CZAR'S GUARDS TO FRONT

Clouds and Balls of Fire.

The captain of the British steamer Sibun reports that when the steamer passed the island of Martinique on September 30 Mont Pelee was in full eruption. The spectacle was witnessed by those on board the Sibun at 2 o'clock in the morning of the day mentioned, the volcano emitting stupendous black clouds and balls of fire. This accounts for the dust clouds reported to have been seen throughout the Windward islands.

Early in May, 1962. Mont Pelee broke finto violent eruption, wiping out the city of St. Pierre and reaching other towns nearby. The loss of life on that occasion was estimated at 40,000.

FIFTY KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

Destruction of an Ammunition Magazine at Schools and promised compliance.

Parents Prosecuted for Refusing to patronize Jubile Schools.

As a result of the trial and conviction of the Amish father at Troy, Geauga county, O., who refused to seed a miss and son had quarreled frequently and violent threats had been made. The father went to a room where the boy was sleeping with a hatched. The lad awakened in time to selze a shotgum and blow off his father's head.

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A telegram from the Russian frontier reports that 50 persons were killed by fire and an explosion of an ammunition magazine at Sebastopol.

An immense amount of ammunition was destroyed.

The will of Daniel Willard Fiske, bequeaths to Cornell university at libaca, N. Y., an aggregate of \$500.

The International Peace Congress at Boston adopted resolutions calling greatest force of the earthquake was at Boston adopted resolutions calling greatest force of the earthquake was felt in Calabria. Three houses fell at the war, and upon the signatory powers of The Hague convention to put an end to the strife.

JAPS DRIVEN BACK

Kuropatkin Gives Orders for Russians

capacity of 10,000,000 tons. The nive new steamers will increase the capacity to 16,000,000 tons.

ROBBER IMPRISONS GIRL.

Steals \$1,700 from Bank and Locks Assistant Cashier in Vault.

A robber walked into the savings bank at Treynor Ia., and at the point of a revolver, compelled the assistant cashier, Miss Frances Flood, to take \$1,700 from the cash drawer and vault and put the money in a bag he carried. Then he drove the young woman into the big vault and locked her in. Later customers heard the girl's screams for help and released her from the vault.

MONT PELEE IN ERUPTION. AMISH SCHOOLS MUST CLOSE.

Stupendous Black Parents Prosecuted for Refusing to

Mrs. Nation Gets Six Months.

COAL GAS CAUSES DEATH

Killed at Christening.

One man is dead, another is fatally injured and two more are seriously hurt as a result of a riot following a christening celebration among italians employed in the stone quarries at Pemberton, on the Pennsylvania railroad east of Altoona. The dead: Francesco Ambraski. 27 years old. The injured: John Tolski, 24 years old, and the seriously injured are Dominick Ambraski, brother of the dead man, and John Nugi, slayer of Ambraski.

Crew of Fourteen Drowned.

The Norwegian bark Sir John Lawrence, from London, has struck on sunken rocks outside the harbor at Frederickstad, and has broken up. The crew of 14 were drowned.

Killed His Father.

Maj. Bright, a wealthy farmer liv-

Massachusetts Republicans.

Recluse Found Dead.

Mrs. Nation Gets Six Months.

Charles Traylor, who lived alone upon his farm near Jacksonville, W. Withoit, Mrs. Myra Medfenry and bullet in his head. It is believed he was murdered. Traylor was 60 years old. It was known he had at least \$600 cash and probably more in the house. The money cannot befound. No clue has been discovered.

Mrs. Emma Ewing Palmer, last of the two "ossified" sisters, is dead at Sherburne, N. Y., aged 50.

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Mrs. Lucy Withoit, Mrs. Lucy Withoit, Mrs. Myra Medfenry and mrs. Lucy Withoit, Mrs. Myra Medienry and mrs. Lucy Withoit, Mrs. Myra Medienry and a point raid at Wichita, Kan., recently, were found guilty in the city court of destruction of property. Mrs. Boston; auditor, Henry E. Turner, Malden; attorney general, Herbert Parker, Lancaster; treasurer, A. B. Conspiracy Nipped.

Mrs. Carrie Nation. Mrs. Lucy Withoit, Mrs. Myra Medienry and de the following ticket; Governor, Curtis Gutld, Jr., Boston; secretary of state, William M. Olin, Boston; auditor, Henry E. Turner, Malden; attorney general, Herbert Parker, Lancaster; treasurer, A. B. Chapin. Holyoke; electors-at-large, William W. Crapo, New Bedford, and Edwin U. Curtis. Boston.

DEATH OF HENRY C. PAYNE.

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Towns in the Chartiers valley are saffering from the most severe famine in many years. Canonsburg is the worst sufferer. The water company has entirely shut off the water from its mains, and the electric plant has closed down, leaving the town in absolute darkness. Houston and Meadowlands are almost as badly off, as many wells have gone dry.

The Pittsburg Coal Company at the Midlands is supplying the town from wells drilled for boiler supply. Washington is the only town in the valley which is well supplied, the recent completion of a 500,000-gallon reservoir giving the city reserve supply.

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Town Without Municipal Tax.

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FROM THE WAR BELT

Russian Commander Says Japanese Lost 10,000 Men During One Week's Fighting.

date.

The disposition both of sellers and of buyers is still to proceed very conservatively until the future has shaped itself. Thus, in staple lines like in wire products, the leading interest will not sell beyond 60 days, and in other branches a similar attitude is maintained.

No individual large transactions are reported in any of the finished lines, but there is quite a good inquiry and a fairly large tonnage is being figured on.

ACL FORFEIT CHARTERS.

Der injurga op the results of trail near Bismarck, N. D.

The Spanish Institute of Social Reforms voted for the prohibition of bull-fighting.

Owing to the hard times in England thousands of persons in the cities are on the verge of starvation.

English prelates were hooted by anti-ritualists at the annual Church of England congress in Liverpool.

The Supreme Court of Wisconsin decided that the La Follette ticket should go in the Regular Republican column on the ballot.

William Herman, a bartender, was

MAY FORFEIT CHARTERS.

ure of the charters of some 12,000 corporations, which are well known and located in every State in the Union, has been brought in the Circuit court of Charleston, W. Va., by the Attorney General of West Virginia. The evit the Attorney General of West Virginia. The suit was instituted because of an alleged deficiency on the part of these 12,000 corporations to make reports and appoint the statutory attorneys as required by the statute.

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In succession to Mr. Payne George

statute.
There is only one way in which these corporations can now save themselves, and that is, according to the assistant attorney general's statement, by paying a large fee for the settlement.

Report Shows Product Is Short of a Good Average.

The crop report issued by the State board of agriculture gives discouraging figures regarding wheat in Ohio. The report says that the wheat area harvested was the lowest in 25 years with the exception of 1896 and 1900. Of the wheat area seeded last fall. for the harvest of this year, it is sestimated that 18 per cent. or 338, 128 acres, were plowed in the spring. The wheat crop for 1904 shows only 18,693,067 bushels. This is less than one-half of a full crop for the State, the product per acre being about four bushels short of a good average.

\$3,000 in Diamonds Stolen.
Albert B. Gaines, president of the Jefferson Hotel Company, St. Louis, reported to the police that his room in the hotel had been entered and \$2,000 worth of diamonds belonging to his wife stolen. Mrs. Gaines witnessed the robbery.

Portuguese Troops Slaughtered.

Portuguese troops, belonging to a co!-Portuguese troops, belonging to a column operating in Portuguese West Africa against the Cuanhamas, was surprised by the tribesmen while crossing the Cunene river. The detachment, which numbered 499 officers and men, lost 254 killed, including 15 officers and 50 wounded.

LOREE RESIGNS

Rock Island Meeting Results in

London Hears that a Great Naval
Fight Occurred.

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Rock Island Meeting Results in Disagreement.

Lenor Fresnell Loree, the highest president in the world, suddenly resigned as the executive head of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company.
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Meek's Fighting.

A London news agency sent out a dispatch dated Tokio, October 5 saying: "It is reported that the Russian squadron made a sortie from Port Arthur, and that a great naval battle occurred. No details are given."

It is reported that the Japanese advance posts have been driven back all along the line between the Hunriver and Bensihu.

Lieut. Gen. Stoessel says the Japanese losses were 10,000 during the attacks on Port Arthur from September 22. He reports that no incident occurred from September 22. Bestpember 23. The last Japanese attack to which Gen. Stoessel refers was on a rill called High mountain, south of Inthan. He gives instances of the heroism of the defenders; especially the case of a lieutenant, who threw hand bombs into Japanese trenches, causing a panic.

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The explosion was caused by water being in the bed under the cupola when the bottom was dropped after a cast. The coremakers' shed was blown to pieces.

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The Iron Age says: The growing confiduce in the general business situation and in iron circles in particular is beginning to show itself in an increased volume of buying. It is not very much to brag of yet, but it looks clearly as though we were at last heading in the right direction.

The railroads are buying somewhat more freely. Some pretty good orders for rolling stock have been placed among them one lot of 3,000 steel cars for the Eric road. In the aggregate the orders for steel rails in small lots figure up rather surprisingly well.

The lake shipbuilders have taken five additional vessels, making a total of nine for which the material, aggregating about 30,000 tons, has been placed. It is understood that the United States Steel Corporation contemplates placing an order for four or five large carriers at an early date.

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