# LATEST NEWS A BY TELEGRAPH

Domestic

Backed by a mass of letters and photographs found in his room, the Philadelphia police assert that Harry Ferree, shot dead by A. Jackson Detsch. Jr., was a blackmailer of women. That he attempted to blackmail. Mrs. Detsch is advanced as theory of Detsch's motive for shooting the man. Detsch clings to ing him to be a burglar.

Henry E. Warner, receiver for the
Arnold Print Works, of North Adams,

Mass, has been appointed receiver for the Williamstown Manufacturing Company and the firm of Gallup & Houghton, which were affiliated with the print works.

neer, gave his life to save the town the train blowing up before it had

The United States Court of Ap peals affirmed judgment against the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Rail-road, compelling it to pay a fine of \$15,000 for granting rebates on lard.
The Old Dominion Line steamer
Jefferson, with nearly 100 passengers, arrived in New York with fire

in the cotton in her cargo.

D. C. Gilman has resigned as president of the National Civil Service Reform League. His successor Joseph Chonte

The Cunarder Lusitania encountered a gale at sea that swept her decks. Judge Olin Wellborn, in the United States District Court in Los Angeles Cal., fined the Santa Fe Railway Company \$300,000 for rebating. James F. Jones, a mining engineer, died in Philadelphia, the result of

rtion, after his usual exercise with 25-pound dumb belis. Two coal barges, the Onondaga and Black Diamond, both heavily laden with coal, were sunk off Stony Point light, in Lake Outario.

Alfred G. Vanderbilt has given \$100,000 for the construction of a building in Newport, R. I.

Sir Anthony McDonnell, under sec-retary of state for Ireland, was prested to President Roosevelt by the British Ambassador.

Harry C. Washabaugh, bigamist, hanged himself in his cell in the county jail at Washington, Pa. Secretary Taft has finally decided to return by the way of Vladivostok, through Siberia and Europe.

The directors of the American Cotton Oil Company passed the dividend on the common stock.

Ex-Judge Henry Hand has declined the offer of the attorney general-

ship of Porto Rico. A fire caused a panic among the inmates of the Kane County, Ill.,

The consignment of \$7,100,000 in gold coin and bars which arrived on the steamer Kronprinzessin Cecilite was transferred from the ship's safe to the Subtreasury in New York. The equivalent in currency of nearly the entire consignment is being advanced

The Arnold Print Works, North Adams, Mass., employing hands, is in a receiver's hands. 6,000 Receivers have been named for the New York State Steel Company.

Raymond Hitchcock, the actor, who Tourfat.

The trust companies of New York have taken charge of the Trust Com-Gray Gables, the former home of man methods."

Grover Cleveland at Buzzards Bay, has been sold to George D. Flynn, a

The Arctic whaling fleet previously reported caught in the ice is home-

trocuted by the cable of a derrick be- tice of the Court of Appeals of the coming charged with electricity.

## Foreign

Paul Minow, an epileptic, 23 years old, has cleared up the mystery of es in Berlin resembling those of lack the Rioper in London by consing that he had stabbed four tittle girls. The Austro-Hungarian government

immigrants to beware of promises by ents of would-be employers in the Southern United States. Bitter feeling has been aroused husband breathing heavily

ssion Play" at Oberammer-Many Hussians, believing there will later, between the United States dently tried to speak, but death preand Japan, are volunteering their vented.

services to the American Embassy. There will be no trouble between

ure of a tng in Urnguayan waters by Argentine officials.

passports of emigrants intending to

Ensperor William will see Secre-Wight, during the former's visit to Bourland.

Sensational testimony was given in the hearing of the Druce mystery case in Louden. The Emperor and Empress of Ger-

many started from Berlin for Eng-Foreign Minister Hayashi, of Japan, declares the relations between Japan and the United States are as

will be settled without friction. The Italian government is taking

dollvered a speech at Nottingham, England, on Anglo-American trade relations.

Cholera is on the decrease in Rus-ata because of the cold weather. Emperor William is affected with an inflammation around the palate and the channels leading to the ears. est reports from Karatagh, Bokhara, where the landslide occurred, state that 3,400 persons perished. Dr. Estrada Palma, former president of Cuba, deleares in tayor of American control of the island. The British battleship Superb, an-

WOMAN SAILS OVER THE BIG CITIES Philadelphia to New York in the

Champion Pommern. RACES WITH TRAINS AND SHIPS Dr. Julian P. Thomas, Wife and Party Just Miss a Monument in Going Up

Parallel the Pennsylvania Railroad Nearly All the Way-Feared Going Out to Sen. New York (Special).—The giant he is a son of John F. Kelley, once German balloon, Pommern, which United States district attorney at St.

won the St. Louis race, tried another trip, with Dr. Julian P. Thômas, her new owner; his wife and four other people on board. The start was made from Philadelphia at 11 o'clock. Dr. Nacazari, Ariz., by putting full at 4.55 o'clock the ship news experts train blowing up hefore it has at the Britory sighted a strange craft heaving in sight over Governors Is-land. They guessed her to be the Pommera, from Philadelphia for New York, in ballast, and guessed right After passing over the fort at Gov.

ernors Island, the balloon held to a course up the East River, passing directly over the Brooklyn Bridge. One of the bridge cops who is stationed at the middle span picked up a newspaper which blew against his legs shortly after 5 o'clock and read about the start of the Downward. about the start of the Pommern. A moment after he had read the item he was beselged with questions about the balloon, then overhead, and was able to uphold the honor of the force by telling the people all about it.

After crossing over the bridge the Pommern held to a course along the landing at One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street and West Chester Avenue, in the Bronx.

An hour afterward Dr. and Mrs. Thomas were back in their apart-ment, at the Hendrik Hudson, One Hundred and Tenth Street and River-side Drive, and the Doctor was telling 00,000 for the construction of a of his experiences as calmly and with ung Men's Christian Association as much interest as though he had been discussing uncooked food. With Dr. Thomas were Lieut. Robert Henderson, chief engineer of the battleship Missouri, and Capt. T. T. Love-lace, of the Acro Club of America. Oscar Erbstoch, who piloted the Pommern when she won the race at St. Louis, and Herr R. Erbstoch, who also took part in the trial, had gone back to their apartments downtown, and were not present when Dr. Thomas told his story.

Dr. Thomas said:
"I had studied the methods of the French, having been the first man from this country to make an ascension with Count de la Voulx, and the American methods, as shown by Roy Knahenshue, whom I consider to be the best in this country, and I wanted to see what the Germans could do.

"I closed with the Germans for the purchase of the Pommern, and it is interesting to note as giving the view point of men who go up in the air, that, while they did not doubt my ability to pay, they wished to receive all of the money before I made the ascent, thinking it easier, perhaps, to settle with me than my helrs.
"We started at 11 o'clock in the

gas works at Point Breeze. The balloon was equipped with 23 bugs has been missing a week, surrendered of ballast, weighing, altogether, 60 When first seen the flames were to District Attorney Jerome, gave pounds. The six passengers weighed bursting through the roof and sides about a thousand pounds. I announced before I started that I would go to New York, but the balloon was managed by Herr Erbpany of America and the Lincoln stoch and the credit of the remark-Trust Company. she trip should be given to Ger-

Stricken Down When It Was Least

Two Chicago laborers were elec- Louis Emory McComas, associate jus District of Columbia, former United States senator and for four terms congressman from Maryland, died at his home, 2120 Wyoming Avenue. Sunday morning. His death was due

His death came with the awful ddenness of a lightning stroke At 6 o'clock he awoke and stepped to his wife's apartments to big good morning. She smilingly chided for rising so early on such a disagreeable day and hade him go hours later Mrs. McComas heard her over the selection of an actor to play apparent pain. She burried to his the part of the Prince of Peace in room, and saw at once he was ill oom, and saw at once he was III She raised him in her arms and oke to him, but he died an instant He was conscious, and evi-

Editor Dies in Harness.

Utica, N. Y. (Special) .- John C. Uruguay and Argentina over the Schreiber, for 50 years editor of the Deutsch Zeitung, in this city, died in office, just after he arrived from Russian police searched a number his residence. He has been commisstoner of schools in this city and served one term as sheriff of the of schools in this city and

All The Way On His Hands. Washington (Special) .- Max Duf- June 20 of this year. fek, of Munich, Germany, walked on ordered off the grounds by the watchman.

## Postcards For Children.

Washington (Special) .- Postmasooth and cordial as ever and he is ter General Meyer has ordered that Canal Zone, the immigration question hereafter souvenir post cards redefective addresses or other reason, defective addresses or other reason. military precautions in Sicily to not returnable to senders because of Netherlands; Spencer F. Eddy, p check possible disorders in connection defective addresses or other reason, ent secretary of the ombassy at with the trial of Nanzia Nasi, former be sent to the orphan asylums and lin, to be minister to Argentina. children's homes in this city. Be-United States Ambassador Reid tween 40,000 and 60,000 of these cards are received at the dead letter office dally.

## Mardered For Insurance.

Supreme Court denied the application of C. T. Richardson, William Major General John F. Preston Meson and Dr. C. T. Harley for a remained of the Department of the hearing. The men, all Americans, hearing. Harry Philippines. in February.

Captain S. L. H. Biocum, William crived in audience by Emperor Nicholana of the Department of the Philippines. in February. City of Mexico (Special). - The The British battleship Superb, and James Deveres, in February, ther improved Dreadnought, was suched at Newcastle.

The German government has modified its attitude toward the French perallons in Merocco.

OLYMPIA'S BRIDGE TO CELL. Bad Check Man Claims He Was

Lieutenant In Navy. Pittsburg, Pa. (Special) .- From s position on the bridge of Admiral The Delaware and the North Dakota Dewey's flagship Olympia, in the battle of Manila, to a cell in a police station, is the fall of Paul Kelley, a young salesman, according to a story he told the police upon his arrest or charge of forging a check for 22.50. Kelley claims to have been a lentenant in the Navy and attach-e. to the Olympia before being re-tired for disability after the famous sea fight in the Philippines, and says Paul, Minn.

## GAVE UP HIS LIFE TO SAVE THE TOWN

Engineer Puts Full Speed on Burning Powder Train.

FOREIGNERS BLOWN TO ATOMS.

the Explosives Away From the Community, but the Whole Train Blows Up While Passing a Railroad Section-house Full of Mexican Workmen.

Douglas, Ariz. (Special) .- Jeaus Garcia, a locomotive engineer, saved Nacozari, Ariz., from destruction by running a burning powder train through the town at top speed, but lost his own life and caused the death of a dozen or more Mexican section hands through the explosion The Dakota's keel has not yet been Long Island shore, and about 6 of two cars of powder just as the o'clock Dr. Thomas' party effected a flaming train was passing a section house. John Chisholm, a boy, was also killed by the explosion.

According to details of the accident received a powder train on the nar-fow gauge railroad of the Pilares Mine caught fire when near Nacozari. In the train were two open cars heavily loaded with explosives.

Realizing that the concentrator and a good part of the town of Nacorari would be destroyed if the powder exploded there, Engineer Gardia called to the rest of the crew to jump and started to run the train away from the town. He had taken it about a half mile when the explosion occurred, as the cars were passing a section-house full of Mexi-The terrific explosion blew the house, the train, the men and the en-

ride on the rear car. It was impossible to say just how many section men were killed.

# FOUR BURNED TO DEATH.

New Ulm, Minn. (Special) .- Four persons were burned to death in the torpedo tubes house occupied by Louis Gimmer.

The victims were three children of the Gimmers, the eldest but six years father

Mrs. Gimmer locked the children and the old man in the house and went to a neighbor's to get milk.

of the building and it soon collapsed. burying the bodies of the helpless inmates in the redhot ashes.

Want School Books Disinfected.

Leopold Would Abdicate.

Llege, Belgium (By Cable). - A newspaper of this city declares upon the authority of a high official that Congo independent state.

## WASHINGTON

with the President with reference government to the Transvaal. to labor legislation to be recommended to Congress. President Roosevelt received the

new Turkish minister to the United Taft's Farewell At Manila A Great Ohnmmed All Bey, the presentation being made by Secretary Ex-Senator Stewart, of Nevada,

Rockefeller and men of his stripe The President has issued an order consolidating the two internal revenue districts in Tennessee.

cars to the company's mines.

The Isthmian Canal Commission has appointed S. E. Blackburn, of Restucky, a district judge in the Boarder In House Fails To Recognize

Diplomatic transfers announced; Arthur M. Beaupre, present minister

David Jayne Hill, former assistant secretary of state, now minister to the Netherlands, will be promoted to be ambausador to Germany, to succoed Charlemagne Tower, resigned, arrested.

Secretary Root has designated W. Buchanan as the American defe-

Secretary Tati advised the government he would sail from Manila for Vladivestok today on Admiral Hemphill's flagship, The anti-injunction will be a sub-ject of much discussion at the con-tention of the American Federation of Labor.

TWO MORE GIANTS

to Be .Terrors.

LIKELY TO BE CONTEST IN SPEED. Laving of the Keel for the Forme Has Begun at Newport News, and There Will Be a Race Between the Shipbuilding Company of That City

and the Fore River Concern. Newport News, Va. (Special) .-The laying of the keel for America's giant 20,000-ton battleship Delaware egan at the plant of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company Thursday and all of the keel plates will be placed on the stocks by the end of the week. Many of the frames and beams for the warship have been completed, and the im-mense hull will begin to assume shape within two months. The of-ficials of the yard expect to launch the vessel in January, 1909, and to deliver her to the Navy Department about August 1, 1910.

The Delaware's sister ship, North Dakota, it to be built at the plant of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, Quincy, Mass, and naval men expect that a race in the construction of America's two greatest battleships will develop between the local yards and the Quincy yard. The yards are also expected to have a spirited contest in the speed of the ships, as the Dakota will be equipped with the Curtis turbine engines, while

The Delaware and Dakota will each be 510 feet long over all, 85 feet 2% inches broad, and will have a mean draft on trial of 27 feet. The total coal supply will be 2,300 tons for each ship and the contract speed is 21 knots an hour.

The vessels will each carry 10 12-inch breech-loading rifles, mount-ed in five electrically controlled, balanced, elliptical turrets on the center line, three forward and two aft extreme forward and extreme after turets will be mounted on the same deck, while the other three turrets will be mounted on an upper deck, so that the second forward and second after turrets can fire over the tops of the extreme forward and extreme after turrets. The third forward tur-ret will not be able to fire directly Young Chrisholm, not seeing the ahead, but all five turrets can be fire in the train, sought to steal a trained on the broadside, giving the vessels a boardside fire of 10 12-inch rifles, as against a broadside fire of eight 12-inch rifles on the British battleship Dreadnought.

In addition to these guns the ves-sel will carry 14 5-inch rapid fire Bed-Ridden Man And Three Children guns, four 3-pounder saulting guns, four 1-pounder semi-automatic guns, two 3-inch field pieces, two 30-call-ber machine guns and two submerged

age, and Gimmer's bedridden \$750,000 Stone Given Him By The

No one knows how the fire birthday of King Edward, who was born November 9, 1841. It is a custom of long standing and its observance has at times been somewhat prefunctory, but there is a genuineness in the English sentiment today Want School Books Disinfected.
New Haven, Conn. (Special).—To prevent the sprend of disease among school children the Mothers' Club of this city, has drafted a new ordinance, which it requests the city fathers to adopt, making it necessary for the benefit of the kingdom. He has surpassed the hopes of friends and discounted the forebodings of the textbooks in every school building to be regularly disinfected.

Washington (Special).—Hon. One of the Court of Appeals of the Court of Ap of Spain and the Queen of Norway, in addition to many other members of the British royal family, are stay-

The morning was occupied in re-King Leopold may possibly abdicate celving an immense number of conrather than give in to the Belgian gratulatory telegrams, letters and Parliament on the question of the presents from almost all parts of the world, one of the most notable events being the presentation to the King of the Cullinan diamond, the largest known, estimated to be worth \$750, 000, and donated to him by the leg-laiative assembly of the Transvaal as a token of the loyalty of the peo Members of the executive council ple of that colony and in commemo of the Federation of Labor conferred ration of the grant of a responsible

## IDOL OF THE FILIPINOS. Demonstration.

Manila (By Cable)—The departure Many houses were shaken down. of Secretary of War Taft from this The number of lives lost is not Manila (By Cable) -The departure blames the financial stringency on city on the cruiser Rainbow for Vlad- known. ivostok Saturday was attended by a remarkable demonstration on the part of the Filipinos. The horses It has been decided to organize a were withdrawn from the carriage in special submarine and torpedo di-vision of the Navy.

Over \$48,000,000 was expended on Panama Canal construction up to

citizens. fek, of Munich, Germany, walked on bis hands down all the steps of the terstate Commerce Commission by Washington Monument and won a the Rail and River Coal Company, of wager of \$500. He fainted upon Bellaire, O., against the Baltimore reaching the bottom and was then and Ohio Railroad, sileging discrimination in the distribution of coal address, in which he thanked the people for their reception.

## MAN KILLED FOR BURGLAR.

Owner And Opens Fire.

Philadelphia (Special), - Harry Parred, forty years old, was shot dead at his home in the northern mon stock.

Parree was a burglar.

Delsch, it is said, saw Parree enter the house, and shot him as he was mounting the stairs. Deisch was

Czar Receives U. S. Attache. St. Petersburg (By Cable) .- The

Brigadier General Elliott, com-manding the Marine Corps, in his should report urged the need of re-organization and an increase in the

GUILTY OF MALFEASANCE.

Gurko Dismissed From Office in Rus sian Government.

St. Petersburg (By Cable) .- Mr Gurko, vice minister of the interior, who was implicated in the great grain scandal during the famine-relief operations of 1906, and who was placed on trial before the Senate as a high court of justice, has been found guilty of malfensance, sentenced to dismissal from office and ordered to make restitution to the amount of \$250,000 to the count of \$250,000

Through an illegal contract M. Gurko made a deal with an irresponsible individual named Lidval to supply all the grain to the famine-strick-en provinces and advanced him \$400, 000, without security,

## THE SEA SWALLOWS UP A MOUNTAIN

Had Been Cast Up in Arctic By An Earthquake.

PEAK WAS GROWING BIGGER.

Captain Tilton, of the Whaler Hennan, Reports That McCulloch Peak, But a Year Old and 3,400 Feet High, of the large premium rates.

Has Dwindled to Almest Nothing The falling of the premium rate Owing to Earthquakes.

San Francisco (Special) .- Captain Tilton, of the whaler Herman, which arrived from the Arctic, reports that a terrific earthquake occurred at Unalaska about a month ago, and that McCulloch Peak, which was created by an earthquake nearly a year ago, and extended 3,500 feet above the sea, has dwindled to almost nothing as a result of submarine disturb-

McCulloch Peak resulted from a lands, and was discovered by officers of the United States revenue cutter McCulloch. The place was visited by Boston scientists, who recently reported that the peak was increasing

The earthquake shock, which was believed to have caused its sudden sbrinkage, was felt for miles around Bogostov Islands and Unalaska, and at one place a wall of water was thrown up nearly 35 feet out of the

### JAPANESE-AMERICAN LAKE.

Admiral Coglan, Toasting Lake, Thus Refers To Pacific Ocean.

New York (Special) .- Rear Admiral Coghlan, in a speech at a banquet given in celebration of the Mikado's fifty-seventh birthday, spoke feelingly of the friendship which has so long existed between Japan and the United States and declared his belief that the Pacific must become a Japanese-American lake.

America and Japan are hereditary friends," he said, among other things,
"I became convinced of that thirtysix years ago, when I first met his

EDWARD'S GREAT DIAMOND.

8750,000 Stone Given Him By The
Transvaal.

London (By Cable).—Every loyal
Englishman Saturday celebrated the birthday of King Edward, who was

EXPLOSION MYSTERY CLEARED. Case Of Shell Brought From Manila

By Soldier Found In Fire Ruins. Butte, Mont. (Special) .- A mys terious explosion during a fire in the which is highly complimentary to pavilion in Columbia Gardens last

## AMERICANS MISTREATED.

Guatemalan Official Charged With

Having Two Negroes Beaten. Guatemala City (By Cable) .- Two American citizens, colored, were arrested here, it is alleged, and frightfully beaten by order of the military governor of the Department of Za-The American charge d'affaires. William Sands, is making an inves-

Earthquake In Spain.

tigation

Madrid (By Cable) .- A violent earthquake has occurred at Torre Sixty Patients Are Carried To Safety La Ribera, in the province of Huesca. The earth opened, leaving great fis sures, the disturbance accompanied by subterranean rumblings which aused a pante among the population.

## **FINANCIAL**

About 1,000 of the Frick Company Coke ovens have been closed. The Pennsylvania gave orders this week for a number of new locomo-

More gold was engaged for import. making \$25,500,000 on this move-

Philadelphia Rapid Transit gross curred on the parrow gauge railroad arnings in October increased \$67.—Bisbee. The powder was in two cars. earnings in October increased \$67,-Southern Railway's gross carnings in September gained \$432,684 and net profits increased \$58,592.

The purchase of Tennessee coal adds 700,000,000 tons of iron ore to the assets of United States Steel. American tobacco continues its 10 per cent, regular annual dividend and 10 per cent, extra on ith com-

Not including San Francisco, the fire losses of the country are larger this year than last," said the repre-scussitive of one of Philadelphia's ending companies.

The traders still think that Keen is handling the stock market end of the situation for Morgan and the

bankers.

Over \$2,000,000 will go out to the Pensioners from the PhHadeiphia sub-treasury, which payments are now being anticipated.

It is understood that nearly all Philadeiphia banks have carned more in the current year than ever before in their existence.

Pensylvania Pallicani shares

in their existence.

Penusylvania Rallroad shares, owing to its larger dividend, now yield the buyer 2 per cent more annual meane than they did at the previous lowest price in ten years.

COMING OUT OF

Hoarded Money Enticed By Offers

of Premiums. SENT IN THE INDUSTRIAL CENTERS.

Three Million Dollars of Cash Brought to the Brokers From Vaults and Strong Boxes Within Two Days-The Steady Stream Has Caused a Falling Off to the Premium Rate. New York (Special) .- The magnet

of high premium rates for currency is attracting the money hoarded by depositors in steel vaults and strong boxes, and within the last two days over \$3,000,000 has been entired from its hiding-places and sold for a premium to money brokers. The placing of these large amount of hoarded currency into circulation is performing its important part in lessening the monetary stringency, and money brokers are confident that more currency will soon find its way into circulation from safe-deposit vaults, the owners of which, now being assured as to the financial fu-ture, are anxious to take advantage

for currency Thursday from 3 1/2 to 3 per cent, was brought about by the large amount of gold and silver that was taken from safe-deposit vaults and offered for sale. Purchases of currency made were generally for out-of-town account, and brokers state that currency bought here is being dispatched to agricultural and industrial centers where it is most needed. The reappearance of gold hidden away in the hour of apprehension, is a sure sign of returning confidence and belief that the storm ha passed, according to money brokers, who likened the present situation to 1893, when advancing premiums for currency when money was tightest called for a perfect flood from the vaults where it had lain hidden, and brought about a state of financial

Over a million dollars was drawn from depositories and sold to money brokers. Safe deposit companies re-port a steady stream of people visit-ing the vauNs to withdraw funds. A money broker, in speaking of the source of the currency now being offered for sale, related the following

"Our firm was concluding the purchase of \$100,000 in gold certificates and after the rates had been agreed upon the seller plunged his hand in his pocket and then asked if we would defer the sale until he could telephone his wife to bring his safe deposit key down town, as he had left his key at home. While we left his key at home. While we never inquire from the sellers, it is not difficult to tell whether the cur-rency has been taken from hiding places. Premium rates have been as high as 4 per cent, but under the increasing outpour of money from safe deposit vaults and the arrival of gold from Europe the rate has fallen to 3 per cent."

New York banks are not likely to follow the action of Chicago in deciding to use bank scrip and local bankers are of the opinion that the situation does not warrant their issu-ance in this city. A member of the clearing-house committee said: "The matter of issuing bank scrip

has not been formally discussed, al though that doubtless has been thought of. The bankers feel that the clearing-house certificates will prove adequate in preventing a severe money strain here, and that there will be no need for bank scrip."

HOLD UP A TOWN. Bandits Blow Up A Safe And Get

\$6,500.

Canova, S. D. (Special) .- Seven armed bandits held up the town at n early hour. They safe in the Interstate Bank and secured \$6,500, escaping an hour later. without leaving the slightest clew. While the two bandits worked at the bank the others goarded the alleys and streets. The occupants of a hotel across the street were aroused by the explosion, but the robbers opened fire and drove them back, threatening to kill the first one who appeared. The hotel was riddled with bullets. Where lights were burning in the homes the bandits, at the point of the gun, forced the owners to extinguish them. The town is ter

ror-stricken. FIRE PANIC IN HOSPITAL.

By Physicians And Nurses.

Chicago (Special). - Much excitement was caused among 120 patients of the German Hospital, in Hamilton Court, by a fire in the top floor of the five-story building. Ther patients on the fifth floor. There were no

Sixty patients were promptly car-ried by physicians and nurses into a new addition which adjoins the main building, and no one was in Jured.

Ten Killed By Explosion. Douglas, Ariz. (Special) .- A confirmed story, with details lacking, has been received here of a terrific powder explosion near Needgar, Ariz., when ten men, probably Mexi-cans, were killed. The explosion oc-

Old Sloop Of War Sold.

Washing on (Special) .- The Navy Department will accept the bid of \$3,210 made by Thomas Butler & Co., of Boston, who were the highest of the bidders for the old obsolete. sloop of war, Saratoga, built in 1842. The sloop, which was one of Commodore Perry's ships on his Japan expedition, has been at League friand Navy Yard for several years and has been used by the Pensylvania Naval

Pampion, a boy who was playing dia-bolo, threw the spool very high. As it was falling he misjudged its position, failed to catch it and it struck him on the temple, stunning him. He died three days later.

Singular Fatal Accident.

San Sebastian (By Cable) .-- A. T

Two Laborers Electrocuted. Chicago, November 6 .- Thomas Raugh and Charles B. Knutson, lab-orers, were electrocutsi today while operating a derrick, the steel cable of which came in contact with a trolCOMMERCIAL COLUMN

ITS HIDING PLACES Weekly Review of Trade and Latest Market Recerts.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review

of Trade says: Contraction has followed the financial crisis of last week, but only to the extent compelled by inability to raise money. There is no evidence that confidence has been permanently impaired; on the contrary, gratification is felt that the nation was so strongly fortified by a deende of unexampled prosperity that the severe strain made no deeper impression. Many contemplated developments have been postponed, and merchants find rates for compared paper simost rates for commercial paper aimost prohibitive, yet retail trade is atimu-fated by more sensonable tempera-ture, and at interior cities collections improve with the movement of the

rope to market.

Conditions in the iron and steel industry are not materially altered, except that new business is smaller. Mills continue well occupied on old contracts, as a rule, and there have been no cancellations. It is probable that no extensive reduction in activity will take piece this year. A fair tonnage of rails is wanted for home roads and export and shipyards are using plates freely, yet the volume of new business is restricted by finan-cial stringency. Coke output is at the maximum and large contracts are reported for future delivery, but the reported for future delivery, but the ovens will quickly respond to any curtailment of pig fron production.

### Wholesale Markets.

daltimore,-Wheat-The market for Western opened steady; spot. 100 %c; No. 2 red Western, 102 %;

November, 101; December, 104. Corn.—Western opened quiet; spot, Corn.—Western opened quiet; spot. 64c; year, 62%; January, 61%; February, 62. There was little demand; Western advices were firmer, and at the noon call apot and November were quoted at 65c; year, 63%.

Onts.—White No. 2, heavy, 55c.; No. 2 light to medium, 54@54%; No. 3. heavy 53 ½ @ 54; No. 3, medium, 52 ½ @ 53; No. 3, light, 51 @ 52; No. 4 light, to heavy 50 @ 51. Mixed—No. 2, 53 @ 53 ½ c.; No. 3, 52 @

52 1/4; No. 4, 51 @ 51 1/4.

Butter.—Creamery sepa:
@ 29c.; imitations, 22 @ 23. separator, 28 Cheese. - Market steady. quote jobbing lots, per lb. 17% to

Eggs .- Market 2c. higher: receipts of choice fresh stock light and demand good. We quote per dozen, loss off: Maryland, Pennsylvania, firsts, 28c.; Western, firsts, 28; West Virginia, firsts, 27; Southern, firsts, 25 to 26. New York .- Wheat -- No.

107c. elevator; No. 2 red, 109, f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 Northern Duluth nominal , afloat; No. 2 hard winter nominal, f. o. b. affoat. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 70c., elevator, and 71, f. o. b., affoat; No. 2 white, 72½, and No. 2 yellow, 71, f. o. b. affoat, all nominal.

Oats—Receipts, 54,000 bu.; exports, 2,325. Spot firm; mixed, 26 @ 32 lbs., 52c.; natural white, 26 @ 32 lbs., 54 @ 56; clipped white, 32 @ 40 lbs., 56 @ 64. Butter—Creamery specials, 26 % c.; extras, 26; thirds to firsts, 22@

Eggs - Strong; state, Penusylvania and nearby, fancy selected, white, 38@42c.; good to choice, 34 @ 36; brown, fapey, 84 @ 36; average prime, 30 @ 32; firsts to extra first, 25 @ 28; Western first, 23 @ 25; seconds, 20 @ 22.

Philadelphia. - Wheat quiet but stendy: contract grade, November, 103 ½ @ 104a. Corn firm, ½c. higher; November, 65 ½ @ 66c. Oats firm, 1c. higher; No. 2 white, 53 ½ @ 54c. Butter steady, fair demand; extra Western creamery, 28 % c.; do. near-by prints, 31.

Eggs firm, good demand; Pennsylvania, and other nearby firsts, free cases, 29c, at mark; do do current receipts, in returnable cases, 28 at mark; Western choice, free cases, 29; do do, fair to good, free cases, 28 at mark.

Live poultry firm fair demand; fowls, 10 ½ @ 12 ½c.; old roosters, 8 ½ @ 9; spring chickens, 10 ½ @ 12; ducks, 12 @ 13. Cheese firm but quiet; New York full creams, choice, 16% @ 16% c.; do do, fair to good, 15% @ 16%.

Live Stock. New York.-Beeves-No trading of importance; feeling steady. Calves

Veals steady; gransers and Western calves slow; veals sold at \$5.00 to \$9.50 per 100 lbs; Western calves, prime to choice light weights, at \$5.00 to \$5.00 per 100 lbs; weights, at \$5.00 to \$5.00 per 100 lbs; weights, at \$5.00 per 100 lbs; weights, at \$5.00 per 100 per 10

Hogs-Market firm to 5c. higher

Pennsylvania and state hogs quoted at \$6.50@ 6.70; Ohio pigs at \$6.30.

Chicago.—Cattle—Market strong to 15c. higher. Steers, \$4.50@7.00; cows, \$2.55@4.60; heifers, \$2.50@5.00; bulls, \$2.60; @5.00; calves, \$3.00@7.75. Hogs Market strong to 5@10c. higher. Choice heavy shipping, \$6.05 @ 6.20; light butchers', \$6.10@6.25; light mixed, \$5.90@6.10; choice

light, \$6.05@6.25; packing, \$5.25@ 5.90; pigs, \$4.25@5.75; bulk of 5.90; pigs. \$4.25 unies, \$5.60@6.00. Sheep—Market dull; sheep, \$2.90 \$6.25; lambs, \$5.75 \$6.75; year-lings, \$5.00 \$5.50.

Kansas City, Mo.—Cattle—Market strong to 5c. higher; choice export and dressed beef steers, \$5.30 @ 6.50; fair to good, \$4.25 @ 5.50.

Hogs. Market 5c. higher; top, \$5.82 \( \frac{1}{2} \); bulk, \$5.65 \( \phi \) 5.80; heavy. \$5.60 \( \phi \) 5.75; packers, \$5.65 \( \phi \) 5.80; pigs and light, \$5 \( \phi \) 5.82 \( \phi \). Pittsburg, Pa. — Cattle — Supply light; alow: choice, \$5.75 \( \phi \) 6; prime, \$5.40 \( \phi \) 5.75.

Hogs — Receipts light; hlaber; prime heavy, \$6.45@6.50; medium, \$6.45; heavy Yorkers, \$6.95.45; light Yorkers, \$6.20@6.25; pigs \$5.90@6.05; roughs, \$6.95.85.

ODDS AND ENDS.

It is said that London produced over 200 new designs in "penny toys" every week.

In Holland the horn as a warning amount is reserved exclusively for the use of motorists.

It is stated that a chameleon which

blind loses its power of making

roundings.

Records of the homes for the age in New York City show that all at the 40 institutions are now full an have long waiting lists.