This dispatch from Minister Con This dispatch from Minister Conger, dated at Tsi-Nan-Yamen, Tuesday, was received late Tuesday might by the state department at Washington: "Still besieged. Situation more precarious. Chinese government insisting upon out leaving Peking, which would be certain death. Rife fring upon us daily by imperial troops. Have abundant courage, but little ammunition or provisions. Two progressive yamen ministers beheaded. All connected with the legation of the United States well at the present moment.

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Fifty Seamen Drowned.

During maneuvers of the French fleet off Cape St. Vincent Saturday night a collision occurred between the first-class

### LATEST NEWS NOTES.

A \$50,000 fire at Hanover, Pa., de The navy department decided to reject all the recent bids for armor plate. Sunday a wind storm damaged bi New Kensington, Pa., industries \$100

Jealousy over a woman caused the latest Klondike camp murder in Fay ette county, Pa. Explosion of a jar of vitriol at the York (Pa.) chemical works fatally burned two men.

Secret agents of the Italian govern ment are to keep watch on Italian anarchists in Pittsburg, Pa.

The Prohibitionist State Executive

Westmoreland county, Pa., capital \$10,000.

Marine hospital service advices from Manila just received report that the number of plague cases there is diminishing.

England is said to have categorically refused to treat for peace with China until communication with its minister is restored.

Silas Shoemaker was killed and Frank Marshall and James German were badly injured in a mine explosion near Allentown, Pa.

By a break in the line of the Buckeye Pipe Line Company near Findlay, O., many thousands of gallons of oil were lost.

The United States transport McPher-

ENGLAND KICKS ON LOAN.

Fittons Angry Because Americans Took Up
Most of the War Bonds.

The aliotment of such a large poron of the war loan to America has not een well received in many quarters, the Daily Chronicle, in its financial arcle, eays:

"The people are so angry that they we not time to consider to what huilitation we have been brought in have go to appeal at all to foreign money.

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battleship Brennus, no.

Vice Admiral Fournier, commander the fleet, and the torpedo boat destroyer Framee.

The Framee sank immediately. The accident was due to the fact that the Framee turned to the right when ordered to the left.

Details thus far received are very meagre. Only a small portion of the greew, consisting of four officers and 58 men, were saved. It is said that no fewer than 50 were lost and great anxiety is felt here.

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### THE COLUMBUS TRAGEDY FATHOMED

MURDER AND ROBBERY.

Charles R. H. Farrell Arrested Sunday ar

inines, due to arrive at Columbus, to the west at midnight, was robat at some point between there and mant Friday night, and Messenger les Lane, of that city, killed.

The robbery was not discovered until this revolver, several chambers of a had been emptied, lying by his econtents of the safe had been emptied, lying by his econtents of the safe had been additional \$8 per share. Thus \$88, the same of the safe had been door having been blown to dead man's keys were taken out the safe had been some the safe had been safe had been some the safe had been safe had been some the safe had been safe ha

Passes Away.

Baron Russell, of Killowen, lord chief stice of England, died Friday morn-stice of England, died Friday morn-of Other Suits. justice of England, died Friday morning from gastric catarrh.

Charles Russell was born at Newry, Ireland, in 1833. He studied law and in 1851 moved to London, where he was admitted to the bar in 1859. He soon became prominent as an advocate and in 1872 was appointed queen's counsel. In 1880 he entered parliament and became in turn, solicitor general and attorney general, under Mr. Gladstone. He was concerned in many famous cases and won international reputation as a lawyer and orator. He was knighted in 1886. In 1894 he was appointed a lord of appeal nordinary and in July of the same year was made lord chief justice of England. In 1896 he visited the United States and delivered an address on "International Arbitration" before the Bar Association of America, at Saratoga Springs. He presided over the trial of Dr. Jameson and his fellow raiders of the Transvaal.

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Wall Street Stands Amazed at the Millions nds Poured Out by the Stand-ard Oil Company.

abulous profits of the Standard Oil company. The declaration of a dividend f \$8 a share on the \$97,500,000 outstand-

Judge Lacombe, of the United States circuit court, at New York, Wednesday rendered an opinion which indicates that an order for the extradition of Charles F. W. Neely to the Cuban authorities will be signed on August 13. The latter part of the document says:

"The evidence shows probable cause to believe that the prisoner is guilty of an offense defined in the act of June 6, 1900, and which is also a violation of the criminal laws in force in Cuba and upon suc," evidence he will be held for extradition. Two obstacles to his extradition. Two obstacles to his extradition. Two obstacles to his extradition in Nwo obstacles to his extradition. Two obstacles to his extradition in Suc our upon a criminal charge of bringing into this district government funds embezzled in another district. He has also been arrested in a civil action brought in this court to recover \$4,5000, which, it is alleged, he has converted. When both of these proceedings shall have been discontinued the order in extradition, will be signed. This may be tradition of the individual to the contemporary of the current of the Capitol to the flag print of the Court between the attorney general's office and the office of the scale of the capitol to the flag print of the Cupitol to the flag print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and the print, and the print of the Cupitol to the flag print, and

## ZION'S LEADER GOES ABROAD.

Assaulted and Takes Guards.

Surrounded by body guards, John Alexander Dowie, in Zion home at Chicago, bade farewell to the "divine healers" and members of his church. He left for Europe on Saturday. During his trip abroad he will be accompanied by a former policeman, who will act as a body guard.

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Dowie expects to return to Chicago ext January. One object of the trip said to be the completion of the transer of Nottingham lace industries to the ew Zion site at Waukegan, Ill.

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STARVING SOLDIERS.

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Interest and death was immediate.

Letters on Renick's person indicate that he had long had the act in contemplation. In this letter he says he had written his wife five times, and believes that his letters had been intercepted, and that suicide has been his one thought for a month; that he had tried five times with poisons and gas, and was prevented from jumping from a "seven-story building on High street." The distance Renick fell was about 65 feet. He went to the roof through one of the windows of the dome.

### TO TOUR THE COUNTRY. Prohibition Train Will Carry National Candidates Who Will Make Speeches.

# REVENGED MAXINO'S CAPTURE.

A GOSPEL MESSAGE

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They Are No Worse Than the Country
-Vice is More Apparent, But Not More
Prevalent-A Plea For Honest Living.

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Precarious Conditions in India.

In a normal year India, as a whole, produces a little more food than is actually necessary to support its people. But the crops are dependent on the monsoons—the southwest monsoon in the beginning of summer and the north-cast monsoon in the winter. If these periodic ratins are late, or are insufficient in quantity, trouble comes, and the spring and winter crops of wheat, barriage and puises in the north, and of rice and poison glands in full perfection, and prison glands in full perfection, and the angle of the normal properties of the normal poison glands in full perfection, and the southern States.

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