# O SAMAR REBELS KILLED

Troops Storm Camp of the Philippine Fanatics.

## TORTURED NATIVES ARE FREED.

Enrique Daguhob, Most Troublesome Rebel Leader in Philipines, la Killed in a Hand-to--band Combat With Troops Under the Command of Capt. Cromwell Stacey-Only Two Soldiers Are Wounded and None Killed.

Manila (By Cable),-Capt. Cronwell Stacey, with So men of the Twenty-firs-Infantry and the Thirty-eighth Company of Philippine scouts, on June 4. surprised the headquarters of the fanatical tribe known as Pulajanes, which has made trouble in the Island of Samar for months. In the fight which followed Enrique Daguhob, the chief of the tribe and leader of the insurrection, was killed, with 39 of his followers. Two men of the Twenty-first Infantry were wounded.

The troops' rush on the camp was followed by half an hour's hand-to-hand fighting. When it was over the leader two of his captains and 37 private were dead. Bodies of other dead are being found in the bush, and the total number of the killed is not yet known,

A captain and six Pulajanes were taken prisoners, and 11 rifles, 200 bolos and some valuable records were captured.

Captain Stacey released two natives who had been seized by the band and were undergoing torture.

These prisoners and some women, who sought the protection of the troops, said that two of the Pulajanes captains were wounded. They said that 400 fighting men and 200 carriers composed the gang Daguhob's death does away with the most troublesome fanatic in the Island of Samar.

### Dug Up Gold Dollars.

Corry, Pa., (Special).-While looking for a buried treasure on a farm Attorney Gerry Kincaid, of Corry, unearthed over \$1,000 in twenty-dollar gold pieces. The money was in the ground, with no kind of a covering. Later he dug up a piece of gas pipe which was filled with twentydollar gold certificates, and when counter unted to \$1,100. An old farmer who was afraid of the banks after the Chadwick exposure drew several thousand dollars in gold from Corry Bank and burried the money about his farm. He died suddenly one night. Several hundred dollars is missing and is supposed to be on the farm in some place.

### Strike of Duck Trousers.

Zancsville, Ohio (Special) .- The seniors of the Zanesville High School are 1900. in revolt and refuse to take part in the commencement exercises because the juniors have announced their intention to wear whife duck trousers during com-mencement week. The superintendent and members of the school board have been trying to settle the matter by some sort of compromise, but the seniors are obdurate and demand that the juniors discard the white trousers.

## Murdered By Moors,

Tangler (By Cable) .- Moorish robbers entered the Austrian vice consulate at Mazagan on June 6 and murdered Vice Consul Madden, a British subject, who also represented Denmark and who had been established there for many years They also fired at and wounded his wife, The assassins escaped. The Austrian assassins escaped.

# Sung Sum For Princeton.

Princeton, N. J. (Special) .- It has threw out the first shovelful of earth been announced that a satisfactory settlement has been made between the Princton Theological Seminary and the heirs of the late Mrs. Mary J. Winthrop, whereby the seminary receives \$1,750,000. Since the death of Mrs. Win- way from Colon. throp, three years ago, her heirs have been contesting the will, by which she left the bulk of her estate to the semi-

### Mr. Wilkins' Sons to Manage Past. Washington, D. C. (Special).-The

Washington Post editorially announces that the recent death of Beriah Willeins will involve no change whatever in the aper. Its control passes to the two con, John F. and Robert C. Willeins, for some years associated with their father on the Post, and its management and policies will continue as heretofore.

# SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

According to a statement by the chair-Company several of the new omnibutes have cleared \$245 a week, while the profits from a horse omnibus average between \$80 and \$85 a week.

While the Chinese are held to be the most economical people in the world, has apparently never occurred to then to use the vast areas of the verdant hi and mountain regions as pasturage for cattle, sheep or horses.

The exports of Cuba for 1904 aggregated in value \$100,000,000, \$11,000,000 more than in 1903, and of this amount 83 per cent, came to the United States. Nearly half the total imports of Cuba a sold by the United States,

Japan's rice crop for 1904 was 263, 592,355 bushels, an increase 226 bushels over the crop of 1903.

Justice Leventritt, in the Supreme Court of New York, held that the trustees of the Metropolitan Museum of Art were justified in refusing to exhibit Etnesto Biondi's "Saturnalia," the bronze group which has lain in the musesum cellars for the past couple of years.

The National Council of the Federa-Atlantic City. A resolution asking Con-gresss to provide for a pure food commission was discussed.

The board of directors of the Mera resolution in favor of reciprocity treaties with leading countries of Europe. A committee will be appointed to urge Con-

It is semi-officially announced in New York that Gen. Horace Porter, ambassa-dor to France, has been decided upon as chairman of the board of directors of the Equitable Life Assurance So-

Germany's proposition to the power for an international conference on Morocco has again stirred up French feelNEWS IN SHORT ORDER.

the Latest Happenings Condensed for Rap Rending. Domestic.

Woodrow Wilson presiding.

maly injured.

Mrs. Alexander Wood, of Philadel-hia, who was Misa Louise Geary,

In a head-on collision between two

Texas and New Orleans trains near

ves and several others were injured. Mayor Weaver, of Philadelphia, has

decapitated two organization committing magistrates. His advisers are planning

mencement plans at La School, near Frenton, N. J.

of the recent explosion and disaster,

the McKinley National Monument.

York to discuss the proposed entertainment of Prince Louis of Battenburg,

bureign.

esolution to organize a national memo-

King Oscar has finally accepted the

The Newfoundland government pro-

tations on that coast.
In a riot at Minsk, Russia, the sol-

dembers of the Parliamentary Oppo-

ition party in Hungary are sending an

ddress to the Norwegian Storthing say-

xample of Norway, will fight for her

Four gunners on the battleship Ken-

nicky made new records in target prac-

King Alfonso, after a week's visit to king Edward, returned to Spain. The French Chamber of Deputies

adopted sections of the Church and Separation Bill placing the State churches gramitously at the disposition of the parochial societies for the exercise of

ational rights.

mincing dissolution of the union.

comize the new government.

age books.

burned.

## in Interest of Humanity. AGREEMENT TO NEGOTIATE EXPECTED.

President's Note to Japan and Russia

Frank G. Bigelow, defaulting presi-ent of the First National Bank of Mil raukee, pleaded guilty and was sen-enced in the federal court in Milwau President Roosevelt Confident That His Efforts ee to to years at hard labo. in the pen entiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. A consolidation of the Ingersoll-Ser-geant Company and the Rand Drill Com--Negotiations Will Be Direct and Exclusive- Those drowned: pany has been made through the incor-poration of the Ingersoll-Rand Com-pany. The new company will have a ly Between the Belligerents.

Washington (Special) .- President apital stock of \$10,000,000. The fight for the millions of William Weightman, the Philadelphia chemist, Roosevelt, through the State Departnent, sent identical notes to the Russian was begun in earnest. Sensationa charges were made by the guardian o Sensurional and Japanese Governments, initiating the movement for peace. Martha Rogers Weightman.

The notes were sent through Ambassa-The junior oratorical contest of The notes were sent through Ambassa-Princeton's one hundred and fifty-eighti dor George van L. Meyer and Minister mmencement was held, with President Lloyd C. Griscom, and as soon as word was received from both of these representatives that the note had been laid before each of the two Covernments aughter of Governor Geary, was mar-tied in Stockbridge, Miss., to James P. the official announcement was made at audlow of New York. the White House. The word came first the White House. The word came first of the draw. The boiler of a locomotive attached from Ambassador Meyer and later from to a heavy loaded freight train exploded near Quincy, Mass., and several cars Minister Griscom, the announcement bewere wrecked and a brakeman was seri- ing withheld until 10.15 P. M., until the American Minister to Japan notified the State Department that he had laid the Spochard, Tex., two trainmen lost their communication of this Government before the Japanese Government.

Secretary Loeb made the official anouncement as follows:

Miss Edna Theresa Kenton, of Philadelphia, was serretly married to Black Hawk, a full-blooded Indian, who was at the Cheficle Lebina Covernments.

A consolidation mortgage of the Terminal Railroad and Coal Company for S14,000,000 was filed in New York.

The Florida New York. The Florida Baskers' Association met pan the United States has inherited ties off, the hub broke and the machine at Atlantic Beach, Fla., and elected offi-cers for the coming year. for the prosperity and welfare of each, Scarlet fever has spoiled the com-encement plans at Lawrenceville world is set back by the war between these two great pations.

Mabel Gates and George Job com-"The President accordingly urges the mitted suicide in Kansas City, Mo., by Russian and Japanese Governments, not The strike of the miners at the Moronly for their own sakes, but in the ins Run Colliery, New York, has been open direct negotiations for peace with Forty-one members of the Philadel- that these peace negotiations be conphia Branch of the National Structural ducted directly and exclusively between Ironworkers and Bridgebuilders were the belligerents. In other words, that One of their members, Ed- there may be a meeting of Russian and ward Joyce, of Washington, was myste- Japanese plenipotentiaries or delegates riously shot during a meeting of the without any intermediary, in order to see if it is not possible for these repre At Albany, N. Y., the Court of Appeals upheld the conviction of Lawyer to terms of peace.

'The President earnestly asks that the Albert T. Patrick for murder in the "The President earnestly asks that the first degree in causing the death of Russian and Japanese Governments do Marsh Rice, the aged million- now agree to such meeting. aire, in New York on September 23, President does not feel that any intermediary should be called in respect to Near Neave, Ky., Dr. Edmonds the peace negotiations themselves, he is currency was assassinated by the friends entirely willing to do what he properly of Dr. William Korney, who was re- can if the two powers concerned feel Courtney responsible for the former's ranging the preliminaries as to the time and place of meeting. But if even these preliminary can be arranged directly The Pennsylvania Railroad Company between the two powers, or in any other way, the President will be glad, as his whole purpose is to bring about a meethas given \$10,000 to the Harrisburg Hospital in appreciation of services rendered by that institution on the occasion ing which the whole civilized world will

Leah L. Leitman, a young woman was employed in Hartford, Ct., as a tailoress, leaped overboard from the steamer flartford while in Hell Gate and lowed by direct negotiations, as suggested in a message sent by the President to Tokio and St. Petersburg. President to Tokio and St. Petersburg. pray may result in peace." is wife gave birth to a girl, instead of boy, picked up the infant, and dashed were to be given out for publication as against the wall, causing instant death. soon as word was received from the The Wisconsin legislature has passed American representatives at the two cap. Hooker, from Marshall county, the Suand British authorities have sent ener- a bill requiring railroad companies to itals that it had been transmitted to the getic protests to the Sultan's foreign file with the Interstate Commerce Com- two sovereigns. Word came Thursday actions in cotton futures are not controlled to the preme Court of Alabama held that transa list of all passes and mile- from Ambassador Meyer that the Czar h d received his, and late Friday that had been submitted to the Mikado. At Canton, O., Architect Magonigle The publication of the notes shows officially that contact has been establi between St. Petersburg and rosio through Washington, It is also an offi-cial indication that both of the belliger-Frank O'Leary, of Buffalo, died of yellow fever in a New York hospital. He was taken ill at sea while on his ents have indicated a willingness to on the peace requisitions. President gin the peace negotiations. President Roosevelt's work, therefore, is finished Fire brake out in the village of Proc-torville, O. The schoolhouse, coldfor the time being, and when he left The schoolhouse, coldown he was removed, temporarily at storage plant and five residences were least, out of the situation, for it is purpose of the belligerents themselves Paul Morton, secretary of the Navy, called on Mayor McClellan in New

settle the terms of peace, Russia is waiting for the Japanese overnment to name the time and place who is coming here with a British fleet in October. Prince Louis is an admiral in the British Navy and a nephew of King Edward VII. or the peace negotiations. It is realready cognizant of ions to be imposed by Japan, and does

ot consider them too onerous. Russian Foreign Office officials say King Oscar has finally accepted the ddress of the Storthing announcing the issolution of the union, which he at entiaries in the first instance, so as to dissolution of the union, which he at permit the reception of Japan's condi-first refused. A member of the Nor-sions at any place named by Japan weglan Cabinet says the popular scatt-Russia will then determine whether they ment favors a republic, and he hopes the United States will be the first to fford a basis for negotiations.

President Roosevelt returned to the White House from Virginia, but Secre-The United Irish League of Great Britain, at its annual meeting, under the mothing concerning peace negotiations presidency of T. P. O'Connor, passed a to be made public.

According, however, to a report is Germany's draft of its views on the imposed by Japan include an incoming coposed commercial treaty with the of \$650,000,000, a Japanese protectorate over Korea and Manchuria, the cession over Korea and nart of the transnission to Washington.

An attempt was made to assassinate ientenant Colonel Spiridovitch, of the ecret service police, at Kleff, Russia. of Port Arthur and part of the trans-Manchurian Railroad to Japan, forfeitere of the interned warships, the with lrawal of Russian warships from the ar East for a period of 25 years and ddress of the Norwegian Storthing, anhe occupation of Vladivostok until all conditions are fulfilled.

# Mrs. Chadwick's Imported Jewelry.

Cleveland, Ohio, (Special). - United States District Attorney J. J. Sullivan hers shot and killed one Jew and filed nine informations in the United States District Court here to have a forfeiture declared for nonpayment of duty against \$5,000 worth of jewelry imng that Hungary, encouraged by the sorted into this country by Dr. Leroy S. Chadwick and Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick three years ago. The jewelry is now in F. Leach. It consists of rings, brooches and stickpins, set with precious stones.

# Prince Louis Coming.

Washington, (Special) .- The Navy Department has been advised through he British Embassy of the intended visit o American waters, some time in October, of Prince Louis of Battenberg, with a squadron of British warships, consist-Norwegian tricolor was hoisted ng of four cruisers. Owing to the late n Norway in place of the union flag ness in the season of the arrival on this with patriotic ceremonics. Crown Prince side of the Atlantic the squadron with ide of the Atlantic the squadron will oustave of Sweden returned to Stock-olm and was given a grand reception. not be able to visit New York and then The International Cotton Congress, Annapolis. From the latter place the at Manchester, England, adjourned to Prince is expected to come to Washington.

## MAKES APPEAL FOR PEACE AUTOMBILE PLUNGES THROUGH DRAW. HEADS THE EQUITABLE Three Persons Are Drowned in Chicago

Chicago (Special). - Three persons were drowned and two others narrowly scaped a like fate, when an autome bile, in which the five were riding. to Bring the Belligereats Together Will Be plunged into the Chicago River through Successful-The Czar Said to Be Favorable | the open draw of the Rush street bridge.

> Jerome G. Kurtzman, Chicago, manager for a chemical company. Mrs. Jerome G. Kurtzman

W. A. Hartley, manager for an ausmobile house.

The rescued: W. H. Hoops, Jr., manager for an Mrs. Jeremiah Runyon, New York

Both Mrs, Runyon and Mr. Hoops were unconscious for half an hour after pected to recover.

where the approach is on the level. The occupants of the automobile which

the chauffeur of which, seeing that the draw was open, slackened speed,

the Carlisle Indian School.

Albert T. Patrick, the convicted murderer, retained his nerve when told in Ossining, N. Y., of the decision against mankind he must endeavor to see if it m pen draw at 20 miles an hour. When hand as to measures and men. dropped into the river, 30 feet below. As the machine slipped along the edge of screamed and all of the occupants rose lung into the river, and after them

Hoops and Mrs. Runyon fell clear of on was taken to the Lexington Hotel in a hysterical condition. Neither principal rivals. Mr. Ryan is said to Kurtzman, his wife, nor Hartley rose be heavily insured in the Equitable, as to the surface, and it is thought that they were pinned down by the machine, others who acted with him in the pur-

### Wrecked By Spreading of Rails.

Flint, Mich., (Special) .- Fast through rain No. 3, on the Grand Trunk Railroad, bound for Chicago from the East, was wrecked about 10 miles east of here, near Davison, by spreading rails. No one was killed. Mrs. Cora Waltrous, of Roxbury, Mass., was, it is thought, fatalv injured, and 10 others were less serously hurt. Three coaches were ditched.

### Mrs. Rogers Must Die.

Albany, N. Y. (Special).-Judge Rufus W. Peckham, of the United States Supreme Court, declined to grant a writ of error, which would allow the case of Mrs. Mary Rogers, of Vermont, now under sentence for the murder of her husband, to go to the United States

# Dealing in Futures Upheld.

Montgomery, Ala. (Special).-In the case of G. A. Nuckles against J. F. actions in cotton futures are not gamling, but a legitimaté business. les gave a mortgage os some property as security for margins, and an effort was made to forclose the mortgage. He contended that the mortgage was invalid inasmuch as it was given to secure a gam-

# Oleo For Jack Tars?

Philadelphia (Special).-B. H. Warren, Dairy and Food Commissioner of Pennsylvania, furnished President Roosevelt and the Acting Secretary of the Navy with evidence alleging that fraud was being committed at the League Isand yard in supplying that station with deomargarine when the contract called for pure butter. Commissioner Warren miles. saya both the President and the Acting Secretary of the Navy assured him that a full investigation would be made.

# Former Congressman Dead.

Boston, Mass., (Special). - Former Congressman Henry F. Naphen, of the Tenth Massachusetts district, was found lead at his home, in South Boston, Heart disease is given as the cause.

# FINANCIAL.

Philadelphia bank clearings were \$22,-630,000, a gain of \$9,000,000.

Missouri Pacific declared its usual semi-annual dividend of 2½ per cent.

Cotton is more than \$10 a bale higher ow than it was some months ago.
In May the production of pig iron was 1,967,586 tons, the highest figure

Japan deposited in New York someting over \$60,000,000 derived from the ecent sale of bonds. W. L. Bull says: "The buying of At iltine Coast Line and of Louisville &

Nashville is of the best character." T. H. Price figures that cotton acreage this season will amount to 30,030, 000 against 31,730,000 planted last sca-

con. Directors of the Commercial Trust and the Franklin National Bank accepted the resignation of H. C. Frick as a director of those two institutions;

It can be stated on inside authority

that the orders for Steel on the books

of the United States Steel Company are exceptionally large. They have not shown any decline during the past The American Railways Company earned gross in May \$126,913, a gain of \$7084. For eleven months of the year

the gain was \$56,598. The company earning well above its 6 per cent, divi-"The trust companies," said the eacher of a leading national bank of Phila-delphia, "could afford to pay 21/2 per

cent. for city deposits as easily as we can pay 2 per cent. owing to the fact that they are not obliged to carry a reserve. But I understand the biggest trust companies would rather lose the

Paul Morton Elected Chairman of the Board of Directors.

## MR. HYDE SELLS HIS STOCK CONTROL.

A Day of Surprises in the Affairs of the Life Assurance Society-A Syndicate of Policyholders Headed by Mr. Thomas F. Ryan Purchases Mr. Hyde's Stock-New Chairman Asks for Absolute Authority.

New York (Special).-Paul Morton who retires from the secretaryship of States, but in New England low temthe Navy on July 1, was elected chairman of the executive committee of the Equitable Life Assurance Society. His lection marks the first and most imortant step in the reorganization of the ociety, and was followed by the tender vere unconscious for half an hour after of the resignations of President James eing taken from the water, but are ex- W. Alexander, Vice President James H. The accident occurred at the north end of the bridge, where there is an upward slope of 200 feet towards the edge of the draw. This slope is so steep that

it has not been thought necessary to stretch chains across the roadway, as is done at a number of other bridges, of the Equitable, although the meeting was not altogether harmonious. It is known that Brayton Ives and

dashed into the river were coming south in Rush street, close behind another the outset of the controversy on the side Charles Stewart Smith, who were from of the conservative element, protested against some of the proceedings of the and was coming to a stop about 50 feet from the edge of the draw.

Hoops, who was driving the rear ma-

The new chairman, to further quote Senator Depew, did not consent to take surances that he would have a "free

a fracture of a second hung on the of Chairman Morton, and none has yet brink. The tire of the front wheel ripped been accepted. Just what action Mr. Morton will take as to these resignations was not disclosed, but it was strongly intimated that President Alexander and Vice Pres-

idents Tarbell, Wilson and McIntyre re o their feet, but Ind no time in which tired with the belief that their executive make another move before they were relations with the Equitable had ended ung into the river, and after them The interests to which Mr. Hyde disposed of his stock number some two-Hoops and Mrs. Runyon fell clear of score individuals, led by Thomas F. the machine and were taken unconscious Ryan, vice president of the Morton from the river by sailors, who were on a wharf, near the bridge. Mrs. Runtions with the Mutual Life Insurance Company, one of the Equitable Society's

> chase of the Hyde holdings. The price paid for the Hyde estate stock which is to be trusteed practically in perpetuity, was not disclosed, but estimates vary from \$3,500,000 to \$5,000,000. In addition to the 502 shares held by the Hyde estate, which includes the widow of Henry B. Hyde, founder of the society, and his daughter. Vice President Hyde is said to hold between 160 and 170 shares, and it is these holdings which Mr. Untermyer refers to as th 'substantial interests," which his cliretains. Mr. Untermyer has, since

## the beginning of the Equitable contro-versy, acted as Mr. Hyde's counsel. MAKES REMARKABLE TIME. Special Train on Pennsylvania Covers 468

Miles in 440 Minutes. Pittsburg, (Special). - The distance between Chicago and Pittsburg over the Pennsylvania lines, 468 miles, was covered in the phenomenal time of 440 minutes without much effort.

A special train, practicaly a counter vania Special," the new 18-hour train be-tween Chicago and New York was taken over the route, and strengthened the confidence of operating officials of the Pennsyvania system in their ability to annihilate distances. General Superintendent A. M. Schoyer was in charge of the train, which also carried other officials and a guest, Mr. L. F. Loree, former manager of the Pennsylvania ines, later president of the Baltimore and Ohio and until recently in a similar

capacity with the Rock Island.
The train left Cnicago Union Station about 7.30 A. M. on Thursday and rolled into Pittsburg Union Station at exactly 2.45 P. M. The average speed of 63.53 miles an hour was maintained, includir all stops. The train was standing still 28 minutes, and the actual speed an hour while the train was in motion was 68 r

# "Roosevelt of Virginia?"

Richmond, Va. (Special).-A report from Scottsville says that rumors are current there that President Roosevel: vill soon acquire a summer home in Albemarle country, not far from Scotts sille. The place adjoins what is known as the old "Ghost Place." gained the name of being haunted many years ago, it is said, when men, diggins a well, found iron, which they thought was gold. To keep people away they spread the report that ghosts infested the place.

# Pennsylvania Ratiroad firateful.

Harrisburg, Pa. (Special).-In addion to a letter expressive of its appreation of the aid and succor given to the injured and care bestowed upon th ead in the South Harrisburg wreck of May 11 by the people of Harrisburg the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has nated \$10,000 to the Harrisburg Hos pital. The domation was given without any restrictions as to its use, that being eft entirely to its board of managers.

# Bride of Prince.

Berlin (By Cable) .- Crown Prince Frederick William and Duchess Cecillis of Mecklenburg-Schwerin were married in the Palace Chapel while the clock on the plaza marked 5, and batteries here and in every garrison town in Prussia and in every sea where German warship floated began firing a 21-gun salute a the same moment. In the chapel one of the most distinguished assemblages than could be gathered in Europe saw the simple wedding service of the Lutheran Church.

### Scalded to Death. Cleveland, O. (Special).-Three men

were killed by a sudden rush of steam were killed by a sudden rush of steam the Canalian contingent had accepted in a boiler which they were repairing at the American view of the limitations the American Steel and Wire Company's on the works of the commission. the American Steel and Wire Company's furnace here. The exact manner is which the steam came in is not known but it is supposed that one of the men struck and broke a connection or pipe. The bodies were so badly scalded as to make identification difficult. came here recently from Pittsburg. Several men who assisted in rescuing the city account than to pay more than 2 hodies were injured, but none is

# CROP CONDITIONS ALL OVER COUNTRY.

conditions are summarized as follows in

he weekly bulletin issued by the Weath-

"The week just ended was the most

favorable of the season in the Rocky

Mountain Region and over the western

portions of the Central Valleys. Gen-

erally favorable conditions also prevailed

in the Middle Atlantic and Southern

rainfall have prevented growth. Por-tions of the Ohio Valley, Upper Lake Region, Oklahoma and Southern Texas

have suffered from excessive moisture. On the Pacific Coast the conditions were

generally favorable, although portions

of California and Oregon experienced

temperatures too low.
"In the States of the Missouri and Central Mississippi Valleys corn is much

vation has been made. In the Upper Ohio Valley much planting remains to

States considerable replanting will be necessary on account of cutworns. In

the Southern States early corn is being

laid by in good condition,
"Winter wheat has advanced favor-

ably, fewer reports of injury from rust

of the area previously affected. In Ohio and Nebraska, however, although in

promising condition, damage from rust

and insects has increased somewhat Winter wheat harvest is in progress in

the Southern States, and is beginning

fornia, where wheat is maturing rapidly. On the North Pacific Coast winter wheat

is in promising condition, having ex-perienced decided improvement in Wasn-

Under decidedly better temperature

conditions in the spring wheat region, spring wheat has made good progress

nd is stooling well. In portions of the

Dakotas, however, the crop is thin and

weeding in localities. In Washington

spring is in splendid condition and has made rapid growth; and while the out

look in Oregon is favorable, low tem-peratures have been detrimental.

crop is very promising, an improvement being reported from the Middle Atlantic

States and Missouri Valley. Oats are heading as far north as Kansas, Mis-

souri and Central Illinois, and harvesting

is in progress in the South Atlantic and East Gulf States.

tion of cotton is indicated. With the

tions of the East Gulf and South Atlan-

MUCH IN LITTLE.

"Nearly every person who commits

suicide by drowning partly undresses before entering the water," said Dr.

Wynn Westcott at an inquest in Lon-

Ellen Kay, one of the foreign leaders

of the movement for equal rights for

women, expressed her regrets in a re-

cent lectures in Vienna at the "ameri-

sponsible position from the humble sta-

tion of apprentice in the machine shop.

tribes great attention is often paid to

the children. The toys and playthings

used by the savages in all parts of the

world are often surprisingly well made.

Practically no wool is handled there at

There are no textile factories in Amoy.

There are four towns in the Philip-

pines with a population exceeding to,000

each and 35 with a population exceed-ing 5,000. Manilla is the only incorpo-

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The general condition of the oat

Oklahoma and extreme Southern in Oklahoma and extreme Southern Kansas, and wheat is ripening in the Lower Ohio and Central Mississippi Val-

Harvest has also begun in Cali-

being received from the greater

done, and in the Middle Atlantic

improved, and good progress with

er Bureau:

RUSSIANS WERE UPSET Weather Last Week Was Favorable-Frost Were No Match For the Japanese la New England. Washington, D. C. (Special) .- Crop Tactics.

## SURVIVORS TELL OF GREAT BATTLE.

Russians Were Proceeding Quietly and Were Not Expecting an Attack When Togo Hove in Sight-His Ships Charged in Lines Between Three Lines of Russians-Nine to Ten Thousand Killed.

Manila, (By Cable).-From the stories told by the Russians who escaped from the sea fight in the Korean Straits, it appears that the Japanese completely surprised the Russian fleet. The Russians were steaming peacefully along. There was no sign of the Japanese fleet, and the Russian ships were not cleared for action, nor were the batteries manned.

The attack came with a suddenness that made the unpreparedness of the Russiana for battle a glaring mistake that never could be corrected. Two lines of torpedo-boats suddenly appeared and encircled the Russian fleet. The rapidfire batteries were turned loose, but with apparently little effect on the Japanese boats. Over the approaching torpedoboats came a hail of 10 and 13-inch shells from the Japanese war vessels in the distance. The torpedo-boats advanced at full speed, one division going in a westerly and another in an easierly rection. The Russian cruisers and battleships prepared to repel the attack. The cruisers manned their port batteries and the battleships their starboard bat-No attempt was made to prepare the batteries on the other side of he ships, and it was here the Russians blundered.

When the Japanese torpedo-boats came within firing distance the Russians opened fire. Then it was the Japanese executed a maneuver that threw the Russians into confusion. The two encircling stead of continuing in that direction they turned at a signal from Togo and at full speed charged between the three lines of Russian ships, one division passing between the cruisers and the line of hosital ships and transports, and another division passing between the transports and the battleships on the other side. The Russian ships were unprepared for an attack of this character and for a time were helpless against the discharge of Japanese torpedoes. Hardly a cruiser or battlship remained unscathed. Russians were completely demoralized, and during the last dash of the torpedopoats not a shot was fired to stop them. In the meantime, Togo, with his battle-ships and cruisers, encircled the Russian fleet, and, with his big guns, completed he work of destruction

### Lotest Estimates of Russian Losses.

Gunshu Pass, Manchuria, (By Cable). -According to reports received by Gen-ral Linevitch from naval officers who the weather has afforded opportunity for much-needed cultivation, which has been actively carried on, although a large part of the crop is still in grass, with insufficient labor." have arrived at Valdivostok, the loss of Admiral Rojestvensky's fleet were from 9,000 to 10,000 officers and men killed or drowned and about 5,000 pris-

General Batjanoff, commander of the hird Manchurian army, addressing the Dried wood steeped in oil is used to troops on the occasion of the Empress' birthday, told them he hoped soon to be ncinerate departed members of the priesthood-a sight common in Ceylon. able to telegraph the news of a Russian victory to Her Majesty. The latest method in hairdressing is to cut each hair separately, a process that takes much time, but does great

Later, in conversation with a correscondent the General declared that the lefeat of the fleet was a sad and hard low, but it would not affect the morale of the troops, who, with the doggedness of the Russian soldier, were prepared to fight on as long as the Emperor gave the

"If the sea is lost," he added, "Russia can still be victorious on land. Peace, unless Japan is reasonable, is impossi-ble."

# Russian Ships Interped.

Mr. Henry Caldwell Robinson, just Washington, D. C. (Special).—Governor Wright has cabled Secretary Taft, officially notifying him that the orders of appointed superintendent of the Boston the President regarding the Russian ships in Manila Bay have been carried

Manila, (By Cable).-In the matter of the disarmament and internment of the Russian warships here, Rear Admiral Train probably will take the breech locks from the guns and disconnect their en-gines. The Russian officers will be gines. paroled within the limits of the islands, in Northern China, but none of it is brought to Amoy, as there is no demand while the crews of the vessels, on the given word of Rear Admiral Enquist, will be paroled within the city limits.

# Unveil McKinley Monument.

Reading, Pa. (Special).-An immense parade of Grand Army bodies in honor of the unveiling of the monument to former President McKinley took place A large lump of butter has been here. The monument, which was erectfound buried in an Irish hog. No one knows how old it is. It is thought that City Park. Chairman Hill, of the Mct is at least 100 years old, possibly 10 centuries. The butter is said to be in Kinley Memorial Committee, read a greeting from President Roosevelt, in which he heartily indorsed the erection of monuments to Americans who have The McKinley ode, written by Col. Thos. Secretary Taft, heard the report of W. W. Russell, American minister to Colombia, regarding the controversy be-Zimmerman, was sung by the Prople's Chorus.

# Mrs. Simpson is Tragic.

Minister Bowen, of Venezuela. Mr. Bowen and Mr. Loomis were both pres-Chicago (Special) .-- Mrs. Sue M. Simpson wrapped herself in the folds ent while Mr. Russell made his stateof an American flag, raised her right hand and defied the Women's Interna-tional Union Label League to expel her E. S. Holmes, Jr., associate statisti-cian in the Department of Agriculture, from the organization on a charge of treason. Accusations had been made has been suspended, at his own request, pending the investigation of charges of irregularity in compilation of last cotigainst her by the president, Mrs. Brettell, during a convention of the or-ganization at Hull House Social settle-ment here. "It I can't have justice from your hands, I can at least get justice from these Stars and Stripes and what they represent," cried Mrs. Simpson.

# Wrote to Miss Roosevell.

Bloomington, Ill. (Special).-Secret Service men from Washington arrested John Johnson, a Swede, for writing letters to Miss Alice Roosevelt. Johnson said that he was sent here from Sweden to marry Miss Roosevelt and communicated his mission in letters to the President's daughter. The arrest followed. Johnson was at once taken to Jacksonville and committed to an insane asylum. He previously had been an in-mate, but had been out for two years.

# Norway Secodes.

Christiania, Norway (By Cable) .--King Oscaç's refusal to sanction the bill passed by the Storthing providing for a separate consular service for Norway colminated in the passage of a resolution by the Storthing declaring the dissolution of the union of Sweden and Norway, and that the King had ceased to act as King of Norway. Although the action was anticipated, it caused considerable excitement in this city on account of the anxiety as to what action the King would take.

### The Bureau of Engraving and Printng has delivered to the Postoffice De partment 77,546,000 postage stamps, the largest delivery in one day.

Secretary Taft has appointed Gen. Ezra A. Carman chairman of the Chickamanga Military Park to succeed the late Gen. H. V. Boynton. Minister Russell, of Venezuela, arriv-

ed at Hampton Roads. He will be an important witness in the Loomis-Bowen The Russian press of St. Petersburg is severe in its condemnation of the action of President Roosevelt in enforc-

ing the 24-hour limit in the case of the Secretary Wilson denies that there is "leak" in cotton statistics. General Ernst, chairman of the Ameri-

an side of the International Water

ways Commission, has been advised that

Secretary Morton, of the Navy, favors he interment of the body of John Paul

Jones at Annapolis on September 23, the anniversary of the Admiral's great sea fight with the Scrapis. Chairman George B. Cortelyou, of the Republican National Committee, announces that he is prepared to resign the chairmanship, to be succeeded by Mr. Harry New.