are already at Wadi-Halfa, where there are about 8,000 Egyptian troops and more arriving every day. The work of despatching troops to the front is carried on in an admirable manner, without a hitch of any kind. Just after the movement southward was ordered 5,000 men, thoroughly equipped in every respect for a long campaign, were sent out from this city in about seven days. They were previously reviewed by the Khedive. The work of Gordon Bey, who, in charge of the Citadel, had the furnishing, equipping, and transporting of these troops, has been greatly com-mended. The employes of the Citadel have been working night and day since nilitary operations were decided upon and have turned out so far more than 7,660 pack-saddles for camels.

THE CAMEL CORPS.

A strong volunteer camel corps is be ing formed from among recruits picked up among the tribes of riendly sheikhs. and it will prove a very valuable body for scouting purposes. The camel corps at Wadi-Halfa is now over 1,000 strong, and there is a strong force of cavalry and artillery at the same place. ing is being carried on night and day about Akasheh and other threatened places, and the Intelligence department is kept busy sending out spies and receiving the incoming reports. and receiving the incoming reports. The distance up the Nile, via Sarras and Ginn's, to Hanneck, near the Third Cataract, is about 189 miles, and from Hanneck past Old and New Dongola to Debbeh (Dongola) is about 120 miles more, say 300 miles in ♥11. Berber, by the desert route, is about 200 miles from Debbah and from Berber. miles from Debbeh and from Berber to Khartum, near Omdurman, is about 200 miles more, so, if Khartum is really the objective point of the Anglo-Egyptian advance, there are 700 miles of travel and probably fighting before the old headquarters of General Gor-

don are reached.

Despatches received today from Wadi-Halfa say that the lines of communication between that place and Akasheh are being strengthened every day, and that patrols of friendly Arabs keep a close watch along the whole

Slatin Pasha, in an interview, is quoted as saying that while a prisoner at Omdurman he became well ac-quainted with Hammuda, the Dervish leader at Suarda, who commands from 3,000 to 4,000 of the Khalifa's troops, and that he also became acquainted with the Dervish General Bugle, who is commanding 8,900 men, including noted chiefs and the pick of the Khalifa's troops. He says that considerable jealousy exists between Hammuda and Bugle because the Khalifa favors

the former. Corbett May Spar.

Corbett May Spar.

St. Louis, Mo., April & The charges against Poglist Corbett were nolle prossed in Judge Murphy's court this afternoon. Prosecuting Attorney Mulvi-hill declared that the state was unable to make a case and this will result in allowing Corbett to spar in his entertainment during the week. Corbett was arrested yesterday charged with violating a city ordinance which prevents boxing in public.

Li liune's Tour.

London. April 8.—The Times tomorrow will publish a dispatch from Singapore saying that after his visit to St. Petersburg, Li Hung Chang, who goes to Russia to represent the emperor of China at the coronotion of the czar at Moscow, will proceed to London. According to this dispatch. Li Hung Chang has abandoned his intention of making a tour of America.

[Greeast: In the Middle States today particular, with light warmer, with light northeasterly winds to easterly winds to easterly winds to easterly winds and for on Friday cloudy, with rain, sight temperature changes, easterly winds and fog on the coast becoming high from Cape May to Sandy Hook and Cape Cod.

THE NEWS THIS MORNING.

Weather Indications Today Cloudy : Possibly Rain : Warmer.

Ladies Plead with General Weyler. English-Egyptian Campaign. Trolley Trouble Not Yet Adjusted, Alleged Swindlers Arrested,

Doings of Congress. Market and Stock Quotations News of the Railroads.

(Local)-Teachers' Institute, Lackawanna County Court Cases.

Editorial. Belligerency and War. (Local)-Mr. Bedford for Chief.

Hotel Jermyn Opens Its Doors, Fatally Injured at Steel Works, (Stery)—"The Dream Gown of Japanese Ambassador," In the Business World,

(Local)-Suburban News.

8 News Up and Down the Valley. THE RIVAL BOOTHS.

Miss Eva and Ballington Compete in Efforts to Convert Citizens of Wicked

Chiengo. Chicago, April 8.-Willard Hall, In the Women's Temple was jammed at noon today with people who came to hear Ballington and Maud Booth, the commanders of the Volunteers, they having been invited by the Women's Christian Temperance union to address the usual noon hour meeting. No refthe usual noon hour meeting. No re-erence was made to the old army. Al-though apparently wearled by their ex-ertions since leaving New York, the commander and his wife addressed another immense audience tonight at the

Oak Methodist church. Miss Eva Booth was in a happy mood when seen at the Salvation army headquarters today and spoke unconcern-edly of the Ballington Booth demonstration at the Auditorium. "I think there were a few of our soldiers at that meeting," said she, "but if any of our officers join the new movement it will be only the weaker ones."

Miss Booth will remain here until Commander and Mrs. Booth Tucker arrive next Saturday, or until the new brigadier of the northwest division as-

sumes charge. At the Volunteers' headquarters the claim was made that 800 Salvationists division alone. They will be organized into corps near the old army halls in all parts of the city. Colonel Fielding will assume charge of the division omorrow.

BICYCLE RIDER'S FATE. Philadelphia Lady Killed by a Runa-

way Horse. Philadelphia, April 8.—A particularly horrible accident occurred this after-noon on Girard avenue near Fliteenth noon on Grard avenue near Fitteenia street. While Mrs. Edward F. Morse, aged 39, years, wife of the president of the Morse Elevator company, was riding a bicycle towards her home at 1,601 Girard avenue, she was run down and killed by a runaway horse attached to a huckster's wagon. Mrs. Morse did not see the runaway animal approach-ing her on account of a street car which the runaway horse was upon her. The shaft of the wagon struck her square in the breast and entered her body fully six inches. Mrs. Morse was hurriedly picked up and taken to the hospital

but she died upon reaching there. While the crowd was still collected around the scene Mr. Morse, who was on his way home to lunch, attracted by the commotion, inquired of a police-man the cause of the people gathering The policeman recognized Mr. Morse and gave an evasive answer to his question. Something seemed to warn Morse of the trouble that had come upon him. When he was told that a lady had been run down and hurt by a horse he asked to see the machine that she was riding. When the bicycle was him Mr. Morse recognized it as his wife's and in a frenzy of anxiety he hurried to the hospital only to find her dead body.

THEY WANT GOLD.

Philadelphia Grocers Want Currency the Color of Their Butter. Philadelphia, April 8.-At a meeting of the board of directors of the Grocers' and Importers' Exchange, held to day, the members placed themselve mehatically in favor of gold standard currency. The action was taken in answer to communications from the hamber of commerce of the state of New York and the Boston Merchants' association urging the exchange to ac-tively co-operate with them in favor o the maintenance of the existing gold

adonted today: "That the board of directors of the rocers' and Importers' Exchange, of Philadelphia, declare unequivocally for the maintenance of the existing gold standard of money."

REV. KNAPP EXPELLED.

Confirmation of Reports as to Treat ment of the Mis ionary. London, April 8.-The Post will to norrow publish a confirmation of the

report that Rev. George P. Knapp, one

of the American missionaries stationed

at Bitlis, had been expelled from that place.
A dispatch from Constantinople to a news agency here states that Tewisk Pasha, the Turkish foreign minister, has assured J. W. Riddle, United States charge d'affaires, that Mr. Knapp is now a guest of the Vall at Diarbekir. and that he is well treated. Mr. Kid-dle is awaiting a report from Diarbekir as to the treatment of Mr. Knapp.

Fatal Mine Accident.

Phillipsburg, Pa., April 8.—A fatal mine accident occurred in the Clearfield region this morning, in Atlantic mine, No. I. A trein in charge of Motoman Ernest Pie collided with a train in charge of John Shoff, and Pie was so seriously injured that he died within an hour. The conductor of Pie's train, Nicholas John, had his leg crushed.

For Prohibition and Silver.

Springfield, Ill., April 8.—The Prohibition state convention opened here this morning with over 700 delegates present. The principal event of the day was the fight over the adoption of the free silver plank of the platform, which was finally adopted by an overwhelming majority. Arizona's Governor.

Washington, April 8.—The senate today confirmed the nomination of B. J. Frank-lin, to be governor of Arizona.

Herald's Weather Report. New York, April 9.—Herald's weather forecast: In the Middle States today part-ly cloudy, slightly warmer, with light northeasterly winds to casterly winds, fol-lowed by increasing cloudiness and rains

TROLLEY WAR NOT OVER

Agitation Will Be Transferred from New York to Philadelphia.

BIG STRIKE IS THREATENED

President Mahon Is Too Shrewd to Order s Strike in New York, but the Quaker City May Again

Have Trouble.

Philadelphia, April 8.—The street car troubles of Philadelphia and New York are closely linked. From what could be gathered here today, it is likely that there will be no strike in New York, but that the agitation will be trans-ferred to Philadelphia. Edwin Byrne. of the local branch of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes, went to New York today and ployes, went to New York today and saw President Mahon. The immediate object of Mr. Byrnes' visit to President Mahon was to have him modify the terms of the ultimatum which the Amalgamated association is to submit to the Union Traction company. One clause of this ultimatum requires of the Traction company to recognize the association. The local leaders of the association. The joint leaders of the association know full well that the Traction company will light this demand to the death. Therefore Mr. Byrne went to New York to see President Mahon and request him to erase this demand in the ultimatum. This President Mahon consented to do. Despite the admission of the local leaders of the Amalgamated association that the American Railway union had be-come affiliated with the street railway men, Mahon authorized Byrne to deny that such a deal had been accomplished or would be considered. The local leaders of the great railway brotherhoods also denied today that they had any intention of affiliating with the Ameri-

MAHON IS SHREWD. From what could be gathered here

can Railway union

today among the Amalagamated asso-ciation men it is unlikely that there will be a strike in New York. Mahon is credited with being too sharp to call a strike in New York, where, owing to the peculiar geographical facilities of the city to aid in the suppression of At the Volunteers headquarters the any disorders which would follow a claim was made that 800 Salvationists strike, and in consequence it is said had joined the Volunteers from this that if the Metropolitan Traction company shows a firm front Mahon will recede from his position and transfer the scene of action to Philadelphia. It was further talked of at the asso

> the good offices of Archbishop Corrigan had been secured in behalf of the New York men and that the archbishop was doing his best to bring about an admis-sable solution of the trouble. Mahor told Byrne that the reported National Botherhood of Street Railway Em-, ployes in New York is a myth and has no conception, except in the brain of the officials of the Metropolitan Trace tion company.

ciation's local headquarters today that

A meeting of the local branch of the Amalgamated association will be held tomorrow and the Philadelphia situation will be thoroughly discussed.

BOOM IN STEEL TRADE.

adications That This Will Be One of Most Successful Years in the History of the Industry. Philadelphia, April 8.-George A Harwood, senior member of the Pennsylvania Lubricating company, of Pittsburg, is in Philadelphia at pres-ent. Mr. Harwood is in constant con-

tact with all that pertains to the great commercial industry of the "Smoky City"—the iron business—and when he expressed his views upon it, they may be taken as almost coming from representative manufacturers of iron and steel. "From what I can learn" said Mr. Harwood today, "It looks as though this would be one of the biggest years that Fittsburg has ever experienced in the study industry." the steel industry. There are few, if any existing labor troubles pending and this in itself is a factor that must be taken as indicative of the magnitude of the output for the coming year. On the other hand, the manufacturers are

making preparations to compete with every market in the world. The in-terior trade is also very heavy, and the government is a big custome "What will be the effect of the big agreement entered into between the representative steel manufacturers a few days ago?" "Why it will have the effect of more uniformity in the run-ning of mills in this country, will stimulate friendly competition in all big advertised work, and will give the em-

ployes more work. WORK OF DYNAMITE FIENDS.

Brick Residence at Pueblo Blown to Pieces. Pueblo, Col., April 8.-About 1.3 o'clock this morning the brick resi-dence of Pito Studoli, on the corner of Summit and Currie avenues was blown up with dynamite. There two explosions, the first wrecking a corner of the house and the second blowing in the rear wall. Mr. Studoli was in the house at the

time, but was not injured. Studoli is an itelian smelter and has no known

WOMAN IS MAYOR. Cimmaron, Kas., Has Had Enough of the Sterner Sex and Wants a Change. Cimmaron, Kan., April 8.-The we Mrs. C. A. Curtis being elected mayor by a small majority over Dr. Lawrence. The election board is composed wholly of women, who were out in full force Mrs. Curtis is over 60 years of She is a woman of good business abil-

ity and is quite wealthy. NATIONAL GUARD NE WS. Rifle Practice for the Season Will Open

May 1. Harrisburg, April 8.-Orders from Na onal Guard headquarters state that the current season for rifle practice will open May 1st and close Oct. 31st Pactice will be required of every officer and enlisted man. Cavalrymen will qualify with the carbine. Marksmen will be divided into

three classes. Ynte Defents Genrgetown. Fort Monroe, Va., April 8.—The Yale College Base Ball team defeated George-town university at Riverside park this afternoon by the score of 16 to 12.

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New Yor', April 8.—Arrived: Lahn, from Bremen and Southampton, Sailed; St. Paul for Southampton; Majestic for Liverpool; Noordland for Antwerp, Arrived out: Aller at Southampton; Massdam at Rotterdam; Werkendam at Rotterdam; Paris at Southampton; Ethiopia at Movill: Pomeranian at Glasgow, Sigted: Moravia from New York for Hamburg, passed Scilly; La Ormina, from New York for Hamburg, passed Scilly; Massachusetts from New York for London, passed Prawle Point.

New York, April 9.—Arrived: Schiedam from Amsterdam.

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MYSTERY OF HILL'S DEATH. Evidence That a Secret Fiend Has Boon

at Work. Harrisburg, Pa., April 8.-The analysis of the contents of the stomach of J. W. S. Hill, who died suddenly at Steelton, March 27, shows that he was poisoned from drinking tea, in which there was arsenic. The district attor-ney will begin an investigation at once. The Hill household consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Mobley, Mrs. Fugerson, a widowed daughter of Hill's, Alice Jones, a foster daughter and Miss Maude Wilson, a school teacher. The family has not the least idea who put the deadly drug in the tea. Within the past year Mr. Hill has had several

hogs and three horses die from the ef-fect of poison. It is evident that there

has been a "secret enemy at work."