

Spain Regards the Affair of De Lome as Settled.

HIS RESIGNATION ACCEPTED

The Minister Out of Office in a Hurry.

De Lome's Resignation Filed and Accepted Before Minister Woodford Has Opportunity to Present the Request for His Recall--A Graceful Disclaimer on Part of Spain Will Be Received in a Kindly Spirit by Administration -- Canalejas the Discovered the Loss of His Letter but Was Afraid to Mention It.

Washington, Feb. 11 .-- The personal incident growing out of the publication of Senor de Lome's letter to Senor Canalejas may be regarded as settled. This has been brought about by the short cablegram sent by Minister Woodford from Madrid, in which he states that the minister had resigned and his resignation had been accepted before he (Mr. Woodford) presented the request of the United States that he be recalled. The officials here feel an interest in learning the details of the happenings in Madrid yesterday and are awaiting for Mr. Woodford's promised full report. But unless this should contain some statement that is not now expected, there is no disposition on the part of the government to protract the closing of this unpleasant incident, and it is not expected that anything in the nature of a demand for an apology will be made.

If a graceful disclaimer should come that will be taken in the spirit in which it is made; otherwise the matter will be dropped and the relations between the state department and the Spanish legation will run smoothly once more through the medium of Senor Du Bosice, the first secretary and now charge d'affaires. It can be said for the president that he shows little personal concern in the matter as it stands and is not disposed to pursue Mr. de Lome in any personal spirit, and with this spirit in the head of the administration, the end of the affair may be said to have been reached.

DECLARED INSOLVENT. Pattison's Smelting Company in the Hands of the Receiver. Trenton, N. J., Feb. 11.--Chancellor McGill today appointed a receiver for the Edgemont and Union Hill Smelting

company. This is one of the compan-ies in which Francis C. Grable is in-Savery Bradley, of Philadelphia, was named. At the meeting of the company last week it was decided that it

would be better for the protection of all the creditors to have the concern declared insolvent and a receiver appcinted. Mr. Jones' bill applying for the receiver said that the company was incorporated in January, 1897, with an authorized capital of \$3,500,000, which was afterwards increased to \$6,000,000. The company was formed to less than \$200,000 worth of stock was issued. In January, 1898, a bond issue of \$500,000 was authorized with the Mercantile Trust company as trustee. Ex-Governor Robert E. Pattison, of Philadelphia, president: Thomas Brad-

ley, of Philadelphia, treasurer; directors, George A. Fletcher, W. F. Kelley, C. S. Middleton, J. Wesley Supplee,

## **BIG CONFLAGRATION** IN NEW YORK CITY

Levi Morton's Seven Story Office Building Completely Destroyed. Several Firemen Injured.

New York, Feb. 11.-Levi P. Morton's seven-story office building, an "L" shaped structure, with frontages on proclaimed president. The situation is Nassau and Ann streets, and known as the Nassau Chambers building, was becoming more complicated and the completely destroyed by fire tonight. The firemen had a hard battle for three hours, and there was every prospect of a great conflagration. Every fire company in the city from Fifty-ninth street to the battery was called out, and in a remarkably short time thousands of people had gathered in the contiguous streets and Broadway. The Derber Dask company occupied

both the Nassau and Ann street stores and the basement of the building, where the fire originated, was occupied by the Herald Cycle company. A high wind prevailed, and showers of sparks were carried on every direc-

tion From the Nassau chambers the fire spread to the four-story building adjoining, and the clothing store of Maduro Brothers, on the ground floor, was quickly in flames. The loss here also will be practically complete. While a group of firemen were at

work on the Ann street side of the fire there was a loud explosion and a por-tion of the building was blown out, Several of the firemen were badly cut by flying glass and debris,

Foreman Edward Fagan was the only one found to have sustained any conand even his wounds had been dressed, returned been received here. to his work. The Murray stationary store occu pied a small frontage adjoining the Derby Desk company, on Nassau street, and the concern has very little, if anything, left. The upper part of the Nassau chamers were occupied by lawyers and as offices of a number of manufacturing concerns. Assemblyman Julius Harurger occupied offices on the second floor. He lost everything, including a valuable library. Assistant Corporation Counsel Lesser, the National Advertising company, Smith & Hass, the latter firm occupying the entire seventh floor; Saunders & Rosenstein, CUS. Johnson & Bailey, publishers; Simonson and Hudson, brokers, and the Hannoway company, publishers, are among others who suffered severely from the fire. Acting Captain Linderman, of the Oak street station, was on hand early with 100 policemen, who had great trouble in keeping back the vast crowds of people, who had congregated from all parts of the city. The entire reserve forces of the Old Slip and Oak street stations were called out to maintain order and assist the firemen. The Bennett building, at the southwest corner of Nassau and Ann streets, caught fire several times, but was extinguished by the firemen and employes of the building. A scaffolding on the new syndicate building on Park Row was ignited a number of times also, and the woodwork on the twentyfourth floor was blazing. Several of the men employed by the contractors hurried to the building and kept the flames under control. The loss at present is estimated at half a million and the fire is under control. The larger share of the loss will he borne by the Morton interest, although it was stated that they are well insured. The Derby Desk company and the Maduro Bros, are mentioned as the next heaviest losers.

Aspirants for Barrios' Post Resort to Arms. OPINION OF GENERAL MORALES Attempt to Seize the Government for

Morales Defeated -- General Marroquin Killed in the Assault on the Palace -- Revolutionists Fleeing; the Military Pursuing.

San Francisco, Feb. 11,-A special from San Jose de Guatemala says civil strife and bloodshed have followed the killing of Barrios. Almost before the body of the late ruler was cold the factions were flying at each other's promote mining in the Black Hills and | throats, and as a result General Marroquin, the chief supporter of Prospero Morales, one of the aspirants to the presidency, is dead and his forces are seeking safety in flight. Last night General Marroquin at-tempted to seize the reins of govern-

follows:

quitous bonded debt.

Lenz Indemnity.

The following telegram was read:

ment in behalf of Morales. He made an attack in force on the palace barracks. The assault was vigorously resisted, and in the fighting General Morroquin and a few others were killed. Seeing that their efforts would not prove successful, the attacking forces,

consisting of 2,000 men, headed by General Majerea and Colonel Arrevalo, fied from the city. Today General Toledi, who has been

appointed minister of war by Manuel Estrada Cabrera, the president pro-tem, of the republic, ordered the artillery in pursuit of the fleeing revolutionists. The populace and soldiers de-manded that General Mendizabel be

crisis is acute. OPINION OF MORALES.

City of Mexico, Feb. 10.-General Morales, of Guatemalan revolutionary fame, speaks highly of the late President Barrios as a man, although opposed to him bitterly politically. Morales will return soon to Guatemala, ac-

companied by many exiled revolutionof work, the national assembly of the ists. The country is said to be in a state of utmost confusion, according League of American Wheelmen tonight to telegrams received. The revolutionfinally adjourned one of the most notists who crossed over into Mexico during the recent revolution and who were settled at Pachutia, will return to endeavor to overthrow the Barrios party. It is believed here that the assassin Barrios was an anarchist, and one racing was again defeated. An amendof the bands sent over here last autumn to attempt the lives of the presi-

dents of the various Latin-American countries. Some of the chief men here have been threatened recently by unknown persons, supposed to be connected with the band of Americans who were arrested and sent to prison pending trial for swindling.

The story wired from New York regarding the refunding of the Mexican debt is incorrect in every detail. The matter of refunding has been contem-

publican league convention which was New and Interesting Developments In held in this city was one of the stormlest in the history of the league. About Zola's Trial, 200 delegates representing seventy-two clubs were in attendance. The factional feeling which marked the late senatorial contest cropped out. There EVIDENCE AGAINST ESTERHAZY

were strenuous efforts to restore har-Intrigues of Officials Have Prevented mony. Senator Foraker in his tele gram to the league made a plea for **Picquart** from Demonstrating the harmony. The Foraker and Bushnell Major's Guilt -- A Tilt Between element were dominant in the convention, however, and while they endeav-Zola and General Pellieux -- The ored to keep factional differences in Mobs and Lawyers Are Noisy. the background, carried all their points. The original set of resolutions were

adopted with the following addition: Paris, Feb. 11 .- "There are several ways of serving France," cries Emile Zola to General Pellieux as the latter We send greetings to President Mc-Kinley and Senators Hanna and Foraker and assure them of our heartiest support, left the witness stand today. general, made your campaigns, but I The sections objected to by the Mowill bequeath to posterity the name of Kinley and Hanna adherents are as Emile Zola, and posterity will be my

judge." We endorse the Cuban resolutions in-Colonel Picquart, who testified to troduced Feb. 9 by Senator Mason in the United States senate and hope that it His evidence was very damaging to his will be promptly approved by the comsuperior officers and favorable to Dreymittee on foreign affairs passed by the senate and energetically carried into effus, and it also showed him to have been the victim of persecution since he fect by cur honored president and to the end that Cubin independence may quickly become an accomplished fact without being loaded down by an inbegan his endeavor to probe the truth. At the conclusion of his evidence, Colonel Picquart met with an enthusiastic reception from the public. There were cries of "Vive Picquart," and 'Vive l'Armee," in which many of the Hon. John J. Sullivan, president Ohio lawyers joined.

Republican league: Nothing can be more inspiring to the resolutions and the peo-ple of the country than the life work of He told how in 1896 he had acquired fragments of a telegraphic card and concluded therefrom that Esterhazy Abraham Lincoln whise birthday our members celebrate today. Keeping close was corresponding with suspicious characters. Further investigation led to his teachings and example, the na-tion's peace and progress will be assured, My greetings and congratulations to the Ohio Republican league. to the conclusion that he was also im-properly using official papers. Witness meanwhile sent to Tunis, where all letters reached him opened. When summoned back to attend the Ester-LEAGUE OF WHEELMEN hazy inquiry, General Pellieux treated him as the real defendant and refused ADJOURNS FINALLY to listen to his charges against Esterhazy. Colonel Picquart pointed out that Thirty-Two Amendments to the

while the anti-Dreyfus papers pub-By-Laws Are Considered -- Resolulished fac similies of the Bordeau they did not publish a fac simile of the jettions Asking Congress to Secure ters written by Dreyfus at Major Paty du Clam's dictation, "as it would have

St. Louis, Feb. 11.-After three days been too embarrassing," the witness implying that a comparison would have tended to show that Dreyfus was not the author of the Bordereau.

able sessions ever held by that body. Colonel Picquart added that he communicated his suspicions of the guilt At this session the fight of President Isaac Potter for re-election was sucof Major Esterhazy to his chiefs, who cessful and the important question of never said they had additional evidence of the guilt of Dreyfus beyond that he local option in the matter of Sunday himself knew.

ment providing that state divisions be The witness concluded with stating that the intrigues of the officials of granted the right to determine for which he had been the victim had been themselves whether or not Sunday aimed to prevent him from demon-strating the guilt of Major Esterhazy. races should be permitted was introduced and defeated by but six votes. M. Laborie then questioned Colonel This year an amendment was offered to the by-laws movier to strike out in article four of section 7, clause C, all Picquart regarding the secret document and the witness said: the words between the words "but"

cret document, but I only saw it when General Pellieux showed it to me." PELLIEUX ANGRY.

1 General-DeLome Sensation Dying Out. Out, Developments of the Zola Trial, Letter of Thomas V. Cooper Announc-ing His Candidacy for Governor, Guatemala in the Throes of Civil War, The Delaware County State-New Elements in the Martin Statesman Boldly De-Case. Local-An Olchefski Witness' Damag-

ing Admission. Orders for the National Guard. Editorial. Comment of the Press. Local-Social and Personal.

Religious News of the Week. Local-Annual Reports of Mine In

Mid-Winter Rally of the B. Y. P. Union Local-Y. M. C. A. Fire Victim Warned of Danger. Next Tuesday's Election.

Local-West Side and Suburban. Lackawanna County News,

Bahamas' Greatest Natural Curlo. New York Fashions.

Sunday-School Lesson for Tomorrow Progress of the Black Man. Neighboring County Happenings, Dun's Weekly Review of Trade.

The Markets,

**DOINGS OF CONGRESS.** 

Senate Considers the Indian Appropriation Bill--Hawaiian Annexation.

Thomas V. Cooper announced his candidacy for governor tonight in an open Washington, Feb. 11 .- A number of letter, which he addressed to the Remembers of the senate committee on foreign relations, friendly to the Hapublicans of Pennsylvania, and opens in this fashion: wallan annexation treaty, held an informal meeting in Senator Frye's committee room today for the purpose of considering the future course to be oursued with reference to the treaty. The meeting resulted from Senator

Teller's suggestion made in executive ession a few days since that the treaty should be abandoned as such because of the lack of votes to pass it and that annexation be accomplished through the means of direct legislation, There was a thorough discussion of the situation at today's meeting, the result of which was a decision to find an early method of determining the strength of the annexation sentiment. Accordingly Senator Davis will make an effort to get the treaty up in the

senate next week with the view of exhausting the speeches as soon as possible. He will then attempt to secure a test which will reveal the voting strength of the friends of the measure and locate the senators now considered

doubtful. The house conneittee on military afairs has favorably reported the senate bill authorizing the president to reappoint and retire General David McM, iregg as a captain in the army. Consideration of the Indian appro-

"I know of the existence of the sepriation bill was resumed by the senate today and after amended to some extent the measure was passed. The

most important amendment to the bill

passed the house.

The total amount carried by the bill

**DESPERADOES ARRESTED.** 

Robbers.

New York, Feb. 11 .- Four men wh

are believed to be the desperadoes who

on December 26 last held up a trolley

car at Norristown, Pa., shot and killed

the conductor and robbed the passen.

gers, are under arrest in this city. The

men gave their names as William E.

Harris, Joseph Foster, Edward G.

Tyne and Andrew Graves. They were

It is said the men are also wanted at

Pittsburg for burglary and other

police are also believed to be interest-

ed in these men on account of the loot-

ing of a Chinese laundry in that city.

**PITTSBURG FIRE VICTIMS.** 

Thirty-eight.

Italy's Claims on Jamaica.

arrested in a Bowery lodging house

Without consulting friend and foe, without anticipating the support or hos-tility of leaders, with both counties of my senatorial district "set up" in advance against me, with determination not to bow to any of the factions now threaten-ing the Republican party in this state, I proclaim myself a candidate for its gu-bernatorial nomination. The mature years of my political life have been deoted to promoting party harmony, and would like to continue this course to end.

clares Himself.

CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

Open Letter to Pennsylvania

Republicans.

Without Consulting Friend or For,

He Announces That He Will Seek

the Nomination Single-Handed.

With the Hearty Support of the

People Mr. Cooper Thinks That

He Could Place Harmony in Joint

Media, Pa., Feb. 11.-Ex-Senator

Again.

Harmony just now is out of joint-ushed out by divisions incident to faclons and their struggles for power. The condition is one of disease, in some re-spects far advanced to corruption. The worst phases have been manifested in ou great clifes, through attempts to plender franchises; a phase beyond precedent was manifested in the last legislature, which at the beginning of the session was largely dehauched by a moneyed and factional senatorial battle. Knowing men estimate that a round million was spent and with about equal freedom by the high contesting wings. What good result could come from such a begin-ning? During the long session those debauched but sought to be debauched again and again Leadership was kicked to the winds, both houses were divided into petty groups which pooled their is-sues where money was in sight; which would not pool them for any public good. A similar contest this year will lead to a similar legislature next year. Shall we again sow the wind?

was that offered by Mr. Petigrew The ex-senator then proceeds which if finally enacted will restore the philosophical discourse on trusts and the wrong they do. In this connection free homestead law so far as it relates to Indian lands coded to the United he says: States for which lands the settlers Transplant this modern system to West have been obliged to pay the price paid Chester, Lancaster, Harrisburg, Allen-town, New Castle, Huntingdon, Lewisto the Indians. The bill carries aptown, Honesdale, Towanda, Warren, Mer-cer, Meadville, or any center of agricutpropriations aggregating nearly \$8,000,-The senate decided to adjourn tural products. Its development in the until Monday. town will soon bring the concentration of all lines of business under one roof and NATIONAL FORTIFICATIONS. one head. That ruins the town. The producers around and about have but a The Senate Committee Doubles th single customer for their goods and he makes the price. That ruins the farm. This thing is coming; it is coming fast; House Appropriations. Washington, Feb. 11.-The senate and we should do something more than pray "God save the commonwealth." We should remember that men, true, committee on appropriations today completed consideration of the forticourteous men, constitute the state, and fication appropriation bill. The comthat they should control its methods and mittee recommended increases which laws, in business as in politics.

TIME FOR ACTION.

Senator Foraker said today: "In my judgment, the time has come for something affirmative, positive and conclusive to be done by the United States. The conditions prevailing in Cuba are unparalleled for brutality, starvation, murder and all imaginable horrors. Hundreds of thousands have perished and tens of thousands are now starving to death. Christlanity, morality, humanity, patriotism and the spirit of liberty all combine to demand that we interfere and put an end to such an atroclous struggle. According to the Monroe doctrine we cannot allow any other nation to interfere. The responsibility is therefore all our own. We must answer for all the pillage, waste, rapine, butchery and starvation that may ensue from this time forward." Madrid, Feb. 11.-The decree accept-

ing Senor Dupuy de Lome's resignation as minister of Spain to the United States has been signed and will be gazetted tomorrow.

CANALEJAS WAS FRIGHTENED. New York, Feb. 11.-At the Cuban Junta it was said today that the letter from Senor de Lome to Don Jose Canalejas was stolen from the latter and was not made public by him. It was said that the Junta received information from Washington that Mr. de Lome had written the letter. A man was sent to Havana who secured the letter without Canalejas' knowledge and brought it to this city. It was also said that when Canalejas discovered the loss he was afraid to mention it.

Washington, Feb. 11 .- The only advices received by the state department tonight were two short messages from General Lee at Havana. One read: "Commander Sigsbee attended Blanco's reception last night and this morning paid another official visit to the government representatives."

The second message announced the arrival of the Cushing at 4 p. m. Up to 10 o'clock tonight no further dispatches had been received from Minister Woodford.

### DE LOME'S SUCCESSOR.

#### Senor Louis Polo Bernabe Will Represent Spain.

Madrid, Feb. 11 .-- United States Minister Woodford gave a banquet this evening to the diplomatic corps. Senor Gullon, the foreign minister, and Senor Moret, the colonial minister, were pres-Senor Gullon, questioned by newspaper men on the subject, said that Senor Dupuy de Lome's successor would soon be nominated.

The correspondent of the Associated Press learns that Senor de Lome's successor will be Senor Louis Polo Bernabe, son of Vice Admiral Polo, who formerly represented Spain in the United States. Senor Bernabe is now engaged in a special department of the foreign ministry dealing with commercial matters and consulates. El Heraldo de Madrid says:

'New and menacing incidents tend arise between Spain and the United States, resulting from the performance of American warships at Havana, the display of arms and ammunition by a yacht there and the proceedings of the American congress. This state of things inspires alarm and the government is gravely preoccupied by a situ-

ation which is becoming intolerable. "With regard to Senor Dupuy de Lome, El Heraldo auggests that his KILLED BY A LUNATIC.

#### Superintendent Parker Brained by Mary Drought.

Stamford, Conn., Feb. 11 .- Jame Parker, superintendent of the Stamford almshouse, and town farm, was murdered today by Mary Drought, an

insane inmate, aged 65 years. Mrs. Drought is of a quarrelsome na ture. They say that she became involved in a quarrel with Mary Kelly, another inmate. Mr. Parker tried to quiet Mrs. Drought, but was not suc-

cessful. Mrs. Drought seized a heavy iron bar which happened to be at hand, and stealing up behind the sup-Kaplolani. erintendent dealt him a blow on the head causing instant death. Mr. Parker was 62 years of age.

## Human Thigh Found.

New York, Feb. 11.-A human thigh, which the police have decided to be a part of the dismembered trunk found in the East river recently, was discovered in the same stream today. Two cuts had been made severing it. The first was made a trifle too high and the knife or whatever instrument was used struck the pelvis. It was then withdrawn and s fresh cut made.

Why Not "Boy Orator County ?" Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 11.-One of the

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 11 .- The Illino was by Mr. Mount, Populist, proposing to change the name of Carlisle county to change the name of Carlisle count "William Jennings Bryan" county. ance Van Cleave.

plated, but no proposition as yet has The Spanish consul-general, Anselle, the same." of Montreal, Canada, is here for the

following:

is to be held on Sur

purpose of fostering trade relations between Mexico and Canada. PROCLAMATION FROM CUESTAS,

Montevideo, Feb. 11 .- Senor Cuestas has issued a proclamation to the country. This affirms that the finances are in excellent condition, but says that, owing to the determined opposition of the majority in the chambers, he has resolved to overthrow them and to name a council of state, consisting of eightyeight members, of whom two-thirds shall be Colorados and the rest Blan-

# **RUSH FROM AUSTRALIA.**

#### More Than 5,000 Persons Expected to Leave There for Klondike.

San Francisco, Feb. 11.-Among the passengers on the steamship Mariposa. from Australian ports, where fifty stalwart miners, who are on their way to the Alaskan gold fields. They stated that more than 5,000 persons would leave Australia for the gold fields during the next few months,

Seattle, Washington, Feb. 11 .- Early in December James T. O'Brien, who recently arrived here from Dawson City, discovered croppings of quartz lead while crossing the ridge between the head of Eldorado Creek and Quartz Creek, a branch of the Indian river. brought out samples of ore from the bottom of the shaft and left them at Juneau to be assayed. Today he re ceived a letter from Juneau which stated that the report of the assayers

gave the value of the ore as \$5,800 in gold and ninety ounces in silver. The ledge from which the rich ore was taken is three feet wide and gives

every evidence of being a true lead. The steamships City of Seattle and the Noyo have sailed for Alaska. The City of Seattle carried 600 passengers and the Noyo 200. Arrangements have been made to transport the remaining

detachment of government troops on the steamship Lucille, which sails from here next Sunday. HAWAII'S DYNASTY.

## Betrothal of Princess Kaiulani Prince David Kawananakoa.

Honolulu, Feb. 3 (via San Francisco, Feb. 11) .-- It is announced that a marriage has been arranged between Prince David Kawananakoa and Princess Kaiulani. The formal betrothal awaits the signature to certain deeds of family settlement of Dowager Queen

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Princess Kaiulani is the daughter of ex-Governor Archibald Scott Cleghorn and the late Princess Mirlam Likelike, and under the monarchial regime would have succeeded Queen Liliuo kalani to the throne of Hawaii. Prince David is a son of Kahale Pouli, a famous high chief, and Kinoiki Kekaulike, the younger sister of Queen Kapiolani. He has been well educated in English, partly in California and Eng. land, and was destined, under the monarchy, for a diplomatic career.

## Insurance License Revoked.

license of the Schuylkill Fire Insurance company, of Philadelphia, has been revoked by State Superintendent of Insur

sion where the board of officers of such division shall, by resolution, prohibit

and "or" and insert in their stead the

"No meeting shall receive sanction if

W. H. Baker, a delegate from Buffalo, N. Y., offered a compromise substitute for this amendment.

This provided that each division of the league should take a ballot on the curred between M. Laborie and Generquestion before June next. A lengthy debate followed. Most of the Pennsylvania delegates were opposed to Sunday racing. Fifty-seven voted terhazy. against the measure and six for it. M. Laborle then asked for the testi-

The amendment was defeated, as the required two-thirds majority was not in favor of its adoption. The matter will therefore be laid on the table until the next national assembly.

Thirty-two other amendments were disposed of during the day in various ways. Some were indefinitely postyours." poned or withdrawn, while four were defeated. Among the more important

of those adopted are the following: Article 3 of the constitution, a new sec tion inserted to read: No. 9, "No profes-sional shall be eligible to entry in any open race run under the rules of the League of American Wheelmen unless he is registered with the racing board." Article 3, section 8, substitute: "Con-tract at meets closed to a college or to

any number of colleges forming an intercollegiate meet, may for those meets only be governed by the amateur rules of the intercollegiate association of ama-

ur athletes of America." Article 5, section 3, was amended by striking out the word wheelmen. Other amendments adopted provided for the payment of \$2,590 a year as compensation o Chairman Mott, of the national racing oard, and declared that hereafter sanctions would be given for any six-day

ontinuous race unless the riders be com-elled to take at least two hours' rest out of every twenty-four, Resolutions were adopted fixing the

registration fee for professionals at \$2 per year; calling on the national government to push the demand on Turkish government for the prompt payment of \$40,000 indemnity to the mother of Frank E. Lenz, the Pittsburg member of the L. A. W., who was murdered in Turkish territory while on a tour of the world; favoring the passage by congress of the bill introduced by Representative Davis, of Alabama, for the appointment of a committee

to view the roads in the National forest reserve of the Yosemite valley in California and report to the next session of congress the best location of a road through that reservation. M. C. Ratier, of Milwauke, introduced the following resolution, which was warmly endorsed by prominent men in the

league and finally adopted. Resolved. That the executive commit te of the League oi Amercan Wheelmen will be instructed to investigate the

feasibility of turning over to some other organization or body the control of racing and to report its results at the next national assembly.

Mr. Harrison, a member of the goo roads bureau of the department of agriculture and a leaguer from New Jersey, told of the work that was being done under his direction. He said that he was sorely crippled for the want of funds to carry on the building of sample roads, because congress had thus far failed to appropriate a sufficient amount to do the work. Mr. Harrison asked the delegates to make such urgent demands on their respec-

tive congressmen to secure the building of sample roads as will awaken their interests in the bureau and cause them to make larger appropriations. This concluded the work of the assembly and it adjourned sine die.

General Pellieux was recalled and again denounced Colonel Picquart for searching Major Esterhazy's rooms whereupon M. Laborie quickly retorted: "But you yourself had Colonel Pic-

quart's rooms searched." This rally was greeted with loud applause and a heated altercation oc-

al Pellieux, the latter affirming that Mathleu Dreyfus had not submitted fresh proof of the guilt of Major Es-

mony of the agent who furnished the government with the famous Bordeau. Major Ravary was the next witness. Mr. Laborie reproached him with improperly conducting the Esterhazy inquiry to which the major replied: "Military justice is not conducted like

double the figures of the bill as it The remark caused murmurings in the court, which was then adjourned. The mob outside the court gave a as agreed upon is a little over \$9,conflicting reception to Colonel Picquart. There was a tremendous tu-000,000. mult and a few "boos" for M. Zola, but there was no serious accident. The higher military officers were visibly annoyed at the effect of Colonel Four Men Believed to Be Trolley Ca Picquart's testimony.

There was a riotous demonstration on the Boulevard Sebastapol at 6 o'clock this evening. The rioters smashed the windows of a Jewish store over which were the names of "Levy and Dreyfus." During the disturbance a shot from a revolver was fired. The prefect of police, with a large force of policemen, finally subdued the mob.

## **CROWS FOUGHT BRAVELY.**

#### An Attempt to Arrest a Woman Recrimes. The name of the Norristown sults in Battle to Death. conductor who was murdered was

Vanceburg, Ky., Feb. 11 .- At Esculpia, this county, this morning, Constables Scropper and Thacker attempted to arrest a woman named Crow, who was at her home with several grownup daughters." One of the girls attacked them with a knife, dangerously wounding both officers.

Mrs. Crow and another daughter drew revolvers. The battle raged for a few moments, and Mrs. Crow and one daugter was killed. The other particlpants are in a dangerous condition.

## He Makes a Hopeful Speech on the

11.-James plant the force already at work clear-Mingle, who murdered the infant Doling away the ruins, and by tomorrow lie Briscoe and made an attempt on as many men as can be put to work the life of the child's mother, was will be employed. The body of Wilhanged here today. He showed nerve liam Doran, one of the victims, walts the disposition of his friends, who as "I'm only on a journey to meet my Mingle's neck was broken by the fall. nforce pending claims of the Italian got

## Boycott Threatened.

New York, Feb. 11-The Women's Chris than Temperance union has taken up the fight for the salvation of Yale university. Miss Frances E. Willard, president, and other general officers of the union, have forwarded a petition to President Dwight asking him to forbid the use of alco-holic liquors in the university. The pe-tition contains an implied threat to boycott the university unless Pre Dwight complies with the terms of the

WHAT THE GOVERNOR COULD DO.

As a remedy he suggests that a governor could recommend an act veying to all who desire limited liability, hedged with restrictions that would improve rather than impair business credit. Continuing, he says:

The interval between now and the state convention is short for the consideration of a new issue, but it can be bas-tened by correspondence, by discussion, private and public meetings, the naming of friendly delegates and appeals or in-structions to them. A limit upon time need not dissipate a natural hopefulness, and should not prevent proper effort upon the part of those willing to fight for equal usiness conditions. Improve these con ditions and political forms of discontent will be minimized. Break the trusts by elevating the people. The latter will never corrupt legislatures; trusts and syndicates do and will. Business equalty clubs formed in election districts of the cities and towns and around about the country stores can discuss ways and means to push the issue and make it a

access, even in a single campaign. Pennsylvania is the greatest commer-Charles Galloway. The Philadelphia cial and industrial state of the Union She can best start a movement which but needs a start to assure its beneficence. With the sole view to promote such a start, I am a candidate for governor, without a barrel, or the disposi-tion to use it if I had it; without the leave of any boss or leader; without the promise or sympathy of any faction, for The Missing Persons Now Number my political life has been devoted to dis-Pittsburg, Feb. 11.-The number of couraging all factions, and my belief now is that they can only be dissolved by didissing persons thought to be victims of Wednesday night's fire is now placed recting public thought to newer and better things, to newer forms of freedom, made necessary by rapid combinations destructive of individual and even porate opportunities. An issue is bigger

In conclusion, Mr. Cooper invites advertised for additional men to supfriendly correspondence on the sub-Ject.

than a boss.

## The Cushing at Havana.

Havana, Feb. 11.-The United States torpedo boat Cushing, with stores for the Maine, has arrived here. Captain Heit-bron, of the American yacht Buccaneer, acting under instructions from its owner Mr. W. R. Hearst, has paid under pro-test the fine of \$500 and will file a claim for damages.

## Steamship Arrivals.

New York, Feb. 11.-Cleared: La Gasrament to the amount of \$120,000. The fall of the ministry is imminent. M. Cal cogne, Havre; Lucania, Liverpool; Nor-mannia, Naples, Genoa, etc.; Spaarndam, Rotterdam, Rotterdam-Sailed; Amsterdam, New York.

#### The Hera'd's Weather Forecast.

New York, Feb. 12 .- In the middle states and New England, today, cloudy to partly cloudy, cooler weather will prevail preceded by rain, with dense fog on the prevall. coast and fresh to brisk southerly and southwesterly winds, shifting to and followed by clearing in thi CU01

Fouchard, President Simon Sam's former minister of finance, is a candidate for the presidency. Sir Augustus Hemming, the w governor of Jamaica, arrived here oday from Demerara. Pennsylvania Postmasters. Washington, Feb. 11 .- Fourth class post nasters have been appointed in Penn-yivania as follows: East McKeesport, Hiram G. Curry; Fargus, L J. Fargus; dillhall, W. J. Staley,

Springfield, Ill., Feb.

where I hope to meet you all."

to the last. From the scaffold he said: child in heaven. I'm going to my baby,

meet me. She has forgiven me. forgive all. I'm going to heaven,

yet have not come forward to claim the remains. and my little woman will join me soon, for she has not long to live. She will Kingston, Jamaica, via Bermuda, Feb -Two Italian warships are expected Port-au-Prince from St. Thomas to

at thirty-eight, and it is rapidly growing. Up to midnight but one more body JAMES MINGLE HANGED. had been recovered, that of William Walrabenstein, a milk man. His body was badly mutilated. The department of public works had Gallows.