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TIONESTA, PA., WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 1899.

\$1.00 PER ANNUM.

CYCLONE IN MISSOURI.

Hundred Injured.

In a Tornado at Newtown, Mo.

ground in scattered ruins.

1,000 people were more or less injured.

The list of killed so far as known is

William B. Howells, student Amer-

ican School of Osteopathy; Mrs. W. H.

Sherbourne, wife of student, School of

Osteopathy: James Weaver, Sr., re-

tired contractor; Theodore Brigham,

merchant; Ed Beeman, boy; Mrs. W.

W. Green and daughter, Miss Bessie;

Mrs. Henry Billington, A. W. Glasce,

Mrs. A. W. Glasee, Mrs. Ben Green,

Mrs. John Larkin, Sr., Mrs. T. Mahaf-

fey, Mrs. C. Woods, A. Little, Mrs. A.

Little, Joe Woods, Mrs. Joe Woods, A.

W. Rainschott, C. A. Gibbs, Mrs. C. A.

Gibbs, A. C. Beal, James Cunningham,

The reported killed are: Mr. Peck, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Stephens, Dr. Bli-

lings, Colonel Little and family, Mrs.

The known injured are; Mr. and Mrs.

Deniston, Mrs. Hobson, Harry Mitchell,

Mary Mitchell, Miss Evans, Sam Wea-

ver, Will Parks, two Ingalls brothers,

The reported injured are: Maud Wad-

dell, Mrs. T. Bullock, Mr. and Mrs.

J. S. Kirk, A. L. Peal, W. S. Smith.

George H. Ennons, Mrs. Millien, Mrs.

A. Miller, Duane Mills, Earnest Mills,

Andrew Roberts, Esther Little, Ina

Green, William Bragg, Mrs. John Bar-

ley, A. C. Bowman, Mrs. Mary Rora-

han, A. T. Cook, Beeman, child, and

Intense darkness prevailed after the

cyclone, and the rescurers were at a

disadvantage for a short time until

fire broke out in a dozen places in the

ruins and shed light over the scene.

No attempt was made to extinguish

the fire, partly because the rescuers

had no time and partly because of the

need of light. On both sides of the

storm's path the debris was piled high

and burned flercely. In all probability

a number of bodies have been incin-

The storm first struck the eastern

portion of the city near that part occu-

students of the American School of

Oesteopathy, State Normal School and

McWard's Seminary. It was just sup-

per time for the students, and it is

thought very probable the list of dead

large number of these boarding houses

As far as known these three institu-

tions of learning escaped the storm.

the trees out of the ground and hurling

A second section of the cyclone fol-

It came as an inky black cloud widely

distributed and covered the whole town,

but passed above the houses, doing no

ANOTHER TOWN STRUCK.

Newtown Partially Destroyed and Fif-

teen People Killed.

KANSAS CITY, April 28.-A special

to The Journal from Chillicothe, Mo.,

says: A tornado, probably the same one

that swept over Kirksville, struck

Newtown, a small town in Sullivan

county, 40 miles northwest of Kirks-

ville, and caused terrible destruction.

It is reported that 15 people were killed

in the city and that many others were

killed in the country near there. A

great number of buildings were blown

down. Heavy rain followed the tor-

A Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul

railroad bridge is said to have been

Only a partial list of the casualties

FURTHER PARTICULARS.

Fifty Persons Killed and More Than a

Hundred Badly Injured.

KIRKSVIILE, Mo., April 29.-As a

result of the tornado that swept

through the eastern portion of this city,

demolishing half of the residences and

other buildings, 200 families are home-

less and more than 50 dead bodies and

70 injured persons have been recovered

from the ruins. More than a dozen

of the injured will die. Although res-

cuers have been searching the ruins

ever since the storm spent its fury,

many are still missing, and it is

thought that a considerable number of

the unfortunate were consumed in the

flames that broke out soon after the

storm had ceased. The work of res-

one continues, but it may be days before

nado, adding greatly to the damage,

lowed the first, 20 minutes later,

pled by the boarding houses of the

Willis Kellogg and Hollis Kellogg.

and Mrs. Mitchell.

Penschoot and child

Aubury Green.

were demolished.

them through the city.

material damage.

can be obtained.

Mo., says:

BOROUGH OFFICERS.

tions. Always give your name.

Burgess.—K. C. Heath.
Conneilmen.—Joseph Morgan. J. T.
Dale, W. F. Blum, Jas. D. Davis, Chas.
Clark, T. E. Armstrong, H. H. Shoe-Justices of the Peace-C. A. Randall, S.

J. Setley.
Onstable—H. E. Moody.
Collector—F. P. Amsler.
School Directors—G. W. Holeman, L.
Agnew, J. E. Wenk, Q. Jamieson, J. C. wden, Patrick Joyce.

FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS.

Member of Congress—J. K. P. Hall. Member of Senate—A. M. Neeley. Assembly—Dr. S. S. Towler. President Judge—W. M. Lindsey. Associate Judges—Jos. A. Nash, A. J. McCesy.

Prothonotary, Register & Recorder, &c. John H. Robertson. Sheriff.—Frank P. Walker. Treasurer—S. M. Henry.
Commissioners—W. M. Coon, C. M.
Whiteman, Herman Blum. District Attorney-S. D. Irwin.

Jury Commissioners-J. B. Carpenor, Geo. D. Shields. Coroner-Dr. J. W. Morrow. County Auditors-M. E. Abbott, J. R. Clark, R. J. Flynn. County Superintendent-E. E. Stitzin-

Regular Terms of Court. Fourth Monday of February. Third Monday of May.
Fourth Monday of September.
Third Monday of November.

Church and Sabbath School.

Presbyterian Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10:00 a. m. Preaching in M. E. Church every Sabbath evening by Rev. R. A. Buzza.
Preaching in the F. M. Church every
Sabbath evening at the usual hour. Rev.
F. W. McClelland, Pastor.

Services in the Presbyterian Church every Sabbath morning and evening, Rev. J. V. McAninch officiating, The regular meetings of the W. C. T. U. are held at the headquarters on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

PHONESTA LODGE, No. 369, I. O. O. F. 1 Meets every Tuesday evening, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Partridge building.

OREST LODGE, No. 184, A. O. U. W. Meets every Friday evening in A.O.U.

WASHINGTON CAMP, No. 420, P.O. VV S. of A., meets every Saturday evening in A. O. U. W. Hall, Tionesta.

CAPT. GEORGE STOW POST, No. 274 G. A. R. Meets 1st and 3d Monday evening in each month, in A. O. U. W.

CAPT. GEORGE STOW CORPS, No. 137, W. R. C., meets first and third Wednesday evening of each month, in A. O. U. W. hall, Tionesta, Pa. TIONESTA TENT, No. 164, K. O. T. M., meels 2nd and 4th Wednesday evening in each month in A. O. U. W.

P M. CLARK, P. ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, and DISTRICT ATTORNEY. Office, cor. of

lm and Bridge Streets, Tionesta, Pa.

Also agent for a number of reliable Fire Insurance Companies.

T. F. RITCHEY ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

W. MORROW, M. D.,

Physician, Surgeon & Dentist.
Office and Residence three doors north of Hotel Agnew, Tionesta. Professional calls promptly responded to at all hours.

O. BOWMAN, M. D., Physician & Surge TIONESTA, PA. Office in building formerly occupied by br. Nason. Call promptly responded to

night or day. Residence opposite Hotel DR. J. C. DUNN.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office over Heath & Killmer's store, Tionesta, Pa. Professional calls prompt responded to at all hours of day of Residence—East side Elm St., 3d

Physician, Surgeon & Druggist, OIL CITY, PA.

dore above jail building.

HOTEL AGNEW, C. F. WEAVER, Proprietor. This hotel, formerly the Lawrence House, has undergone a complete change and is now furnished with all the modern improvements. Heated and lighted throughout with natural gas, bathrooms, hot and cold water, etc. The comforts of guests never neglected.

CENTRAL HOUSE, H. W. HORNER, Proprietor. Tionseta, Pa. This is the most centrally located hotel in the place, and has all the modern improvements. No pains will be spared to make it a pleasant stopping place for the traveling public. First class Livery in connection

POREST HOTEL, West Hickory, Pa. Jacob Bender, Proprietor. This hotel has but recently been completed, is nicely furnished throughout, and offers the finest and most comfortable accommodations to guests and the traveling public.

DHIL EMERT

FANCY BOOT & SHOEMAKER. Shop in Walters building, Cor. Elm and Walnut streets, Is prepared to do all kinds of custom work from the finest to the coarsest and guarantees his work to give perfect satisfaction. Prompt attention given to mending, and prices rea-

F. ZAHRINGER. PRACTICAL WATCH-MAKER and Jeweler of 25 years' experience, is prepared to do all work in his line on as leveyed by as short notice and at reasonable prices. certain taxpayers. Always guarantees satisfaction. Watches, Jewelry, &c., ordered for parties at the lowest possible figure. Will bund in the building next to Keele Club

WANTED-SEVERAL TRUSTworthy persons in this state to manss in their own and nearby counties. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Salary straight \$900 a year and expenses—definite, bonafide, no more, no less salary. Monthly \$75. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope, Herbert E. Hess, Prest., Dept, M, Chicago.

MONEY to patent good ideas may be

FOR THE BUSY READER. POSSIBILITY OF PEACE.

All Sections.

STATE HAPPENINGS IN BRIEF.

A Review of the Past Week's News Covering All the Most Important Events Transpiring In Ad-Jacent Cities, Towns and Villages.

PHILADELPHIA. April 29.-Negotiations are pending for the consolidation of the Cramp Shipbuliding company and the English firm of Vickers' Son & Maxim. An offer to amalgamate of the English gun firm had been here in conection with the deal.

It is stated that the Federal Steel company has also made overtures to the Cramps and it is possible that the present negotiations may lead to a still larger combination, something of a "triple alliance," the Cramps furnishing the ships, the Vickers company the guns and the third concern supplying the armor.

It as stated that whatever combination may be brought about it will not be in the nature of a sale of the Cramps yards, but will be a union of the Vickers' Sons & Maxim interests with the Cramps in a new corporation at the Cramps' present location in this city. The name suggested is the Cramps-Vickers company.

The capital of the consolidation, it was stated, would not be excessive, but would be large enough to provide for a great extension of business. The authorized capital of the Cramps is \$5,-000,000.

Thomas Dolan, one of the directors of the Cramp company, did not deny that negotiations are pending looking to the consolidation, but he refused to discuss the matter or go into details.

Laborers Ask For More Wages.

PITTSBURG, April 29.-Homestead's new Federal Union No. 7,238, affiliated with the Federation of Labor, met and decided to demand the following minimum rate of day wages, effective May 1: Painters, \$2.50; plasterers, \$2.75; stone masons, \$3; tinners, \$2.50; slaters, \$2.75; stone masons' helpers, \$1.75; brick wheelers, \$2; hod carriers, \$2.25; lathers, \$1.75 per thousand and bricklayers, 40 cents per hour. The union also decided that nine hours shall constitute a day's work, except on Saturday, when an eight-hour work day is to obtain.

Contractors are to be notified at once of the decisions and furnished with a copy of the new scale of wages. Large contracts have been made under the old scale, which was considerably below the new one, and it is stated that the refusal of the contractors to accede to the union's requests will bring

about a long strike. Effects of Drinking Wood Alcohol. WILKES-BARRE, Pa., May 1 .-When the fast freight from Jersey City arrived at Coxton yards of the Lehigh Valley railroad a trainman found the body of a dead man in a box car and by his side another man who was alive but in an unconscious condition. A doctor was summoned and the man revived. He said his name was John Hanan of

Weehawken, N. J. ,and the name of his eral MacArthur, companion was George Gassoway, a waiter, of New York city. They got on the train at Jersey City and were going to steal a ride to Buffalo. They had with them two quarts of whisky and some wood alcohol. They drank it all and then became unconscious.

Twenty-Three People Injured.

YORK, Pa., April 28.-While a sher iff's sale was in progress on the second floor of J. E. Snyder's implement warehouse at Goldsboro, this county, the floor gave way and about 100 men feel to the floor below. A quantity of machinery fell on the men and pinned some of them fast. Twenty-three were slightly injured and several had limbs broken. John Fetrow, a farmer residing at Yocumtown, had both legs broken and was otherwise injured. It is thought he will die,

Coal Road to Tidewater.

READING, Pa., April 28.-Engineer J. B. Stuart of New York has commenced a survey for a new railroad running from Reading to Chesapeake bay at Carpenters Point, Md. The road will be 70 miles in length and when finished will make a short direct line from the anthracite coal regions to Baltimore. It will be built by New York capitalists. It is said the Pennsylvania railroad is really back of the enterprise. University Regent Resigns.

MORGANTOWN, Pa., April 28.-Major James M. Lee, regent of the uni-

versity and principal of the Greenbrier Military academy at Lewisburg, has tendered to the governor his resignation as regent and has accepted a position in the Pittsburg Military academy as instructor in military training and tactics.

Charges Against Commissioners.

GREENSBURG, Pa., April 29,-Formal charges were made against the county commissioners, Messrs. Gay, Dinsmore and Reamer, alleging undue use of their office in levying assessments and charging the asssessments as leveyed by assessors in favor of

Dynamite Caps In Conl.

NEW CASTLE, Pa., April 29 .- A laborer at the Shenango timplate works. while shoveling coal from a car at the works, found 36 dynamite caps. How the explosive came to be in the coal is a mystery, but the matter is being investigated. It was enough to wreck the entire building.

Fire In a Dry Goods Store.

READING, Pa., April 28.-A mysterlous blaze broke out in the stock room of the large drygoods establishment of J. C. Illig & Bro. The stock was damaged to the extent of \$30,000, mostly by IVI secured by our aid, address THE smoke. The origin is unknown. The PATENT RECORD, Baltimore, Md. loss is covered by insurance. loss is covered by insurance.

The Cream of Incidents From Filipinos Ask a Cessation of Hostilities.

> To Aggressive Move Will Be Made as Long as Negotiations Are In Progress, but at the Same Time the Americans Are Strengthening Their Lines and Preparing For War.

MANILA, May 1.-While It is the general expectation among Americans that the Filipino emissaries will return with revised proposals from General Antonio Luna, Major General Otis is not letting this prospect interfere with his preparations for pushing the war. He has just ordered Major General Lawton to return to Angata, a few miles northwest of Norzagaray, and not to advance aggressively while has just been received by the Cramps. the negotiations are pending. General For some time past a representative MacArthur is apparently acting on the same policy, but he is repairing bridges and strengthening the lines of his force



O"NERAL LUNA

which is stretched out with a four-mile front and within a quarter of a mile of

The possibilities of peace are gratifying to a great majority of the army, who have regarded the war as an unpleasant duty that must be performed according to American traditions.

Manila is cheerful over the prospect of a return to normal life, though there are sceptics who remark that a truce would enable the insurgents to rest until the rainy season, upon which they have been depending as an important

The prisoners report that there are 75,000 refugees north of San Fernandino. This is not impossible, considering the thickly populated region which the Americans have cleared. It seems also that smallpox is spreading

among them. Before General Otis had Issued the order directing General Lawton to return to Angat, the troops of his command encountered the rebels in a cir cle of hills outside San Rafael, about five miles northwest of Angat, dislodging them after an hour's fighting.

The Americans had three wounded A thousand armed Filipinos fell back as the Americans advanced.

The villagors met General Lawton. offering him provisions. They dare not flee into the mountain country in the east because the robber tribes are there and on the west are the troops of Gen-

Messrs, Garrick and Holmes, Amer icans who had been running a sugar mill at Calumpit and whose fate had caused some anxiety, have sent word to Manila that they are safe with Mr Higgins, manager of the Manila-Dagupan railroad at Boyonbang.

PROMISES MADE FILIPINOS.

They Will He Allowed to Have Almost Complete Control of Local Affairs.

WASHINGTON, May 2 .- The stat department has received a long report by cable from President Schurman of the Philippine commission of the conference that was held at Manila Saturday, between the members of the commission and the representatives of Aguinaldo. The text of the dispatch was not made public, but it was stated that Mr. Schurman's report agreed precisely with the press statement of the proceedings in the conference as cabled from Manila.

It is declared at the state department that the proclamation issued by the Philippine commission just before the beginning of the last campaign presents the maximum concessions to be made to the insurgents by the United States government. The United States government is willing to accord the natives an opportunity to test their abilities, for the Philippine commission proposes to allow them almost complete control of their local affairs. The experiment is already in progress at some points in the Philippines outside the Island of Luzon.

So far as the reports indicate, these experiments are working well and promise to have a good influence in shaping the attitude towards the United States of a considerable element among the Filipinos, which has been suspicious of our intentions.

Our Foreign Trade Increasing.

WASHINGTON, May 1. - American manufacturers made their highest record in foreign markets last month. The figures of the March exportations which the treasury bureau of statistics issued this month earlier than on any previous oceasion, show that the March exportations of manufacturers were \$36,025,-733, or more than 25 per cent in excess of any preceding month and 50 per cent more than February, 1899.

Speaker Nixon Much Better. ALBANY, May 2.-Speaker Nixon continues to improve at the City hospital and is reported much better. It

will probably be another week before

he can be removed to his home

Small Boy mothers to Leath ALBANY, May 2.-While playing at the foot of a sand bank in this city Willie King, 6 years old, was smothered to death by the bank caving in and

bradstreet's Weekly Report on the Condition of Business

NEW YORK, April 29.-Bradstreet's says: Favorable weather conditions find reflection in reports of good retail distribution of spring and summer goods and in fair filling in orders from jobbers. Demand from first hands for general merchandise is, if anything, quieter in keeping with the "between season" period now at hand. Industrial activity continues specially marked, a pleasing feature this week being the practical absence of the unrest, particularly in the building trades, noted for many years past about May 1.

Winter wheat crop advices have continued irregularly unfavorable, but good weather, enabling a large area to be planted in spring wheat, coupled with rather less active export demand and denials of damage to European crops, has weakened quotations of wheat and flour at leading Eastern and interior markets. erior markets.

Business fallures for the week number 184 as compared with 187 last week, 245

SOCIETY SENSATION.

206 in 1895.

in this week a year ago, 244 in 1896 and

Mrs. Henry T. Sloane Marries Perry Belmont Just After Peing Divorced.

NEW YORK, April 29 .- Henry T. Sloane, the well known and wealthy society man, was granted an absolute divorce from his wife, Jersie A. Sloane. A few hours after this divorce was granted, Mrs. Sloane was married to Perry Belmont, the noted New York politician and banker, at Greenwich, Conn., by Rev. Walter M. Barrows, pastor of the Second Congregational church of that city.

Before leaving this city, and at Mr. Belmont's request, the new Mrs. Belmont conveyed her home at 9 East Seventy-second street, the house that had been recently given to her by Mr. Sloane, and all its contents, to the State Trust company with instructions to convey it back again to Mr. Sloane The property is valued at \$550,000. If he shall refuse to accept it, the Trust company is instructed to invest the proceeds of the sale of the house

STOPPED BOMBARDING.

for the benefit of the two Sloane chil-

Admiral Kautz Has Left Apia, Samos, and Gone to Pango-Pango.

BERLIN, April 28.-An official dispatch, dated Apia, Samoa, April 18, has been received here. It says that after the arrival of the last mail the United States cruiser Philadelphia, flagship of Admiral Kautz, left Apia and proceeded to the American treaty port of Pango-Pango, while the British warships continued alone the bombardment of the coast villages on the northern coast of Upolu, while slight engagements occurred on land.

The dispatch adds: "On April 11 there was a collision three miles from Apia which ended in the retreat of the Tanu people. The number killed and wounded was about 70. No Europeans were injured. A British detachment lying in reserve took no part in the

Bishop of Harrisburg Consecrated.

PHILADELPHIA, May 2. - Right Rev. John Shanahan was consecrated bishop of Harrisburg at the cathedral here. The ceremony of consecration was performed by Archbishop Ryan, assisted by Bishops Horstmann, Cleveland and Prendergast of this city. The exercises were elaborate and impressive. The bishop was required to profess his belief in various articles that have been particularly attacked, especially the doctrine of the incarnation.

Government Transactions.

WASHINGTON, May 2,-The monthly comparative statement of the government receipts and expenditures show that the total receipts for April, 1899, were \$41,611,587, an increase as compared with April, 1898, of about \$8,600,000. The expenditures during April, 1899, were \$65,949,105, an increase over April last year of \$21,700,000. Included in the expenditures is the payment of \$20,000,000 to Spain.

Robert Goelet Dead In Naples

NEW YORK, April 28.-Robert Goe let died in Naples, Italy. He had been on a yaching cruise. Mrs. George Henry Warren, Mr. Goelet's mother-in-law, received a cablegram with the simple statement: "Robert died here today, The cablegram was dated Naples. His brother, Ogden Goelet, died aboard his yacht in the English channel in 1897.

Off For a Long Cruise.

NEW YORK, May 2.-The steam yacht Niagara, New York Yacht club. Howard Gould, passed out quarantine for a long foreign cruise. The Niagara is expected to be back in time for the international races for the Americas cup in the fall.

Death of Lewis Baker.

WASHINGTON, May 1 .- Hon, Lewis Baker, widely known and prominent in journalism and politics for more than a third of a century, died at his home in this city. During the past sever months he had suffered from an attack of pernicious aenemia, which steadily

Death of Sheridan Shook,

NEW YORK, April 28.-Sheridan Shook died at Red Hook, N. Y. He was 77 years old. For many years he was proprietor of the Union Square theater and the Morton House,

Smallpox In Batavia. BATAVIA, N. Y., May 2.-William Wickers, a workman, is suffering from

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smallpox at his home in this village.

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Su.	Mo. 1		We.		2.00	Sa.	Tornado Io Iowa. ONAWA, Ia., April 28.—A torn swept the farming country 20 miles to of here. Only meagre details here been received here. Three persons reported to have been killed and grammage done to property. Hopes For the Spanish Prisoners. MADRID. May 1.—The prospect satisfaction, us likely to lead to
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	

east

satisfaction, no likely to lead to the ers in the hands of the Filipinos.

EXCURSION TRAIN WRECKED.

People Killed and Over Fifty Badly Injured.

ROCHESTER, May 1.—The most dis-Fifty People Killed and Over a astrous railroad wreck that has happened on a Rochester railroad occurred on the Rochester and Lake Ontario railroad, better known as the Bay railroad, at Rosenbauer's Corners, about the Eastern Portion of the Town of one-half miles north of the city line, Kirksville Almost Wiped Out of Exwhen two cars on an excursion train, istence - Two It nd of Families Renfilled with passengers, left the track while going around a curve at full dered Homeless-Fifteen People Killed speed, and were completely wrecked. Over 50 persons were injured, three ST. LOUIS, April 28 .- A special to are dead and at least a dozen are fa-The Globe-Democrat from Kirksville,

The following is a partial list of the

dead and injured: A gathering storm that had been The scene which followed was heartthreatening all afternoon broke upon rending in the extreme. The moans Kirksville at 6:20 o'clock in all the fury and shricks of the injured filled the of a cyclone. A path a quarter of a air and a sickening sight met the eye. mile wide and as clean as the prairie The work of rescue was energetically was swept through the eastern portion carried on and as soon as each sufferer was taken out he was sent to the hosof the city, and 400 buildings, homes

and mercantile were leveled to the Ambulances had been quickly summoned from the city and although it in the heavy rain that followed the was a long run, remarkably quick time people who had escaped turned out was made. The ambulances carried to rescue the injured. For two hours extra doctors so that the wounded were not much was accomplished as all was quickly attended to and the more seriously hurt were hastily removed to confusion, but by 8 o'clock 25 dead bodies had been taken from the the several hospitals. ruins. It is confidently expected that

Cable Steamer Starts For Manila.

the list of dead will reach between 50 NEW YORK, May 2.-The United and 60, if it does not exceed that. About States cable steamer Hooker passed out quarantine bound for Manila to connect by cable all the principal points in the Philippines. The Hooker was formerly the Panama, one of the first prizes captured in the Spanish war. Lieutenant John E. Maxfield is in command and with him goes a full detachment from the signal corps.

Big Cut In the Price of Gas.

NEW YORK, May 2.- The New York Mutual Gas Light company gave notice that the price of gas to all its customers had been reduced from \$1.10 to 65 cents per 1,000 feet. The Consolidated Gas company also announced a similar reduction. At the office of the Mutual company no reason was given for the big cut. The reduction had been entirely unexpected.

Peanut Trust Forming.

NEW YORK, May 2.-A consolidation of the peanut industry of the country under the control of a single company with a capital of \$5,000,000 is about to be formed. The value of the peanut crop of the United States annually is estimated at between \$6,000,000 to \$9,-

the United States district court, refused an application of the Edison Electric Light, Heat and Power company, to compel it to desist from using the

three wire system of the Edison com-

An Injunction Refused.

ST. LOUIS, May 2.-Judge Adams in

MARKET REPORT New York Money Market.

Money on call, 4 per cent. May 1. Prime mercantile paper, 35/9/454 per Sterling exchange: Actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.87%@4.88 for demand; and \$4.85%@4.86 for 60 days. Posted

Commercial bills, \$4.8464.846. Silver certificates, 64461%c. silver, 63140 Mexican dollars, 49c.

New York Produce Market.

FLOUR — Winter patents, \$3.75@4.10; winter straights, \$3.55@3.75; winter ex-tras, \$2.60@3.00; winter low grades, \$2.40@ 2.55; Minnesota patents, \$3.8094.10; Minnesota bakers, \$3.0091.20, RYE FLOUR-\$3.0093.40.

will be well filled with students, as a RYE-No. 2 western, sic f.o.b. affoat; state rye, 63c c.i.f. New York car lots. BARLEY - Mailing, 541,2061c delivered New York; feeding, 47@4812 f.o.b. affoat WHEAT-No. 2 red, 815c f.o.b. affoat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 82c f.o.b. affoat, The storm then went northwest and wiped out Patterson's nursery, pulling Options: No. 2 red July, 77%c; Sept. 77c, CORN-No. 2, 42%c f.o.b. affoat. Op-

tions: July, 39%c; Sept., 40c. OATS-No. 2, 22½c; No. 2, 21½c; No. 2 white, 36c; No. 3 white, 31½c; track track mixed western, 3280Mc; track white, 350

HAY-Shipping, 45 255c; good to choice PORK-Family, \$10.50@11.00. BUTTER — Western creamery, 144-29

17c; factory, 12\2014c; Elgins, 18c; imitation creamery, 13\2015\2015c; state dairy, 14\2015c; creamery, 14\2015c. Ch., ESE - Large wnite, 12c; small do, 12%c; large colored, 12c; small colored, 12%c; light skims, 55,45%c; par Tiggshie, full skims, 4950 EGGS-State and Pennsylvania, 1949

Buffalo Provision Market. BUFFALO, May 1.

WHEAT - No. 1 hard, 80%; No. 1 porthern, 79c, Winter wheat, No. 2 red, CORN-No. 2 yellow, 40c; No. 3 yel-OATS-No. 2 white, 33%c; No. 3 mixed,

RYE-No. 2, 67c. FLOUR-Epring wheat, best patent per brl., \$4.756:4.56; low grades, \$2.0092.59; win-ter, best family, \$1.756:4.09; graham, \$1.59 BUTTER - State and creamery, 17@

18c; western do, 1634917c. CHEESE-Fancy full cream, 124913c, choice do, 114912c; light skims, 749c; skims, 596c. - State, 1314@131/20; western, 12@ 1356C.

CATTLE-Extra export steers, \$5.30% 5.88; good do, \$5.00@5.25; choice heav; butchers, \$4.00@4.90; light handy o, \$1.7 4.50; cows and helfers, extra, \$3.20@3.30 calves, heavy fed. \$3.85@4.25; veals, \$5.25@ SHEEP AND LAMBS-Choice to extra

East Buffalo Live Stock Market.

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Little Falls Cheese Market.

LITTLE FALLS, N. Y., May 1. These sales of cheese have 77 boxes large colored at 9%c; 2,440 are boxes, small sizes at 9c; few packages reat butter at 16@17c.

UTICA, N. Y., May 1.

At the Utica board of trade these gales of choose were made: 283 boxes peace in the Philippines is hailed with large cheese; 1,550 boxes small cheese early liberation of the Spanish prison- all consigned. No sales and no butter on sale.

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Record of Many Happenings Condensed and Put In Small Space and Arranged With Special Regard For the Convenience of the Reader Who Has Little Time to Spare.

John Galt Smith, a prominent linen and cotton manufacturer of New York city, is dead.

Toledo pastors favor municipal ownership of saloons.

Edward Oswald of Camden, N. J., murdered his wife and 8-year-old child and then attempted to kill himself. Domestic trouble James and Joseph Caldwell, brothers

living on a ranch near Williamsport, N. D., quarreled, and James shot his brother to death with a rifle. He then committed suicide by drinking car-Edward Scott of Jamestown, N. Y., stabbed his son Edward, the result of

a quarrel. The son is in a critical condition and the father is in jail. The dead bodies of four men who started on a timber cruise in Oregon, have just been found. It is thought

they were poisoned by eating poisone! canned meat or vegetables. The Missouri river at Omaha overflowed it banks and over 100 ple are homeless as a result. The ri is still rising.

Guta, in the Kombon district, Hark ry, were destroyed by fire, and seven women and three children are known to have perished. Don Carlos, the pretender to the Spanish throne, is said to have is

Three hundred houses in the town

Dr. R. M. Rakestraw, a radical aboli tionist in anti-bellum days, died at his home in Hicksville, O., aged 81 years.

The Russian government has se-

cured an interest in a port on the Pe-

sian gulf sufficient to give her the

sued another manifesto to his adher-

right of possession. The treaty of peace between the United States and Spain was handed over to the Spanish minister in Turis. who immediately forwarded it by she cial messenger on to Madrid.

into the affairs of New York ell. ported to the legislautre asking for an extension of time and power to widen the investigation. Three men were killed by a fail of

The Mazet commission investigating

slate in the Pen Argyle valley quarry at Pen Argyle, Pa. Richard Croker left New York raty on the steamer New York for Source. ampton, Eng. He will remain about three or four months.

The British government will subsidia: a Pacific cable to connect British Columbia with Australia. have entered the shipbuilding trus-

It is said that the Canadian wheat erop in Ontario has been greatly injured by the extreme winter. The Republican monetary committee in session at Atlantic City, N. J., have agreed upon a monetary plan, but will

The statue erected in memory of Gereral Grant in Philadelphia was upvelled with appropriate ceremonies. Six men were badly burned by an explosion of gas in a colliery near

not make it public just at present.

Three persons were killed and a vast amount of property was destroyed by a tornado at Onawa, Ia. The treaty of peace between O:

United States and Spain was formally

turned over to the Spanish premier to

Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Madrid. The president has issued a proclama tion announcing the ratification of the new extradition treaty between the United States and Mexico.

Will Mullen, a white road overs-

was shot and killed by three negro near Montgomery, Ala. Dr. William Seward Webb of Bas lington has presented war medals : every member of the First Verm regiment of volunteers. The medals in made of metal taken from Adr.,

Nearly the entire village of Crob : Mich., was swept away by fire. F. teen houses were burned, causing a loss of \$60,000. Rev. Dr. Alexander H. Clapp, editrial secretary of the Congregation Home Missionary society of No.

ral Cervera's flagship, the Marie Tereso,

York city, died at his home in that city. John P. Ross of Sharon, Mass., was shot and killed by his wife who claimed that he was choking her. President McKlaley has telegraphed General Otis conveying to officers and men his heartfelt congratulations and gratitude for their signal gallantry and

victories in the Philippines. The coliler Abarenda started from Fort Monroe on her long voyage to Samon. She goes by the way of the Straits of Magellan

Brigadier General Davis bas been an pointed governor general of Porto Rico to succeed General Henry, who asked to be relieved on account of illhealth. The coal operators in Southern Indiana, fearing a strike, have shut down

their mines for six months, throwing 2,000 miners out of employment. Great suffering is feared. Owing to an inrush of water at a gold mine near Troigk, Poland, 62 miners were killed and 30 others hadly in-

Four people were killed by an explosion of powder at the Dupont works near Woodbury, N. J. The explosion resulted from an experiment of a government giant torpedo.

John Webber, an engineer of Peterboro, Ont., shot and killed his a fe and then killed himself. Weble was subject to fits and was in mintally insane when he committed the deal. L. M. Pitkin, a premiusini tron men-

ufacturer of Cleveland, was to down and instantly killed by a forces live. His body was horribly mangled. He was 70 years of age.

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